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LATELY have come rumors out of the north that there is friction and some sub-surface disturbance over the operation of the only publicly owned radio station in Oregon, station KOAC.

Since this editor has previously indulged in discussions of the KOAC problem, the situation may as well be brought up to date.

The latest plan is to separate the operation of the station (though it is a small, compact and uncomplicated operation) into two divisions giving authority over the equipment and physical operation to the Oregon State college and assign the program operation to the general extension division of the System of Higher Education.

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The state owned radio station is supposed to serve the state and the System of Higher Education. Its license is held in the name of the Oregon State college. The college administration may argue that it is under obligation, as licensee of the station, to maintain a certain amount of control over the operation of the station.

That is, of course, a reasonable contention. But the state board of higher education has absolute control of the entire system—radio station and all. If it hopes to settle an argument between two administrative units by vesting half of the control in each of them it is not demonstrating its usual good judgment.

There was once a wise king who determined to settle the claims of two women to the motherhood of a babe by declaring that he would cut the child in half and give one half to each of the women. Though that brand of wisdom worked wonders in the instance above noted, it can scarcely be successfully applied to the present higher education administrative difficulty.

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But so long as we have started this discussion, let's go to the bottom of it—just what is the basis of the difficulty? Why, it is the fact that the station is licensed in the name of the college and is actually operated as a part of the entire State System of Higher Education. That is the nub of the whole matter.

The easy and common sense solution of the entire problem—a solution that is so simple that it has doubtless been completely overlooked by the complicated minds at the great colleges—the quick and proper answer is to transfer the license to the State System of Higher Education. Then the board, or the chancellor, will not have to cut the station in two to provide parts for it.

Editorials on News
(Continued from page 1.)

Greek mainland.

Keeping the back doors to the Balkans open is ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL if Hitler is to be stopped. No monkey business can be permitted there.

YOU'LL note that Britain was exceedingly mild regarding Albania, and got her dander up only when the British and French intelligence services reported that Mussolini was planning a quick stroke against Greece.

Chamberlain hasn't yet given up the idea of inducing Italy to betray the Germans a second time, but he SIMPLY CAN'T RISK anything so staggeringly important as sudden seizure of the Balkan back doors.

FOR that matter, don't dismiss the possibility that Italy MAY YET double-cross Hitler. There's no such thing as plain, simple honor among nations. Nations are bound by no such code. They do whatever promises the most in the way of return.

BETTER FISHWAY AT WINCHESTER URGED

A request to the state fish and game commissions to improve the fishways at the Winchester dam was authorized by the Douglas County Conservation council at a meeting held last night in the Roseburg chamber of commerce office. It is contended that at certain stages of the water the fish cannot pass through the ladders and the commissions are to be asked to provide more suitable fishways which will be usable at all times.

The council adopted a resolution expressing commendation to Dexter Rice, who recently resigned as a member of the state game commission. The resolution expressed regret that business affairs forced his resignation and conveyed appreciation for the services he performed during his four years on the game board.

C. A. Lockwood, field supervisor for the game commission, was present and discussed some of the present activities of that department.

Representative H. A. Canaday conducted a post mortem over the fish legislation, which failed of passage at the last session of the state legislature.

TWENTY-THIRTIANS WELCOME 'PORKY'

The Roseburg 20-30 club was honored at its weekly meeting last night by the presence of "Porky The Pig." "Porky" is an emblem which is to be kept by each member of the club until he has brought a new member into the organization. Dale Calhoun was the first to receive the emblem and the responsibility of adding a new Twenty-Thirtian to the organization.

A prize will be presented to the member who suggests the best name for "Porky." The membership drive is for the purpose of enlisting a large number of new members who will aid in the new 20-30 nation-wide project of public finger printing. This is a national enterprise by the organization and has as its aim a record of the fingerprints of every citizen for purposes of identification. The club is enlisting the cooperation of the general public. Members will be taught how to take fingerprints and make out identification cards by an expert from the F. B. I. in Portland.

Plans for the formation of a club team for the city softball league were given general discussion at the meeting.

CALIFORNIA SENATE VOTES DOG RACING

SACRAMENTO, April 12.—(AP)—Approved by the senate late yesterday by a bare majority, 21 to 17, Senator Andrew L. Pierovich's bill legalizing dog racing in California goes to the assembly today.

The measure permits a maximum racing season of 70 days, provides that tracks be under supervision of a three-man commission appointed by the governor, and that the state receive four per cent of all money wagered in the pari-mutuel pool at tracks now operating without state sanction.

A similar bill was passed by the last legislature but was vetoed by Governor Frank Merriam.

OREGON EVENTS FLASHED FROM WIRE SERVICE

PORTLAND, April 12.—(AP)—David C. Epps, Portland, announced his candidacy for delegate to the national democratic convention yesterday on a third-term-for-Roosevelt platform.

In so doing he disregarded the recent legislative act changing the Oregon primary from May to September and automatically eliminating the presidential preference vote.

PORTLAND, April 12.—(AP)—The sage hen, almost as scarce as the buffalo, may come back in Oregon.

Federal and state game men said a $5,199.81 federal appropriation under the Pittman-Robertson act would enable them to launch a restorative campaign in central and eastern Oregon this year.

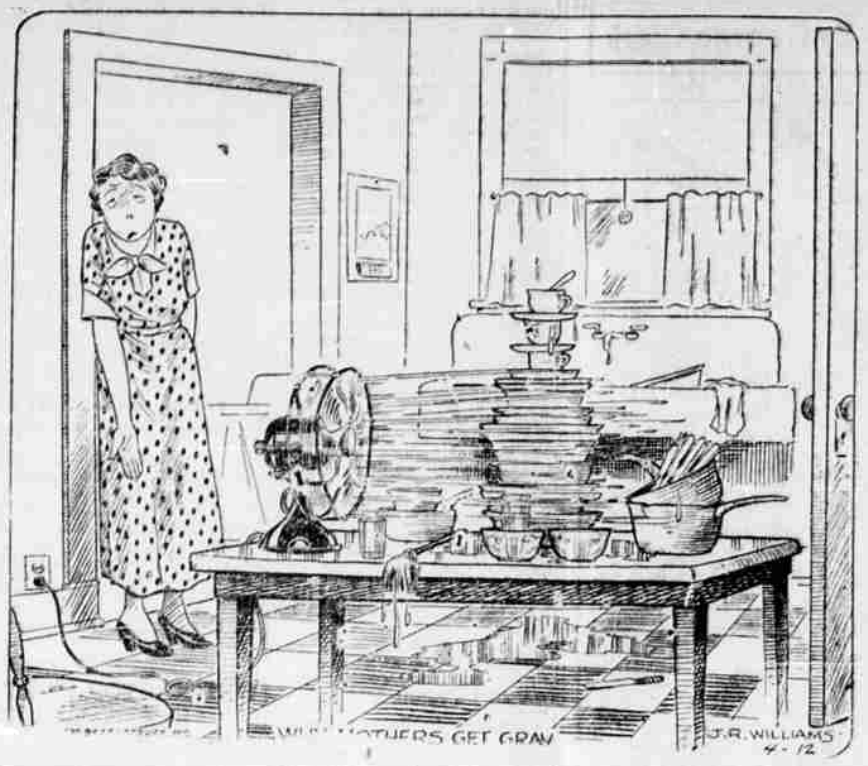
SALEM, April 12.—(AP)—Counties supporting indigent persons in poor farms and county hospitals must be reimbursed by the state public welfare commission for the state's 60 per cent share, the attorney general ruled today.

SALEM, April 12.—(AP)—A statewide hearing to establish grades and standards for cream and butter will be held in the capitol April 14, the department of agriculture said, asserting the state must bring its cream grades in line with new federal scoring of butter.

NEW LAMPSHADES

Lampshades, all kinds and sizes—for bridge, floor, table, bed, vanity or kerosene lamps. Beautiful new patterns just in—plain or fancy shapes, floral or conventional designs. You'll find what you want at Carr's.—(Adv.)

OUT OUR WAY By Williams



NASH MOTORS IN BUSINESS DRIVE

DETROIT, April 12.—With its percentage of new car sales increases approaching boom-time dimensions, Nash Motors Monday launched its second big business drive of 1939, it was announced by W. A. Blees, general sales manager, Nash Motors division, Nash-Kelvinator corporation.

A strong expression of confidence in continued improvement in Nash sales, the drive follows immediately upon the heels of one of the most successful sales campaigns in Nash history, Blees said, revealing that Nash's spectacular climb this year has moved the company up to the fourth largest in the automobile industry, ranking it next to General Motors, Chrysler, and Ford.

"Despite currently unsettled world affairs, there has been no evidence of any decline in our business this year," Blees declared. "And since Nash sales throughout the period showed exceptionally sharp increases over 1938, we are doubly optimistic over the prospects for the second quarter."

He pointed out that Nash sales gains during February and March, the period of the company's advanced spring campaign, were much higher than previously estimated. Retail sales during the first quarter were more than 61 per cent above the same period last year.

KRNR
Mutual Broadcasting System
1500 Kilocycles

REMAINING HOURS TODAY

4:00—Matinee Dance.
4:15—Let's Play Bridge, MBS.
4:30—So This Is Radio, MBS.
5:00—Old Heidelburg Concert Orchestra, MBS.
5:30—KRNR Children's Hour, Henninger's.
5:45—Dick Barrie's Orchestra.
6:00—Copco Cavalcade.
6:05—News, Calif. Utilities Co.
6:10—News-Review News Flashes.
6:15—WLW Sanfonia, MBS.
6:30—Today's Best Buys, Roseburg Motor Co.
6:45—Gen. Shafter Parker, MBS.
7:00—Mutual Maestros.
7:30—Lone Ranger, MBS.
8:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
8:15—Frank Bull, MBS.
8:30—Frankie Master's Orchestra, MBS.
8:45—Dick Jurgens' Orchestra, MBS.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS.
9:15—Freddy Martin's Orchestra, MBS.
9:30—Joe Reichman's Orchestra, MBS.
10:00—Sign Off.

THURSDAY, APRIL 13

7:00—Stuff and Nonsense.
7:30—News-Review Newscast.
7:40—State and Local News.
7:45—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—"Name This Song." Grimm's.
8:05—Sons of the Pioneers, MBS.
8:15—Haven of Rest, MBS.
8:45—Full Gospel Church of the Air, Rev. A. Harold Persing.
9:00—Gloomchasers, MBS.
9:30—Man About Town.
10:00—The Happy Gang, MBS.
10:15—Mamma Bloom's Brood, Copco.
10:30—"The Man I Wouldn't Give Up," Lowell's.
10:45—Homemaker's Forum, MBS.
11:00—Nation's School of the Air, MBS.
11:30—Eddie Albright, MBS.
11:45—Montana Meechy and Band, MBS.
12:00—Palmer House Concert Orch., MBS.
12:15—Luncheon Melodies.
12:30—Gene Beacher's Orch., MBS.
12:45—News, Safeway Stores.
12:50—News Review of the Air.
1:00—Henninger's Man on the Street.
1:15—Moods in Music, MBS.
1:30—Two Keyboards, MBS.
1:45—At Your Command.
2:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
2:30—Henry Weber's Concert Orch., MBS.
2:45—Dick Harding, Organist, MBS.
3:00—Feminine Fancies, MBS.
3:30—Sands of Time, MBS.
4:00—Matinee Symphony.
4:15—Let's Play Bridge, MBS.
4:30—So This Is Radio, MBS.
5:00—Zeke Manners.
5:15—Johnny Murray, MBS.
5:30—KRNR Children's Hour, Henninger's.
5:45—Ray Herbeck's Orch.
6:00—Copco Cavalcade.
6:05—News, Calif. Utilities Co.
6:15—Talk by Congressman Emanuel Cellar, MBS.
6:30—Dinner Dance.
6:45—Gen. Shafter Parker, MBS.
7:00—The Phantom Pilot, MBS.
7:15—Mutual Maestros.
7:30—The Green Hornet, MBS.
8:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
8:15—Don't You Believe It, Sensation Cigarettes, MBS.
8:30—Chuck Foster's Orch., MBS.
8:45—Jim Walsh's Orch., MBS.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS.
9:15—Jack Teagarden's Orch., MBS.
9:30—Bob Crosby's Orch., MBS.
9:45—Skinnay Ennis' Orch., MBS.
10:00—Sign Off.

Daily Devotions
DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS

The resurrection of Jesus from the dead, became the climaxing thought in Paul's good news. It was this mighty truth with its significant implications that aroused the Jew, and started the Greeks and stirred the Romans. It is this that still thrills the world. It is this revelation around which all others must cluster as stars around one central sun. It was a unique message. Never had the desiring world ever heard so bold a doctrine. It was a powerful message, turning the world upside down. It was a victorious message, under its spell weary weeping hearts turned to songs of triumph and joy. It was a transfiguring message, the power of sin and death was broken forever, and the Christ-man could sing, O Death, where is thy sting? O Grave where is thy victory? Amen.

CHINESE ATTACK JAPANESE OUTPOST

SHANGHAI, April 12.—(AP)—Chinese forces today attacked Kaifeng, capital of Honan province, and outpost of Japanese penetration westward along the Lunghai railway.

Chinese advices represented the Kaifeng assault as first of an offensive along a 1,200-mile line winding from Shansi province, north of the Yellow river, to the south China coast in the region of Canton.

Japanese reports of the attack said the Chinese arms consisted of trench mortars, machine-guns and rifles.

The Japanese had denied the Chinese offensive was general. The Chinese said it was designed to divert their foe from a push to occupy the Canton-Hankow railway.

Reports from Peiping said six of the seven Chinese members of the Japanese-fostered Kaifeng pacification committee were assassinated on Sunday, allegedly by agents of the central Chinese government of Chungking. The killers escaped.

CHILD LITTLE HURT IN 2-STORY FALL

Falling from the second story of the farm home of her parents, Eleanor Martha Kruse, 28-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Le-Noir Kruse, Rt. 2, Roseburg, escaped unhurt Sunday except for scratches and minor bruises.

The parents were awakened about 1 a. m. by the child's cries and found that she had fallen from the bedroom window.

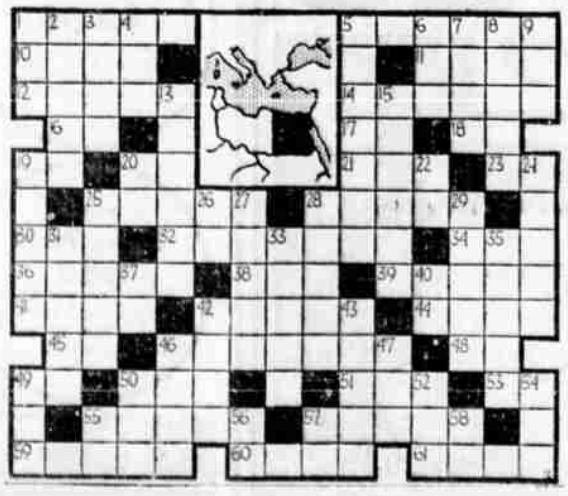
A few more of those cheap lots of lumber at Page's.—(Adv.)

MAP PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL
1 Pictured is the map of ——.
5 This kingdom is in ——.
10 Surface measure.
11 Spoken.
12 To furnish with new arms.
14 Mexican dish.
16 Measure.
17 Idant.
18 Compass point.
19 Foot (abbr.).
20 Form of "a."
21 To plant.
23 Spanish (abbr.).
25 Surfeited.
28 Sleeveless cloaks.
30 Plant disease.
32 Sustenance.
34 European coin.
36 Customary.
38 Small child.
39 Derision.
41 Species.
42 Photograph size.
44 Was indebted
45 And.
46 Marshy.
48 South Carolina (abbr.).
49 Pair.
50 Kettle.
51 Corded cloth.
53 Toward.
55 Skirmish.
57 Once more.
59 This kingdom's capital.
60 River in this land.
61 Its pyramids were ——s for kings.

VERTICAL
1 Organ of hearing.
2 Eminent.
3 12 months.
4 Issued value.
5 Workman.
6 Gypsy.
7 Persia.
8 Cole plants.
9 Beer.
13 Intellectual.
15 Espouses.
19 This land's king.
20 Lava.
22 You and I.
24 Its monetary unit.
25 Check in growth.
26 Ell.
27 Guitar stop.
28 Yielded.
29 Retards.
31 Basket twig.
33 Hand.
35 Upright.
37 Paid publicity
40 Company
42 Brains.
43 Big.
46 Horseback game.
47 Field.
49 Logger's boot
50 By.
52 Hole.
54 Eye.
55 Musical note.
56 Type measure
57 Indian mulberry
58 Nay

Answer to Previous Puzzle



SHUTDOWN THREAT HITS COAL INDUSTRY

Wage Conference Reaches Deadlock; Increase in Prices Begins.

NEW YORK, April 12.—(AP)—A complete shutdown of the nation's coal industry was threatened today, with a consequence shortage and price increase.

John L. Lewis, C.I.O. chairman and president of the United Mine Workers, made the threat yesterday when contract negotiations with Appalachian soft coal operators reached a seeming deadlock.

Under way since March 14 with little apparent progress, the negotiations nevertheless are scheduled to be resumed today.

Prices of soft coal for industrial use already has risen as a result of the shutdown in the Appalachian fields, following the expiration March 31 of the old two-year labor contract, Pittsburgh reports said.

The Appalachian region produces 79 per cent of the nation's soft coal, and its 338,000 miners are idle, some 150,000 other miners outside the Appalachian field—in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, Colorado and other states—are continuing work under special agreements.

Expressing belief that the operators were attempting to "destroy the United Mine Workers to please labor-hating interests," Lewis threatened yesterday to cancel those special agreements on 15 days' notice.

He also implied the union might force a shutdown in the anthracite industry by calling out 120,000 hard coal miners.

RAMBLINGS
by Paul Jenkins

Baseball, With the Hair On it

DISPLAYING more potentialities than polish, the Canyonville high school ball club dropped its season opener to Glendale 5-3. The contest was nip and tuck from the opening gong, with grounds for a reasonable doubt always prevalent, as to just who was doing the nipping and who was getting tuck.

Dage opened the scoring for the local larrupers with a four-ply thrust to deep center. Henry Ford also connected for the route, driving a stingeroo past third base, past left field, past Medford, past Ashland—the ball was finally stopped for boll weevil inspection by the highway patrol at the California line.

Cooper, an expatriate from Dunsmuir high (which is said to be somewhere in the wilds of northern California) looked good behind the plate and should develop into an inspired receiver. His gameness and natural ability, plus the elevating influence of certain fireside chats with Mr. Cooper, senior, on the evils of throwing to third base with two men out, should turn the trick.

The infielders showed surprising agility and should shape up into a smooth working combination as the season advances. The outfielders had a perfect day with Odom Lee Ford accepting three chances and DeVore and Garey pocketing one apiece.

LeBlanc (the boy throws like a 20-20) understudied for Garey in the last inning but saw little action. The redoubtable Dage held the Glendale hitters to infield rollers from this point and nothing dropped into the outfield except the therapeutic rays of the afternoon sun.—South Umpqua News.

BARBS

That California police was right when he refused a divorce to a woman on grounds her husband came home with lipstick on his collar. The husband must have ducked, anyway.

Students planning tours to Europe have been advised to come with enough money for a return if war starts. Hadn't will appreciate this advance preparedness.

Now swimming suits are to be designed to look like stained-glass windows. The window in the back will be open, as usual.

It's not surprising that the Netherlands is boosting its air force. That nation has to get some of its soldiers off the ground so the country won't be overcrowded.

Possible scene at outbreak of the next war: A European cabinet minister calls his aide. "Get out that treaty file," he says. "I rather think we're pledged to support both sides."

Hobbies are as important as your vocation, says an educator. Yes, if you lose your job you can always use the stamps to mail applications.

Agitation to make women remove big hats at the movies has broken out again. They might leave them on during the "B" half of the double bill, though.

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U. S. FLEET MASSES AT HAMPTON ROADS

NORFOLK, Va., April 12.—(AP)—The United States fleet churned the water of Hampton Roads today as Uncle Sam's war dogs knifed between the Virginia capes for a 15-day concentration of naval might.

The nation's "first line of defense" entering and leaving Virginia waters during the period will total 104 ships carrying more than 46,000 officers and men.

Arrival of the fleet's battle force today brought to 62 the warships already in the roads. A flotilla of destroyers and smaller craft preceded the battle force's battleships, cruisers and aircraft carriers through the capes.

EX-BANKER THRIVES ON PRISON ROUTINE

By SCOTT HERSHEY

OSSINING, N. Y., April 12.—(AP)—Apparently adjusted to a routine strange to his background, Richard Whitney, fallen financier, started today his second year in Sing Sing prison.

The one-time head of the New York stock exchange, whose brokerage house went to the wall in a spectacular collapse in March, 1938, went quietly about his duties as clerk in the coat keeper's office. Prison officials described him as healthy, cheerful and 16 pounds heavier than when he was admitted.

Whitney, convict 94835, was sentenced to from five to 10 years in prison for grand larceny after he pleaded guilty to stealing funds entrusted to him by the New York Yacht club and members of his family. His minimum term under the probation laws is three years and four months.

Fellow-prisoners who were inclined to regard him as a visiting celebrity at first now take him for granted. Guards reported his relations with other convicts were cordial and courteous and he was having "no trouble."

Whitney's job at the moment is to keep the tally count of prisoner five times a day, an important job in prison administration. The Sing Sing census today showed 2,788 prisoners, 48 short of the all-time peak reached last Nov. 21.

In an effort to keep down his weight, Whitney exercises at every available opportunity, but the substantial prison fare and regular hours of sleep have boosted his weight to about 220 pounds.

His wife has been a visitor almost every week.

B. P. O. ELKS

Regular meeting Thursday evening, April 13th. Installation of officers. Initiation. Dutch Lunch. All officers and members urged to attend. (Adv.) Ira B. Riddle, Sec'y.

KIWANIS-GLEEMEN PROGRAM ENJOYED

A large audience at the Glide school house last night enjoyed an interesting program, presented by the Roseburg Kiwanis club under joint sponsorship of the Glide grange and Parent-Teacher association.

The program, arranged by L. W. Josse, chairman of the Kiwanis committee, was given the cooperation of the Roseburg Men's Glee club, which presented a very enjoyable concert under the direction of Ralph M. Church.

The glee club's concert was preceded by several individual numbers, which included a tap dance by Dora Baker, accompanied by Helen Jane Kerr; vocal solos by Millard Magnus, accompanied by Mrs. Paul Geddes; readings by Jane Masters, and a skit, "Dog-Gone," by Edwin Knapp, Roger Bailey, Nels Peterson and Paul Geddes.

Mrs. Homer Grow, accompanist for the glee club, also entertained with a group of whistling solos.

Refreshments were served late in the evening. Proceeds from the sale of food will be used toward 4-H club scholarships.

CALL FOR COUNTY EDUCATIONAL BOARD WARRANTS

Notice is hereby given that all warrants issued by the County Educational Board and registered (not paid for want of funds) are called for payment on this the eleventh day of April, 1939. Present them at the office of the County Treasurer. Interest ceases on this date.

D. H. Lenox, Treasurer,
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Formals, Reg. $9.30	$4.50
Skirts, Reg. $2.95	$1.95

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1—Single action fly reel with click, Z737.
1—25 yard enameled "Guilford" line, Z605.
2—Three foot Leaders, Z523.
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3—Wet Flies — Black Gnat, Z351; Royal Coachman, Z356; Gray Hackle, Z354.
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1—Leatherette Fly Book, Z197.
1—Roomy Canvas Creel with Sling, Z185.
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