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The Kodak Store

Social and Personal

Mrs. J. D. Fontaine, of Kamela, is a guest of the Foley.

J. T. Hinkle and L. D. Lay, of Hamilton, Ontario, are at the Foley.

Mrs. Roy F. Gunther, of Cottage Grove, is a guest of the Sommer Hotel.

J. F. Dysart, of Pendleton, is at the Foley, on a short business visit to La Grande.

William Kittle, and C. B. Haynes, of Portland, are guests of the Hotel Foley, from Portland.

A. Keagle, J. W. Bristow, C. A. Miller and J. G. Hicks, of Portland, are registered at the Hotel Sommer Hotel.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. K. Wright.

Senator S. P. Atherton, of Twin Falls, Idaho, who is also a candidate for Governor of that State, is registered at the Hotel Foley.

Engineer Pete Theisen, who has the principal run on the branch line, has taken a lay-off for a few days and today he went over to Hot Lake where he will rest up for a while.

County Agent Spillman and Miss May Murphy went to Telocaset this morning, and will hold a farmers' meeting there during the afternoon. They are expected to return to La Grande in the morning.

Ernest Vohrs, the recently returned graduate from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, has accepted a position with Adolph Newlin in the La Grande Pharmacy and entered the same today.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Caviness and family, of Joseph, returned home yesterday after spending a week visiting relatives in La Grande and Island City. Miss Grace Caviness remained here for a two weeks' visit at the home of Mrs. Moffitt.

Mr. Clark Letter, who has been in Portland for many weeks, returned from the metropolis today and reports that business there is in fine condition and the political game is moving along in good style too, with victory in sight in the November elections.

Engineer Johnny Shea, who is in charge of the railroad air car, arrived from Portland this morning and will remain a few days giving the employees instructions as to the uses of the air brakes. In the meantime Fred Schilke, the traveling engineer, will present a course of instructions to the engine employees as to the best methods of conservation of fuel.

DR. GRAHAM PROMOTED.

Word was received in La Grande today of the promotion of Major (Dr.) J. P. Graham, who has been made chief surgeon for the 117th Engineers Regiment, which has 2,500 men. The news will be received with much interest by Dr. Graham's many friends in La Grande. Dr. Graham, who is a veteran of the Philippine campaign, was made major of the La Grande hospital unit, which left nearly a year ago. Since that time he has been with the home boys, all of whom join in praise of his interest in their welfare since their arrival in France. The promotion is a deserved recognition of Dr. Graham's patriotism and his manly and professional proficiency.

RAILROAD OFFICE CHANGES

J. W. Eagan Leaves Employees Club Room to Take Clerkship

A change in the local railway office forces went into effect today, the shifting around being due to the departure of J. A. Gjerno for war. Mr. Gjerno has been the chief clerk to Chief Dispatcher Roberts and the vacancy caused by his departure will be filled by J. W. Eagan, who has for a long time had charge of the Employees club rooms. Mr. Eagan's place at the club rooms has been filled by the induction of Ex-Conductor J. G. Goring back into the railroad service. Mr. Gulling has been on the retired list for a long while and he will now be back in the service of the company, with headquarters at the place vacated by Mr. Eagan.

The printing and developing of films are well done by competent Kodak workers at Silverthorn's.

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A FEW SAMPLES OF GERMAN LIES

A group of anti-English lies is reported from Boston, Massachusetts, to the effect that England has more soldiers in Ireland than in France; that England has used colonial troops exclusively; that England is using our wheat to make whiskey; and that England allows only 58 words at a time to come to this country by cable.

Observe the convincing exactness of the number 58. Such careful details are characteristic of the pro-German liar. He does it scientifically even when he is most absurd. The English censorship puts no limit on the length of cable messages to this country.

The English are not using our wheat to make whiskey. For more than a year past, no whiskey whatever has been distilled in Great Britain. The production of beer has been reduced to one-quarter of what it was before the war and under recent orders from the Food Controller the alcoholic strength of this beer has been reduced to 2 per cent. Non-intoxicating beverages are allowed to contain one per cent of alcohol. No unmalted barley is now in the hands of English brewers or malsters. Their whole stock of unmalted grain was requisitioned for bread-stuffs last February.

Of all the men serving in the British army and navy, outside of India, Africa, etc., 70 per cent have been English and Welsh, 8 per cent Scotch, 6 per cent Irish and 16 per cent Canadian, Australian, etc. Among these troops, the casualties have been 76 per cent English and Welsh, 10 per cent Scotch, 6 per cent Irish, and 8 per cent Canadian, Australians, etc. The Englishman, therefore, has not only done nearly three-quarters of the fighting for Great Britain but he has done more than three-quarters of the dying.

The disposition of the British forces is a secret, but there have been 7,500,000 of them in service since the war began, and of this number probably half have been in France. If there have been more than that in Ireland the British troops there have almost equalled in number the entire population of the island, counting men, women and children. This sounds like rank flattery, from a German agent, to the well-known fighting spirit of the Irish people.

All such anti-English stories are a part of the campaign of the Kaiserites in America to make us suspect our British allies. There is not a word of truth in any of them.

NAVY COLLECTING PHOTOS

Pictures of Men Lost in Service Wanted at Washington.

Through the Bureau of Navigation the Navy Department is now collecting photographs of all men of the service who have lost their lives in service against the enemy. To perpetuate the memory of these men who have made the sacrifice their pictures are to be preserved in the various training stations of the country.

Secretary Daniels has requested that these photographs be sent to the Department by the next of kin. As rapidly as these pictures are received copies are made and the originals returned to the owners. A photograph of each man is then forwarded to the training station where he began his career in the service. There, a memorial gallery of honor or a hero's corner is formed so that for all time the faces of the men of the Navy who have made the supreme sacrifice may be honored by the youths of the future sent to the station for training.

Relatives of men who have been lost in the present war who have not received requests for pictures are asked to mail them to the Department for this memorial. All pictures should be securely wrapped after they have been marked with the name, branch of service and training station the young man entered after enlistment. These should be addressed to the Recruiting Division, Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. When copied, the photograph will be returned to the sender with one of the copies.

APOLOGIES TO JAKE NIBLER.

In mentioning the old war horses in the railroad service recently, the Observer failed to print the name of Jake Nibler. It was an oversight for Jake is one of the trail blazers and has been faithful to the transportation company ever since the first engine whistled around the curve between here and Perry. He is one of the highly respected employees and no parade wherein a railroad section appears is complete without Jake Nibler.

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

Soldier's Cough Is Cured.
Private Harold Hamel, 66th Regiment, Ft. Adams, R. I., writes: "I was troubled with a bad cough for three months. I tried a sample of Foley's Honey and Tar and felt greatly relieved. I have since used two 50c bottles and I recommend Foley's Honey and Tar and will always keep it on hand." Foley's Honey and Tar covers inflamed, irritated surfaces with a soothing, healing coating and relieves coughs, cold, croup and bronchial affections. Sold everywhere.—

WAR'S CHANGES

French Sergeant Given Leave to Visit Old Home.

BY FRED S. FERGUSON
WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES IN PICARDY, June 18.—By Mail—A little French sergeant came home to Picardy the other day to see the house where he was born, where his father and mother, and his grandfather and grandmother lived.

At the big fireplace where his grandmother used to sit, he saw American officers, warming up from the evening chill.

As he stood in the doorway, he looked just to the right, and there were piles of sandbags in front of the entrance to the cellar. The floor of the house was about a foot higher than when he knew it. In every room unwhim trunks of trees a foot in diameter were sunk in the brick floor, and supported the ceiling. He went to the attic. More sandbags. Two great layers were piled evenly over the entire top floor. Then he looked about at strange objects in the corners. They were heirlooms, but so wrapped that he could not recognize them at first. Old pictures, woodcuts, old glass flower cases—everything that was dear to him and to his father and mother had been carefully put away.

The little sergeant smiled. Being a soldier he knew what all the sandbags, the raising of the floor, and the supports meant. The house had been made as safe as possible from shell-fire. It is just a little house of four rooms in a village that is now under the fire of the German guns. The sergeant's people fled when the Boche thrust forward and captured Montdidier. He had been fighting in another sector, and obtained permission to visit his home to see how things at home were; with none of the family to look after them. When he left to return to his regiment he was happy—as happy as a man can be when war has forced his father and mother to flee from the dearest place to them on earth.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

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25.....	2,340
26.....	905
27.....	890
28.....	1,535
29.....	4,120
30.....	245
31.....	615
32.....	370
33.....	290
34.....	2,425
35.....	1,810
36.....	1,045
37.....	240
38.....	1,020
39.....	140
40.....	140
41.....	140
42 Not reported	
43.....	1,475
44.....	985
45.....	1,515
46.....	2,410
47.....	900
48.....	1,560
49 (North Powder) not reported	
50.....	1,150
51.....	250
52.....	3,885
53.....	2,705
54.....	690
55.....	70
56.....	3,865
57.....	1,125
58.....	490
59.....	120
60.....	615
61.....	1,355
Total Pledges \$171,915.	
Stamps already sold in county, \$100,000.	
Pledges \$171,915.	
Total \$271,915.	

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN.

Stop! Recall how the brave Russian armies were defeated for lack of guns, munitions and supplies. The German laughed at the Russian government's failure to stand by its fighting men. Let them have no such mirth at our expense! Give our Government the support of our people, our resources, and our money, so that it can arm, equip, supply, and maintain our fighting men at the very highest point of efficiency!

Look at the war map and see what absolute devotion of a nation's resources to military purposes has accomplished for the enemy! Increase production and lend money to the United States, so that our support of our fighting forces will equal if not surpass that of Germany! It is better to spend our money that way than in paying Germany's war bills.

Listen to the call of duty and patriotism, and economize! Do your utmost in every way to win the war by increased production, by decreased consumption, and by lending to the Government. Let nonessentials go; make sacrifices! How little and inconsequent they are compared with the great purpose they help attain! How well worth making they will appear when our troops come home victorious—victorious by their own courage and ability, backed by the unselfish whole-hearted support of their Nation.

THE WAY OF A MAN

O Sammy lad, somewhere in France, can anybody tell why, as you stroll with sweet Babette, you muse on Yankee Nell? And, if I know the heart of man, it's pretty safe to bet that after you get back to Nell you'll dream of French Babette!—Life

YANKEES WITH KINGS

Ingenuity Of Italian Prisoner Writing Home.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Despite the versatile adventures of Mark Twain's Yankee in the Court of King Arthur, it is an unusual thing for a Yankee of the present day to have a chance to swap yarns with a king, as man to man. Hamilton Holt, editor of "The Independent," who has just returned to this city from Italy, had that experience. Mr. Holt went to Italy as a representative of the Italy-America Society of this country, at the time of the celebration of Italy's third war anniversary. While there, he had an informal interview with the King, in the course of which they exchanged numerous anecdotes, a pastime of which Victor Emanuel is very fond.

One of the King's stories illustrated the ingenuity of Italian war prisoners in Austria in communicating with their families. One Italian private wrote home from an Austrian prison describing at great length the splendid treatment he was receiving, comfortable quarters and clothing, good and plentiful food, nothing but kindness from the guards. "In short," he concluded, "they treat men in every way as though I were a Papist."

The Austrian censor supposed he referred to John the Baptist, as a climax of eulogy, and readily passed the letter.

Baptiste, it seems, was the name of a many old cur, suffered to live in an outbuilding of the soldier's home and subject to general neglect and abuse.

The true meaning of the latter was therefore eloquently obvious to his family.

MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE

Wanted.—By minister, age 36; wife, two children; Ford car; 15 years' experience, a church or two within reach of Auburn, Union, or Princeton Seminary, for three days a week special study. Salary at least \$900.—The Continent.

A "PADDED" REPORT.

Mrs. Pierson Has But Three Sons In The Service.

The report furnished the Observer yesterday that Mrs. T. E. Pierson, of this city, has five sons in the war, was accepted and printed in good faith. The only thing wrong with the report as published is that it isn't true. While Mrs. Pierson has three sons in the service, she has no desire to mislead anyone and the report came from some over-enthusiast friend, who was mistaken. A fourth son applied for enlistment, but was not accepted. The fifth son is in the ship building industry, and is in class four—in government industry—and will not be removed from the place he now occupies. This report an amended and approved by Mrs. Pierson herself is the correct one.

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FOR RENT—Bark. Call 103 Greenwood or phone Black 3831.—Adv. 7-9-3t.

WANTED—Stenographic work. Address Dolly Deering, Union, Ore.—Adv. 7-9-3tp.

GONE TO WAR—Ford roadster in good condition for sale cheap.—Leighton's Garage.—Adv. 7-9-1f.

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Swift & Company cannot increase prices by withholding meat, because it will not keep fresh and salable for more than a few days after it reaches the market.

Swift & Company cannot tell at the time of purchasing cattle, what price fresh meat will bring when put on sale. If between purchase and sale, market conditions change, the price of meat must also change.

The Food Administration limits our profit to 9 per cent of capital invested in the meat departments. This is about 2 cents per dollar of sales. No profit is guaranteed, and the risk of loss is not eliminated.

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