

COMPLETE
DISPERSION SALE
40 HEAD 40
OF HIGH GRADE JERSEYS

Our entire Milking Herd of Cows from 2 to 7 years old will be sold at

Public Auction Sale

At The Alfalfa Lawn Dairy Ranch, 2 miles below Heppner on Willow Creek
SATURDAY, APRIL 6th, 1918, AT 1 P. M.

This herd has been carefully selected and all of the animals offered are good, having been selected from 12 years of careful breeding. They are rich in the best blood of the state, as we used five registered sires at the head of this herd, and they were the best to be had in the Northwest.

THIS HERD IS NOW HEADED BY ONOTOS JOLLY FOX, NO. 134, 760, FROM THE CLIFFORD F. REID HERD OF PORTLAND, ORE. The herd was tuberculin tested Sept. 27, 1917, by J. M. Gardner, assistant State Veterinarian and was found to be in a perfectly healthy condition.

The War has forced us to sell—Labor shortage would not permit us taking the care of this herd that they require.

TERMS OF SALE—Six months time on approved notes, bearing eight per cent interest. Those wishing to buy on these terms will come prepared and arrange with clerk before sale.

ALFALFA LAWN DAIRY, COL. J. W. HUGHES,
Wightman Bros., Heppner, Ore. Auctioneer, Forest Grove, Ore.

REPORT OF WORK OF HARDMAN AUXILIARY RED CROSS.

- November and December.
49 bundles gauze compresses, 9x9.
7 bundles gauze compresses, 4x4.
28 bundles absorbant pads, 8x12.
30 hospital shirts.
8 sweaters.
2 pairs socks.
1 pair wristlets.
- January.
46 bundles gauze compresses, 9x9.
20 bundles gauze compresses, 4x4.
29 bundles absorbant pads, 8x12.
55 hospital shirts.
12 sweaters.
2 pairs socks.
- February.
24 bundles gauze compresses, 9x9.
64 bundles gauze compresses, 4x4.
64 bundles absorbant pads, 8x12.
35 hospital shirts.

- 4 sweaters.
30 pairs socks.
1 pair wristlets.
50 triangular slings.

We have a complete stock of all kinds of nursery stock: consisting of a complete assortment of fruit trees, shade trees, ornamental trees and shrubbery, berry bushes, roses, all in a thrifty condition and guaranteed true to name at prices that defy competition. I have the Milton trees, the Orengo trees, as well as my own growing. **HARRY CUMMINGS,**
Mgr. Cummings Nurseries.
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

Dressmaking—Elite styles by Mrs. George Moore two doors south of First National Bank on Main Street. All work guaranteed.

Bears Peel Bark For Sap.

Forest rangers report that bears have done considerable damage to young timber in the Upper Wind River Valley, on the Columbia National Forest, by peeling the bark for the sap. The trees attacked range from four to twelve inches in diameter, and the damaged portion is usually near the ground. Occasionally Mr. Bear shins up a larger tree and peels out the top and branches. Douglas fir, white fir, western white pine, and lodgepole pine are attacked indiscriminately; while western yellow pine and hemlock occasionally receive attention.

Ranger H. J. Lickel, of Guler, Washington, has observed the peeling of bark on young growth by bears for eight years. He says: "Mr. Bear peels the trees only when the sap is running, and his reasons for doing so are very apparent. All sap contains more or less sugar, of which bears are very fond. Therefore it is natural that he should peel trees to get the sweet taste, just as his two-legged brother taps the maple for the sugar."

"After stripping off the bark, the bear licks the inside of the bark and also the peeled trunk of the tree until the sap is gone. Then he hunts another tree. The damage done this way ranges from mere scratches to the peeling of several square feet of bark."

"Sometimes the trees are completely girdled, in which case they soon die. In other cases, where the girdling is not complete, the trees exude a coat of pitch over the scar, making fine fuel for the first fire that comes along, which either burns the tree down or leaves a 'cat-face.'"

"The fresh wounds made by the bears also offer a plint of attack for fungi and insects."

In travelling one mile through second growth timber where bears were plentiful, Ranger Lickel observed more than one hundred fresh scars made by the animals in their quest for sap.

1000 Extra Choice Black Locusts for sale at Cummings Nurseries. These trees are very fine and sold at practically wholesale prices. Harry Cummings, Heppner, Ore.

Kuolia's Hawaiians will be here Sunday night only, at the Opera House. See them in the "Paradise of the Pacific."

Stephen Irwin went to The Dalles this morning and will return with a new Oakland Six which has been disposed of to Tom O'Brien of Bumer creek.

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE ARE GIVING TOASTED CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the wonderful advances that have been made in the preparation of smoking tobaccos in the last few years it may sound strange to speak of toasted cigarettes.

Strictly speaking, we should say cigarettes made of toasted tobacco; the smokers of this country will recognize it more readily by its trade name, "LUCKY STRIKE"—the toasted cigarette.

The American Tobacco Company are producing millions of these toasted cigarettes and these are being bought in enormous quantities through the various tobacco funds conducted by the newspapers of the country and forwarded through the Red Cross Society to the boys in France.

This new process of treating tobacco not only improves the flavor of the tobacco but it seals in this flavor and makes the cigarettes keep better.

The Red Cross nurse is always glad to have a cigarette for the wounded soldier, as, in most instances, that is the first thing asked for.

Weekly War News Digest.

New U. S. Army Rifle Shows Improvements Over Other Models.

The United States rifle, model of 1917, commonly called the modified Enfield, has now been tested in the service of the Army a sufficient time to warrant the assertion that it more than justifies the claims made for it, according to a statement authorized by the Secretary of War.

The new rifle takes a .30-caliber cartridge, which has the advantage over the British Enfield of being rimless. It has been found that unless rim cartridges are fed through the magazine uniformly with the rim of the top cartridge ahead of the rim of the one immediately below, jams are likely to occur.

The model of 1917 has an over-all length of 46.3 inches; a total weight including oiler and thong case and bayonet of 16 pounds and 5 ounces. The breech mechanism is of the old bolt type.

Junior Four-Minute Men Will Aid Campaign for Third Liberty Loan.

Plans have been completed for the organization of "Junior Four-Minute Men" in every school in the country. According to the Division of Four-Minute Men of the Committee on Public Information, bulletins specially prepared for school children will be sent during the third Liberty loan campaign for distribution by superintendents to all schools in the United States. Addresses will be prepared from the material in these bulletins just as regular Four-Minute speakers in motion-picture houses prepare their own speeches from bulletins supplied by the Government.

In each school the children submitting the best speeches are to deliver them in public. According to plans the boy or girl awarded first prize is to get a certificate from the United States Government as a Junior Four-Minute Man.

Use of Soldiers as Guards for Industrial Plants Is Not Recommended.

A memorandum made public by the War Department concerning the use of armed guards about industrial plants contains the following:

"The soldier in training who has offered his life for the defense of country should not sacrifice his effectiveness by performing police duty in the protection of property back of the lines. This is the duty of the citizen at home."

"The theater for operations for armed soldiers is the battlefield of Europe. Each civilian should aid his country by acting as a guard for the detection and prevention of intrigue, deceit, and all the familiar stealthy operations of the enemy in

What About That WAR GARDEN

You Are Going To Plant This Spring?

A trifle early yet to plant it but just the time to buy the seed. We handle four of the best.

- Northrup, King & Co., - - - Minnesota
D. M. Ferry & Co., - - - Michigan
C. C. Morse & Co., - - - California
Chas. H. Lilly, - - - - - Oregon

Our advice is to buy early as some varieties are extremely scarce this year.

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STEEL GUITAR SOLOIST

PORTLAND PAPERS SAID: "A FEATURE ON ANY CIRCUIT." Oregonian, March 5
"TREMENDOUS HIT." Telegram, March 5
"HIT OF PANTAGES THIS WEEK." Journal, March 6

VAUDEVILLE'S GREATEST FEATURE ACT

our midst. Each soldier unnecessarily detained as a guard in this country aids and abets the enemy in Europe.

"Often a guard may be needed for the safety of a factory. When it is, it should be supplied by the owner of the factory, by the municipality, or by the State.

"These measures apply not only to manufacturing plants, but are equally applicable to shipyards, grain elevators, and stores of supplies."

Washington, Mar. 12—The French request for more American troops is based on plans for an allied offensive. France greatly desires to secure the initiative in the west once more, which can be made permanently active against Germany only with American help.

E. J. Wilbur, pioneer resident of Umatilla county, met a terrible death while blasting stumps on upper McKay creek, Monday. His hands were blown off, his eyes blown out and his face and head terribly mutilated. He was a pioneer sawmill man of the Blue mountain section near Meacham.

A WOMAN'S BACK
The Advice of This Heppner Woman is of Certain Value.

Many a woman's back has many aches and pains.

Ofttimes 'tis the kidneys' fault. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills are so effective.

Many Heppner women know this. Read what one has to say about it: Mrs. H. Hughes, Court St., Heppner, says: "For about a month my back ached and throbbed so badly at times that I could hardly stand the pain. The way my kidneys were acting was giving me a lot of distress. I had taken only a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills when I noticed a big change. My back felt stronger and my kidneys acted more regularly. One box of Doan's permanently cured my trouble and since then I have enjoyed the best of health."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mrs. Hughes. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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