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BARBER SHOP TO OPEN NEXT
WEEK--YOUNG HOODLUMS
BECOME NUISANCE--MR. AND
MRS. LYLE KIDDLE SICK.

IMBLER, Dec. 10.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kiddle have been very ill this week.

The Ellis White company gave a fine entertainment Saturday evening, it being the first of a series of entertainments to be given this winter. The attendance was not large.

Joe Walker went to La Grande to get fixtures for his pool hall and barber shop to open this week.

The Red Cross society have finished their gauge work and shipped 1011 gauge sponges; 100 10x12 gauge pads, besides a large amount of surgical dressings. This branch has closed a very successful year in Imbler through the untiring efforts of the ladies who have done everything in their power to support their president, Miss Anna Brooks. They have been able to put out an immense amount of supplies each week. There is a great deal of knitting and sewing to be done. The rooms will be open each Wednesday afternoon.

Imbler is afflicted with a bunch of young hoodlums who make it a business to annoy the people by hammering on doors and knocking on windows. The proper authorities will be asked to see that they desist.

Walter Wiggins returned home from Elgin Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. Sanderson came over from Summerville Saturday to spend the week with her husband.

Mrs. Josie Day is reported to be improving.

Wm. Henry is slowly recovering.

from injuries received several days ago when he fell from a house he was shingling.

Mrs. Lawrence Wiggins was called to Elgin one day this week by the serious illness of her father, A. Zemar.

Frank McKinnis has moved his family to town to be near school.

Mrs. Greiner has moved in her house previously occupied by Dr. Gilmore.

Irvin Koon is taking down the old house which stands on his place in Imbler.

J. H. Walker has returned to La Grande after a slight attack of illness.

MANY MEN NEEDED

Report That 5000 Y. M. C. Workers Are Required.

That 5000 men must be sent overseas immediately in Y. M. C. A. service for work among American troops in France, that the western states must furnish 1000 of these men between the ages of 31 and 45 will be accepted for this service, is the word which has come from the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A.

Plans have been made for an enlarged program of the Y. M. C. A. activities overseas. Men who have had experience along educational lines, who are qualified to teach the soldiers, men of proven Christian character anxious to serve as secretaries in huts and to remain with the men until they return down the gangplank in a home port, are being sought.

Expenses are paid and allowances made for families but the position does not carry a salary. Applications may be made to any local Y. M. C. A., 1st National Building, San Francisco.

E. W. Cox is assisting in the jewelry establishment of George Burnie during the holiday rush.

WITH THE COLORS

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and then you pass over a stone-arch bridge as old as time, but of great artistic beauty. The right of way along the railroads is parked, and the grass kept cut.

The fourth thing which impresses one is the ease with which wine, champagne and beer may be obtained in France. Every place sells it, and anyone can buy. Uncle Sam is trying to protect his boys, and is succeeding remarkably well. I am surprised that the boys are as good as they are. Thank God for prohibition!

I wish you could explore an old chateau and its beautiful grounds with me. Imagine the most beautiful woods you have ever seen perhaps those around Elkader, only imagine them absolutely free from fallen trees, brush and leaves. Imagine a wonderful carpet of dark green moss three or four inches thick, entirely covering the ground, and extending up on every tree trunk and stone wall from three to eight feet. The trees are so dense you can only see about 25 to 30 feet ahead of you. The trees are white barked and smooth.

Winding everywhere through the grounds are gravelled walks about four feet wide, and gravelled roads about thirty feet wide. Extending into the forest are bridlepaths, and all walks, paths and roads are arched with trees. Here and there in a quiet nook is a seat painted green, and now and then at some turn of the walk you find a moss covered stone seat, artistically tucked into the side of a hill. A creek, as clear as crystal, runs through the grounds and you can see the trout darting hither and thither in the water. Ducks also are plentiful and lend a characteristic charm to the place. Around the whole grounds is a stone wall seven or eight feet high, with four to six gates. Some are artistically wrought out of iron, and some are wood. They are kept continually locked. At one end of the grounds stands the chateau, or old castle. It took me three and one-half hours to explore the park and I didn't have time to go through the chateau. I am anticipating that as another treat in the near future, as I expect the chateau is as wonderful as the grounds.

Yesterday I went through an old hunting lodge that was used by Napoleon, and it certainly was most

interesting. The lodge was built of stone, oak and a half stories high. The rafters were joined with wooden pegs. The roof was tiled, and it and part of the outside walls were spatter-dashed. It had three rooms and a basement, with a lean-to. There was a large front room with a stone floor which covered half the house. In this room was an immense fire place—fifty feet across from the front door, which was in the center of the front wall with a window on either side. One window sill was made of a huge stone slab three feet deep and eight inches thick, and extended into the room forming a window seat. The ceiling was black with smoke, and had several big rings fastened to it on which I imagine they hung their meat. There was a stairway leading to loft above this room, which was entirely unfurnished. At the back of the house were two small rooms each with a fire-place and one window.

These had rough board floors. Underneath the lodge was a basement entered from the back. Under the rear rooms this was used for a stable, under front part for a cellar. The lean-to was a massive stone structure, built over the door to the cellar, and the pump from a large cistern. The main building measured 20x25 feet, the lean-to 12x16 feet. In the back yard was a long row of kennels for the hounds. These were built with stone sides, tiled roofs and fronts made of hand-made wire grating. At the rear of the premises was a feed box carved out of solid stone.

The base hospital in which I am situated is in a beautiful valley surrounded by hills, with a river running through it. The town itself is tiny. Imagine four long paved streets with from twelve to fourteen buildings on either side, and you will have some idea of what our base hospital looks like. Each street is a hospital unit. There is a garage at the end of the street. The doctors have their quarters along one side of the corridor, and the nurses along the other. They have separate messes. The operating rooms are electric lighted, and have water and steam heat. The rest of the buildings are heated with French army stoves. Our hospital is all brand new and very complete. There are four thousand iron beds, and we now have sixteen hundred patients. There are shower baths for both the men and officers.

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There is an operating room, wards for the sick, and cars for the doctors and nurses. It is indeed wonderful. These trains transport the sick and wounded to the base hospitals. Each train has three hundred and sixty beds, besides six hundred places for patients to sit. I talked with an American boy in a hospital train recently, and wished him luck and a quick recovery. He replied, "I'll soon be ready, captain, to go back, and give them more hell." You can't lick that boy.

You would be interested in seeing how the women carry on men's work here in France. Women firemen on the trains are common and all of the telegraph operators and baggage masters are women.

It is wonderful to see what American push and brains have done for this country. We have

hundreds of miles of telephone wires, and one can talk hundreds of miles over American wires. American steel rails are everywhere. Automobiles are plentiful here—mostly Fords and Dodges. The Ford has a wonderful ambulance. There are many Studebakers, but I have seen no Buicks. On these wonderful roads there is no limit to speed.

German prisoners which I have seen are in wonderful physical condition.

Last night I went to the Y. M. C. A. hut and saw three Americans entertain. One was Miss McMen who, I believe, makes the covers for the Saturday Evening Post and Ladies Home Journal. They were two entertainers.

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