OUT OF THE VAULT

War effort aided by young metal collectors



Six-year-old Bobby Newman of Cold Springs in Umatilla County poses with some of the 3,000 pounds of scrap iron he and his brother, 4-year-old Dick, collected over a period of two months in

the spring of 1942 to aid the war effort.

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The year: May 1942. The program: scrap metal collection for the war effort. The major players: Bobby and Dick Newman of Umatilla County.

Many tons of scrap iron were collected and shipped from Umatilla County in the 1940s as part of the war effort to supply metals for the manufacture of munitions and other materials. The most precious ton and a half of metal donated to the effort, however, was collected by two brothers from ranchlands in the middle Cold Springs area between Hermiston and Pendleton.

On early May of 1942, J.L. Dunham drove into Pendleton with a load of 3,000 pounds of scrap iron on his truck, accompanied by nephew, 6-year-old Bobby Newman. The youngster, assisted by his 4-year-old brother Dick, had spent two months locating and hauling scrap iron from ditches and gullies on their uncle's

The boys would locate a piece of iron, long abandoned, and then transport it in their wagon to Mr. Dunham's ranch house. And since some of the pieces of iron were rather large at least for boys their age — the ton and a half of metal represented a huge investment of work and sweat.

An East Oregonian reporter was on hand at Joe Luck's place in Pendleton when Dunham and Newman were helping unload the truck, and found Bobby in a willing, but modest, mood. He happily posed for a photo with some of the scrap he helped collect, but was disappointed that his brother, who couldn't come to town, wasn't in

"Did you help them?" the reporter asked Dunham.

"Not a bit of it," Dunham replied. "Those kids did it all themselves."

How could the Axis hope to beat that kind of spirit?

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 18-19, 1919

Lawson Booher, aged 20, popular Athena young man, died yesterday morning in Athena after an illness caused by the amputation of a leg two years ago. Young Booher was injured while playing basketball with the Athena high school basketball team and the loss of the limb was the result. Besides his friends in Athena, the young man was well known in Pendleton. He was active in student affairs and athletics before his illness.

50 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 18-19, 1969

Vandals caused about \$700 damage to the restrooms at McKay Creek National Wildlife Refuge over the weekend. Clair Aldous, Burbank, Wash., refuge manager, said one restroom was pushed into McKay Reservoir and another

was knocked off its foundation. McKay Reservoir is a popular boating spot seven miles south of Pendleton.

25 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 18-19, 1994

Tribal leaders flexed their newfound political muscle Wednesday evening when they gathered together for the groundbreaking of a new gaming facility. All are betting on a prosperous future that breaks away from federal financial support and brings Indian employees and entrepreneurs into the marketplace. "This is a signal of deep change," said Antone Minthorn, chairman of the general council for the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation. "Things will not be the same any more." Minthorn was one of eight speakers to usher in the Wildhorse Gaming Resort, an event which drew more than 200 people beneath a large tent to listen. Tribal leaders, shovels in hand, dug up the soil where a new casino will be built next November.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

On May 18, 1896, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Plessy v. Ferguson, endorsed "separate but equal" racial segregation, a concept renounced 58 years later by Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka.

In 1863, the Siege of Vicksburg began during the

Civil War, ending July 4 with a Union victory.

In 1944, during World War II, Allied forces occupied Monte Cassino in Italy after a four-month struggle with Axis troops.

In 1980, the Mount St. Helens volcano in Washington state exploded, leaving 57 people dead or missing. Today's Birthdays: Base-

ball Hall of Famer Brooks Robinson is 82. Bluegrass singer-musician Rodney Dillard (The Dillards) is 77. Baseball Hall of Famer Reggie Jackson is 73. Rock musician Rick Wakeman (Yes) is 70. Country singer George

Strait is 67. Contemporary Christian musician Barry Graul (MercyMe) is 58.

Thought for Today: "A conference is a gathering of people who singly can do nothing, but together can decide that nothing can be done." — Fred Allen, comedian (1894-1956).

7 LITTLE W©RDS

represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

CLUES SOLUTIONS 1 fantasizing (8) 2 they are at bottom of rivers (4) 3 one brokering an exchange (6) 4 bell-shaped flowers (6) 5 not at all serious (5) 6 rupture (5) 7 blue-collar workers (8)

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4. LILIES 5. LIGHT 6. BREAK 7. LABORERS Today's Answers: 1. DREAMING 2. BEDS 3. TRADER

WORD ★Roundup

Find and Circle...

Southern or British

Five countries ending with A Five words starting and ending with K Three six-letter colors Three months

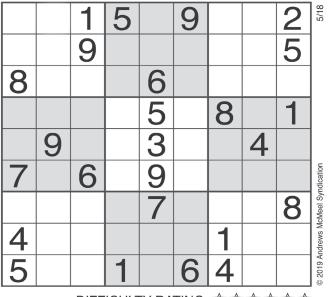
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APRIL JUNE JULY / ACCENT KNYbSYCK KNOCK KNYCK KIOSK KYXYK / INDIGO OKYNGE BNBBFE / Answers to Saturday's puzzle: ARGENTINA ANGOLA CANADA INDIA CUBA /

KNAPSACKJR RGENTINAC KAPRILDKA A) INDIAKNL LYVJUNEVAO CDUAORANGE KNJKACCENTKN KIOSKPURPLEA

NIVERSA

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.



DIFFICULTY RATING: 食食食食食

ACROSS

- One often dropping
- 10 Actress Merrill
- 14 Florida senator Marco
- 15 Continent within
- Australia?

- words
- 33 Honest

- things
- known for its vases

- 16 Famous _
- 18 Bridge no-no
- Christmas tree choice
- 21 Brit's "Adios!"
- 23 Homes for rinks
- 24 Red Raiders' school
- 27 Batter's stat
- 28 One-on-one fight
- 29 Disappointing firework
- 37 Like a yellow banana

- 6 Chinese dynasty

- cookies
- 17 First-grader's retort

- "This frustrates me!" 36
- 38 Pie ___ mode

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Universal Crossword

- 39 Boy saved by Scrooge **DOWN** 42 "___ to Joy"
- 43 Volleyball move before
- a set
- Ewe's boo
- 46 Main circus tent
- 48 Diner staples
- 50 Smooch, in Seville
- 51 '60s conflict site
- 52 Phone option
- 57 Uncontrollable jerks 60 Phishing email, e.g.
- 61 Chicken
- 62 Liposuction cousin
- 64 Slanted
- 66 Vicinity 67 Jacob tricked him
- 68 Submarine detector
- 69 Mrs. Truman
- 70 Sci-fi time distortion 71 Banzai, Shenzi or Ed,

in "The Lion King"

- - 1 Mac and cheese brand 2 "Foreign Affairs" writer
 - Alison 3 Low-cost ride in a

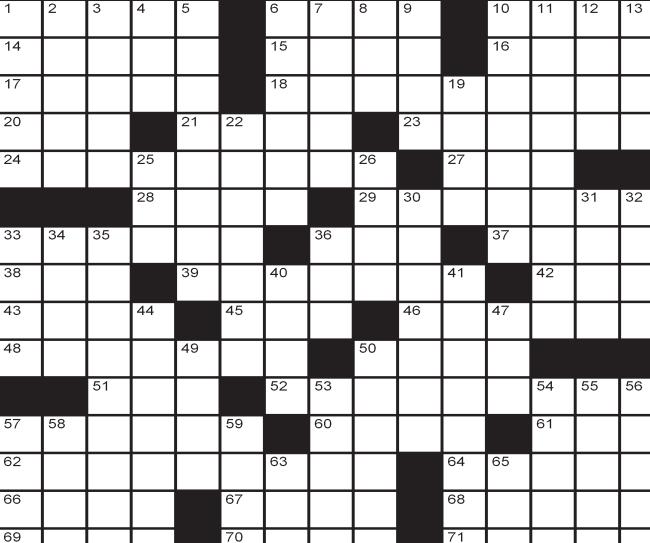
 - popular app
 - _ the season ..."
 - 5 Attire for Malcolm X
 - 6 American Girl co.
 - 7 Calculus pioneer Newton
 - 8 Cacao tidbit
 - 9 Fancy party
 - 10 Fig Newton relative 11 (Facepalm)
 - 12 Mardi Gras city, informally
 - 13 Requests 19 Makes a boo-boo

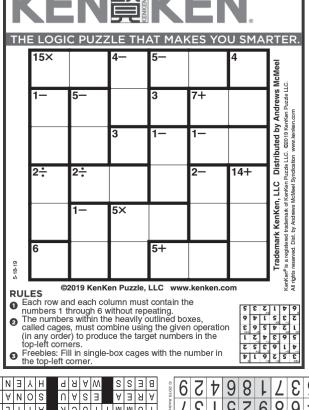
 - 22 Was humiliated
 - 25 What a caret means
 - 26 Trumpeter Al

 - 30 NYC film festival site 31 Coif style 32 Adele's "Rolling in the

- 33 San Lucas
- 34 Homecoming guest,
- briefly
- 35 Be a snitch
- 36 Bar scene?
- 40 Conde_ 41 Medley
- 44 Some flat-screen TVs
- 47 Acquired 49 One of 11 for Julia
- Louis-Dreyfus
- 50 "Put on a happy face!"
- 53 One of 22 for Walt Disney 54 Express a view
- 55 Strikeout record
- holder Ryan
- 56 More than needed
- 57 Metaphorical attempt
- 58 Untainted 59 Pot concoction
- 63 Katie Ledecky's Olympic team 65 Small dog

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