

Social and Personal

Mrs. M. E. Holmes of Kamela is shopping here today. Mrs. H. Metcalfe of Union is shopping in the city today.

Mrs. J. D. Fontaine of Kamela shopped in La Grande today. Miss Etha Thomas who has been critically ill with influenza is much improved.

B. A. Benham is harvesting potatoes on the company's ranch near Alice this week. John McKenzie Neldrum of Elgin fled up on a homestead this morning at the land office.

Mrs. Martha M. Haller and son, Alvin Haller attended to business in the land office Wednesday. Three potatoes averaging about three and one-half pounds in weight are being displayed at the Security Land and Saving office.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harding and daughter, Joan, arrived yesterday evening from Sprague, Washington to visit for a week at the F. L. Meyers home. Mrs. Harding will be remembered by many as Miss Mamie Rieth.

Lieutenant David Stoddard arrived this week from Houston, Texas, where he has been training at Ellington Field. Due to injuries to one of his eyes, he has been transferred to the spruce division at Vancouver. He will leave Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Rhine who has been visiting for a few days at the L. W. Goodwin home, left this morning for Baker, where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Culbertson for about one week. Mrs. Rhine attended the G. A. R. convention at Portland during the summer but was not able to return home as soon as she had planned, on account of sickness.

Miss Helen Currey of La Grande and Miss Helen John of Pendleton arrived here this morning. Miss Currey will visit for a short time with her parents before going on to Vale where she will be assistant to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Currey running the newspaper of which her brother, George Currey, Jr., was editor before leaving for training. Miss Johns will leave tomorrow for her home at Pendleton to assist in her father's office. Both girls have been in Washington for about five months, employed in various branches of government war work. Miss Currey working in the filing department and Miss John as a stenographer. They report a pleasant stay in the capital enjoying the experience greatly but were called away by more pressing duties here. During the two weeks trip home they visited with Miss Stella Bodmer who is attending Chicago university and with Miss Violet Rush who is training preparatory to kin-

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The Kodak Store

dergarden teaching. Miss Nora Arbuckle and Miss Elsie Nowquist were also employed in Washington.

No Need for Disarmament. Some enthusiastic reformer has suggested disarming the farmers of their shotguns and squirrel rifles. Our observation and experience is that the farmer's gun rarely goes off accidentally, and a good citizen is as safe from it as he is from the Constitution of the United States.—Ohio Farmer.

She Knew What It Meant. A teacher was reading the Christmas recitative piece to her class and came across the word "unaware." She asked if anyone knew its meaning. One small girl timidly raised her hand and gave the following definition: "Unaware is what you take off the last thing before you put your nightie on."

New Shoe Ventilator. Working on the idea that lack of shoe ventilation is responsible for many foot troubles, a New Jersey man has devised a shoe ventilator. The device fits in a hole punched to accommodate it somewhat after the manner of a collar button. By simply turning the screw the flow of air into the shoe can be regulated or shut off as desired.

Roman Soldiers' "Smokes." Records recently discovered show that the Roman soldiers in Caesar's time had their pipes. Of course they knew nothing about real tobacco, as that had not at that period been discovered. However, they did have pipes and they smoked lavender and hemp, and from all accounts they liked it and it served almost the same purpose. In fact, it is said to have been a great solace and stimulus to the soldiers.

Fixed Ammunition. It is to Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden, whose reign began in 1611, that history gives credit for the invention of fixed ammunition. In his cartridges the bullets and the charge were united in a paper case. It was not, however, until 1850 that the first successful metallic cartridge was patented by an American.

Conrad P. Olson appointed by Governor Withcombe as Justice of Supreme Court to succeed Frank A. Moore has worked his way from a poor farmer boy. He knows conditions in all classes. Keep him on the bench by writing in his name November 5th. Adv. 11-1-31.

Mrs. P. O. Sturchell Tells How She Cured Her Son of a Cold. "When my son Ellis was sick with a cold last winter I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It helped him at once and quickly broke up his cold," writes Mrs. P. O. Sturchell, Homer City, Pa. This remedy has been in use for many years. Its good qualities have been fully proven by many thousands of people. It is pleasant and safe to take. Adv.

May Be for Brain Fog. An unsigned correspondent notes from the paper that this country is importing a lot of "bean oil" and he wishes to be wised as to whether it is a hair restorer or something to keep the wheels from creaking. We are in the dark on the subject; probably we need some.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

BOON TO SOLDIERS. Red Cross Canteen Service Rendered at Troop Trains. "Just how much is the Red Cross Canteen Service worth? This is a question that is agitating the Red Cross organization more or less. The Canteen Service meets troop trains, gives the soldiers a greeting, a warm handshake and a smile, a flower and as a guarantee of good faith a light luncheon. How much is this worth? To hear the soldiers talk about it, the service can hardly be measured. It is in many instances the last "home greeting" and the final farewell before the transport, the convoy and the trenches. It is merely human nature if in the soldier's memory that cordial sympathetic greeting, from women representing what home signifies; mothers, sisters, love and understanding, endures and remains a cherished and a precious experience. "How this work of the Red Cross compare in value with providing the necessities of clothing and medical supplies? It lifts them up, warms their hearts and raises their spirits, because, near the last moment, it gives them a glimpse of what is nearest and dearest among those possessions and ideals for which they are going to offer their lives. "There is no discount on this work. In a physical sense it is not necessary, because the boys would go thru without it. They do not need the hot coffee and sandwich which are inseparably connected with women's service for men to keep hunger from gnawing. That is not the point. But they need the whole program a ministry of the highest spiritual value. And no doubt they will continue to get it up to the full standard." —Topeka Daily Capital.

NEW TODAY

FOR SALE—Choice eating potatoes, \$1.00 per sack. Bring your sacks and do your own delivering. H. H. Taylor, two miles south of La Grande. Phone Black 3401.

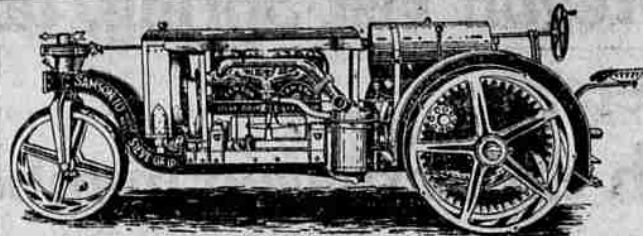
LOST—In or in front of Hoover Grocery black leather purse containing two \$20 bills and about five dollars in change. Suitable reward offered for return to Observer office. 11-1-21, pd.

FOR SALE—50 acres all in cultivation; good work horses, hnr, ness, milch cows, etc. or will trade for city property. Phone Black 1291. 11-1-21.

WANTED—Waitress at once. Apply at Foley hotel. 11-1-18.

Electric lamps—all sizes are always in stock at Silverthorn's.

Silverthorn's FAMILY DRUG STORE LA GRANDE, OREGON.



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—there is sure to be a big increase in price soon because of the 5 per cent floor tax and the 20 per cent raise in the cost of manufacturing, but as long as our stock lasts we will sell at the same old price and except first, second or third Liberty Bonds, at par, in payment. —We have more light Tractors sold to satisfied customers than any firm in the county and have the largest stock of repairs, oils and greases. —We take care of you with pains-taking care. —We also have the Litchfield Manure Spreader, the Smalley Cutters, and the very best small engine gangs there are made. —Let us prove this to you. Our prices are right, our treatment on the square, our stock is the best that money and experience can buy. —Now, who will be first—don't wait.

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Schilling's Coffee

It is economical to buy, at 40¢ a lb. It comes in a vacuum-sealed tin, which means coffee-value. For you get every particle of goodness and strength put into the coffee. We also have a complete line of other Schillings products, sold on a money-back guarantee.

Eat Proper Foods

Pure foods are most essential. This store has an enviable reputation for carrying the best of everything for the table: Grapefruit, Apples, Bananas, Preserves, Jellies, Olives, Sweet Potatoes and Fresh Ranch Eggs; in fact, everything needed, is found at this grocery.

If You Cannot Come, Phone Your Wants to the

City Grocery and Bakery

The Home of Fancy Groceries. Phone Main 75.

REMnants Special for one day only Saturday, Nov. 2nd AT THE GOLDEN RULE COMPANY'S STORE Each and Everyone a Bargain For Saturday, Nov. 2nd. only, we will place on sale hundreds of short ends and remnants of all kinds of piece goods comprising silks, dress goods, gingham percales, outing flannels, curtain materials, etc. etc. all go on sale at CLOSING OUT PRICES The Golden Rule Company

We have a large lot of candy buckets, such as most people can use to good advantage about the house—also for uses about the farms, nothing is more needed and we can sell them at 10¢ each. See them at Silverthorn's.

MONEY TO LOAN. Union county. No delays. Current on improved real property in rates. La Grande Investment Co.

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Relative Food Value of 1 Pound of Blue Mountain Creamery Butter Compared With Other Foods

Approximate Analysis of One Pound of Butter: Fat 81 per cent, Moisture 15 per cent, Ash 3 per cent, 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.

There is NO REAL substitute for BUTTER. DON'T overlook the FOOD VALUE in MILK especially for children.

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.

THE NEW CASH MEAT MARKET Formerly the La Grande Meat Market Will Open Monday November 4th Best Meats Lowest Prices Give us a trial and be convinced O'Neill's Meat Market Adams Ave. Phone M 50

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