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Westenhaver & Gilbert

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Tracy announce the birth of a daughter on April 26.

Mrs. I. E. Weis spent last week end in La Grande as a guest of Mrs. D. H. Proctor.

County school superintendent and Mrs. A. E. Hayes and daughter, Ethel, attended the Senior class play at Elgin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hollbrook spent a week end recently with Mr. Hollbrook's relatives in Baker. They took with them on the trip their small nephews, Bernard and J. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne and children spent Sunday with friends at Elgin from their home near Astoria.

Election Held

The special election last Saturday to decide on a new water system resulted in a very great voting in favor of bonds for a new system.

William Moore, manager of the new plant to be erected in Elgin, has moved into the house belonging to the Leighton estate.

Little "Buddy" Klinghammer, of La Grande, is spending the week with his grandmother, Mrs. John Klinghammer, near Elgin.

Mrs. Nell Quinn, of La Grande, came down Monday and is spending the week with friends at Elgin.

The Cricket Club society held a regular meeting at the Chapel last Friday. A large number of members were present.

Mrs. C. H. Bidwell was among those who attended the Epworth league sessions Sunday. Several other visitors were present from Island City.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Amy Cook at their home on Indian Creek Sunday, April 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Park, of Summerville, accompanied by Mrs. Wayne Park, were in Elgin on business last Friday afternoon.

The local Odd Fellows entertained the Summerville lodge at an annual gathering Friday evening. Elgin members served refreshments at the close of a pleasant evening.

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Shot Wounded Man Out Of Pity; Is Acquitted

POSEN, CAP—Heinz Muehlnickel, a German aviator, recently was acquitted in criminal court of a charge of murder which grew out of the fact that he killed a wounded Russian out of pity. After the World War Muehlnickel enlisted in the Polish army, and during the Polish-Russian conflict of 1920 a defective motor compelled him to land midway between the opposing lines.

Muehlnickel came upon a mortally wounded Russian, one of whose legs had been torn away. There was another ghastly wound in his side. The man, an agent of the Communists stationed with the Red Army, implored the aviator to shoot him and put him out of his misery.

At first Muehlnickel refused, but finally unable to bear the sight of the suffering man and fearful that his yell would reveal his own whereabouts to the enemy, he shot him. The next day he buried the man and reported the occurrence to his superior officers.

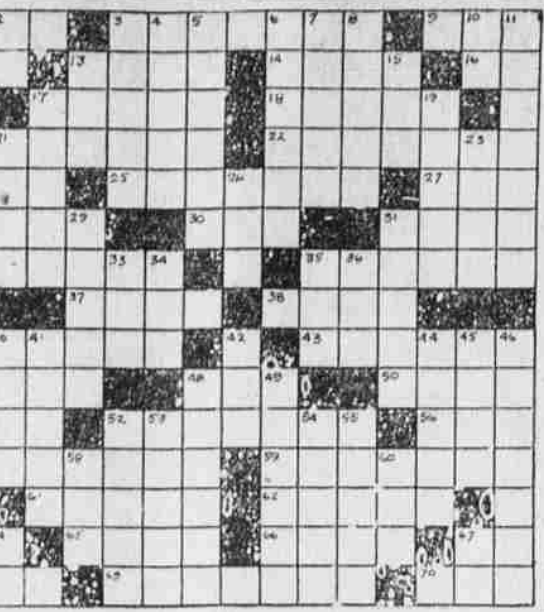
QUICKSILVER MINE OPENS

GOLD HILL, Ore. — That the quicksilver mines in the Gold Hill district, which have been closed down since the closing of the late war, will resume is evidenced by the activity in restoring the old-time producers in the district with a view of a permanent resumption. The price of quicksilver has soared from below actual production cost prices to \$85 a flash of 75 pounds.

The latest property to be reopened, and which has been closed since 1914 due to litigation, is the Mountain King quicksilver mine in the Gold Hill district by John Harzberg of Washington, D. C. This property is owned by J. H. Hayer of Detroit, Mich., located in a dense forest tract of saw timber at an elevation of 2500 feet, and consists of 800 acres of patented land.

"Not fire, but the owner of the mine that lights it, is the public's enemy," said E. T. Allen, forest economist, in a recent Chicago address on forest fire, "... his hand has been set against society as surely as that of the perpetrator, the killer, the thief, the man who preads thoughtlessness, instead of depravity, but this does not compensate his victims."

Observer Crossword Puzzle



- Small words, most of them, but you may need all of today's half holiday to solve this puzzle. A few new stickers are introduced.
- HORIZONTAL**
- To weep.
 - To paint with a nearly colorless glossy liquid.
 - Iron.
 - Masculine pronoun.
 - Wan.
 - A heavenly body.
 - Preposition of place.
 - A winning of all tricks in play.
 - Unaccented part of a measure.
 - A small line (math).
 - Silver white alloy of tin and other metals used for tableware.
 - Female sheep.
 - Degree of compactness.
 - Portion of a circle.
 - Tail grass.
 - Nine plus one.
 - A journey (South Africa).
 - Slave of hail.
 - Departure.
 - To merit.
 - Loyal.
 - Plea, turp, etc.
 - Strip leading shield on arm.
 - Human upper lip.
 - For neckpiece.
 - Knits.
 - Sheltered side.
 - To burn and smoke without flame.
 - Natural passage between hand and back.
 - Jaunt.
 - Opalescent.
 - Game played with cards having 15 numbers per card.
 - Lassoid.
 - Half an em.
 - Hut.
 - To prepare for publication.
 - Part of verb to be.
 - House pet.
- VERTICAL**
- Frightful creature of the imagination.
 - Second note in scale.
 - Insolent.
 - Solely.
 - That which is retained in mind.
 - Source of artificial light.
 - To screech.
 - Speedy.
 - Sun god.
 - Assault.
 - Friend.
 - Long, narrow hill.
 - Confession.
 - Trap.
 - Inspired with fear.
 - Angry.
 - To begin.
 - Special kinds of food prescribed for medicinal purposes.
 - To care for medically.
 - Auto.
 - To attempt.
 - Before.
 - Weapon.
 - Paralyzed.
 - Surface measure of a plane.
 - Order.
 - Swan.
 - Inflexible.
 - Average.
 - Things highly of.
 - Breads.
 - Worshipped.
 - Oriental ruler.
 - Rhythm.
 - The after-song.
 - Quick, fast.
 - Opposite of high.
 - To vent.
 - Negative.
 - Three-toed sloth.

7 p. m., First Methodist Episcopal church.

KNN, Hollywood, Calif. (426.9), 7-8 p. m., program, First Presbyterian church of Hollywood; 8-9, Ambassador Hotel concert orchestra; Josef Rosenfeld, Colorado School of Mines band; 8, studio program, Florence, Colo.; mixed chorus; Mrs. T. M. Howells, director; Colorado State Teachers' college; 10-11, Harmony Peoria orchestra.

KFAE, Pullman, Wash. (348.0), 7:20-9 p. m., students of Mrs. LaVerne Kinsburgh, Dean Herbert Kinsburgh; Harvey Wilson, tenor; Dorothy Hutchinson, soprano; Lillian Pettibone, pianist; Paul Christen, baritone; Ruth Williams, soprano; Vivian Baker, pianist; Vay Korns, conductor; Fautins Williams, pianist; "Weeks," Prof. E. G. Schafer; "Designing the Interior of Your New Home," Prof. Fred G. Rounds; "What Is Worth Seeing in Florence," Prof. Carl M. Brewster; "Forestry," Prof. E. H. Steffen; "Making and Keeping a Good Lawn," M. D. Armstrong.

KFT, Los Angeles, Calif. (465.5), 5:20-6 p. m., Examiner's musical half hour; 6:15-6:30, McDaniel's nightly doling; 6:45-7, musical appreciation talk; 7-7:30, Evening Herald Radiohaus dance orchestra; 7:30-8, Sunshine Girls instrumental trio; 8-9, program, Walter M. Murphy-Motors company; 10-11, Examiner; Ray West and his Alexandria hotel dance orchestra.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (454.2), 4:30-5 p. m., Times program; 6:45-8:15, Sherman, Clay & company program; 8:20-10, Times program.

KFWB, Hollywood, Calif. (252), 6:20-8 p. m., program, John A. Evans corporation, Hacienda Park orchestra; Gamut male quartet; 8-9, program, Check-Nut Coffee company, Maxwell House coffee quartet; Miller's International trio; Marguerite Le Grand, concert pianist; 9-10, H. Stanton and his Hollywood Revue orchestra; 10-11, Warner Brothers' hour of fun under direction of Harry Seymour; 11-1 p. m., Brambatter's Hollywood Montmartre early dance orchestra, Mel Delsky, leader.

KGO, Oakland, Calif. (261.2), 4:20-5 p. m., Henry Halstead's dance orchestra; 8, Arion trio; "Present Status of Fruit Beverage Industry," J. H. Irish; "The Influence of Music Mentally," Virginia White Leachman; "Non-Metallic Industrial Minerals of Western States," C. M. Redden; "Chats About New Books," Joseph Henry Jackson; 10-1 p. m., Henry Halstead's orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491.5), 12:20 p. m., Ross City trio; 5 children's program; 6, William Robinson Bonn; organist.

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INSTITUTE AT ELGIN CLOSES

ELGIN (Special)—The Epworth League institute which has been in session at Elgin Methodist Episcopal church closed Sunday with splendid services morning, afternoon and evening. The closing of the institute, under the direction of Reverend Earl K. Watts, of Island City, Reverend Carson, of Joseph and District Superintendent Hamilton, were well attended. The members of the church served a buffet each evening preceding the classes.

Mrs. A. R. Hill and daughter, Wilma, spent the Friday in La Grande on business.

The Misses Edith Barlow and Marie Paxton were in La Grande Friday shopping.

Mrs. Margaret Harvey has gone to the Mount Pleasant neighborhood to spend some time with relatives.

Miss Margaret Morgan and Hadron L. Johnson of the high school faculty spent Saturday in La Grande.

Telephone Experts Guard Against Leaks

CHICAGO, CAP—New problems added to the task which have confronted engineers in designing the modern telephone have sprung to the fore since the advent of radio. The list of these problems is the maintaining of the factor that has made the telephone the great instrument in communication. And this task has been brought sharply to the attention of the engineer by radio.

With the improvement in the radio-circuit field, many stations are using telephone lines to bring to the transmitter events that take place outside the station studio. Such use of the telephone lines recently led to the playing on the air a brief part of a telephone conversation between a man and woman, and made possible for the two telephone users to hear a portion of the radio program, which consisted of a play broadcast by a

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PUZZLE ANSWER

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Radio

SUNDAY, MAY 3

Mountain Standard Time Stations

KOA, Denver, Colo. (222.4), 11 a. m., First Baptist church, Dr. H. C. Morse, pastor; Willard B. Wagner, organist; 4 p. m., Civic Symphony orchestra; 7:45, First Baptist church, Dr. H. C. Morse; Willard B. Wagner, organist.

Pacific Standard Time Stations

KFT, Los Angeles, Calif. (465.5), 6:45-7 p. m., musical appreciation; 7-7:30, from stage and studio of the Metropolitan theatre; 8-9, classic vocal hour; 9-10, Examiner; Anto Lada's Lombard Five dance orchestra; 10-11, Pachard dance orchestra, Bill Hennony, leader.

KFWB, Hollywood, Calif. (252), 8-11 p. m., Warner Brothers' movie night with stars of stage and screen.

KGO, Oakland, Calif. (261.2), 11 a. m., First Presbyterian church; 2:30 p. m., KGO 1500-Symphony orchestra; 7:20, First Presbyterian church.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491.5), 10:30 a. m., First Presbyterian church; 8, church services, Portland Council of Churches; 7, Colburn concert orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Calif. (490.2), 6:20-7 p. m., Art Hickman's Bolmore Hotel concert orchestra, Edward Fitzpatrick, director; 7-7:15, organ recital, Arthur Blakely, organist; 7:30-8:15, program, International Bible Students association; 9-10, program, Silverwood, arranged by J. Howard Johnson.

KHL, Seattle, Wash. (284.4), 11 a. m., First Methodist Episcopal church; J. Ralph Maceo, pastor.

Notice.

The ladies of St. Peter's Episcopal Guild will hold a cooked food and Ma Ferguson Bazaar sale at Patton's Grocery, Saturday, May 2nd, beginning at 10 a. m. 5-2-11

Notice To Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Union County, executor of the estate of William R. Jones, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, verified as required by law, to the undersigned at the office of her attorneys, Green & Hess, at La Grande, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 18th day of April, 1925.

IRLEA A. JONES, EXECUTRIX.

Green & Hess, attorneys for Executor.

Apr. 18-25-May 2-9-19

Killer of Eight



Mrs. Emmanuel Sorenson, 28, of Danenberg, Neb., has confessed to the poisoning of eight persons, including two of her own children and her first husband.

Notice To Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of John W. Redhead, deceased.

The undersigned, having been duly appointed by the County Court of Union County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of John W. Redhead, deceased, and having qualified, notice is hereby given to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased to present them verified as required by law within six months after the publication of this notice to E. H. Hingo, attorney for said administrator, at his office in the West-Jacobson Building, La Grande, Oregon.

Dated April 4th, 1925.

Administrator of the estate of John W. Redhead.

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—In—

"THAT DEVIL QUEMADO"

Canals of Yzer Yield German Shot and Shell

YIPER, Belgium (AP)—Restoration of the Yzer region, which was flooded and devastated by shot and shell during the war, has taken steps to accomplish, and it is only quite recently that all the locks and dykes of the Yzer have been put into working order again.

The present task is the thorough dredging of these watercourses, which is proving exceptionally dangerous. So long did this part of the country by under intensive bombardment that the dredging machine at every turn bring up quantities of unexploded shells, grenades, mines and other war material, but so far no accidents have been reported. The work will occupy the whole summer and autumn.

COLD WAVE HITS ENGLAND

LONDON, Eng. (AP)—Now that spring is here, so are the curlicues of the English climate. Thursday morning there was warm sunshine in Yorkshire. Then winter came and a six-hour snow storm raged over the Moors, making travel along the roads impossible. The northern professional golf tournament at Reigley was postponed. The center of the Cyclone's main rain belt was shifted and sheep farmers were busy saving their lambs from the storm.

BANK RECEIVER RESIGNS

MARSHFIELD, Ore.—Sent to Bankers from Salem as receiver for the first National bank of that city, T. C. Smith found the situation not agree with him and resigned after being in authority for two weeks, and was succeeded by S. H. Shilling, co-owner of the Canton bank in eastern Oregon.

Before departing, Mr. Smith said he had been in poor health for several years and had expected he would improve in a coast district. L. D. Polshock, chairman of the depositors' association of the bank, believes the institution will be reorganized and resume business soon.

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