

OVER HALF TON OF FRUIT PITS

SHIPMENT LEFT LA GRANDE YESTERDAY.

Three Schools of This City Furnish a Total of 890 Pounds—Sent to Hood River.

A. H. Prance, principal of the Central school, had in his possession yesterday a shipping receipt for 1150 pounds of fruit pits which have been gathered for war purposes, principally by the school pupils of La Grande. The contributions were as follows: Central school, 630 pounds.

Greenwood school, 175 pounds. Riveria school, 85 pounds. To the above amount was 250 pounds which were delivered to the Red Cross.

This shipment was sent to Hood River which is the assembling point for fruit pits gathered in Eastern Oregon.

While the season is nearing the end for this year, the public is still asked to contribute all fruit pits to the Red Cross salvage department.

BWARE OF MAD DOGS

Rabid Coyote Killed on Redhead Farm West of La Grande

A few days ago Mrs. J. W. Redhead had a rather unusual and exciting experience. She was in the garden on their farm just west of town when out of the corn came a coyote, snarling and whirling, weaving from side to side, then going in a circle. Evidently his sight was affected as he was only a few feet from Mrs. Redhead but did not seem to see her.

She immediately called Mr. Redhead who dispatched the intruder with a shot gun.

There is little question but that the animal was mad. Perhaps he did not come in contact with any dogs, and on the other hand, he may have. Fortunately, Redhead's do not keep a dog for in all probability if they had one it would have attacked the animal and become inoculated, unknown to the owner.

Keep on the look-out as rabid dogs have caused at least four different people in the town of Union to undergo treatment this summer.

To Complete History of Soldiers.

Miss Cornelia Marvin, state historian, has been appointed by the state council of defense to serve as state historian for the purpose of compiling a permanent official record of Oregon's participation in the war, including the military and naval career of all Oregonians. To facilitate the work, Miss Marvin will appoint county historians for each county in the state. The matter has been submitted to the local library board but has not yet been acted upon.

The Observer furnishes and prints Butter Wrappers.



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PROF. STRAUB SPEAKS

Dean of Liberal Arts At University Addresses H. S. Students

Among other fields into which the newspaper extends into in its influence, it is agreed among eminent critics that, whether for good or bad, is the common speech of the people. With its cardinal virtues of lucidity and force, newspaper English is studied by all up-to-date classes in English composition. The local high school students under the supervision of Miss Naomi Williamson has taken up this form of composition and the following is a prize "story" written by Miss Florence Thompson.

"The Great question with America is money value." The world wants people who get results," the Dean said to a meeting of High School students in the auditorium last Tuesday.

"Don't waste valuable time trying to find out why a black hen lays a white egg," he continued, "but go ahead. And to go ahead you must have a college education."

Professor Straub proved why it is worth while, in money value alone, to go to college. The average earning capacity of a graduate of the eighth grade is two hundred and fifty dollars a year; of a High School graduate one thousand and of a college graduate, two thousand.

But, as he pointed out, going through college does not always mean a college education. "You may cheat your teachers," he said, "but you can't fool the world. The suction of a large class may pull you through graduation, but it will not hold you up, after you are out of school."

"You must put in twenty years of hard work, sometime in your life, why not when you are young and strong. Instead of when you are old and tired?"

The Dean believes that after the war, there will be only two classes, the educated and the uneducated. And it will be a disgrace for a man to be extremely wealthy, unless he can show how he obtained his money.

He pointed out that the man who trains his brain, fixes his own prices; but in manual labor, we choose the cheapest.

In conclusion, he declared that today anyone can go to college who sets his mind to it, and impressed upon his audience the words, "Go to college."

The students enjoyed his lecture very much, and it is certain they received an inspiration from his words.

FLORENCE THOMPSON.

NO HEED GIVEN PEACE PLEAS

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ing a retreat of the enemy in the big salient north of Laon and are threatening to cause the collapse of the entire German line eastward through a fast turning movement. American troops have been thrown into the line near Rethel and have advanced nearly a mile and taken numerous prisoners. The German war office admits the success of the thrust of the French between the Oise and Somme rivers, saying that the German lines were withdrawn Sunday night to a front west of Guise and east of Crecy.

Long Range Guns Blasting Trail.

In connection with this general movement the Americans northwest of Verdun have begun an operation which possibly may have important results. For the first time since the Americans entered the war they have opened fire against the back lines of the enemy with their new long range guns and are heavily bombarding Longuyon, some 15 miles distant from the American first line positions. It is over the territory through which the American guns are throwing their shells that the Germans have been reinforcing their lines eastward, and should the blasting process prove effective in blazing a trail along the Meuse for a quick advance by the Americans, it is not improbable that a German retreat from the region east of St. Quentin, northward to Luxembourg will be necessitated.

PAY CASH AND SAVE.

As announced before, November 1 is the date when we shall transform our business into a strictly cash one.

We make this second announcement to prevent any possible misunderstanding in the matter, because we believe all customers will co-operate with us in making it a success when they realize that we adopt the cash system because we know it will enable us to better promote the interests of all who trade with us.

It should also be understood that the adoption of the cash system has no individual bearing. We have in the past extended credit to everybody we thought worthy whether they were financially responsible or not.

In changing to the other plan, we must, in justice, be equally unbiased and decline credit to every one, no matter how ample their financial resources may be.

No one can take any exceptions to a rule that applies to everybody alike and we ask all customers to kindly bear this rule in mind after November 1, and not ask for credit, and oblige.

Those having accounts with us will please call and settle same, as we wish to close our books as soon as possible.

LA GRANDE PHARMACY. 10-29-18.

Social and Personal

Harry Stone of North Powder was in La Grande today.

Dale Hawkins is in Portland at the bedside of his sister who is critically ill.

Mrs. W. M. Nichols is visiting with her sister, Mrs. T. Turnipson of Vincent, today.

Miss Minna R. Pierce, who has been in Morris, Illinois, for a month, returned home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Handy left this morning to visit for an indefinite time with relatives at Baker.

C. H. Gassett, local blacksmith went to Blotch today to fill a similar place there for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith who have been visiting in Jewelsburg, Colorado, for about three weeks, returned home today.

Fred Low left this morning to visit for an indefinite time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Low at Pleasant Valley.

Train No. 17 was delayed over an hour and half this morning due to failure of a Union Pacific train to make connection.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Heaton arrived yesterday evening from Pendleton to visit at the J. D. Cable home. They may locate here.

Mrs. J. T. Bowman, who has been visiting with relatives in Louisa for the past month, returned home to Baker yesterday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer and children who have been visiting with relatives in Lucia, Iowa, for the past month returned home this morning.

Mrs. C. B. Miller, mother of Walter McFall who was tried for murder in the circuit court last week, left for Pendleton this morning.

Mrs. C. R. Dya returned home to Enterprise this morning after a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Lewis of Portland.

Mrs. Charles Purcell who has been visiting with relatives in Cusick, Washington, for the past month returned to her home at Vincent today.

Miss May Stevens who has been visiting relatives here for a few days returned home to Portland today. Miss Stevens resided here a number of years ago.

Mrs. Mable Kennedy, has received the news that her son, Harold, who has been training in the aviation service has been promoted to the rank of Corporal.

Mrs. C. C. Holmes who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. G. M. Estes for the past two days returned home to Imbler this morning. She was accompanied by her two children, Edna and Everett.

Mrs. Walter Erwin of Baker returned home this morning after visiting for a week with Mrs. W. M. Patterson. She was accompanied on her return home by Mrs. Patterson.

A number of local teachers, Misses Mary Kirkwood, Enid Switzer, Mollie Mattie and Lena Foster are wrapping United States war work posters and mailing them to district campaign managers. Yesterday, literature to be used in the house to house canvass by teachers was mailed out to the nineteen districts.

Frank Noble, formerly of Buhl, Idaho, but who has purchased a 320-acre ranch near Spokane, visited between trains yesterday evening, at the J. L. Kline home. Mr. Noble has disposed of his Idaho property and will move to his new location sometime this winter.

NEW TODAY

FOR RENT—Thursday, large, warm sleeping room, with bath; close in. 1434 Adams. 10-29-18

FOR SALE—Rome Beauty Apples, price \$1.50. Phone Red 3371. 10-29-18-19-18

Beginning November 1, last delivery will be made at 4:00 p. m. Merchants' Delivery Assn. 10-29-18

LOST—A boys' overcoat, between La Grande and Imbler. Finder please call Red 3392, and receive reward. 10-29-33pd

WANTED—Five room, modern, furnished house, close in; family of three, all grown. Call at Silverthorn's Drug Store. 10-29-33t

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A Collie dog, 6 months old, with white breast and collar. Finder call Mrs. T. J. Scroggin, 1816 Fourth Street. 10-29-33t

FOUND—Black silk muffler, with the name J. W. Harris, in white. Party can have same by paying for this ad. Call Observer Office. 10-29-18

RED CROSS DRUG STORE
The Kodak Store

Several days past a newspaper story describing in glowing terms the discovery of a rich vein of ore in the Mormon Basin and which was to make immediate millionaires of several La Grande prospectors, was published as a clipping from a sister town paper. Perhaps to learn the details, perhaps to see how the work was progressing, W. H. Bohnenkamp, M. B. Donohue, W. R. Jones and L. A. McAllister, who have been financing the development of the mine for the past year, spent the last week-end in investigation. They returned yesterday evening but their chief enthusiasm is over the splendid conditions of the roads, affording a very pleasant trip. They state that nothing more than usual was found at the mine than that a large number of Baker City sight-seers were visiting the place. A shaft is being constructed, two men being employed for the work.

J. F. DONALD ARTHUR.

J. F. Donald Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Arthur, died Sunday afternoon at Hot Lake Sanatorium at the age of 16 years and eight months, succumbing to an attack of osteomyelitis femur. He leaves a mother, father and three sisters and two brothers. The remains will be shipped to Yamhill, his birthplace, for burial.

Dies From Heart Failure

Charles E. Lee, 38, of Boise, Idaho, succumbed to chronic heart failure at the Grande Ronde hospital yesterday evening. He had been in the hospital at Boise for about one week before being brought here for treatment about two weeks ago. He leaves a wife and two children, both ill here. The remains will be shipped to Boise as soon as Mrs. Lee is able to leave.

Mr. Lee had served during the Philippine war.

Sister Leonidas Dead

Rev. Sister Leonidas, aged twenty-five years and a former teacher in the Sacred Hearts Academy, died at St. Francis academy in Baker, early yesterday morning. The cause of death was influenza pneumonia. Sister Leonidas was one of the youngest and most accomplished teachers of these academies and her young lady pupils both in La Grande and alker will be grieved over her death.

New Manager Appointed

At a meeting of the directors of the Eastern Oregon Light and Power company held in Baker J. P. Lottridge was elected as manager of the company to succeed the late Frank A. Harmon. Mr. Lottridge is quite well known in La Grande where he has made frequent visits on business for the company.

Prizeword Funeral Tomorrow

The funeral services for John H. Prizeword will be held at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. This is a change from the announcement published in an earlier edition of the Observer.

EXTRAORDINARY OFFERINGS IN Hosiery and Underwear

For Men, Women and Children

At The Golden Rule Company's Closing Out Sale

One lot Women's Black Cotton Hose, special, 2 pair for 25¢

One lot Women's Cotton Hose, regular 35¢ value, in black, white or tan 25¢ pair.

One lot Boys' and Girls' Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, regular 25¢ values, all sizes, for 19¢ pair.

One lot Women's Cotton Fleece Lined Under Vests and Pants, regular \$1.85 garments, on sale at 98¢ each.

One lot Women's Cotton Fleece Lined Union Suits, all sizes, special for \$1.59 Suit.

One lot Women's Wool Union Suits, short or long sleeves, values up to \$3.50, on sale for \$2.68 Suit.

One lot Boys' Cotton Fleece Lined Under Shirts and Drawers, regular 75¢ value, on sale, per garment 49¢

One lot Men's Army Wool Sox, \$1.00 value for 79¢ pair.

One lot Men's Cotton Fleece Under Shirts and Drawers, worth \$1.50 a garment, on sale for 98¢

One lot Men's Cotton Sox, in black, tan or navy, 25¢ values, for 19¢ pair.

One lot Children's Heavy Ribbed, black Cotton Hose, regular 35¢ value, all sizes, for 25¢ pair.

Children's Cotton Fleece Union Suits and Separate Garments, on sale at closing out prices.

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Protein	1 per cent

One pound of Blue Mountain Butter, measured in calories is 3325

One pound white bread	1200
One pound beef steak	1130
One pound potatoes	385
One pound macaroni	415
One pound green string beans	195

Calories are the heat units by which food value is measured. This proves that Blue Mountain Creamery butter is NOT a luxury, but an economical necessity.

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Per order of the Federal Food Administrator we are not allowed to sell whipping cream, also the use of cartons on our butter (after October 31st.)

As a conservation of MAN POWER, light and heat, we will close at 5:00 P. M., beginning October 28th.

Blue Mountain Creamery Co.