

STARKEY NEWS OF THE WEEK

STARKEY. (Special)—Harvest is progressing rapidly at Starkey. The farmers who bound their grain have in shocks and are waiting for the threshers. Those who combined are through with the fall grain. Mrs. H. E. Thomas has been ill since her return for the past week but is now feeling better. Joe Calhoun, of Fano, visited Starkey last week looking after business interests in this part. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith visited in La Grande last week. Mrs. Ann Robertson and children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Higgins, for the past month left for their home near Grants Pass Saturday. Edith Griffin and a boy friend arrived here last week and are visiting at the home of Edith's aunt, Mrs. W. A. Smith. Mr. Griffin now makes his home at Hoquiam, Washington. A. J. Sullivan, of Pendleton, is spending a few weeks at Starkey while harvesting his crop on his ranch here. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rose made a hurried trip to La Grande Friday with their small daughter, who was very sick. She is greatly improved at the present time. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ingham are the proud possessors of a new Chevrolet car. Among the Starkey people who visited in La Grande last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starvo, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ingham, and son, Bobbie, Miss Laura Jackson, Mrs. H. E. Thomas, Miss Bertha Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rose. A strike, of Umatilla county, is riding the reserve for best cattle in this section this week. Wine, in Its Relation to Culture, Will Feature German Exhibition. COBLENTZ (AP)—The relationship of sociability and art to wine and its cultivation, will be a feature of Germany's largest wine exhibition at Cologne, which will continue to September 13. A special section will be designed as "Wine and German Culture."



Dedicated to the memory of the intrepid pioneers who blazed the way across the old Oregon Trail with the first covered wagon in 1843 and won a supply for the United States, presented to the city of Baker, Ore., by the American Legion and unveiled July 4, 1925.

\$12,000 Allowance Not Enough for Small Boy

HONOLULU (AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Knight, of Los Gatos, Cal., recently appeared with her 12-year-old grandson, Thomas Parker Smith, before Judge H. DeWitt of the court of domestic relations, and complained that it has been difficult for young Richard to live within his annual allowance of \$12,000. The boy, owner of the island of Hawaii, is reputed to be a millionaire. The grandmother, as his guardian, petitioned the court to increase the allowance to \$16,500, which was granted. Mrs. Knight told the court that the servants employed in her home for the benefit of young Richard cost approximately \$400 a month. In addition to the increased annual allowance, the court authorized an expenditure of \$2,500 to cover the cost of the boy's vacation in Hawaii and \$1,500 for distribution by the youngster among the employees of his cattle ranch when he visits his property to be the guest of the staff of cowboys.

SUPPLY OF WATER FOUND

HOOD RIVER, Ore.—Short of water for domestic and irrigation purposes, citizens of Mosier believe they may solve their problem by tapping subterranean streams that pass under the Columbia highway, just east of the city. The underground water has been the source of much expense and annoyance to the O. W. R. & N. company and the state highway department. A shifting of the earth has necessitated constant repair of rail lines. During the past two years the Columbia highway for a distance of 100 feet has sunk five feet.

Railroad Laborers Uncover Two Giant Animal Skeletons

HOQUIAM, Wash. (AP)—Two prehistoric skeletons, more than 30 feet in length, recently were uncovered near here by workmen on a railroad cut. Rev. J. Herbert Geoghegan of this city, who examined the find, pronounced the bones those of dinosaurs, ichthyosaurs or pterodactyls. The skeletons were imbedded in 40 to 60 feet of limestone deposit, and were partly petrified. The railroad excavation cut through the animals' ribs, which could be seen extending for a distance of several feet in parallel lines. No skull was found, but a long, tapering tooth discovered among the debris taken from this section. "From the character of the soil, either river or ocean bottom, I am inclined to believe the animals were ichthyosaurs, or marine reptiles, rather than the dinosaur, land reptile, or pterodactyl, flying reptile." Current Answer. Waggleth (liner, with menu)—"Chicken croquettes, eh? I say, snitter, what part of a chicken is the croquette?" Walter—"The part that's left over from the day before, sir." Boston Transcript.

Germans Complain of Check Put on All Aerial Progress

BERLIN (AP)—A number of leading aerial companies held a meeting in Berlin recently to protest against the limitations imposed upon aerial navigation by the note of the Ambassadors' Conference. Acting as spokesman for the companies, Otto Julius Merkel, director of the Deutscher Aero Lloyd, declared that the Treaty of Versailles had tied Germany's hands in regard to military aviation, but had granted absolute freedom to civil aeronautics. On the strength of this pledge by 22 nations, he said, German aeronautic circles were not only justified, but in duty bound to guard the freedom of their civil aerial navigation. The speaker emphasized that during the last five years German aeronautics strove indefatigably to establish good business connections with the aerial companies of neighboring countries. He maintained that all aerial navigation to be successful must be international and that if London or Moscow, for instance, could be reached as quickly by the aerial route as Munich from Berlin, the economic necessity for this mode of traffic was indubitably established. Director Merkel stated that in Europe and America—but especially in the United States—all expenses entailed by the development of aerial navigation were defrayed by the state with the same promptness and readiness as formerly in the case of the wireless service. He pointed out that at London, in England, the large traffic airplane, Vanguard, with two 550-horsepower Rayco Condor motors and intended for 25 passengers, was a striking illustration of England's progress and

that at last year's civil aviation contest in France the first prize had been awarded to Farman's four-motor Jabiru intended for 14 passengers. In Germany, however, the capacity of non-military planes was to be limited to nine passengers. The speaker concluded, amid loud acclamations, that German aerial circles were determined to reject these severe and throttling restrictions by the Ambassadors' Conference, as being unjustifiable in view of the actual results attained in this respect by France and England. he his executors to plunge a still-ette into his heart after his death so as to make certain of it. He added that a school mate of his who became a great surgeon, insisted that the stabling process be carried out as a precaution. Sir George declared he had no faith in the present so-called modern methods of certifying death. Miss Emily Aves, honorary secretary of the society, said that one of the best known men in England whose name was a household word had once been placed in a casket as dead, and when about to be buried was found to be quite well and alive, and he had lived for some twenty years afterward.

Briton Directs Use of Siletto As Positive Death Certificate

LONDON (AP)—Sir George Greenwood, presiding recently at a meeting of the London Society of Premature Burial, said that he had given directions to those who would

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THE ENVY OF LIFE insurance agents. Divorced by her husband and with two children to support, Mrs. Elizabeth Carl, Everett, Mass., went right out selling insurance and in two months sold \$1,230,000 and earned a commission of \$30,000.



ROYALTY HERE, the Emir of Katsina, Nigeria, one of the most occidental of East Indians. He says his greatest desire is to visit the United States.

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