

The Observer's Classified Ads.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

BALED HAY FOR SALE—Any amount of it at the Farmers' Feed barn, La Grande. Will sell in any quantities. Phone Main 92. 12-23-17

LIBERTY BONDS or bonds and part cash will be taken for \$300 a new five room plastered house and two fine lots. Sugar Addition. Will give purchaser warranty deed and he can assume \$800 mortgage now on the place, payable \$12.12 per month. This place is worth \$1500. **SECURITY LAND & SAVINGS CO.** 1-2-24

FOR SALE—An N. C. H. Run, 'about \$150. Phone Black 1642. 12-19-17.

FOR SALE—Upright Piano, very reasonable. Call Black 1231. 12-28-17.

FOR SALE—At very cheap prices several head of old longhorn horses. Valuable for logging purposes, but will do farm work or other light work. Inquire Grande Ronde Lbr. Co., Perry. 12-27-19.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Two Jersey heifer yearlings, one light Jersey, one dark Jersey, the dark Jersey last seen in Fruitdale Nov. 6. Branded Circle N on right hip. Phone Farmers 15x1. 12-30-17.

LOST—Auto robe, between Palmer Mill Rd house and skating pond. 12-30-17-p.

LOST—Muff near Golden Role store Tuesday. Call Red 1423. 12-26-17p.

STRAYED—One yearling red steer and one yearling red-brindle heifer, branded with quarter circle S. Return to John Shilling, R. D. No. 2, La Grande. 12-27-17p.

LOST—15 jewel Waltham watch moonstone fob, leather chain, near Palmer mill pond, Dec. 25. Return to Observer. 12-26-17-p.

LOST—Light brindle milk cow. Notify H. J. Reber, Perry, Ore. 1-2-24-pd.

LOST—Auto truck chain. The J. D. Lynch Co. 1-2-17.

LOST—Auto robe, on North Second street, between the school house and the Palmer mill, Friday night last. Please return to Observer office and receive reward. 12-31-17-p.

LOST—One large black sow, white stripe in face, both ears cropped. Suitable reward. Call Farm 36 or Red 772. 12-31-17p.

STRAYED—1 black yearling Billy, three white feet, small white stripe on face. Branded horseshoe S. bar on left shoulder. Write Harry Coalwell, Perry, Ore. Reward. 12-30-17-p.

FOUND—In Hooverized Grocery, a black muff. Owner can have the same by paying for ad. Call at Observer. 12-28-21.

Job Printer, The Observer, Main 37.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms. Inquire 1392 O avenue or phone Red 3712. 1-1-18p.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Phone Black 831. 1-1-18p.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Phone Red 3171. 11-29-17.

WANTED—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To rent a piano. Phone Red 3261. 1-3-18p.

WANTED—To rent good five or six room house, furnished house preferred. Phone what you have. Main 701. 1-2-24-pd.

WANTED—At once waitress at Savoy hotel. 1-1-17.

WANTED—Dishwasher at Paris cafe. 12-28-17.

WANTED—Waitress at once at Home Restaurant. 12-18-17.

WANTED—Woman for the day for housework. Call Black 341. d16-17.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 1704 Second St., or phone Black 481. 12-17-17.

WANTED—Woman to do washing for family of two. Call Black 341. 12-10-17.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the United States National Bank of La Grande, Oregon, is called to meet in their directors' room on Tuesday, January 14, 1919, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting any other business that might come before said meeting.

T. J. SCROGGIN, Cashier.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the La Grande National Bank will be held at their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1919, at 2:30 p. m. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected, to serve for the ensuing year and until their successors are elected and qualified, and such other business will be considered as may properly offer.

F. L. MEYERS, Cashier.

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MORE TROOPS HOME SOON

OLD TROOP OREGON REGIMENT THOUGHT INCLUDED

Nearly 20,000 More Men Designated for Convey Home From Europe.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The designation to early convey back to America of 597 officers and 19,137 men of the American expeditionary forces was announced here by General March yesterday.

This number is thought to include 544 officers and 17,739 men of the Forty-first division, which is composed of National Guard troops from Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming, Montana, North and South Dakota, Colorado, New Mexico and the District of Columbia.

It is understood that part of the 162d regiment, formerly the old Third Oregon regiment, is in the contingent.

NEW BOOK COMING ABOUT OREGON

PROF. J. E. HORNOR, OF O. A. C. HAS NEW VOLUME NOW ON THE PRESS

The issue of the Corvallis Gazette-Times of December 28th contains an announcement which all Oregonians will read with pleasure—intimation of the early appearance of a book written on, in, and together about Oregon. The book will be particularly appreciated in this state, for its author's early home was here.

Writing to the editor of the Observer, Mr. Horner says in part: "Inasmuch as I spent my boyhood and youth at the foot of Mount Emily, caring for my father's fruit trees and sowing my wild oats; as I taught school in the country, and studied during my junior year in the Blue Mountain University, I fancy that some of the people in La Grande might like to know that I have written another book."

The description of the new volume, as given in the Gazette-Times, is as follows:

"Oregon—Her History, Her Great Men, and Her Literature," a two-volume history of Oregon, with 200 illustrations, by J. E. Horner, professor of history at the Oregon Agricultural college, is in type and will soon be off the press. It is an Oregon production in every sense, illustrations having been made by H. C. Clatten of Portland, the printing by the Gazette-Times of Corvallis, and the binding by the Oregon City Enterprise.

Much of the volume was written from first hand sources, the author having been acquainted with important characters of Oregon for more than fifty years. No less than 100 artists and writers have assisted him in the compilation of the book which is unlike anything heretofore placed on the market. The first edition was to have been completed by December, but delays were necessitated on account of war conditions.

The history of the "Oregon country," that land of mystery and excitement, is graphically told, many interesting stories being woven into the pages. At least 500 events are described. The work is dedicated to the heroes and heroines of Oregon. The reader will observe, in the preface, that the volume is offered essentially as a history of Oregon with only such reference to the history of the Pacific northwest as may be indispensable in the introductory chapters. It is designed to give such a condensed, authentic account of the activities of the state as will instruct the reader, create a love for Oregon, and arouse patriotic respect for her laws and institutions.

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BRATSTREET'S REVIEW OF BUSINESS

(Continued from page two)

el back to peaceful lines, and the processes of unhampered trade and of unfixed prices went forward with as much, not greater speed than had the work of directing peaceful energies to warlike purposes. These readjustments, which at the time of writing are still in process, and the uncertainty prevailing as to future price levels, now that the great urge of government buying was removed, gave a quieter tone to wholesale trade and industry in the closing months, while the influenza epidemic early and natural recuperation bred by displacement of many thousands of workers later, operated to hold down retail trade, which was only partly recouped by an excellent holiday demand in the closing weeks of the year.

The statement was frequently made in 1917 that, great as had been our work of organization for war, there was very little in the way of surface indications to show it, and that one might almost imagine that no war was being waged. This was emphatically not the case in 1918. War in many of its grim phases was brought home to us by the sending of two million men abroad and the gathering of another two million in American camps, by the voting by congress of an army without limit, by the stripping of our industries of its best men, by the extension of the draft ages to include all males from 18 to 45, by the operations of the German submarine murderers on our coast, by the growing lists of casualties, and by the mounting up of war costs to almost unbelievable heights. In 1918, too, all the early delusions as to the causes and nature of the war were dissipated, and its true character as a life and death struggle of decency and civilization against all that was abhorrent and decadent became manifest. That the sending over of our armies to France was not merely a question of numbers carried but also of quality of fighting material sent, was proved by the splendid work of our soldiers, who, our friends the allies admit, arrived just in time to turn the scale of the conflict and to block the way of the Germans to the channel ports and to Paris, and later, in conjunction with our allies, under the supreme command of the brilliant French Marshal Foch, broke the German lines, expelled the invader from northern France and from Belgium, and finally, by the terms of the armistice asked for by the beaten foe, established the allied line far within the enemies' border, constituting a new "Watch on the Rhine" pending a final peace settlement. It will probably be the verdict of history that our full strength had not yet been put forth when the collapse of the boasted efficient Teutonic combination went right straight to the German surrender and revolt and the final abdication of power by the self-styled war lord and his confederates. Thus this latest and greatest crusade was won, peace returned to the earth, and the preparations for the conference at Versailles gave peculiar emphasis to the Christmas season and were fraught with favorable auguries for the ushering into the world of a truly happy New Year.

Over Four Years of War Ended.

With the great war apparently ended, a glance over the big events of the four years and nearly four months additional that it lasted may not be out of the way. First of all, it needs to be said that no human being expected it to last the length of time it did, nor that the financial costs thereof (probably \$180,000,000,000 to \$200,000,000,000) could have been so successfully borne by the world. As to the cost in life, no definite measure can be had as yet, but probably between 9,000,000 and 10,000,000 fighting men laid down their lives, while massacre, disease and starvation may have taken as many more civilians. Of our own part in it, it can be said that while our financial costs have been great, perhaps \$22,000,000,000 to date, our own loss of life, directly due to the hostilities or to disease and attendant evils, possibly 100,000 men, while regrettably large in our eyes, was slight compared with either those of at the hands of the two million men who have represented us in Europe. We also have—what we hitherto lacked—a big merchant marine capable of serving our importers and exporters, and our loans to allies and neutrals have given us a financial footing in the markets of the world of which our bankers probably will not be slow to take advantage. If it is necessary to finance our customers throughout the world to enable us to sell goods, we can do it, because we financed Europe when the possibility of returns was not nearly so good as now. We also have a larger capacity for output and certainly greater adaptability for catering to foreign demands, whether of peace or war. In fact, we have reached in a few short years a position that it took Great Britain, the business nation par excellence, generations to achieve. Fears of unemployment of the masses would be considered with the known fact before this immigration, which should have given us 5,000,000 persons in the last four years, has been almost at a standstill. Furthermore, we are quite sure that our whole army is coming home much better off than now. War taxes are a source of apprehension, but these too should be looked at in the light of the fact that taxation in this country has not assumed the all-pervading character imparted to it in Europe. A century of custom and precedent. Upon what signs fall the specters of future state control, interference or regulation are not so grave as seemed certain when we were in the full stress of war. Lower prices may come, as all of

once, by the way, and may delay but should not unduly postpone the process of proper readjustment. While war inflation may have been responsible for some of the present high prices, the latter in the last analysis merely specularity, which it should be our work to remove, and in removing make business friends who will stick and customers who will come again. No headlong break in domestic prices seems probable with the purchasing power of our people so high; supply and demand conditions that they are; stocks of goods outside of government hands not burdensome; those in government control large perhaps, but promising to be liquidated conservatively; credit conditions, as reflected in failures, sound; the farms of the country such a source of wealth, and the outside world's needs so great. It really seems certain that the people and the country that have done so much in the past four years will not falter now that peace has come and "business as usual" is again to be the watchword.

"Still Alarm" at Star tonight. Adv.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS Owing to the cold weather and other conditions incident to winter weather it is not practicable to read all water meters during the winter months, but as the supply of water at Beaver Creek is limited, it is therefore hereby notified that all water used in excess of the minimum will be charged for when meters are read in the spring.

J. D. MCKENNON, President City of La Grande, JOHN COLLIER, Recorder City of La Grande.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE In the matter of the guardianship of Ivan D. Baker, Zona Margaret Baker and George Zeigler Baker, minors.

Now at this time this matter came on to be heard upon the verified petition of Laura E. Woodell, the duly appointed, qualified and acting guardian of the estate and persons of the above-named minors, for an order of this court directing and authorizing her to sell the real property belonging to said minors, and it appearing to the court from said petition that said minors are the owners of the following real estate, to-wit:

North half of Lot 2, block 1, in Island City, Union county, Oregon; also a tract of land commencing at the SW corner of the SW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 1 South, Range 23 E. W. M., in Union county, Oregon, running thence east, 160 rods, more or less, to the SE corner of the SW 1/4, same section, thence north 42 rods, thence west 160 rods to Township line, thence South 42 rods to the place of beginning.

And it further appearing to the court that said property is not remunerative, and that it would be for the best interests of said minors to sell said property, and invest the proceeds in interest-bearing security.

It is therefore ordered that said minors and their next of kin be, and they are hereby, cited to appear in this court at the court house in La Grande, Oregon, on Thursday, January 16th, 1919, at 10 a. m., to show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be made authorizing and empowering said guardian to sell said real property.

This Order is ordered published for three (3) full weeks, in the La Grande Evening Observer, prior to the date fixed of hearing objections hereto.

J. P. PHY, County Judge. F. S. IVANHOE, Attorney for Estate. Daily Dec. 14-21-28-Jan. 4.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as administrator of the partnership estate of Francis W. Bay, deceased, in the county court of the state of Oregon, for Union county, and that said court has fixed Monday, the 6th day of January, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the court house in the city of La Grande, Union county, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing and proving said final account, and for final settlement of said estate.

Dated December 7th, 1918.

NATE ZWEIFEL, Administrator of the Partnership Estate of Francis W. Bay, Deceased.

H. E. DIXON, Attorney for Administrator. 15-14-21-28-4

THE YOUNG FORTNIGHTLY MEETING IS NOW OPEN. All kinds of hot drinks, cakes, cereals, chili con carne, hot malted milk and hot chocolate and coffee are served at all hours from 8 a. m. to 10:30 p. m. at Silverthorn's 1-4-31

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OSTEOPATHIC

DR. MARGARET INGLE, Osteopathic Physician, specializing in diseases of Women and Children. Hours 10 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m., and by appointment. Phone office Red 1761. Residence Red 881. 37 New Foley Bldg. Dr. J. L. Ingle has entered the U. S. Army.

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Fraternal Directory.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Camp No. 163 meets every first and third Monday at Eagles Hall. All visiting neighbors welcome. Dues payable at the office of the clerk, New Foley Bldg., 9 a. m., to 5 p. m. J. J. MURCHISON, C. C. R. E. KITCHEN, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA—La Grande Camp No. 7703 meets on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month in the K. of P. Hall. Visiting neighbors welcome.

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O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Visiting members cordially welcomed.

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K. of L. of Security—Mt. Emily Council, No. 246, meets the second and fourth Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Eagle hall. Visiting members are welcome.

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A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. holds regular meetings first and third Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all Masons.

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F. O. EAGLES, Aerie No. 258—Meet every Friday night at Eagles Hall. Visiting members welcome.

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REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening in the T. O. F. Hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.

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L. O. O. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 329, Local Order of Moose holds regular meetings every Wednesday night at 8 p. m. in Eagle hall next to Elks' Hall on Washington Ave. Visitors always welcome. Dues payable at Young's Sweets.

W. C. HANSEN, Dic. HARRY SWARTZ, Sec.

B. P. O. E. ELKS, La Grande Lodge No. 432, Lodge meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Home and club privileges cheerfully extended to all Brother Elks.

R. J. GREEN, Exalted Ruler. A. B. CHERRY, Secretary.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Iris Camp meets every second Friday afternoon and every fourth Friday evening, every month in K. P. hall. All visiting members cordially welcome.

HENRIETTA GHARST, Oracle MARY L. WEST, Recorder.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Rod Croa Lodge No. 27 meets every Monday night at Castle Hall (K. of P. hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights.

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