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Social and Personal

Mr. P. G. Schilke went to Losline Sunday.

Fred Lockley went to Enterprise Sunday.

Mrs. John Young of Union Junction spent the day in La Grande.

One hundred thirty-six soldiers went through La Grande Sunday.

Mrs. "Cagle" Matot returned to her home in Gibbon this morning.

Geo. Cochran went to Baker this morning. He will return this evening.

Brodie Brown, government district boiler inspector, left this morning for Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodshaw left Saturday for Kamela to visit Mrs. W. M. Rollins.

W. A. Wren of Enterprise passed through this morning on his way home from Portland.

Mrs. M. Fuchs of Baker is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gus Levy and family.

Geo. Noble and wife returned this morning from Union, where they visited relatives.

Deputy Sheriff Dexter Mellroy left yesterday morning for Butte, Montana, on official business.

Mr. and James Schilling leave tomorrow for Portland to have their baby daughter, Imogene Marie, baptized.

Mrs. Earl B. Smith left this morning for Halfway for a week's visit with her parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wardell have moved to North Fork where Mr. Wardell is to work for the O. W. R.R. & N.

Mrs. Clara Oliver and son, Earl, arrived from the east yesterday to be at the bedside of her brother, Earl Roberts.

Jay Millering is home on a furlough, instead of permanently as reported. He leaves in twelve days for New York.

Dick Rettig returned this morning on discharge from the officers' Training School at Camp McArthur, Texas.

Fred Hennings returned yesterday from Portland. He has been attending the Polytechnic School and is home for good.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Selig will leave in a few days for Seattle to spend the holiday season visiting relatives and friends.

While in attendance at the stock show in Portland Tom Johnson was taken sick and is now in a hospital in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blockland and son returned yesterday from Portland where they have been attending the stock show.

Clyde Kiddle arrived this morning on a ten day furlough. He is a member of the Marine Corps and

is stationed at Quantico, Virginia.

A telegram was received this morning stating that Keuben Zweifel will arrive La Grande, tomorrow morning. He has been discharged and will remain here.

Mrs. A. L. Richardson will present a number of her pupils in a musicale at her home Wednesday evening. The soloists will be assisted by the Monday Club.

Miss Eva Ruby returned to La Grande from Huntington yesterday morning. She will leave tomorrow morning for Boise, Idaho, on a business trip to be gone three or four days.

Mrs. H. A. Thomas, of Riverside Park, arrived home yesterday from Hailes where she has been the past week on account of sickness in the family of her sister, Mrs. Andrew De Long.

Mrs. E. L. Eckley, who was called last week to Wellton, Arizona, on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. L. F. Prochatel, sends word that her mother is improving and is on the road to recovery.

Harley Richardson is home on a thirty days furlough to spend Christmas. He has been stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, where he has charge of three fields.

Miss Amelia Michaelson returned Saturday night from San Jose, California, where she has been attending the San Jose Normal school for the past fifteen months. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Michaelson of May Park.

The L. A. to the Brotherhood of

Railway Employees will meet with the B. of R. T. for a joint installation of officers on Tuesday, December 17, (tomorrow) at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Mrs. Halborn, accompanied by her husband, is an arrival from Chicago on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ferguson of the Rondo Valley House. Mrs. Halborn was a visitor to La Grande two years ago.

A. W. Nelson returned from Portland yesterday, where she has been for the past week. The fore part of the week he attended the Grand Lodge of the K. E. and a delegate from the local lodge. The latter part of the week he was a delegate from the La Grande Commercial club at the organization of a state chamber of commerce. The state chamber of commerce attends to the affairs of the state and not of Portland or any other particular locality.

TO WAR CHEST MEMBERS
 Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A., will be held the first annual election of a La Grande director of the Union county War Chest. Every contributor who has a membership card in the War Chest—the little red ticket—is entitled to a vote and as many as can are urged to be present.

This sort of an election is being held everywhere in the county's districts and the directors so elected will conduct the affairs of the War Chest. d16-3t

LA GRANDE REPRESENTED
 Vincent Palmer Named as a Director State Chamber of Commerce.

La Grande is represented in the directorate of the recently organized state chamber of commerce by Vincent Palmer, of the George Palmer Lumber company and former of the La Grande city commission. The selection of Mr. Palmer as one of the directors of the organization was due to his extensive business connections and his general knowledge of freight rates. The recognition is not only a compliment to Mr. Palmer but also to La Grande and Union county.

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COAL SHORTAGE AT JUNEAU
 Supply Only Sufficient to Last Four Days, 19 Report.

SEATTLE, Dec. 15.—Coal on hand at Junesau is only sufficient to last four days and nearly all of the eastern Alaska is threatened with a coal famine, was the word received here Saturday in telegraphic advices from Juneau to the chamber of commerce. An investigation immediately began here was said to have discovered that

ROYAL NEIGHBORS ELECTION
 Iris Camp No. 2880 Royal Neighbors of America elected the following officers for next year:
 Oracle—Louise Landrum,
 Vice Oracle—Mayne Johnson,
 Chancellor—Auna Dennis,
 Recorder—Mary L. West,
 Receiver—Nettie Goodin,
 Inner Sentinel—Mabel Gore,
 Outer Sentinel—Treeney Suydam,
 Manager—Carrie Munhall,
 Physician—Dr. Richardson, Dr. Biggers and Dr. Dora Underwood.
MARY L. WEST, Recorder.

COUNTY CLERK HOME
 County Clerk Kenneth McCormick has returned from Portland, where he attended the recent session of the county officers' convention.

Observer-advertising pays.

NEW TODAY

LOST—Black fur neck piece, last Tuesday. Leave it at Observer and get reward. 12-16

WANTED—Woman by the day for housework. Call Black 341. d16-1f

WANTED—Lady bookkeeper with general office experience. Address V, care of Observer. 12-16-3tp

FOR SALE—Hand-painted china. Call at Modern Laundry. 12-16-1f

FOUND—Small purse on Fir street, containing small change. Call at Observer office. 12-16-3t

FOR SALE—1917 model Oldsmobile, first class shape. \$75 worth of extras. \$1100. L. W. Weeks, 2016 Oak Street. 12-16-6tp

Alaskan shortage was due in considerable measure to the shortage of coal in British Columbia shipping centers. One steamer will sail northward Sunday, however, with coal and an effort is being made to obtain another vessel for immediate loading.

Timely Suggestions for Christmas

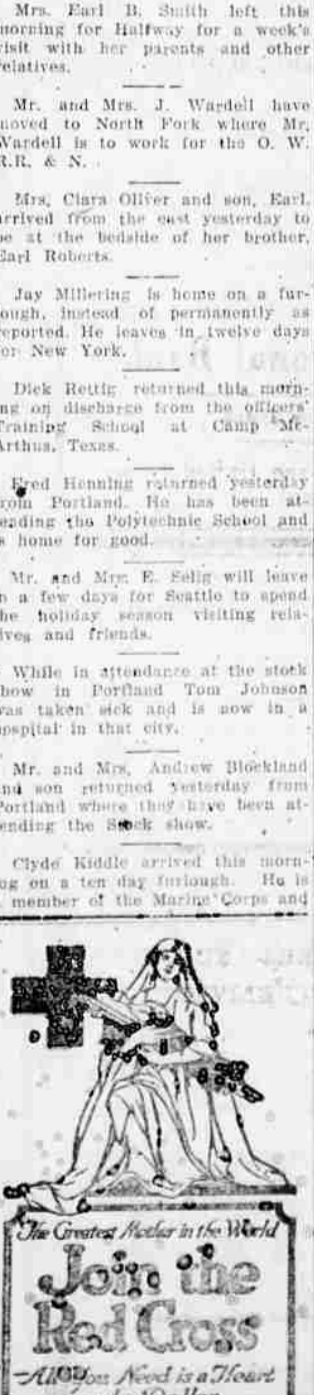
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