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Social and Personal

THE DAILY RECIPES.

For a short time only, Miss May Murphey, county agent, will furnish a daily recipe, for the benefit of the housewives of La Grande and Union county. Following is one for the day:

Peanut Butter Loaf.
 1/2 cup peanut butter (thin to consistency of thick cream by adding hot water).
 2 cups cooked rice.
 1 egg.
 1/3 teaspoonful celery salt if desired.
 Salt to taste.
 1 tablespoon chopped onion.
 Juice of 1 small lemon.
 Combine. Bake in moderate oven about 30 minutes or until nicely browned. Serve with brown sauce or tomato sauce.

W. A. Rogers, of San Francisco, is a guest of the Hotel Sommer.

J. F. Grimes and J. W. Michael, of Pendleton, are at the Foley.

Ed. Castell and H. W. Shafer, of Hilgard, are guests of the Foley.

Chas. D. James, Chas. G. Blyeu and family, of Enterprise, are at the Sommer.

Chas. Beirneau and Virgil Veitch of Baker, are guests of the Hotel Foley.

W. U. Underwood, B. F. Waddell, of Boise, Idaho, are at the Hotel Foley.

L. A. Fuller, of the post-office force, is spending his vacation at Wallowa lake.

Horace, Paul and Clarence Smith and Lee Gross, of Elgin are registered at the Sommer.

Mrs. Wynthoun Oxley, of this city, is on a visit to friends in La Grande.—Baker Democrat.

J. L. Alvord, Hank Gowdy, W. A. Gossett, C. S. Jones, and H. Mel of Baker are registered at the Hotel Foley.

A. S. Tart, J. P. Lockridge, J. M. Lamb, and C. H. Chapman, of Baker, are among the arrivals in La Grande.

D. R. McKenzie and family, Otto G. Ott, R. C. Wendell and J. H. Newbill, of Summerville were in La Grande yesterday.

Arch Keown and Ralph Hudson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walker, W. L. Wiggins, of Imbler, are registered at the Foley.

S. B. Williams and wife, Mrs. J. Williams, O. A. Spear and Max Stubbfield and family, are arrivals in La Grande from Lostine.

H. G. Mousser, W. D. Seaman, F. R. Chapman, W. T. Hishop, H. F. McQuaid, of Portland, are among the Portland visitors in La Grande.

Guy L. Fuller, of the Western Union messenger force, left yesterday for Joseph to accept a position as clerk and assistant operator for the O. W. R. & N. at that point.

W. P. Forbes, Fred A. Gill, Maude M. Collins, V. M. Schubach L. D. Smith, William L. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burke, of Portland are registered at the Hotel Foley.

Wallace Wright, of Fruitdale, will leave in a few days for enlistment in the navy. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright, and they already have three other sons in the service.

W. S. Salsbury and wife, Josie Eduth, Henry Waely, Chas. C. Coghlan, Chas. Cross, Bona Wisdom, Wm. Nelson and Otis Applegarth, of Elgin, are registered at the Foley.

A. P. Snapp, retiring druggist of the Levy-Vogel company, left yesterday morning for Portland to take up a position in a shipyard. Mr. Snapp's family for the present will remain in La Grande.

Miss Claire Mavor, Susie Jones, Sally Smith, Jessie Wrenn, Mrs. J. H. Baker and son, C. O. Spear, J. L. Holmes, C. L. Knodell, Fred Geiger, Roy Brothers and wife of Enterprise, are registered at the Foley.

"Bud" Truesdale, a former La Grande resident, leaves today in company with Mrs. Truesdale, for their home in Seattle. They have been on an auto trip, including the greater portion of California and Nevada and travel with a Maxwell.

R. C. Lorenz, of Wallowa, is at the Foley.

J. T. Rice, of Salt Lake, is at the Sommer.

Fred Murray, of Perry, is at the Hotel Foley.

H. W. Hutchinson was over from Union yesterday.

Margaret Moore, of Condon, is a Sommer Hotel guest.

R. V. Pease and Earl Rand, of Cove, are at the Foley.

Arba Elledge and John Marbin, of Wallowa are at the Foley.

Jessie Burns, of Weiser, Idaho, is a guest at the Sommer Hotel.

E. C. Hale, of Denver, is at the Foley.

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Murphy have returned from a vacation in Portland. During their absence Dr. Murphy was an attendant at the meeting of the state dental association.

Lieut. Milton A. Stoddard is home on a furlough to remain a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stoddard, of Fruitdale. The young man went east early in the spring for a three months' school and has lately been assigned at Fort Stevens. He expects to be soon attached to the division that will go overseas.

Engineer Geo. S. Parker, of 1916 First street, is receiving many compliments on his garden, which is considered one of the best kept in La Grande. In addition to the usual line of garden stuff and vegetables he has many flowers and these are distributed among the patients of the Grande Ronda hospital, which is but a few blocks from the Parker home.

July 10th last day to pay water rent without penalty.—Adv. 7-8-2t.

SPLENDID PATRIOTIC SPIRIT.
 Relative Of Grande Man Finally Found Place In Service.

"Well, Howbrook, they let you serve at last," was the commonplace greeting for Harry Howbrook at the exemption board office on Monday, when he prepared to depart Tuesday for Vancouver barracks to drill with other limited service men, says the North Yakima Herald.

Howbrook is far from being forced into the service by the draft. He holds a worth-while record. Since the beginning of the war he has been eager to get into the service. Not only has he tried to enlist in many branches of the Canadian army, but he has tried all but one or two branches of the American army. Each time he has been turned down for being underweight.

He comes from a family which has sacrificed much for the cause of the Allies. He has 23 cousins and several uncles on the firing line in France, serving under the British flag. Several cousins have recently made their supreme sacrifice and one uncle is now a wounded prisoner in Germany. Mr. Howbrook has lost many boyhood friends in this war. He has three brothers in the American army; Mark J. Howbrook, of the Signal Corps, now in Alaska; John Bingham in the Medical corps at Fort Lawton, and James Bingham, in the U. S. Reserves and waiting his call, at present chief engineer of the Palmer Lumber Co. of La Grande.

Howbrook was formerly wire chief of the Western Union in North Yakima and later a dispatcher for the N. P. R. R. He has learned to love the American flag even more than the flag of his native land, England, and is immensely proud that he is finally to have the opportunity to serve undied it.

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HOW TO FARM.
 How to save farm labor by machinery and simple expedients made at home to meet the present labor shortage is the purpose of three of the latest Farmers' Bulletins issued by the Department of Agriculture, which are entitled:

"Better Use of Man Labor on the Farm."—Bulletin No. 983.
 "Labor Saving Practices in Hay Making."—Bulletin No. 987.
 "The Efficient Operation of Threshing Machines."—Bulletin No. 991.

The Department has also gotten out a bulletin on "Cultivation and Utilization of Barley," Bulletin No. 968. Copies of any or all of these may be obtained by dropping a line to Congressman Nick Sinnott, Room 242 House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

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USE THESE FRUITS FOR JEL-LIES.
 Currants.
 Crabapples.
 Underripe grapes.
 Green gooseberries.
 Sour apples.
 Raspberries.
 Blackberries.
 Blueberries.

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CAPT. ADELAIDE B. BAYLIS



Capt. Adelaide B. Baylis is the only woman in the military service of national or state recognition. She commands the National League for Women's Service.

SHORTAGE IN ELECTED MEN

TACOMA, July 8.—(By United Press.)—The rejections among the men inducted under the last draft will reduce the total number of men available by 12 2/10ths per cent, it is announced at Camp Lewis. Failure to come up to army standards and ear diseases are given as the chief causes of rejections. The height under the new regulations is 5 ft. 3 in., and a number of men have been drafted in the latest draft under the 5 ft. 1 in. regulation. For this cause 1433 have been rejected.

Another War Census Is Now Under Way

H. M. DuBois, assistant secretary for Union County of the local war board, has just been authorized by the National Council of Defense to make a complete census of the people in Union county, with the end in view of determining the full extent of the war activities now being carried on by the government.

That the under-taken is a huge one, and will require much time to complete, is evidenced by the fact that Mrs. Silverthorn, the captain of the workers in La Grande, has just reported that the work is going on slowly, but by the appointment of other captains out in the country, and for the country towns as well, as well as more workers in La Grande, it is hoped before the close of the week that something like a complete census will have been taken.

It is known that some have given liberally to all the Y. M. C. A., Red Cross and Liberty-loan bonds, while others have not contributed their full share, and this present census is being taken with a view of evening-up these different contributions, or investments, so that an equality in giving may be established in the whole county.

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Before Day of Chronometer.
 Longitude based on all navigators until the chronometer came into use in 1735. The ancients and later navigators, including all the great discoverers, could find their latitude by observations of the sun's height, but they could determine their longitude only by "dead reckoning," or estimating their ship's progress from day to day. This system was uncertain and caused a great many shipwrecks.

Uncle Eben.
 "De queerest thing about a fault-finder," said Uncle Eben, "is dat he kin always git a few people worryin' der heads off tryin' to please 'im."

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MURDER IS A PROBABILITY

J. C. WEAVER FOUND SHOT IN BACK NEAR ELGIN

Deceased Was a Homesteader and Had No Relatives in This Part of the Country.

J. C. Weaver, aged about sixty years, was found dead on the banks of the river near the Looking Glass country Saturday. He was an occupant of a homestead and had few acquaintances in this part of the country. The circumstances of his death are not known but foul play is suspected. There is a theory that he may have been sitting along the edge of the river and was shot by some one out hunting and left to die.

Weaver is said to have a son-in-law who is a resident of Oregon City. A coroner's inquiry was held and the results of the investigation are awaited.

RUSSIA IS IN THE TURMOIL

GERMAN RULER FURIOUS OVER AMBASSADOR'S MURDER.

Imperial Government's Official Inquiry Implicates Entente Allies in Assassination.

AMSTERDAM, July 8.—Count von Mirbach, German Ambassador to Russia, has been murdered. The Kaiser, on hearing of the murder of the ambassador, who is a close friend of his, at once ordered Foreign Secretary von Kuehlmann to break off diplomatic relations with the Russian delegates in Berlin.

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Editorial Weakness.
 Man, even in his highest state of intellectual development, has his little human weaknesses and we notice that as soon as an editor manages to hook or crook to save up enough to get an automobile, ringing editorials begin to crop out in the paper pretty frequently fearlessly demanding better reads for the farmers.—Ohio State Journal.

Purifies Water.
 An enterprising company in California has found that water which is distasteful because of sulphur gas can be purified by blowing the gas out of it. The water is forced to escape from the reservoir through inch holes into a long trough. It also falls over two shelves of laths. The process atomizes the water and with the help of a slight breeze entirely removes the sulphur taste.

NEW TODAY

FOUND—A glass coat near Al Good's place by W. T. Grider.—Adv. 7-8-1t.

FOR SALE—New wagon, hayrake, and bed by J. H. Snodgrass. Red 891. 7-8-9t.

LOST—Crochet lace, between La Grande and Imbler, three weeks ago.—Christie Larsen, Imbler. 7-8-2t.

LOST—Violin, between La Grande and toll road above Summerville. Reasonable reward for return to J. A. McCarthy, La Grande. 7-7-2t pd.

FOR RENT—Modern five-room house, acre of ground, good garden, good well, near hospital.—See J. R. Oliver, La Grande National Bank Building. 6-28-18 1t.

Job printing, The Observer, Main 37.

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GRAIN GRADING SCHOOL

Grain grading schools have been held at Pendleton, The Dalles and Moro. These schools are held under the direction of Prof. G. R. Hyslop, of O. A. C., and in cooperation with the Grain Standard Division of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. A similar school will be held in the Y. M. C. A. in La Grande, July 11, 12, 13, beginning at 9:00 a. m., July 11. The only expense will be a fee of \$2.00. The school will be for the benefit of any who are interested in the government grain grades, as they are in effect at the present time.

There are very few who know the various grades of wheat as they are in effect at the present time. It is to the interest of both buyer and seller that both be acquainted with the grades, as they apply to the varieties we grow here. The buyer will experience less trouble in dealing with parties who are acquainted with the grades than with people who do not understand the present grades. On the other hand, the seller will be better satisfied if he has a fair idea of what grade his wheat is, than when he sells and must depend entirely on the other man's "say so," even though he has a right of appeal. We have some conception as to the value of other crops, and livestock that we offer for sale, and why not know what our wheat is, and the place it should find on the market. If you are interested let me know immediately.

PAUL H. SPILLMAN, - - County Agent

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