

RED CROSS DRUG STORE

The Kodak Store

Social and Personal

W. H. Eaton is over from Baker. H. E. Nelson is in the city from Portland. S. E. Harris is in the city from Wichita, Kas. Frank Pearson is in the city from North Powder. D. L. Kimball and wife are in the city from Portland. Fred Bernard is a Salem visitor in La Grande today. J. H. De Haas, of Cove, is spending the day in the city. Edgar Thomas, of Hermiston, is visiting friends in La Grande. John Coyne, of Hay Creek, is spending the day in the city. William McClure visited Island City friends yesterday afternoon. E. Walker, of Welsch, Idaho, is spending the day in La Grande. Ernest L. Root, of Pleasant Valley, is a visitor in the city today. H. A. Shaffer and Dr. S. D. Taylor are in the city from Enterprise. O. E. Snyder is in the city from Eldorado, Kas., on a short business trip. Mrs. Roy F. Gunther, of Cottage Grove, is visiting friends in La Grande. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Harrison, of Baker, are visiting friends in La Grande. E. L. Tate and John Benson, of Spokane, are spending the day in La Grande. W. W. Kirkhuff and W. R. Robbins, of Imbler, are in the city on a short business trip. O. M. Mortenson, James C. Bevan and C. J. Redfern, of Spokane, are visitors in La Grande. Maude E. Mahaffy and G. L. Kline, of Walla Walla, are visiting friends in La Grande. Miss Bailey, La Grande's librarian, is spending her vacation at Eugene and Astoria, Oregon, and at the home of her parents in Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Henry Buchholz and infant granddaughter, Winifred Oma, arrived yesterday from Laramie, Wyoming, and are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Hanson. John Scott Mills, editor of the "Pacific Semaphore," published in Portland, passed through La Grande this morning for Huntington. Under federal instructions he is delivering lectures to railroad employees along the line of the O.W. & N., and will return tomorrow night from Huntington. Mr. and Mrs. George Abegg are packing their household goods today and will remove to Portland in a short time, where they will locate permanently. Mr. Abegg has taken a position with the Grant Smith-Porter Shipbuilding Company. They have been residents of La Grande for a long time and their friends are numbered by their acquaintances who wish them prosperity in their chosen field of work. Mrs. Grace Barrie, proprietor of the Bancroft hotel at Payette, Idaho, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Stella Ingle. Mrs. Barrie is well known here and her many friends are very much pleased to see her. When the Bancroft hotel was erected by a company of public-spirited citizens of Payette she was requested to take the management and has been making a very successful venture of it ever since the house was opened to the public. Col. Ed. Bussey has returned from Louisiana wearing a high collar and stepping like a young man of 21 years. He has been in the south for four months visiting relatives and friends and admits that the southern climate had a wonderful rejuvenating effect upon his bones which had come to take on rheumatic pains. "But I am as happy as a big sunflower waiving in the breeze to get back to the place that I love best," said the old man as he adjusted the ends of his bow necktie. Timber in Ireland. Only about 1 per cent of the area of Ireland contains marketable timber.

FRED HAISTEN MOVIE ACTOR

FORMER LA GRANDE MAN HAS PART IN FILM PLAY

"Light Of The Western Star" is Title Of Picture Made in Arizona.

One of Mr. Halsten's friends in La Grande received a letter written from Red Rock, Arizona, in which Mr. Halsten says: "If you ever get a chance to see the movie 'Light of the Western Star,' by all means see it and especially the first parts, and in particular the 'El Cobon Station' and 'Boyer's Dow Drop Inn.' The latter is our place here and the first is the station two hundred feet from our front. In the post office and bar room scenes you will see me serving the star, Dustin Farnum, good whiskey (soda water). I think the entire property and all of the family are shown, but in the studio they trim out many of the thousands of scenes shown and we may not appear."

HIGHWAY BOARD AWAITS BONDS

APPLICATION FOR BOND SALE HAS NOT YET BEEN RATIFIED.

SALEM, Or., August 23.—The State Highway Department remains undecided as to whether the application to sell \$500,000 worth of bonds under the \$5,000,000 bonding act to complete surfacing on grading work already constructed will be approved. If the capital issues committee grants this application it will mean completion of surfacing on all state grading done. The \$500,000 worth of work contemplated is segregated as follows: Pass Creek Canyon, Pacific Highway, four miles \$28,000; Yoncalla to Oakland, 14 miles, \$84,000; Dillard to Myrtle Creek, 13 miles, \$91,000; Wolf Creek, 5 miles \$26,000; Grants Pass to Josephine County line, south six miles \$35,000; north slope of Siskiyou Mountains, seven miles, \$49,000; surfacing incomplete underground crossing between Medford and Ashland, \$15,000; to connect sections of Columbia Highway between Hood River and Mosier, \$162,000.

MILLION MEN NEEDED

Lack of Common Labor Faces the Government in Stern Way. WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The fact that there is a shortage in war work of one million unskilled laborers and that the reserve of skilled workers is exhausted, developed today at a conference of field agents of the federal employment service. Further curtailment of non-essential production is planned to release men for war work. The labor shortage is so serious that completion of a number of important war projects for the army and navy is being delayed, it was said at the conference. "The time has come for the entire nation to realize that business as usual is no longer possible," Nathan A. Smith, assistant director of the employment service, told the conference. "If we are to end the war quickly, the production of luxuries and non-essentials in this country must come to an end. It is a question of ending the war quickly or having it dragged on indefinitely."

YOUR SOLDIER BOY.

We can supply him with the necessary articles to leave with. See our window full of the new Soldier Boy articles. Just arrived and made to stand hard usage. Rubber lined Kits, \$1.25 up. Other Kits, \$5 and up. Shaving Soap, Cream and Powder. Razors, \$1 and up to \$7.50. Purses, Money Belts, Cigars and Cigarettes. Anything for the Boy. Run Right to the La Grande Pharmacy. 8-23-21

GERMAN PRISONERS TURN UNITED STATES CAMP INTO A WONDERLAND



The 670 Germans interned at Hot Springs, N. C., have utilized their spare time in turning the bare and unattractive camp into a veritable wonderland. The church above, built from driftwood, is a sample of their work. Inset in the corner is Hans Russler, former commander of the Vaterland, Germany's greatest merchant marine officer.

HOW FARMERS FEEL ABOUT WAR

AGRICULTURAL CHIEF THRILLS IN CHURCH MEETING.

"If They Must Fall, Let Them Fall With Their Faces To The Front."

On a recent visit to Texas I stopped at Marshall on my way to College Station to rest on Sunday, July 21, with a friend who is the pastor of the First Baptist Church there. I was not altogether surprised when he insisted that I should say something to his congregation at the morning service, but I was surprised to have an urgent call from a camp meeting 18 miles away, to speak there in the afternoon, and I was very reluctant to go, because I was tired, but I could not refuse a call from a group of farmers in my own state. I asked the messenger who brought the invitation whether it would be proper for me to say anything regarding the agricultural problem, and he assured me that the people regarded the agricultural program as a part of the war program, and that I would be at full liberty to speak about it as I might see fit. I reached the meeting just as the congregation had arisen for prayer. The minister prayed with great fervor in the usual way of evangelical petition and the congregation responded with fervent amen's coming from every quarter of the tabernacle. There had been several conversions at the morning service and the air was electric with spiritual rapture. After the usual plea for the continuing presence of the Holy Spirit, the minister prayed for our army and the congregation continued with earnest amen's. He asked for victory to our arms and for our righteous cause, and he asked that our boys might return whole in body and mind and soul. The amen's came in a great volume of heart-swelling emotion as the mothers and fathers thought of their sons. Then the minister dropped his voice and said with humility but with adamant resolution: "But, Oh Lord, if they must fall, let them fall with their faces to the front." There was a moment of silence in the congregation, and then there came in a deep chorus, with a sob, "Amen."

When mothers and fathers in remote districts, away from the sound of the life and drum and the sight of warships, airplanes and marching parades, can say amen to the courageous death of their sons we need have no fear that the plain people of the United States will fall in the resolution to sustain our cause to the utmost. CLARENCE GUSLEY, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Johnnie Adams, standing behind the hotel desk in the Foley hotel, has moments when he becomes reminiscent. Last evening he recalled some of the features of former years in La Grande when "knighthood was in flower" and everyone went hunting as soon as the first snow spread over the mountains. "But things have changed," said Johnnie, "and the order of business before us at the present time is to lick that son of a gun in Germany before we can ever have any fun again."

STEERS BRING \$13.50 TOP

PORTLAND LIVE STOCK MARKET SHOOT'S HIGH.

Hogs Continue To Hover Close To \$20, Which Is The High Point So Far Recorded.

PORTLAND, Aug. 23.—250 head of cattle arrived in the Stock Yards at North Portland overnight. The bulk of our best steers are averaging around the \$13 to \$13.50 mark, and on cattle selling for this figure there is no change in the quotations. The bulk of the offerings, however, are fair to medium, on account of the dry weather. The cattle market is strong at the following quotations: Prime steers, \$12.50 to \$13.50; good to choice steers \$11 to \$12; medium to good steers \$9.75 to \$11; fair to medium steers \$8.75 to \$9.75; common to fair steers, \$5.75 to \$8.25; choice cows and heifers \$8.25 to \$9.25; medium to good cows and heifers \$6.25 to \$7.75; fair to medium cows and heifers \$5.25 to \$6.25; canners \$3 to \$5; bulls \$5 to \$7; calves \$9 to \$12; stockers and feeders \$6 to \$8. The arrival of hogs overnight count in at 250 head. The mid-week market is on an even basis and all grades of offerings are strong at following quotations: Prime mixed \$19.50 to \$20; medium mixed \$19 to \$19.50; rough heavies \$17.50 to \$18.50; pigs \$16.75 to \$18; bulk \$19.50 to \$19.85. 1150 head of sheep and lambs arrived in the yards overnight. We have had a very nice run for the past few days. Sheep and lambs are selling higher on this market than any market on the Pacific North-West. Quotations: Prime lambs \$14 to \$15; fair to medium lambs \$11 to \$13; yearlings \$19 to \$11.75; wethers \$9 to \$10.50; ewes \$7 to \$9. Food in the Far North. Reindeer stew and roast water feed, bear meat or a walrus stew are main dishes offered in Labrador, Greenland and Faroe islands. In time of famine may be required for these things. If one is frozen in long enough to be of a grateful spirit. Coarse bread, plenty of codfish, cranberry jam or a blueberry (dried) cake may help matters along. Things Injurious to Fish. The gummy skeletons of trees which are so conspicuous in the "soke regions" show the effects of sulphurous gases on vegetation, and the influence of mine water on fish life may be readily imagined. The heavy sediment covers up the gravelly spawning beds, and suffocates the eggs, thus inflicting injury on the fishes at the most vulnerable point. The sawmill is the "dearest foe" of nature lovers. Its insatiable maw has well-nigh devoured our forests, and not content with the desolation it has produced in this way on land, it is ruining our lakes and rivers by sawdust. We buy for cash all School Books that have been used, such as are used in our public schools, if they are in good condition.—Silverthorn's. Daily 8-23-18

Silverthorn's FAMILY DRUG STORE LA GRANDE, OREGON

FALL ARRIVALS!



New shipment of Amoskaeg I. X. L. DRESS GINGHAM, large range of patterns to select from ..... 35c Per Yard  
New shipment of Merit, fine Percale, 36-inch bookfold; all colors to select from ..... 35c Yard  
New shipment of Bungalow Aprons, in Gingham and Percale, in light, medium and dark colors; price ..... \$1.75 to \$2.00  
New shipment of Warner's Rust Proof Corsets ..... \$1.00 to \$5.00  
New shipment of Khaki Cloth, standard grade, best shade ..... 55c Per Yard

The GOLDEN RULE Co. Quality the same - Prices less. One of the 600 R. C. U. Stores with an Annual Purchasing Power of Over \$0 Million Dollars. LA GRANDE STORE

Into the bottom of a new traveling bag is folded a water-tight union suit so that a person can use the affair as a life preserver, the bag being buoyant enough to hold him up in water.

NEW TODAY

FOR SALE—Two Calves; two weeks old. H. W. Taylor. 8-23-21 pd  
FOR SALE—Two Maxwell touring cars will be sold at a bargain for quick action. Call and get demonstration at the Leighton Garage. 8-22-21  
FOR SALE, HOPS.—Three pound package of Oregon hops delivered anywhere in the U. S. by parcel post, prepaid, \$1.00.—E. M. Morley, Silverton, Oregon. 8-22-1m

SHERRY THEATRE THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

Last Showing Today—The Big Fox Spectacle For Young and Old. ALADDIN and the WONDERFUL LAMP TOMORROW ONLY—THEDA BARA "A FOOL THERE WAS."

Only 5 per cent lemon oil is required by the government in genuine lemon extract—Crescent contains nearly three times that amount. No wonder Crescent Lemon goes further—requires less and does not bake out like cheaper extracts. It will pay you always to ask for



Mason Jar Rubbers

We have but a few dozen left, and while they last you may have them at the low price of 3 dozen for 25c

Furniture Exchange

Black 1241 E. J. DONOHUE Fir and Jefferson Best Prices Paid for Used Furniture, or will Exchange for New.

NEW FALL SHOES

Ladies' New Fall Shoes, in brown, grey and mouse color; in both high and military heels; Priced from \$5.50 to \$10  
Men's New Fall Shoes, in brown and blacks, both English and round toe lasts; big assortment of styles; Priced from \$5.50 to \$10  
Children's New Fall Shoes, all Styles and Prices.



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