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RED CROSS News and Notes

Silver Tea. The tea at Mrs. Chris Wright's in north La Grande promises to be well attended, for the North Side ladies are glad of this opportunity to show their splendid loyalty to the Red Cross and to their own community. However, the "tea" is not confined to locality and many ladies are planning to go. Everyone is invited by Mrs. Wright. A program is being arranged for four o'clock. Announcements later. Remember the date, Friday afternoon of this week.

No Salaries. No, dear reader, there is no salary paid to any officer of the Red Cross, not even the busy secretary, Mrs. L. H. Goodhue. So, why worry?

Belgians Need Clothing. The Red Cross is called upon to collect surplus clothing for Belgian relief as more more explicitly set out in the following letter, viz:

March 8, 1918, Dr. M. K. Hall, Chairman, La Grande Chapter, A. R. C., La Grande, Oregon.

Dear Dr. Hall: Herbert Hoover has asked the Red Cross to lead the machinery of its organization to collect for the Belgian Relief Commission from the people of the United States a certain amount of selected used and surplus clothing for the

relief work of the commission in occupied territory of France and Belgium.

The Red Cross, speaking through Mr. Davison, has agreed to do so.

The campaign will cause little interruption in the regular work of the Red Cross as the mechanical details have been reduced to a minimum and the expense involved is small. Chapters will collect such articles as are desired, inspect only to the extent necessary to eliminate worthless articles and those which cannot be used, pack in any way which will secure safety in transit and ship by a. b. cars to the designated warehouses of the commission.

Mr. Gibson is particularly desirous that the whole matter be closed up by March 25 in order that the work may not continue long enough to come to be considered a regular activity of the Red Cross or be a precedent for a continued collection of worn garments.

This division is asked for 200 tons, of course most of this will come from the cities. We suggest that the La Grande chapter gather from the city and the two counties under your chapter jurisdiction approximately three tons.

Enclosed are: (1) Complete and simple instructions for handling the

collection, (2) Copy of the appeal of the Belgian Relief Commission. The instructions regarding the collection of this relief and other matters pertaining thereto will appear in the Red Cross department literature.

WAR CYCLOPEDIA ISSUED BY THE GOVERNMENT

Pervasive Facts of the War Concisely and Authoritatively Stated

A "War Cyclopaedia" is the latest special war publication of the government issued through the committee on public information. It is a handbook for ready reference on the great war, and contains in some 300 pages a great mass of information simply arranged and clearly stated. It is issued in response to an insistent demand from many students, writers, clergymen, lawyers, business men and the public at large for authentic statements of the outstanding facts concerning the war in alphabetical arrangement.

The "War Cyclopaedia" was edited by Frederic L. Paxton, University of Wisconsin; Edwin S. Corwin, Princeton University, and Samuel B. Harding, Indiana University, the editors drawing freely upon the time and the patriotic good-will of a large number of special writers from all parts of the country. Because of its special value and the high cost of printing a small price of 25 cents a copy has been fixed

by the government to cover the cost of production and distribution. It may be obtained from the Committee on Public Information, 19 Jackson Place, Washington, D. C. In a foreword Chairman George Creel, of the committee, says: "Other handbooks have been and will be made by other agencies; all will serve their end, for this war is not to be won by an established doctrine nor by an official theory, but by an enlightened opinion based on the truth. The facts of history and life are the only arsenal to which Americans need resort in order to defend their cause. The deeper their study, the firmer becomes their conviction. The 'War Cyclopaedia' represents an effort to arrange in simple form the facts most needed."

The "War Cyclopaedia" gives a remarkably succinct and comprehensive story of the execution of Edith Cavell.

All of the great war measures in the United States, such as the Espionage Act, the various acts concerning alien enemies, the Selective Draft, the Voluntary Censorship of

the Press, etc., and all of the institutions that have been created to carry on the activities of the war, such as the War Trade Board, War Risk Insurance Bureau, Red Cross Service, Council of National Defense, Food Administration, etc., are comprehensively explained. There is also a wealth of information of value to students of military affairs concerning the army and navy and all their ramifying branches of service.

The editors have made easily accessible the outstanding facts concerning German frightfulness in the reports of leading episodes of the war, such as the invasion of Belgium, the Lusitania destruction, the submarine campaign against neutrals and similar incidents.

Swells Junior Red Cross Fund. The Island City pupils have turned over the sum of \$18 to the Junior Red Cross. This department of the work is being vigorously pushed by the members of the Island City school and they are to be congratulated on the substantial showing made.

Special Costumes For "Drum Major" The costumes of the players of the operetta, "The Drum Major," which is to be given at the high school March 22, are to be of the best. Those of the men will be the regular military costume of the soldier of the French revolution. Those of the girls will be much like the ones worn in the time of Queen Elizabeth, and will doubtlessly be very quaint in style. Those taking the role of peasants will also have a regular peasant costume, consisting of blouse, knee breeches, and bright colored stockings, typical too, of the peasant period.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the Matter of the Estate of William McCall, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and has qualified as executor of the estate of William McCall, deceased; and that all persons having claims against the estate of the said decedent should present them duly verified to the undersigned at his law office in La Grande, Union county, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

First published, February 13, 1918. JNO. S. HODGIN, Executor of the Estate of William McCall, Deceased. Daily 2-13, 20, 27, 3-6, 13rd.

The Observer's Classified Ads.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A two or three room modern apartment where part of rent can be taken up by light work. Red 3922.

FOR RENT—Apartment; Darling apartments, 6 Depot St. 3-9-1f.

FOR RENT—A modern apartment with separate bath. Gilbert apartment house. Call Red 541. 3-8-1f.

FOR RENT—Two nice rooms for light housekeeping; also separate bedroom; two blocks from center of town. 1512 Adams Avenue. Phone Black 3901. 2-26-1f.

WANTED—Miscellaneous.

TO EXCHANGE—160 acres grazing and timber land on Wallowa river for La Grande property. What have you. Phone Black 1642. 3-12-2f.

WANTED—Competent girl or woman for general housework; 25.00 per month; two in family. Inquire Observer. 3-11-1f.

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FOR RENT—Two room furnished house. 1206 O Ave. 3-12-1f.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms on lower floor. 1311 O avenue. Phone Red 821. 3-12-1f.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms; inquire Harris Furniture Co. 3-15-1f.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Inquire at Harris Furniture Co. Phone Red 3171. 3-9-1f.

FOR RENT—Two room furnished house; call 1301 O Ave. or phone Red 3101. 3-6-1f.

FOR RENT—Modern furnished house. Phone Black 3761, or call 2103 First St. 3-5-1f.

LOST.

LOST—Bunch of keys near Post Office. Return to Observer and receive reward. 3-12-2f.

Found.

Bay colt, two years old. No brands visible. Came to my place about February 23. J. P. Steinbeck ranch seven miles east of La Grande. 3-9-1f.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Setting hens, Andalusian and Plymouth Rock hatching eggs, \$1.00 per 15; large Denver onions, \$2.00 per sack; onion sets, 8c per lb.; well matured seed potatoes, \$1.50 per sack; vegetable oysters. Black 3961. 1904 1st N. 3-12-6f.

FOR SALE—17 lots, 6 room house, paved street; clear; good location; terms; may consider trade. Make offer for all or part. Address Owner, care Observer. 3-12-5f.

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs from carefully selected mating of single comb Rhode Island Red, Barred Rocks, White Orpington and English White Leghorns. Eggs, per 15, \$1.50 to \$3.00; per 100, \$8.00 to \$12.00. Call Black 3911. J. H. Day, 1214 W Avenue. 3-11-1mo.

FOR SALE—Dandy Shepherd pups; male, \$5.00; females, \$2.50. C. A. Webster, Alice. 3-11-4t-p.

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Inquire 1896 Cedar St. 3-11-1f.

FOR SALE—Real estate; write for particulars. Jas. Bone, Emmett, Idaho. 3-9-1mo pd.

FOR SALE—White leghorn eggs; Tamed special strain; \$1.50 per 15. Mrs. Geo. E. Wells, Alice, Oregon. 3-9-6tpd.

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 60x70, 10-room house; street improvements all paid. Call Red 3812. 3-8-1f.

FOR SALE—Three jersey cows. Call Black 3591. 3-7-6tpd.

FOR SALE—Dry slab wood; measured cord, \$2.50. Phone Red 1882. 2-26-1f.

FOR SALE—Home grown alfalfa seed at farmer's prices. C. W. Bond, La Grande Route No. 2. 2-25-1mo.

The Pneumonia Season

The cold, damp weather of March seems to be the most favorable for the pneumonia germ. Now is the time to be careful. Pneumonia often results from a cold. The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger. As soon as the first indications of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. As to the value of this preparation, ask anyone who has used it.—Adv.

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L. O. O. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 850, Loyal Order of Moose holds regular meetings every Wednesday night at 8 p. m. in Eagle hall next to Elks' Bldg. on Washington Ave. Visitors always welcome. Dues payable at Young's Sweets.

GEO. YOUNG, Dic. HARRY SWARTZ, Sec.

B. P. O. E. ELKS, La Grande Lodge No. 433. Lodge meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Home and club privileges cheerfully extended to all Brother Elks.

NORMAN DESILET, Exalted Ruler. A. B. CHERRY, Secretary.

K. of L. of Security—Mt. Emily Council, No. 245, meets the second and fourth Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Eagle hall. Visiting members are welcome.

A. B. FITZGERALD, Pres. J. KE HARRIS, Fin'l. Sec. FLORENCE BRYANT, Rec. Sec.

SHIALED TEMPLE NO. 170—Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan. Instituted Feb. 20, 1914. Meets the third Friday of each month at K. P. hall. All visiting Votaries welcome.

C. M. HUMPHREYS, Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Camp No. 169 meets every first and third Monday at Eagle's Hall. All visiting neighbors welcome. Dues payable at the office of the clerk, New Foley Bldg., 9 a. m., to 5 p. m.

J. J. MURCHISON, C. C. R. J. KITCHEN, Clerk.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. holds regular meetings first and third Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all Masons.

ROBERT S. EAKIN, W. M. A. C. WILLIAMS, Sec.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27 meets every Monday night in Castle Hall (K. of P. hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights.

C. K. MCCORMICK, C. C. DELILE GREEN, K. of R. & S.

REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.

SARAH McCLURE, N. G. MAITIE GOLDEN, Rec. Sec.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA—La Grande Camp No. 773 meets on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month in the K. of P. Hall. Visiting neighbors welcome.

L. J. MUNHALL, V. C. W. F. ASHMAN, Clerk

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Iris Camp meets every second Friday afternoon and every fourth Friday evening, every month in K. P. hall. All visiting members cordially welcome. HENRIETTA GHARST, Orator. NELLIE V. VINACKE, Rec.

O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Visiting members cordially welcome. SADIE E. GIVEN, W. M. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.

Professional Directory

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

DR. J. L. INGLE—Osteopathic physician. Third floor New Foley Bldg. Hours 10-12 a. m.; 2-5 p. m., and by appointment. Office phone, Red 1761, residence Red 881.

DR. MARGARET INGLE—Osteopathic physician. Diseases of women and children and obstetrics.

MECHANOTHERAPY

DR. A. N. MAYVILLE—Mechanotherapy; chronic diseases my specialty; Physical and Mental Science. Hours: 1:30 to 12:00 a. m., 1:30 to 4:30 p. m., 7:00 to 8:00 evening. Phone Black 2311. Rooms 1 and 2 over Coolidge Paint Store, Adams Ave.

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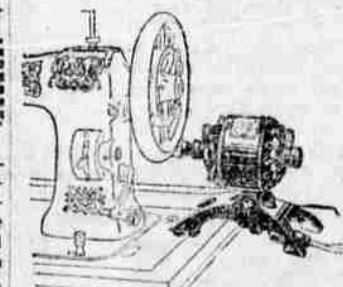
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