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WORK IN COAL MINES.

> In accordance with their policy of portion of the northeast quarter of investigating every promising method the northwest quarter of section thirty for reducing the risks of mining, the (30) in township four (6) south, of anthracite coal operators have just made a test of new life-saving uppa- ing that portion heretofore deeded to its function is to keep the man who mencing at the southwest corner of wears it supplied with pure air while the northwest quarter of the northhe fights mine fires or rescues comrades who have been overcome.

> The test took place in one of the eines near Scranton. About 30 offisials of the companies gathered to witness it. A mine gangway was alwed to fill with gas, for the pur- place of beginning. Also the water oses of the test. Two volunteers. itted out with the helmets, explored he gangway and chambers branching ut form it. Emerging from the gas. hey reported themselves none the vorse for the experience.

The chief part of the Draeger aparatus, so called after its inventor, carried upon the back; it includes ylinder tanks of oxygen, and potast artridges for absorbing carbonic acid as exhaled from the lungs. The oxyen, contained in the cylinder, at an nitial pressure of 2000 pounds, isues to the helmet at the proper rate or consumption by the lungs. The thaled air at the onme time te puri. ed by passing through the potash helped me immediately, and after takartridges, and is used over again ir onjunction with the fresh oxygen om the tanks. The apparatus will apply air to the wearer for two hours ithout replenishing.

Recent disasters in bituminous ines in this country and abroad ave aroused widespread interest in e subject of mine acidents. The nited States government, even, has inducted inquiries into the causes of cidents, with a view to finding eans to prevent them. In the anracite mines of Pennsylvania meases for the protection of the miners Smith Rooming house, La Grande, ave been so perfected that fatalities Ore. 'Phone Bad 141. e practically limited to such as are ought about by carelessness or deperate negligence.

This device now being investigated designed for use in either smoke in the deadly gas which occasionly fills sections of mines. The venating systems installed by the an racite companies are so completat the gas is rarely allowed to form dangerous volume, but the com nies, nevertheless, provide the mosodern equipment for rescue work ficials are on constant watch fo ventions which may reduce the dan rs of the miner's occupation. Though they prepare thus for fire-

shting and rescues, the companie: ek to put most emphasis upon th evention of conditions which leafires and explosions. To this end ey have a thorough system of in ection as well as thorough ventile n. The state of Pennsylvania hainspectors on duty in the anthra e region, and they co-operate with company officials in preventin cidents. Taking in the whole state ere are more mine inspectors on du in Pennsylvania than in all c. reat Britain and Ireland.

One of the greater obstacles in th y of reducing the number of min cidents is the supplanting of the

anglo-Saxon miners by a miscellane

us foreign celment. These foreign

estate in fee simple) in and to the following premises, to-wit: All that range forty (40) east, W. M., except-It is a German invention, and Minnie Ostrander, bounded as comwest quarter of section 30 township 4 S. R. 40, E. W. M., as aloresaid, and running thence east 54 rods and 6 links, thence north 59 rods and 3 links. thence west 54 rods and 6 links, and thence south 59 rods and 3 links to rights and ditches conveyed to this grantor and belonging to said land herein conveyed.

> Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 13th day of March, A. D. 1968. S. L. GIVEN. Guardian.

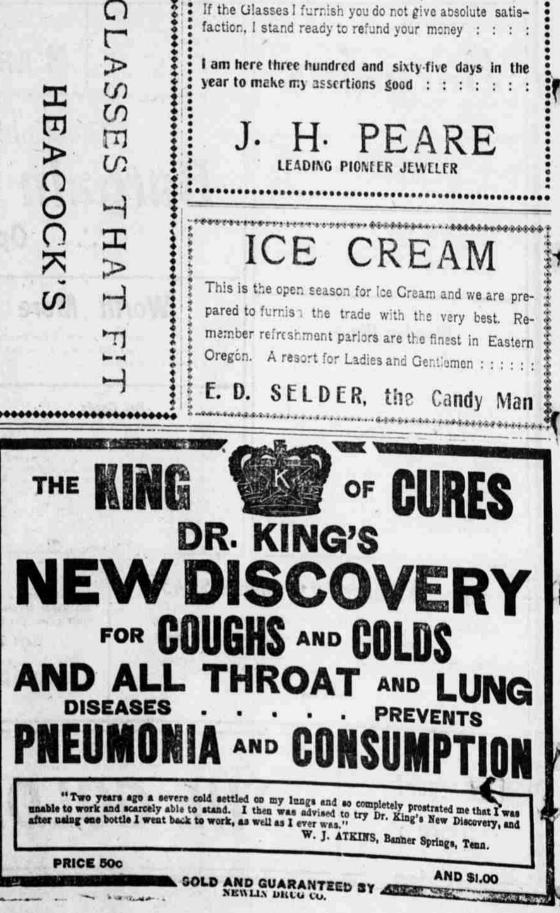
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urs, speaking a dozen or more differat languages, are below the British nd Germansein education and gener-I deficiency, and they are careless of tw. It has been found possible, too, ometimes, to buy miners' certifiates, and thus avoid the effect of he law which requires experience beore the state will grant a certificate. n this way incompetent men often zet into the mines, and the operators tre powerless to prevent it. Instructions are printed in every anguage spoken in the mines, and are posted prominently where all the mineworkers may see them. In many instances, however, the state inspectors have learned that the men pay too little attention to the notices,

GUARDIAN SALE.

In the matter of the guardianship of the estate and person of Maggie Given, true name Margaret Given, an insane person.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of Maggie Given, true name Margaret Given, an insane person, by virtue of an order of the Honorable County Court of Union county, Oregon, made and entered on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1908, at a regular term thereof, will on and after the 13th day of April, A. D. 1908, offer for sale, and will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the court for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Maggie Given, true name