

LIEUT. CAMPBELL



Lieutenant Douglas Campbell, of California, the first American trained aviator to be badly wounded in battle in France.

AMERICANS AWAIT GERMAN BLOW

With the American Forces on the Marne. Excessive movements of troops and materials north of Chateau Thierry, together with the increased artillery and aerial activity, form the basis of the belief that American forces in this locality may be called upon to defend themselves shortly.

For days the Americans have been expecting the enemy, stung by the defeat administered recently here, would make a vigorous assault. It was partly for this reason the American operations in the Belleu sector were carried out.

The American troops are prepared and the Germans will get a warm reception if they try what the situation indicates they have in mind. The Americans say that no matter where the enemy strikes he is bound to pay dearly for his efforts and the bigger the target the better they will like it.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE WAR

Americans took 40 prisoners in surprise raids northwest of Montdidier, in the Cantigny region. Between 50,000 and 60,000 Austrians were killed in the battle of the Piave, according to an official dispatch from Rome.

LANGUAGE ASCRIBED TO FISH

Men of the Sea Have Their Own Idea of Articulation Peculiar to Their Catch.

There is a belief among fishermen that a herring, when caught, articulates a sound similar to the word "cheese." This sound is caused by an escape of air from the air bladder, or a movement of the gills.

Many fish have various forms of utterance attributed to them. On the Norfolk Broads, one often hears it said that an old Jack-pike has barked like a dog, and the same is said of the conger eel.

Red-finned herrings, called "loaders" or "kings and queens," are sometimes caught; they are regarded as an omen of a successful fishing. One of them is then taken out of the nets very carefully, prevented from touching anything made of wood, and passed round the scudding poles as many times as the fishermen desire to get lasts of herrings at the new haul.

How the Dutch Lost New York.

The first step toward making New York an English colony was taken 250 years ago, when Charles II granted to his brother, the duke of York, a large territory in America, to be called, in honor of the proprietor, New York.

The Dutch settlers decided that it was useless to argue the case with the English invaders, who were six times their number, and in the autumn of 1664 Fort Amsterdam and Fort Orange were surrendered. The name of New Amsterdam was changed to New York and that of Fort Orange to Albany.

When the weather bureau reports that an inch of rain has fallen, it means that the amount of water that descended from the sky in that particular shower would have covered the surrounding territory to a depth of one inch if none of it had run off or soaked into the ground.

Our Own "Tropics."

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HEARD IN LA GRANDE

How Bad Backs Have Been Made Strong—Kidney Pills Corrected. All over La Grande you hear it, the good word. La Grande people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again.

Geo. E. Hough, brakeman, 1807 Adams St., says: "I am strong for Doan's Kidney Pills and whenever I have an opportunity, I recommend them to my friends. I know they can't be beat for backache and kidney troubles that are not acting as they should."

Chicago—S. J. Koenekamp, president of the Commercial Telegraphers' union of America, announced that he had issued a call for a strike of the members of the union employed by the Western Union company, effective at 7 a. m. eastern time, Monday, July 8.

Washington.—The United States government has formally presented to the Turkish government the report that Turkish troops attacked and sacked an American hospital at Tabria, Persia, and seized the American consulate there, with a request for an explanation.

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS. Red 962. FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, 1508 4th St.—Adv. 7-12-6p.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

BY ALLMAN



FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern, 5-room house. Call Main 740. 5-28-1f.

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 1f

WANTED

WANTED—A baby buggy. Phone Black 1012.—Adv. 7-15-31p.

WANTED—Work by 14 year old girl. Black 1012.—Adv. 7-15-31p.

THOSE who wish scavenger work done at a reasonable price, call Main 37, Observer office.—Adv. 6-12-11p.

WANTED—To rent furnished, or partly furnished house, by permanent tenants. Inquire Observer office. 7-16-1f

WANTED—Work as clerk, bookkeeper, or in reception room. Address L. H., care Observer.—Adv. 7-11-5tp.

CITY SCAVENGER—All calls, both in residence and business districts answered promptly. William Hotho, Black 1152.—Adv. 7-3-1f.

WANTED—A position as cook and helper by two women; a place where there are no women preferred. Write W. H. Moore, Elgin, Oregon.—Adv. 7-16-2tp.

WANTED—Mechanics in all branches of the metal trades for Emergency War work. Good wages; good working conditions and best climatic conditions. Astoria Marines Iron Works, Astoria, Ore.—Adv. 6-11-30f

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—Furniture. Call Black 112.—Adv. 7-19 1f

FOR SALE—Ford car, 1914 model. Black 1012.—Adv. 7-15-3tp.

FOR SALE—Two Ford touring cars. Inquire Harts Furniture.—Adv. 7-9-1f.

FOR TRADE—Buggy harness, for milk cow. H. Bellmer, Cove Ave. 7-16-1f

FOR SALE—A Ford, Maxwell and an Overland, all in first class shape. C. A. McCreary, 7-16 1f

FOR SALE—Fancy chairs Tuesday and Wednesday at 1614 Alder St., or head of Spring Ave.—N. Stapleton.—Adv. 7-15-2tp.

FISHERS, Campers, Hunters, Laborers. Phone Main 767 for Auto service. July 19, 25, 27, 29, 31, 2.

FOR SALE—Span of mares, aged 5 and 8, weight 1400 lbs. each. Must go at a bargain. Call Black 91, Summerville. 7-12-4 1p

FOR SALE—Mitchell Six, 4-passenger roadster, 1917 model in A1 condition, run 5700 miles. Inquire at Overland Repair Shop on Jefferson and see car.—Adv. 7-15-3tp.

STRAYED—One black jenny mule, weight about 1200. Has halter, branded Y on left stifle, scarred

on left shoulder. Reward offered. Phone F. Truax, Kamela, Ore. 7-12 6t pd

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Bunch of keys, one large brass key, two long ordinary keys, one small key, also brass disc bearing number 127. Owner can have same by paying for this ad.

Fraternal Directory

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.

J. K. FITZGERALD, Pres. ABE HARRIS, Fin'l. Sec. FLORENCE BRYANT, Rec. Sec.

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, Oracle. MARY L. WEST.

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.

O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Visiting members cordially welcomed.

SADIE E. GIVEN, W. M. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.

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. O. MATTIE GOLDEN, Rec. Sec.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA—La Grande Camp No. 7703 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. P. ASHMAN, Clerk

F. O. EAGLES, AERIE NO. 250.—Meet first and third Friday of each month at Eagles Hall. Visiting members welcome.

J. F. STACEY, W. P. LEE BELLINGER, Secretary

B. P. O. E. ELKS, La Grande Lodge No. 432. Lodge meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Home and club privileges cheerfully extended to all Brother Elks.

R. J. GREEN, Exalted Ruler. A. B. CHERRY, Secretary.

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

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Camp No. 159 meets every first and third Monday at Eagles' 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

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.

W. C. HANSEN, Dic. HARRY SWART, Sec.

Professional Directory

CRAWFORD & EAKIN—T. H. Crawford and Robert S. Eakin, Attorneys at law. Practice in all the courts of the state and the United States. Office, West-Jacobson Bldg., rooms 9-10-17, La Grande, Oregon.

ATTORNEYS

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

COCHRAN & EBERHARD—Geo. T. Cochran and Colon R. Eberhard, Attorneys. La Grande National Bank Building.

ACQUIRING A PERFECT FIGURE



Most women who have perfect figures did not have them originally. They have acquired them. A woman gradually takes the shape of her corset so the corset produced by the most artistic designer is the right one to wear to secure a perfect figure.

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are most symmetrically and artistically designed. They are comfortable, stylish and gradually mold the figure into those beautiful lines that every woman admires and desires.

PAULINE LEDERLE

R. J. GREEN, Attorney at Law—Practice in all state and federal courts. Office La Grande National Bank Building.

ARCHITECTS

C. E. MILLER—Architect, room 27, New Foley Bldg. Phone Red 1871.

DR. MARGARET INGLE, Osteopath Physician, specializing in diseases of Women and Children. Hours 10 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 4 p. m., and by appointment. Phone: office Red 1761. Residence Red 881. 37 New Foley Bldg. Dr. J. L. Ingle has entered the U. S. Army.

VETERINARY

DR. H. W. RILEY—Graduate Veterinarian. Hospital, 1409 Madison Ave. State Station inspector and inspector of stock for shipment. Home Independent Phone, Black 41; Farmers Co-operative Phone, Main 112.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Sugar 10c lb. Butter 50@55c Eggs, fresh 40c doz. Flour \$2.75@3.00 Cantaloupes 15c@2 for 25c Cherries, Bing, per gal. 50c

STOCK MARKET FIRM

Fairly Heavy Receipts Of Both Cattle And Hogs. PORTLAND, July 11.—While we had a fairly heavy run of cattle Monday the receipts since have been light, and in consequence the market on all grades is holding steady at quotations.

But--

Call Your Dollars to the Colors

Our country needs fighting dollars— Every dollar that is kept idle or out of circulation in war time is a "slacker." Every dollar that is safely banked finds its way back into some channel of usefulness to help win the war.

United States National Bank La Grande, Ore.

Be Fair WITH THE Printer

BUY YOUR SUPPLIES FROM A PRINTING OFFICE THAT PAYS ITS PRINTERS ABOVE THE UNION WAGE SCALE, AND IS A UNION SHOP.

—It is the oft repeated story. When People of Union County want printing that is hard to execute, when they want a job of work done that requires skill, workmanship, careful planning and earnest application, they finally come to the Observer's Job Printing Department.

—This office does the work, but in all candor, that is the class of work upon which there is little profit, and frequently some loss, because of the intricate nature and time-absorbing features of such jobs.

—For instance, when a Telephone Directory is to print or a High School Annual, such as the Mirror, which is just issued, are to be printed, the Observer Job Printing Department is the only office in the county equipped with machinery, type and printers to get out the work. Union County must have and maintain such a printing office, that can do the technical, high class work when it is wanted.

We respectfully call your attention to the smaller work, which we are abundantly equipped to do and which should, to a certain extent at least, go to the office that maintains a plant capable of doing the hard class of work. In the smaller work there is a profit and we respectfully call upon business firms possessing home pride who know upon reflection, that in order to keep a big plant running it must have all classes of printing. Do not send us your technical, hard printing, that can not be done by anyone else in the county, and then send your smaller work elsewhere. It IS NOT FAIR. When it comes to prices on smaller work, it stands to reason that this shop can more than compete with any other concern, for we keep a regular force of journeymen printers and pressmen, and pay these men above the Union scale of wages.

—If you are a believer in well paid labor and want to uphold such principles, send your job printing to this office, where it will be handled at the least possible cost to you, and at the same time you are assured of a good grade of work.

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