

HILLS DEPARTMENT STORE'S

Crossword Puzzle Contest!

Open to everybody! If you never worked one start now and win a prize --It's fun!

The Original Hill's Dept. Store Crossword Puzzle

Here we print a specially created CROSSWORD PUZZLE that tells you some things that we want you to know about this store's relation to you.

You will find it one of the most interesting puzzles that you ever worked out. It contains 163 different words and designations that will test your ability; though nothing has been done intentionally to make the puzzle hard. Just TWO very unusual words have been used, by the necessity of the formations, and BOTH OF THESE WORDS ARE IN THE LARGE DICTIONARY and the other cross words will work them out for you, just as they forced themselves upon us.

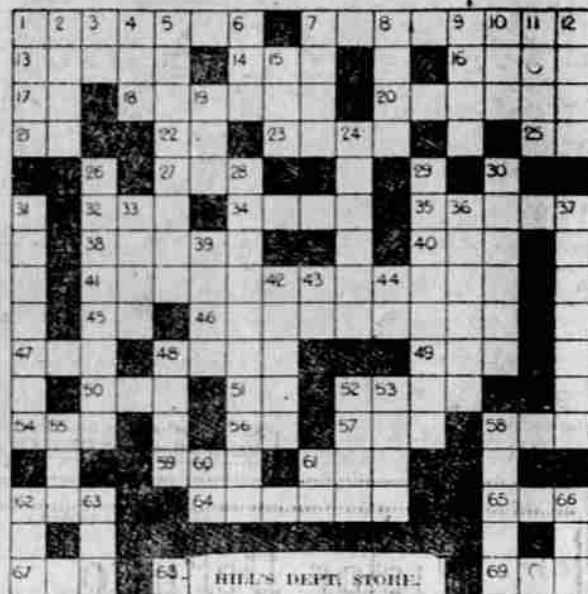
We believe that you will find this puzzle fascinating in itself; but we are going to add still greater interest to it by awarding a SERIES OF PRIZES to those who solve it accurately and solve it FIRST.

We are going to give you FIVE DAYS TO WORK THE PUZZLE; though those who work on the puzzle may give you many less, by sending in their answers before yours arrives. The contest closes at 12 o'clock noon, Friday, January 16th.

In case the correct solution of the Puzzle may be sent in by more than one person, the First Prize shall be awarded to the person whose answer shall be most clearly and neatly written, according to the decision of the judges of the contest.

The correct answer to this puzzle is known only to the management of Hill's Department Store, and no member of our organization is allowed to take part in this contest.

SEND YOUR ANSWER AS PROMPTLY AS YOU CAN— or BRING IT, to have a better chance of being FIRST, to "CROSSWORD PUZZLE MANAGER," HILL'S DEPT STORE, by noon on Friday. Each one will be stamped with the date and hour received.



Here are the definitions for the words in the puzzle:

- ACROSS: 1. Giving assistance. 2. Kindly politeness. 12. Willow used in wickerwork. 14. Man's name, meaning watchful. 16. A bone of the forearm. 17. Most loved woman. 18. A great discoverer. 19. A mischievous spirit. 21. Prefix meaning good. 22. True. 23. A narrow band. 24. A cotton fabric (abbr.). 25. Pronoun. 26. Female animal. 27. Wrong. 28. Town on Nile in Nubia. 29. Name of Ayto River (abbr.). 30. Any lawn tennis competition (abbr.). 31. Fully gratified. 32. Suggesting an alternative. 34. Return of the price paid. 41. Man's name (Scottish). 43. Man's name (Celtic abbr. of first name of H. Lytton-stone of novel). 45. Boston Knitting Society (abbr.). 50. Sometimes past. 51. In similar manner. 52. Associate. 54. A slippery thing. 56. To exist. 57. To put to a purpose. 58. Timid. 59. A sort of pickle. 61. Part of the body. 62. Container. 64. A small sharp pointed instrument. 66. The outside. 67. To attempt. 68. The best thing we have. 69. The way to secure things. DOWNS: 1. The best place in the world. 2. Ancient man defrauded by brother. 3. Island near New York (abbr.). 4. Small enclosure. 5. Most recently secured. 6. Given fire. 7. A city where wine was made. 8. To insist. 9. Hollow cylinder for conveying fluids. 10. Many times an inch. 11. To clip. 12. Nihilism; (abbr.) from "N. S. A." 13. To insist. 14. A place of arms. 15. In general. 16. To be dependent upon. 17. To insist. 18. Something said. 19. Things worn. 20. Supplies of goods. 21. Thrift. 22. A particular period. 23. To breathe heavily (Old Anglo Saxon). 24. Symbol denoting third class wooden ship. 25. Inhabitants of famous Rugby school. 26. Something desirable. 27. Rattling stitch. 28. Mechanical engineers' association (abbr.). 29. A period of time. 30. A laugh. 31. Surrounded. 32. Used after the year (abbr.). 33. To make a memorandum. 34. A suitcase. 35. Part of the year.

FIRST PRIZE: \$50.00 in Merchandise of winner's own selection in our store.

To go to the person who gets the CORRECT ANSWER into our hands FIRST; but not later than next Friday, January 16th.

NOTE: If answer is mailed, we note the time it is received in our office. Thus there will be an advantage in sending it by messenger, or bringing it in person.

2ND PRIZE: \$25.00 in Merchandise selected in our store—

To go to the person who gets into our hands the second correct answer to the puzzle. Or, if there should not be any fully correct answer, it shall go to the person who sends in the most nearly complete answer—in that case becoming the First Prize to be given.

3RD, 4TH, 5TH, 6TH, AND 7TH PRIZES: If more than two correct answers shall be received, the NEXT FIVE shall win FIVE DOLLARS each, in Merchandise. If no fully correct answer shall be received, and the Second Prize shall go to the one who sends in the most nearly correct answer, these FIVE PRIZES shall be awarded to the five who get the next nearest correct answers. So SIX PRIZES shall be awarded in any event.

SPECIAL CONSOLATION: Not as a part of the Crossword Puzzle Contest, but as a special reward for efforts made by many people who shall not win in the Contest, we announce that we will voluntarily give special discounts on goods purchased during the week after the Contest closes. As follows:

- 10% on all goods purchased during that week by those who send in fully correct answers to the puzzle and do not win any prize.
5% discount for those who have gotten 80 words correctly. (There are 163 words in the puzzle).
2% discount for those who have gotten 50 words right.

Union Beaten By Baker Five TURF MEN GET RICH PRIZES Visiting Racing Class Presented \$1,500,000 in Purses and Stakes Last Season.

BOXING FIRPO READY TO BATTLE GIBBONS LONDON, (AP)—Luis Angel Firpo, Argentine "Wild Bull of the Pampas" called unaccompanied at the National Sporting club here Thursday and confirmed his acceptance of the club's offer for him to meet Tommy Gibbons, the American light heavyweight, in London, March 26, for a purse of 20,000 pounds sterling, with the winner taking 50 percent and the club's heavyweight belt.

Meanwhile the projected ring battle between Firpo and Gibbons appears to be depending on various circumstances. Arthur H. Robinson, manager of the Sporting club, is seeking to get in touch with Gibbons to see if he is favorable to meeting the Argentine favorite. Firpo expects to sign his contract with the club Friday. Luis told the Associated Press Thursday he was in good condition now and would not have much trouble in getting into the "ring."

GREB BEATS SAGE. DETROIT, Mich.—Harry Greb of Pittsburg, middleweight champion, outpointed Bob Sage of Detroit in a 10-round bout here Friday night. The decision was given by the referee at the end of the fight, both men being on their feet when the bell rang.

MATHEWS SIGNED UP BY IDAHO U FOR '25 SEASON MOSCOW, (Special)—Robert Lee Mathews, Vandal grid mentor for three years, will continue as athletic director at the University of Idaho, it was announced Friday afternoon, following a completion of arrangements Thursday afternoon.

Martin May Be Suspended. NEW YORK, (AP)—Eddie (Cannibal) Martin, recently crowned world's bantamweight champion, faces possible suspension by the New York state athletic commission as a result of his unsatisfactory match with Augie Pizzano in Brooklyn Wednesday.

SWIM RECORDS BROKEN. CHICAGO, Ill. (AP)—Johnny Weissmuller, holder of many national swimming titles Thursday night broke two of his own records in an exhibition match against time at the Illinois Athletic club. He swam the 50-yard free style event in 22 1/2 seconds, compared with his old mark of 23 1/2 seconds. He made the 100-meter free style event in 58 1/2 seconds, compared to his old record of 60 1/2 seconds.

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TIGERS DROP GAME 22-18; L. H. S. GIRLS WIN BASKETBALL

Tiger Quint Outclassed; Game Speedy (By SCOOP) A veteran Wallowa basketball team, playing in mid-season form, proved too much for the Tiger team last night and when the smoke of the battle rolled from the gym the blackboard read: Wallowa 22, La Grande 18. In the girls' game, the score was different: La Grande 20, Wallowa 11.

But speed and fight were present and a fair knowledge of the rudiments of the game, which, with more playing, will undoubtedly add strength to the quint in each success week under fire.

The local girls "found themselves" and from then on, consistently outplayed Wallowa. At half time the score stood, La Grande 1, Wallowa 7. The final score was 20 to 11.

Sport Gossip (By the Associated Press) Paavo Nurmi increased to 12 total world records in his credit when he outfooted Jole Ray and Willie Hittala at the Finnish-American games. He holds more world's marks for internationally recognized distances than any other competitor. His outdoor records are for 1500, 2000, 3000, 5000, and 10,000 meters, and one, three, four, five and six miles. His new indoor marks, the first he has ever hung up, are for 1500 and 5000 meters and one mile. Nurmi's only rival in this respect, record books show, is G. E. Larner, famous British walker, who established 16 world's records from 1904 to 1908 that still are standards.

Willie Plant, who won the two-walls at the Finnish-American games will compete as well as the Austrian of Olympic fame, Mike Pejete. Prigorio is the world champion, and Plant the best in America.

HIGH SCHOOL. Adams 23, Milton-Freewater 14. Bebe 23, Emmett 24. La Grande 19, Wallowa 22. Baker 17, Union 5. La Grande 24, Wallowa 11 (girls). Union 27, Baker 7, (girls).

Despite the defeat last night, the Tiger quint, composed of green material, with the lone exception of Hummel, captain and center, showed promise. The writer believes that the local five will hit a stride before the district tourney arrives that will make it a serious contender for the championship honors. Until that time, however, La Grande is going to lose a lot of games.

Rally Falls Short. Fighting against odds, the Tigers swung into the last canto with a rally that nearly tied up the score—but not quite. Wallowa added two more baskets that put the game away.

The lineup for the girls' team last evening was Goldie Owen and Ann Stanger, centers; Lena Campbell and Mildred Courtney, forwards; and Marjorie Reynolds and Thelma Brown, guards. There were no substitutions during the game. The girls will play Wallowa next Thursday evening at Wallowa.

Wallowa played Moses Hoop and Cranes, forwards; Martin and Hunter, centers; and Chapman and Johnson, guards. Jameson of Baker, returned both games.

ED (STRANGLER) LEWIS REPORTED IMPROVING KANSAS CITY, (AP)—Ed (Strangler) Lewis, fallen champion heavyweight wrestler, was reported Friday night to be resting comfortably at the hospital where he was taken following his defeat Thursday night by Wayne "Big Mutt" Mutt.

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Practice, competition and more practice, should iron out a multitude of faults during the next month or six weeks. Last night, meeting their first hard test, Tigers put up a determined fight, a fight that was at times even liked with brilliance but they could not make the occasional pace consistent. Basket shooting was inaccurate, teamwork at times

On the La Grande team no one person ranked above the rest. Hummel and Lyman contributed most of the markers. Girls Play Fast. The girls' game, preceding the final contest, started off with a Wallowa drive that found the local sextette on the small end of the score at the end of the first quarter, 3 to 1. At that point

NEW YORK, (AP)—Jimmy De Forest, veteran trainer of boxers, Thursday night was barred from seconding or landing any competitor at the ring-side and from taking any part whatever in boxing sanctioned by the Amateur Athletic union.

The three-mile walk will be one of the features of the Milrose A. A. track and field meet at Madison Square Garden on January 23 with Ugo Frigerio, Italian, and George Gooding of Canada, prepared for a strenuous evening.

Lewis suffered a sprain of the scapular joint and bruise when he slipped from Mutt's arms or was thrown outside the ring. The physician, who had said early Friday night that it might be necessary to amputate Lewis's right arm, declared Friday night that this would not be necessary.

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