

Local Happenings

Walter LaDusire went to Pendleton Sunday where he secured a new Maxwell coupe for Miss Letta Humphreys of Eugene. He will drive the machine into Portland and deliver it to Miss Humphreys. The demand for these cars has been so great, according to Mr. LaDusire, that he was unable to secure the car Miss Humphreys wanted either at Eugene or Portland, but finally managed to get hold of one out of a shipment that arrived the last of the week at Pendleton direct from the factory.

Good showers fell in the vicinity of Lexington and Heppner on Sunday and the surrounding country received a wetting that will prove beneficial. In some localities, however, we hear reports that the worms are working pretty badly as a result of the cooler spell of weather. It is just one thing after another with the farmer; when it is warm enough to keep the worms down it is too dry to make the grain grow, so there you are.

T. M. Arnold, who was for a number of years engaged in ranching in this county, but has been a resident of the Hood River section for the past two years, has removed from there to Redmond, Oregon, where he will have charge of the Scobee & Kirr dairy ranch as manager. He writes this paper that the Redmond section is a fine country and things are looking pretty good there this spring.

The Frank Turner shearing crew moved to the Corrigan ranch on Butler creek the first of last week, and they are now busy shearing out the Corrigan sheep. Stormy weather prevented much work being done the first few days of operation.

Mrs. Zola Sorenson of North Powder, Oregon, is visiting here this week and looking after business interests. Mrs. Sorenson has been making her home in Baker county for the greater part of the past year.

Mrs. Juliet Smith of Steptoe, Wn., was a visitor here for a few days the past week. She is a cousin of Mr. Frank Turner, and while in the city became acquainted with her relative.

David H. Grabbill and wife of Ione were visitors in Heppner on Saturday last, while Mr. Grabbill was attending to business matters.

Ed Keller, village blacksmith of Lexington, was a visitor here yesterday.

Spring Fries, extra fine, 60c each. See Art Minor.

Eggs Wanted by Heppner Bakery.

U. OF. O. FACULTY MEN HONORED

University of Oregon, Eugene, April 21.—Two University of Oregon faculty men were honored at the recent annual meeting of the Inland Empire Educational association, held at Spokane. Dr. H. D. Sheldon, dean of the University school of education, was elected president of the association which embraces the territory of Washington, Idaho, Montana and Oregon. Fred L. Stetson, professor of education, was named chairman of the department of educational psychology of the association. Both Dean Sheldon and Prof. Stetson served during the convention on the committee on accrediting higher institutions, and E. F. Carltoh of the University extension division on the committee on secondary schools. Mt. Angel College, Mt. Angel, Ore., was accredited for junior college work.

Our Washington Letter

N. P. S.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—The country is still suffering from the offhand creation of independent governmental agencies all financed with the money of the taxpayers and all functioning largely independent of direct control. The total expenditures of these various departments runs into many millions of dollars. Ostensibly under the direct control of the President and free from ordinary departmental supervision, it has been long appreciated that money was being wasted, and that the country was being committed to a number of "folded" activities. All this for some time has been holding the attention of the President and in his own matter-of-fact way he has now ordered a survey of these departments, their personnel and their activities, and particularly their payrolls, with the idea of eliminating or consolidating those divisions which are not justifying the expense. It is about time this was done, and the President has selected the proper moment. It is already intimated that a saving of from ten to twenty millions is possible. Of course, there will be wailing on the part not only of the chiefs of these little governmental principalities at losing their jobs, and there will be additional wailing on the part of the gentlemen who got them their jobs in the first instance, but the President need not worry, and is not likely to worry, judging by his attitude in the past, over these temporary teapot tempests which may develop.

THAT the United States is enjoying a period of prosperity was emphasized by the report made by Secretary of Commerce Hoover to President Coolidge.

The United States is the only nation in the world showing a substantial gain in business affairs.

Figures submitted by Secretary Hoover show that the exports in March were valued at \$452,000,000—imports at \$385,000,000—leaving a trade balance in Uncle Sam's favor of \$67,000,000.

Comparison of figures showed that the export trade of the United States has increased nearly fifty per cent over that of 1914.

The report also shows that the outflow of gold which started last December is continuing. Exports of the yellow metal for March amounted to \$25,104,416. Against this were imports of \$7,397,322. Silver exports were greater than the imports by about \$1,300,000.

Another interesting item was found in the report of the Bureau of Railway Economics which disclosed the fact that the volume of freight carried in January and February exceeded that of any corresponding period.

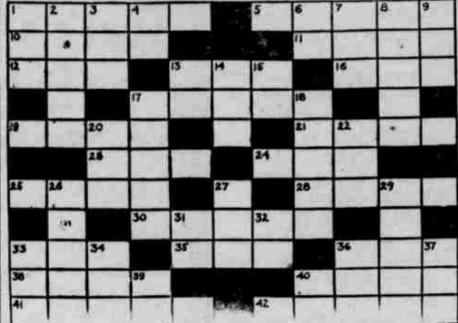
This Week's Cross Word Puzzle

By Mrs. Lee Yoeman

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

The first letter of each word is indicated by a number placed in the blank white spaces. By referring to the list of words given below, you will find the definition. For instance, number one horizontal gives the definition of a word which will fill in all the white spaces to the first black space at the right. Number one vertical gives the definition for a word which will fill in all the white spaces to the first black space below. The black spaces indicate the end of a word, and no letter is placed in them. When completed, the puzzle must read both horizontally and vertically or across and down.

MRS. LEE YOEMAN gets the credit for the puzzle this week. You'll find a few punctuation marks and a few relatives, but outside of that, it's a pretty nice puzzle, and we know you will get the maximum enjoyment out of working it. Next week we are going to give you a puzzle that will test your religious knowledge. Just thought we would warn you, in order that you can get a half dozen reference books from the library. You'll need them.



- HORIZONTAL
1. A relative.
2. A piece of furniture.
3. A kind of bird.
4. The lowest female voice.
5. Word of negation.
6. A domestic animal.
7. A permit.
8. A truce.
9. A leave man.
10. Otherwise.
11. A tree.
12. Decorated lower part of wall.
13. Squad.
14. Extended to.
15. A monkey.
16. Piece of coarse fabric.
17. Self.
18. Spill.
19. Girl's name.
20. Pertaining to punishment.
21. Male voice.
22. Meadow.
23. A fruit.
24. Head of sheep.
25. A black man.
26. Printer's measure.
27. Abbreviation for court.
28. Snake.
29. An eternity.
30. Age.
31. Used for rowing.
32. An Eastern State (abbr.).
33. A direction.

Answer to last week's puzzle.



plane which has just made its initial successful flight. These machines have a wing spread of sixty feet, a fuselage of forty-eight feet, but their total weight is less than that of a sedan automobile. The capacity, or as it is technically phrased, "useful load," is 2,000 pounds. There will be room in these planes for eight or ten passengers, in addition to the seat reserved for the pilot. It is the intention of the "diver king of the air" to ultimately produce these machines at the low figure made possible by "quantity production." The first two or three planes, being in the nature of experimental machines, were quite costly, as is the case in all initial production of any sort of machinery. The speed of these "Airfords" will be 100 miles an hour for pleasure cruising, and a capacity of 40 to 50 miles an hour in addition to that, for war use. It is Mr. Ford's intention that the first commercial lines of his activity will be the transportation of letters, express and valuable freight. The dream of Darius Green and his flying machine fell far short of what the Ford expect to accomplish. In addition to these airplanes, or rather "Airfords," the Ford are building an all-metal lighter-than-air machine. The portion containing the gas will be made of duralumin, which is 90 per cent aluminum, 4 per cent copper, and a little cobalt. These gas containers will actually weigh less than the silk bags with their interior "cells" now used in the every-day dirigible. The great advantage of

this metal container is that it is non-combustible and practically safe against lighting. The dirigible, which will carry only 100,000 cubic feet of gas as against 2,000,000 in the latest British dirigible, will have a speed of about 70 miles an hour. It may not be many years before every well-equipped household will have its "Airford" to be used for going in a straight line instead of using Henry's car over curving roads.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, administratrix of the estate of W. A. Richardson, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers to said administratrix at her residence at Heppner, Oregon, or at the law office of J. J. Nye, at Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1925. ROSA RICHARDSON, Administratrix.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS. Hours for irrigation will be from 6 A. M. to 9 A. M., and from 5 P. M. to 8 P. M. The whistle will blow for turning on and off water, if whistle does not blow for turning on water do not irrigate.

The hours for irrigation may lessen as the season advances and water gets low; those irrigating will have to be governed by the whistle. In case of fire turn off water for irrigation.

Charge will be made from the time irrigation begins until notice is given at this office that same has been discontinued.

Irrigating without a nozzle or sprinkler will not be allowed. CITY OF HEPPNER WATER DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF SALE OF ANIMAL. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by virtue of the statutes of the State of Oregon, has taken up the hereinafter described animal, found running at large upon his premises in Morrow County, Oregon, and that he will, on Saturday, the 2nd day of May, 1925, at his ranch

one-half mile south of Gooseberry Springs, southwest of Eight Mile postoffice, in said Morrow County, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described animal, to-wit: One yearling steer calf, black with mottled face, no other visible marks or brands, unless said animal shall have been redeemed by the owner thereof or his legal representative. F. M. LOVGREN.

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THE LEVI STRAUSS "TWO HORSE" BRAND ON A PAIR OF OVERALLS is the manufacturer's guarantee of satisfactory wear, and bond that you get A New Pair FREE if They Rip MADE of specially woven 9-ounce denim, indigo dyed, cut full and roomy where the room is needed; fitted at the waist like tailor-made pants, requiring neither suspenders nor belt to keep them up. Copper-riveted at all strain points. Belt loops simply added for convenience. Plenty of big, roomy pockets. Sewed throughout with special thread. Buttons riveted on, to stay on. Finished with care, turn them inside out and inspect them. "TWO-HORSE" BRAND COPPER-RIVETED WAIST OVERALLS have the reputation of being the strongest, best fitting and longest wearing Overalls on the market, and have been the standard make for over 50 years. The undersigned will tell you that the guarantee means exactly what it says. Regular Price \$2.25; Our Special Introductory Price \$1.90 DAVID A. WILSON HEPPNER, OREGON



A Very Important Date Saturday, MAY 2

A big demonstration of paints and varnishes will be held in our store to show the people of this community the possibilities of home painting and decorating. We have engaged the services of a paint and varnish expert from the Acme White Lead and Color Works, who will be here all day to talk over your painting and varnishing problems. He will give you information on color schemes, quantities required, the best way to do the job, etc. Be sure to come; no embarrassment; no obligation.

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CLOTHING SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK We have a beautiful showing of Young Men's Suits at \$22.50 \$25.00 MEN'S SUITS AT \$29.50 Thomson Bros.

Ginghams, Etc. A colorful array of brightly hued materials in checks, plaids stripes and solid colors, 32 to 36 inches wide. You will need plenty of fresh tub dresses during the Spring and Summer months. We display excellent values in cotton materials, including, Linens, Voiles, Flaxons, Crepes, Striped English Broadcloth and novelty fabrics in the most desirable spring colors. SPECIAL 1900 Line Amoskeag Ginghams 25c Malcolm D. Clark

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Getting Started Many people have plenty of good intentions but fail because of lack of action. Probably your fortune and success may lie in forming the simple habit of banking a little surplus every week. Getting started in this habit will count more than the amount. First National Bank HEPPNER, OREGON

RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 12 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT HEPPNER, IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 6, 1925. RESOURCES: Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank \$370,230.23 Overdrafts, unsecured 445.04 U. S. Government securities owned: Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value) \$25,000.00 All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any) 27,450.00 Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.: Banking House, \$26,000; Furniture and fixtures, \$5,500.00 Real estate owned other than banking house 48,484.10 Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 34,099.00 Cash in vault and amount due from national banks 36,875.42 Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in last two items above) 4,847.40 Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank 382.21 Total of last three items above \$62,105.04 Miscellaneous cash items 2,379.76 Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 1,250.00 Other assets 6,731.34 Total \$841,171.17 LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00 Surplus fund 50,000.00 Undivided profits \$15,445.92 Less current expenses paid 8,797.37 6,648.55 Circulating notes outstanding 24,300.00 Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries 2,114.92 Certified checks outstanding 46.10 Cashier's checks outstanding 1,871.59 Total of last four items above \$28,932.61 Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): Individual deposits subject to check 288,215.10 Certificates of deposit due in less than 90 days (other than for money borrowed) 20,000.00 State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond 20,974.21 Other demand deposits 3,923.72 Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve \$333,113.03 Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings): Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) 75,730.23 State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond 24,812.46 Other time deposits 125,889.29 Total of time deposits subject to Reserve \$226,431.98 Notes and bills rediscounted, including acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank 95,900.00 Letters of Credit and Travelers' Checks sold for cash and outstanding 145.00 Total \$841,171.17 State of Oregon, County of Morrow, ss: I, W. E. Moore, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. E. MOORE, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of April, 1925. CORRECT—Attest: JOHN KILKENNY, W. P. MAHONEY, FRANK GILLIAM, Notary Public, Directors. RUBINA F. CORRIGALL, My commission expires Aug. 18, 1925.