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Xmas Presents.

The Rainbow Confectionery has a complete line of boxed candies and other Christmas presents.

12-22-24

The Lotus Taxi. Prompt service. Clean Cars. Phone 243-J.

12-24-24

Gold Fish.

A new lot of imported Japanese Fan Tail Goldfish just received at the Richardson Art and Gift Shop. Come in and see them.

12-17-24

Stockholders Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that 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 13th, 1925, at 10 o'clock a. m. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected to serve for the year 1925 and such other business will be transacted as may properly offer.

H. E. COULIDGE,

12-11-24 Cashier

Berried Holly Wreaths for Christmas

We are now taking orders for wreaths and decorations. Let us have your order early as there is never enough to go around. Call 172 Florida.

12-14-24

How is Your Wood Pile?

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10-17-24

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12-12-24

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12-10-24

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The finest assortment of white ivory in separate pieces that will probably be offered you at Christmas time is now on sale at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.

12-10-24

Annual Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the United States National Bank of La Grande, Oregon, will be held in their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 13th, 1925, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that might come before the meeting.

T. J. BROWNING,

12-11-24 Cashier

Portuguese in bulk and in fancy bottles; also all kinds of the highest class of bottled water, which make pretty Christmas refreshments at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.

12-10-24

GREAT PICTURE
IS IMPRESSING

"Ten Commandments" is surely an imposing spectacle. Not only that, but heart throbbing, true to life, and unforgettable. It is easily one of the finest films ever shown in La Grande. Not only in the opinion of the writer but others who witnessed the 7th Mile production shown for the first time yesterday at the Arcade theater.

Many "super" productions "fall flat" their very stupendousness sometimes being in the form of a sacrifice to the plot and interest of the drama attempted.

But such was not the case with the "Ten Commandments." The theme of the masterpiece was vibrant with action throughout, during the Biblical portion and the modern portion and when one stops to consider that 5000 people, and more than 2000 animals participated, this seems all the more wonderful.

The film is attracting city wide interest. Both at the matinee and the evening showings Monday a large crowd was present and today, the closing one of its La Grande schedule, is expected to see even greater audiences. At least one Bible class will attend the matinee today.

One of the most imposing scenes in the entire picture is the deliverance of the Israelites from Egypt and their subsequent passage through the Red Sea, led by Moses. The scene is a triumph in trick photography and is alone, nearly worth the price of admission.

The orchestra carried with the picture has no small part in its success. In addition to the orchestra, two operators, two stage hands and the manager accompany the picture. Two projecting machines and other apparatus are also carried. Thus it is easily seen that the expenses of the picture mount to a high figure.

Astrologer.

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XMAS CHEER
PREVAILED
AT LUNCHEON

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sey, of the Episcopal church. Reverend Pollard, of the Baptist church, delivered the main address of the meeting, dwelling upon God's humanity to mankind as evidenced through the Christ. His talk, brief but effective, presented clearly the subject and impressed upon all that "going about doing good" is one of the biggest things humanity can turn its attention to.

A miniature Ford sedan, donated by the Perkins Motor company, was presented to Lester Stoddard toward the close of the program.

It was announced that the next luncheon will be devoted to irrigation problems.

Music Beautiful.

The ladies' quartet sang two numbers and shortly afterward two more numbers were sung by a mixed chorus.

The ladies participating in the quartet were Madeline T. H. Maxwell, Lee Roney, Earl Stoddard, Lester Stoddard, A. W. Nelson and K. L. Holmes with Mrs. J. Donald Meyer at the piano.

The quartet was joined by the following men, thus forming the mixed chorus: David Stoddard, Lester Stoddard, Elmer Stoddard, A. W. Nelson, August Stange, Elwood Williams, Sherwood Williams, Dr. Ray Murphy and Ernest Watkins. The Ladies Quartet sang "Holy, Art Thou from Xmas" (Harold) and "The Heaven's are Telling" (Hagdon). The mixed chorus sang "Come and Worship" and "Christmas Carols."

Modern System of Lighting

Invades Famous French Library

PARIS (AP)—The National Library has capitulated to the demands of its frequenters and put in a system of electric lighting. No longer will it be necessary to close the reading rooms in winter at 2 o'clock, when the light of day begins to fade, or to carry one's book

Wins Operatic Distinction



Madeline T. H. Maxwell, American opera singer, has been accorded membership in the Royal Academy Philharmonic at Rome—the highest honor musically in all Europe. She is the only one whose membership has been won through vocal rather than instrumental ability.

close to the dim light that filtered through the opaque windows of the old building.

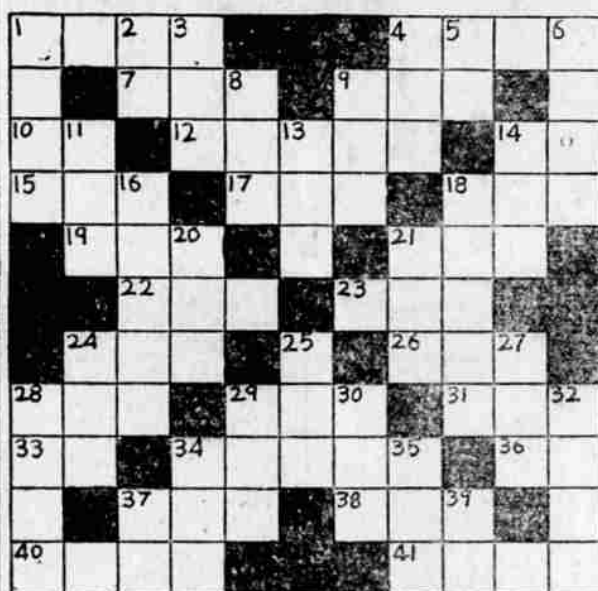
The fear of fire from the electric wiring finally was overcome, and henceforth 25 candle power in frosted globes will light the pages of rare old books and manuscripts.

Sweden Takes American

Method of Traffic Control

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Americans visiting Stockholm will be reminded of their own Fifth avenue as soon as this city can carry out the plans for modernized traffic control.

Observer Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

1. An absolute monarch.
2. Sherry.
3. A habitual drunkard.
4. Transit.
5. Personal pronoun.
6. Vehicle.
7. Toward.
8. Bring forth young.
9. Short fibres on surface of rug.
10. Liquor.
11. Strike lightly.
12. Old horse.
13. One-half cent in Japanese money.
14. Curried.
15. To convert into leather.
16. Wood boring tool.
17. Lank snake-like fish.
18. Title of knighthood.
19. To anoint.
20. Indefinite article.
21. Titles.
22. Father.
23. Bread softened in a liquid.
24. Female parent.
25. Scandinavian god of thunder.
26. To challenge.

VERTICAL

1. Conquer.
2. Roman weight of one pound.
3. Dispute.
4. A machine separating cotton fibres and seed.
5. Indefinite article.
6. Smallest particle of an element existing alone.
7. A color.
8. An artificial alarm.
9. Devotion.
10. Matter in the scientific state.
11. Drug with great effect.
12. Pronounced through the nose.
13. Hydrations.
14. Sty.
15. To catch.
16. N.
17. Viper.
18. Tort.
19. Orient.
20. Underneath.
21. A primary color.
22. Crippled.
23. Conjunction.
24. Gloomy.
25. In the same degree.
26. Mother.

P. S.—The instigator of this crime went abroad for some of his words, but found them already adopted in this country.

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Duped



This Ferdinand Volpe, slave of his own passions, has been shown the same old duped of the crossword puzzle in the present. Duped by the government in the first instance, he was duped again by the government in the second instance.

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