

RED CROSS DRUG STORE

The Kodak Store

Social and Personal

R. V. Pearce is in from Palmer Junction for a day's visit.

J. S. Clark is here from Vincent, Oregon, on a short business visit.

M. J. Duffy drove over from Cove today on a business errand.

P. C. Robinson, logging operator at Vincent, is on an over Sunday visit in La Grande.

John Brant, a North Powder resident came down to La Grande on No. 17 this morning.

John Shaw, a prominent resident of North Powder, motored down to La Grande this morning.

Frank McAlister came down from North Powder today to attend to some private business matters.

Mrs. Jas. E. Hough has returned home from a visit with relatives and friends in Portland and The Dalles.

John M. Silver, a well known merchant of Troy, Oregon, is in the city today on a short business trip.

Milner Roberts, consulting engineer for the U. S. Bureau of Mines, arrived in La Grande Friday. Mr. Roberts is working on certain minerals which are used for war purposes.

Frank S. Slater, cashier of the First National Bank of Union, came over to La Grande yesterday evening and is today occupied in some legal matters in which his institution is interested.

M. F. Van Housen, rural mail carrier on the Allee route, is taking a fifteen days vacation. He was a visitor in La Grande today and will also make a trip to Baker during the time of his lay-off.

Thos. Loftus, who has had supervision of the Camp Carson mining property the past year, came down to La Grande last night on business connected with the recent transfer of the property and left on his return to Carson at noon today.

Ernest M. Patty, who is enlisted with the United States engineers' reserve, is in La Grande on a visit with his mother, Mrs. Patty-Hutchinson. Mr. Patty is now on a furlough, after a long period of assistance in the bureau of mines, which has been engaged in war mineral work in Grant county and other sections of Eastern Oregon.

Parkkeeper Tap Thomas is enjoying an annual vacation and the last heard of him he was trying to take the surplus fish out of the river above Hilgard. Mrs. Thomas, who tired of the job and came back today. Mr. and Mrs. John McEwan are occupying the park lodge during the vacation period.

J. L. Reavis, who was for many years professionally engaged in dentistry in La Grande, was a passenger this morning on his way to Enterprise to visit his brother, G. S. Reavis, who has been in a poor state of health. J. L. Reavis engaged in farming and stock raising on the Walla Walla river several years ago, after closing his dental office in La Grande.

Alvin Snapp arrived last night from Portland, where he has been in shipyard work the past month. While the occupation is in every respect congenial, he has decided that it is not advisable to remove his family to Portland this season, and will therefore continue a resident of La Grande at least through the coming winter. Mr. Snapp has resumed his former place in the Levy-Vogel drug store.

J. M. Hiltz has returned from an extended trip east, during which he visited many of his old boy and girl friends, sat under the shade of trees that sheltered him in youth and enjoyed the moonlight of younger days when he sank to his sweetheart or summer evenings. Crops are very good through the middle states, he says, and according to his belief this country is going to be able to furnish the world with foodstuffs this year.

P. A. Anderson and wife drove over from Heppner yesterday and visited with La Grande friends until today. Mr. Anderson was formerly abstractor for the La Grande Investment Co. but removed to Heppner when he purchased the Morrow County Abstract Co. He has prospered over there in the interior in a business way and also has taken unto himself a wife since leaving La Grande. He says the recent fire took a big chunk out of Heppner, but that having withstood the worst flood in the west a few years ago, there is no doubt about Heppner overcoming all fire loss within a short time.

CHORUS WILL PARTICIPATE

COMMUNITY SINGERS TO HAVE PART IN PATRIOTIC MEETING.

Dr. Mossman, President, Says That There is Room For Additional Members to Choir.

The recently organized Community Chorus has been invited to participate in the program of the big patriotic meeting called for next Thursday night in the Tabernacle.

Dr. E. P. Mossman, president of the chorus, says he is delighted that an early opportunity will be afforded that organization to appear before the public. "This will give us a chance," he says, "to demonstrate in a very practical way, at least one of the very important functions for which we organized, that is, to be ready and assist in public meetings with a people's chorus as an important part of the program."

Since organization about three weeks ago efforts have been made to enlist all who would like to sing, but to date only sixty-seven have responded. There should easily be 100 or more members. There should be no hesitation to join at once, in making this most patriotic and public-spirited organization one of the highest grade singing organizations in Oregon.

In the event of a misunderstanding as to those eligible for membership, the doctor advises that all people from 16 to 80 years of age who like to sing, will please take this as their invitation to be present at the practice of the chorus in the Presbyterian church next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and join in the laudable work for the advancement of the city and its singers.

CHANGES TUNE.

Demands For Peace Are Growing Louder In Germany.

ZURICH, August 3.—(By United Press.)—Demands for peace and political freedom are growing louder in Germany.

"The peace cry dominates," said a dispatch from Frankfurt today, quoting the gazette. It continued: "We cannot see the end of the war, and meanwhile American legions daily cross the ocean. Our fight has become uneasy."

The Schwabische Tagwacht declared that "Germany cannot win while half absolute and half bureaucratic, but must, through political freedom."

This paper is demanding the retirement of Chancellor von Hertling.

At Schaffhausen, in Southern Germany, the pan-Germans have formed an organization to combat the social democrats.

Crisis Overcome, Paper Admits. "We must admit that the entente has overcome the crisis caused by the collapse of Russia," says the Frankfurter Zeitung, in reviewing the war situation, according to a dispatch from Frankfurt today. The paper added:

"It must be granted that the submarine campaign still leaves, the situation tolerable for the enemy."

HOOD RIVER MAN KILLED.

Lieut. Carson Meets Death In Airplane Accident.

HOOD RIVER, Ore., August 2.—Lieut. W. Lucien Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Carson of this city, was killed in an airplane accident at Fort Still, Okla., today, according to an official telegram just received.

Lieutenant Carson enlisted 14 months ago and advanced rapidly. He received his first training at Kelly Field, Texas, after which he went to the flying field near Dayton, Ohio. He won the appointment to an officers' training school at the Princeton university. He then graduated at the proving ground at Wichita Falls, Texas, where he won his commission less than a month ago.

He was recently home on a short furlough and expected to be sent overseas shortly.

POTATO SHORTAGE.

PORTLAND, Ore., August 3.—(By United Press.)—The Northwest in common with the entire country, faces a potato shortage, if the present condition of the growing crop is any indication. This was the opinion of crop experts here today.

Conservation of potatoes will be necessary. Long protracted dry weather has damaged the potato crop severely. Also, the acreage is smaller than last year.

Estimates give a crop in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and California at 47,400,000 bushels, against 63,000,000 bushels a year ago. The acreage in these states, it is estimated, total 256,000 given over to potatoes, against 328,000 a year ago.

COOKED FOOD SALE.

The cooked food sale now being conducted by the ladies of the Catholic church, at Snodgrass' store, for the benefit of the Red Cross, is proving to be a great success, although scarcely yet inaugurated.

Dainty Frocks for Midsummer



War does not make it a necessity to curtail dressing to the exclusion of dainty frocks for midsummer.

The materials that make them are not needed by the soldiers, and the boys certainly like to see their wives and sweethearts in filmy and pretty clothes. These things look more desirable to them than ever. It is poor business to push economy in dress too far—for business must be maintained—that almost goes without saying. In the face of all its difficulties French genius has kept itself occupied turning out apparel to suit the needs—somewhat changed by the war—of its clients.

In the picture above at the right is a frock from Lady Duff-Gordon, in which net is posed over taffeta in a lovely summer gown. It is trimmed with very full ruchings of taffeta, fringed out at the edges, and would be effective in almost any of the light colors or in cream-colored net over a color.

Turquoise blue and pale green shades cannot be exceeded by any colors used with white net for elegant effects, but it is for the wearer to choose what becomes her most if a color suited to this frock. It is not an extravagant affair and is suited to dinner or evening wear.

Pale beige georgette renders a good account of itself as an afternoon and evening frock in the dress at the left of the picture. Its collar, yoke, cuffs and bodice ornaments are braided with silk soutache in the same shade. The bodice is cleverly designed in a modified arrangement of the surplice front

and georgette makes the short ties that finish the front.

A very new and promising idea appears in the pretty dinner frocks of black net worn over foundations made of embroidered batiste or embroidered Swiss organdy. Girdles or sashes of black velvet finish them off and maline is sometimes combined with the net in bands on skirt and bodice. These are delightful interpretations of new war-time ideas in dinner and evening gowns.

Julia Bottomley

Hats Worn at Weddings.

At one of the weddings, at which Lord Strathcona's granddaughter was married, the bridesmaids wore limousine hats of rose chiffon and silver lace with water lilies resting against the crown and trailing over the brim. This may be a good idea for a wartime summer bride over here. At another big wedding, the bridesmaids wore coronets of gold leaves—for victory—and from them floated long tulle veils of Joffre blue.

Wide Plaits.

Wide plaits rather than tucks are a feature of autumn blouses. Hand embroidery combined with flat lace on georgette is the effective combination in many light-colored blouses, white and flesh, though the preference seems to be for the flesh-colored models.

POTASH SUPPLY SHORT.

Experts believe that there is no chance for the United States to get the amount of potash needed to meet demands next year. Estimates for 1918 show that there should be 150,000 tons K2O, or from 400,000 to 500,000 tons of potash salts. This is only about half of the normal imports before the war. Commercial fertilizer concerns must bear the brunt of the shortage. In 1916 there was a domestic production of 3.72 tons, and this increased in 1917 to 126,577 tons. This output for 1917 was about 12 per cent of the normal supply.

SPokane Banker Killed.

SPOKANE, Aug. 3.—A. R. De Lay, formerly employed in the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, has been killed while flying overseas, according to a cablegram received here from the manager of the London branch. De Lay entered the British aviation service some time ago.

HOOPER ENTERTAINED.

PARIS, Aug. 3.—Herbert Hoover, the American food administrator, William J. Sharp, the American ambassador, representatives of the Italian government and members of the French ministry were entertained at dinner today by President Poincare.

LEAPS FROM BURNING MACHINE

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 3.—Lieutenant Robinson E. Bidwell, student officer, of Love field, met death near here early today, when he leaped from his burning machine a thousand feet in the air.

SCHOOL APPORTIONMENT.

Union County is to receive \$9,276.27 from the State. The state school apportionment has been made. The distribution of \$1.83 per capita. Union county has 5069 persons of school age and is to receive \$9,276.27.

FIT MEN TO GO OVERSEAS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Under an order of the chief of ordnance, announced today, service in the enlisted personnel of the ordnance department except at arsenals and the proving grounds, will be restricted to men physically disqualified for general military service. All others in the service will be sent overseas.

As the result of witnessing the exhibition of "Pershing's Crusaders" at the Arcade Theatre, Charles Benjamin Cary, at one time a resident of La Grande, but here on a short visit, at once enlisted for service in the Marine Corps, at the federal recruiting office.



Lieutenant J. C. Staley.

Lieutenant James C. Staley, of the Quartermaster's Department, has been arrested in connection with the investigation of graft made on government contracts. He is held under \$10,000 bail, charged with accepting commissions from a raincoat contractor working on government contracts.

Your Government Says:-

Buy your Fruit Jars early, there is an actual shortage, and in some localities none to be had at all. Buy yours now—think what this means to you. Our stocks are limited, and after these are sold we do not anticipate being able to buy more. While they last:

Table with 2 columns: Economy Jars (Dozen) and Prices (Pints, Quarts, Half Gallons).

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The Golden Rule Co. Quality the same—Prices less.

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LA GRANDE STORE

LIVED LONG IN WILD STATE

Airedale Dog for Several Years Maintained Wild Predatory State in the Yellowstone Park.

An instance of a dog's return to the savage state of his wolf ancestry came to light in February in the Yellowstone National park when Scout Anderson's report of a trip into the Buffalo Park country contained, under the heading of predatory animals killed, a mention of one mountain lion, one bobcat, four coyotes and an Alreade dog.

This dog, which probably wandered into the park from some farm or settlement a few miles over the border, has been living in the Yellowstone in a wild state for several years. Whether or not he fraternized with his cousins the wolves and the coyotes can not be known certainly. No doubt he lived as they live, at the expense of young and weaker deer and elk, and smaller prey. Probably he lived alone, against all animal kind as they were against him. There are well-authenticated instances of dogs thus returning to savage nature. It speaks well for his tenacity and strength that, alone of his kind in a country where all kinds of wild animals live still their natural lives, he survived. He may have been a dog of good pedigree.

Anyway, the dog had been seen at intervals for several years and was officially classed among the animals which, alone of all Yellowstone's animals, are sought and killed because destructive of the harmless animals which make of this national park the best-populated wild-animal preserve in the world.

First Called Sleuthhounds.

Bloodhounds were first known as sleuthhounds, owing to their ability to track the deer, wild boar or the wolf. When the wounded game broke away and was lost, these good-nosed dogs were used in trailing the quarry by the blood trail, and hence they were finally called bloodhounds.

Bill Hart, Star Saturday, Sunday, 8-2, 2t.

NEW TODAY

FOR RENT—Furnished house. W. H. Bohnenkamp. 8-31f

GIRL WANTED—Waitress, experience unnecessary. Call Sunday afternoon, Savoy Hotel. 8-3-1.

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SHERRY THEATRE THE HOUSE OF QUALITY.

—TODAY ONLY— The World War and a Woman is the Fascinating Theme of METRO'S Great 8-Act Special Production. "LEST WE FORGET" The Mighty Arraignment of the Hun. Starring the Beautiful Survivor of the Lusitania Disaster, RITA JULIVET. Also a MUTT and JEFF Cartoon. A Great Program at Regular Prices. Viola Dana and Bill Hart, Tomorrow.

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