

CLYDE GREEN HAS GREAT TIME**King and Queen of England Enjoy Bully Base Ball Game**

Clyde Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Green, stationed in England, has been heard from this week. Two letters that were newsy, were received by the parents. One was written July 8 and the other July 10. He enclosed some newspaper clipping illustrations, that are of great interest to the people of this city. One shows the picture of an elderly woman, Mme. Marguerite Wist, seventy-eight years of age, a French woman, who gives the graves of the American soldiers her care. She feels herself to be acting for mothers overseas. In the picture she has an immense bouquet of flowers, carefully arranged and wrapped in paper ready to be placed on a soldier's grave, and she is kneeling beside the grave of an American who died fighting for his country. An other illustration is on the first trip on the river Thames that are being arranged for American soldiers and sailors in London. There were 150 of these young men having such a delightful time.

268th Aero Squadron,
American Expeditionary Forces,
London, England.

Dear Ones at Home:
"I am glad to hear that you are all well and happy, for nothing pleases me more than to hear that from you. I am feeling fine and getting along O.K."

"Since writing you, I have had a fine time. I suppose you have read about the big Fourth of July celebration we had here in England. Nearly all the Yanks in England were at London for the big occasion. There were about fifty-eight sight-seeing busses for the Americans to view London in. In the afternoon a baseball match was held at Chelsea Park between the army and navy, the navy winning. The score was 20 to 1. It sure was an exciting game, and the way the Yanks did yell! Wow! The king and queen were there, and were quite impressed by the 'Wild West' actions of the boys. It was a good demonstration of the 'American pep' that kaiser will have to contend with.

"In the evening we received free theater tickets from the Y. M. C. A., and had the best seats to one of the finest shows in London. The play was 'Be Careful Baby.' The leading lady was an American actress, and she was fine. Thanks to the Y. M. C. A. we had a wonderful time.

"I met several fellows I knew in Oregon City and Portland, one of these from Portland was one I met at Chautauqua. He was in the Infantry. Carl Hodson has written me from another camp here, and he is going to come down to see me one of these days. He said he had received a paper from home and my address was in it. So now you can see what papers from home can do. I also heard from Claire Miller in France, and was somewhat surprised. He said Dallas Armstrong was coming over to see me one of these days. I surely hope so, for I would like to see him. Sam MacDonald went up into Scotland on his seven-days leave, and he wanted me to go with him, but no such luck. He would be a pretty good guide in Scotland all right. Well, such is life, I guess."

"Yesterday I had a wonderful trip up the Thames river. A man by the name of Joel, a South African diamond millionaire took 75 American soldiers and sailors for the day on the river. We had two fine steam launches for conveyance, each equipped with a fine orchestra. We had dinner and tea on board, and the eats were great. We left at 8:30 A.M., and returned at 6 P.M. We had one of the best times I have had in this country.

The scenery along the river was simply great, and if I had only had a camera I could have secured some fine pictures. When we got back to our landing all seventy-five of us fellows gave Mr. Joel three 'rah! rah! rah!' You can imagine what it sounded like. He seemed quite pleased about it all. Well, he wasn't any more pleased with our spirit than we were with his spirit.

"I am going to try and take this trip again one of these days. It is worth \$10 any way. I am going to send you some souvenirs I got in London right away, and want you to keep them for me.

"Mrs. Harvey has invited me to spend a few days at the beach when she arrives here. I have also another invitation to visit a home here."

The second letter in part is as follows:

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"No, I don't get any reading matter from the States, and it looks like it is being side-tracked some where. A New York boy in my tent gets quite a few papers and magazines, so we have a little reading matter. They are not like the Oregonian, Enterprise, Telegram or Journal."

"Mrs. Hardy, the American lady here, has written you a month ago, and you should have received it by now. Have you?"

"Well, today is the breaking up of a fine spell of weather. It clouded up last night and ended in a thunder and lightning storm, and today, we are having lots and lots of 'beautiful' rain. For about two or three weeks we had fine weather, and how we enjoyed this. The rain was needed, as everything was commencing to dry up. This heavy rain of today will moisten things up pretty good, and bring them out green and nice."

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ment that we have had for some time. They had that good old American pep, and say, they had we Yanks just hopping up and down on our chairs. They will give us a return engagement one of these days. I certainly hope so."

"Our tents are fine on these summer days, because we can sleep with plenty of fresh air, and this keeps lots of sickness away."

"Give my friends my best regards, and with lots of love, I am,

"Lovingly,

"CLYDE."

**Two Girls are Mining
War Time is Reason
Dig Sand and Rocks**

To work in the mines by girls of Clackamas county is something out of the ordinary, but since there is a scarcity of the men Miss Edna Terrill and her sister, Miss Dorothy, the latter who is but 14 years of age are certainly doing their bit. Both girls, attired in overalls, are seen daily shoveling sand and clay, and also assisting in operating the machinery at the mines of the Silica King Mines Company, located in the eastern part of the city near the Terrill home. Mr. Terrill is helping to get out the sand contracted for the surfacing of the roads of Oregon City and Clackamas county.

This is no easy job for the girls to do, but they are staying with it, even through the recent hot afternoons, these girls could be found working like "beavers." The clay is heavy, as well as the sand, but they seem to be enjoying the work, and know they are doing their bit. This is their first experience in mining.

BIRTHDAYS OF THREE VETERANS CELEBRATED

The birthday anniversaries of the members of the Women's Relief Corps and the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, occurring in August were observed at the Willamette hall Tuesday. There were in attendance and partaking of the delicious repast 75 comrades and Relief Corps members. Mrs. Rosina Fouts Evans was the toastmaster of the occasion. Responding to the toasts were J. A. Roman, who celebrates his 81st birthday anniversary this month; G. A. Hardin, whose 75th birthday took place Tuesday, and A. J. Hobble, 73 years, while the members of the Women's Relief Corps were Mrs. Frank T. Barlow, Mrs. Bessie Alldredge and Mrs. Mayme Bennett.

The tables were prettily decorated with cut flowers and flags, and the hall was correspondingly decorated. During the afternoon the Little Misses Helen and Hazel Woodward and Quavine Alldredge sang a "Birth-day Song," and received a hearty encore. Little Hazel Jean Woodward also gave the flag salute that made a "hit" with the veterans and Relief Corps.

Following the dinner the remainder of the afternoon was taken up with business of the Women's Relief Corps. A number of new members were initiated, these were Martha Brown, Mary Case, Ella Shandy. Application for membership were made by Ada Pearl, Alice Palmer, Laura Baker Dolan, and Lulu Buckles.

Among the visitors were Mrs. Marshall, member of the Harvey Corps No. 40, South Dakota.

The executive committee of the Women's Relief Corps had charge of the day's program, the chairman of whom is Mrs. Amelia Martin.

HE MANAGES KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WAR ACTIVITIES

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OREGON CITY ENTERPRISE, FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1918.

Home Where General Pershing Was Born, and His Mother



THE OLD PERSHING HOMESTEAD IN LACEDALE WHERE GEN. PERSHING WAS BORN

The home where General Pershing was born in Laclede, Mo., in 1860 still stands. The house is a very ordinary structure, for in those days the father of the man who was to be commander of the United States forces in Europe was not wealthy. Mrs. Pershing, mother of the general, whose photo is shown here, was born in Tennessee. She was Ann Thompson, whom her husband met while he was the foreman of a construction gang on a railroad. She followed the camp of the new road, and later when he was

called to the same kind of work in Missouri she went with him. The road ended near Laclede, and there Mr. Pershing, who was born in Pennsylvania, set up a general store, the first one in the town.

What is probably the largest individual order ever placed for sporting goods has just been put through by the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. for the American Expeditionary Forces in France. It comes to more than half a million dollars and is designed to accommodate from one-and-a-half to two million of our boys "over there."

Twelve of the largest manufacturers of sporting goods were asked to compete for the order, and ten of them submitted bids. The order has been apportioned among all of these, the awards being made on the basis of quality and prices.

Experts have been busy scrutinizing the goods, cutting open baseballs, boxing gloves, masks, and so forth, to make sure that everything is of the first quality. This, in addition to the furnishing of a bond by the manufacturers for the faithful performance of their agreement and moreover that the goods be subject to further inspection at the factory.

The goods are intended for next season's requirements, and to make assurance doubly sure that they arrive in France by early spring at the latest, deliveries have to be made in New York by the manufacturers by December 1.

In this connection Mr. Baker said he was inclined to the opinion that the marriage relation will in itself constitute deferred classification.

What Mr. Baker has in mind is to lay down a set of questions which the registrant would answer and then have rules which would take care of the classification. He is understood to regard this as the fair and equitable system.

DESERTER FROM ARMY RETURNED TO CAMP LEWIS

Pietro Zuccaro, Camp Lewis deserter who was arrested by local officers last week, while in the act of changing his uniform for civilian garb, was returned to Seattle Tuesday afternoon in custody of Military Police man Albert W. Fredericks, of Oregon City.

Zuccaro was given a ten days' furlough from Camp Lewis and was supposed to return on the 5th of August.

He was captured here a few days after the expiration of his furlough and the fact that he was changing his garb at the time, will be strong evidence of his intent to desert when the matter comes up before military court martial.

Zuccaro has been confined in the county jail for several days awaiting the arrival of Camp Lewis authorities.

He gave no reason for his desertion and intimated to local authorities that he was expecting a hard jolt in the military prison for his act.

Zuccaro stated he came to Portland for a time and had a couple of months' pay on his person when he left the cantonment. When captured he was practically without funds. At the time of his arrest he was reported by parties in the Green Point district who noted his suspicious actions.

APPEAL FOR MEN

From overseas has come a new meaning for Y. M. C. A. Over there they say it means "You Must Come Across." The Y. M. C. A. needs men its work in the war zone.

ARRANGE TO STAGE 1918 ROUND-UP TO BENEFIT RED CROSS

The ninth of Pendleton's famous epic dramas of the west will be held on September 19, 20 and 21, and despite the fact that some of the famous cowboys and buckaroos have answered the call of their country and are now bulldozing the Hun somewhere in France, there will be competition aplenty for the prizes and trophies. The usual program of wild west sports will be presented but there will be added touches of the military and patriotic in keeping with the spirit of wartime.

No person has ever received a salary or dividend from the Round-Up but heretofore the profits of the show have been devoted to civic improvements in Pendleton. In these times, however, the directors decided that such improvements should give way to war enterprises, and made their offer accordingly.

LIVE STOCK MARKET RECEIPTS IN JULY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 13.—Increased receipts of cattle, hogs, and sheep at 31 cities during July, 1918, compared with receipts at the same cities in July, 1917, are shown by the stockyards report of the Bureau of Markets, United States Department of Agriculture. July receipts for the two years at the 31 cities which include most of the large markets, with 1918 figures first, were: cattle, 1,897,847—1,552,573; hogs, 2,813,749—2,395,226; and sheep, 1,469,888—1,174,336.

ARRIVE FROM TILLAMOOK

Mrs. R. W. Kirk and daughters, Kathryn and Dorothy, arrived in the city from Tillamook yesterday, and joined Prof. Kirk at their new home at 815 Monroe Street. Mr. Kirk is the superintendent of schools for the ensuing term here, and handled the Tillamook field last year.

Will Go to Vladivostok



MAJ.-GEN. WILLIAM S. GRAVES

COST OF FOOD PRODUCTS ARE SET BY BOARD

The committee named by County Food Administrator H. S. Anderson to fix the food prices in Oregon City has issued the following price list applying to retailers and consumers. The price list names the price to be paid by the retailer to the grower and the price to be charged the consumer by the retailer. The first list was issued August 8, and will be changed weekly, conforming to market conditions and market changes.

The list issued Tuesday by the committee follows:

Fresh eggs, retailer, 45 cents; consumer, 50 cents.

Butter, fresh creamery, retailer, 53 cents; consumer, 60 cents.

Potatoes, new, retailer, 3 to 3½ cents; consumer, 3½ to 4 cents.

Cheese, full cream, retailer, 27 cents; consumer, 33 to 35 cents.

Corn Meal, yellow, bulk, 100 pounds, retailer, \$5.10; consumer, \$7.00 to \$7.50.

Corn meal, white, bulk, 100 pounds, retailer, \$6.00; consumer, \$7.50 to \$8.

Corn meal, yellow, 10-pound bag, bale, retailer, \$6.25; consumer, 85 cents.

Corn meal, white, 10-pound bag, bale, retailer, \$6.66; consumer, 85 cents.

Rolled oats, 90-pound bags, bale, 7 cents; consumer, 9 cents.

Rolled oats, 9-pound bags, bale, retailer, 7½ cents; consumer, 80 cents.

Oat flour, bulk, 10 pound, retailer, 70 cents; consumer, 85 cents.

Rice flour, bulk, per lb, retailer, 12½ cents; consumer, 12½ cents.

Sugar, dry, gran., 100 pounds, retailer, \$8.05; consumer, 9 to 10 cents.

Corn flour, white, bulk, 100 pounds, retailer, \$6.50; consumer, 7½ to 8 cents.

Corn flour, white, 10-pound bag, retailer, 65 cents; consumer, 7½ cents.

Rice head, per pound, retailer, 10 cents; consumer, 12½ cents.

Beans, small white, pound, retailer, 10 cents; consumer, 2½ cents.

Beans, large white, pound, retailer, 9 cents; consumer, 11 cents.

Beans, colored, pound, retailer, 10 cents; consumer, 12½ cents.

Dried fruit, raisins, pkgs, pound, retailer, 11¾ cents; consumer, 15 cents.

Corn syrup, 5-pound cans, Red Karo, retailer, 45 cents; consumer, 55 cents.

Wheat flour, 49-pound bags, retailer, \$2.82½; consumer, \$3.00.

Wheat flour, 24½ pound bags, retailer, \$1.42½; consumer, \$1.55.

Wheat flour, 10-pound bags, bale, consumer,