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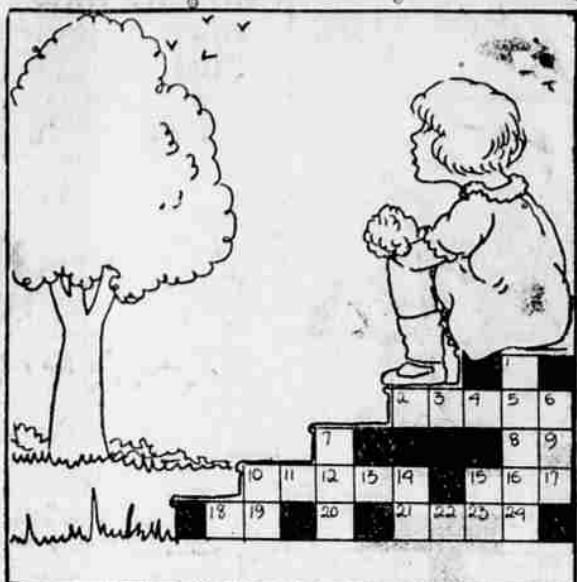
THE STATE CORPORATION DEPT. PROBLEM.

THE STATEMENT of W. E. Crews state corporation commissioner in today's issue, comes at an opportune time. The recent Oreno bond controversy has again aroused criticism of the corporation department and suggestions in some quarters that it, along with the Blue Sky law, be abolished.

The people should know that the endorsement of the corporation department does not mean a security is gilt edged or from the standpoint of conservative investment, even good. It simply means that it is not bad; that it is not a crooked scheme or a fly-by-night scheme...

This agitation for radical action, therefore, seems rather premature. Assuming that the corporation department is efficiently administered, the fact that its endorsement has been abused should not be used as an argument for its abolishment.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE STORY, OUR BACK STOOP



The 1-5-8-16-24 step is the best step of all the 2-3-4-5-6 on our back stoop at least that is what 18-19 all think, Mary, Patty and I. We always sing our baby dolls to sleep 14-21 matter how much we wish to play or run 21-22-23-24 to visit each other, our dolls must 10-19 put to bed first.

Personal Health Service By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D. Signed letters certifying to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed.

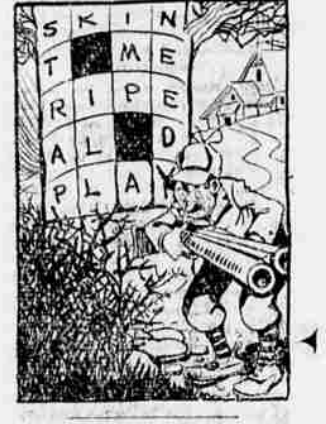


I guess the reason parents no longer lead their children in the way they should go is because the parents are not going that way. Murderer will out, fraternalist, Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi.

Children's Pictorial Cross Word Puzzle



Running Across. Word 1. Who lost their mittens in the nursery rhyme? Word 4. One of the Great Lakes. Word 5. A well known lake in Switzerland.



COMMUNICATIONS

Planning Commission Scored. To the Editor: I think I should explain to the property owners near the corner of Eighth street and Newtown who almost unanimously signed my petition to change the zone so that I could improve the property now covered by old buildings and weeds with two modern duplex houses that the reason I have not begun construction is that I have been unreasonably held up by the Medford Planning Commission.

Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry.

It looked for a long time like Thomas Murray, convict-killer had no defense worth mentioning, but a solicitor has discovered his teeth are set far apart.

Instead of making synthetic milk, Henry Ford should discover a way to keep cows away from pumps and water faucets.

At last a poetical line has been ground out that ties the classic wartime line of an English poet, to wit: "High flies the dust and fur. When Englishmen puts horse to spin."

The above is run a dead heat by the local author. "Like a madman he fought, like a mule he wrought."

WAKING UP DANIEL CUPID

Young men in this community have been somewhat reluctant so far this year when it came to take to themselves a wife, but last Wednesday, Miss Helen G. Currie, one of the most prominent young women of this community, was married to Frank Ains of Silverton.

Another up-state mother has been non-stroked. The dispatch did not state what the fat hit his mother with after the knockdown. In a previous similar affair the aggressor used a stove poker.

Much is said about the sincerity of our governor and grand lecturer. An auto mechanic is sincere, but the car he fixed won't run.

All members who have dollars dressed for the missionary box bring them to class Sunday morning. (Eugene Register). This reverse of the claim: "I'm stripped of my last cent."

DARIUS GREEN

I am the patron saint of unsuccess. Some there have been who followed through doubts and fears, Struggled and hoped, and after many years Won the soft nymph Prosperity's express.

Then, on the day I bought with blood and tears, Clown to the last, I failed and proved them right.

You that must pave the way and profit naught, Never in vain your labor or your thought!

Because I bore their sallies and their spite, Ate without friends the bitter bread of sorrow, Bills that were mailed from Golden Gate last night, Can be delivered in New York tomorrow!

The leaves and blondes are becoming auburn-hued.

Mr. B. Thieroff has a diseased optic. Mr. Thieroff is not old enough to have a stick of wood fly up and hit him in the eye.

Into that roaring hell at the shipyards went that little boy, where the rat-sat of the steel riveter, the crash of timbers, the buzz of saws fell upon sensitive ears that had heard only the soft swish of waters against the wharves, the distant tinkle of a cow bell, or a meadow lark at morning nuptials.

Aye! That "roaring hell of the shipyards" outside of which stood new-bought outas, as thick as crosses in Flanders, while the owners dodged red-hot ovens and prayed the draft would not catch them, until there was a sturdy ship for every soldier in the field, and every sailor on the seas.

This is Purplish Monday.

QUILL POINTS

Fable: She had what she called "nerves" and wasn't at all vain about it.

Intuition doubtless has its uses, but it isn't impressive at the steering wheel.

The worst feature of a traffic jam is the ass who thinks' horn-banking will help.

Thank goodness! Twelve months to take things easy before another vacation arrives.

The dismaying thing is not what man descended from, but what he descends to.

The law of supply and demand seems to affect almost everything except the weather.

Teaching evolution in the schools won't make people accept it. Spelling is taught in the schools.

Among the things that never seem to work well together are an ice cream cone and a mustache.

When a bride tries a tempting recipe, she knows how Russia feels about communism.

The agent drives it 500 miles and it's a new car; you drive it 5 miles farther and it's a used car.

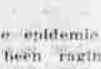
We saw a queer game yesterday. Three men were on, and two fielders failed to trot in and give the pitcher advice.

Correct this sentence: "When I ask him for money in private," said the wife, "he digs up as cheerfully as when company is present."



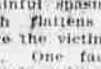
THE ICEMAN.

THE ICEMAN brings his frozen water, and puts it in the chest; and I remark to Jane, my daughter, "His service is the best! He surely is the welcome comer, enchanting to the view! Without the iceman in the summer, what would poor mortals do? Without the iceman, Julius Caesar! We'd shrivel up and shrink;" and Jane, she takes the lemon squeezer, and makes a luscious drink. "Without the iceman," I inform her, "we'd find existence foul, when summer days grow warm and warmer, and weather prophets howl. We talk of culture here and yonder, as measured by the arts, by pictures which make critics ponder, and books that break our hearts. We speak of music and the centers where it's the greatest game, of salons where the sculptor enters to reap a deathless fame. And all of this is fine, uplifting, but when the day is hot, one finds his ancient standards shifting, the arts resemble rot. The culture that brings frozen water to every panting jay—excuse me while I ply my swatter—must hold the right of way. The iceman dissipates the terror that summer used to hold; he comes, he comes, the patient bearer of a refreshment cold. The looks of invalids cress him when he looms on the scene; the old and feeble gaze and bless him, he makes their lives serene. They bless the iceman and his freezer, his wagon blue or pink; and Jane, she takes the lemon squeezer, and frames an ice cold drink.



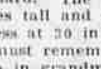
Girls, Be Yourselves.

The epidemic of reduction which has been raging thru the country has passed beyond control. The remedy at first appeared to be merely the old familiar type of acute pernicious reduction, which is a self-limited disease, not particularly dangerous in itself, but only because of the lowered resistance which accompanies the attack.



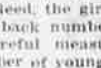
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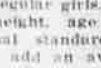
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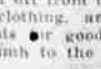
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Timely Views on World Topics

Strikes to Be Replaced by Open Discussion. Predicts Matthew Woll.

In the near future labor disputes will be settled by "open discussion and intelligent consideration of all factors involved," predicted Matthew Woll, vice president of the A. F. of L.

Alleged class hatred may give way to observance of equal rights, equal duties, and equal opportunities.

The "No Union" movement as a whole was described by Woll as being "the agency through which wage earners may pool their resources and thus succeed in transferring the work of the world from the burden that crushes into a culture that endures mankind."

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Poems That Live

"If I Should Die Tonight." My friends would look upon my quiet face, Before they laid it in its resting place, And deem that death had felt it at most fair.

And, laying snow white flowers upon my hair, Would smooth it down with lingering care— Poor hands, so empty and so cold tonight.

If I should die tonight— My friends would call to mind, with loving thought, Some gentle word the frozen lips had said— Errands on which the willing feet had sped;

The memory of my selfishness and pride, My hasty words, would all be put aside, And so, I should be loved and mourned tonight.

O, friends, I pray tonight, Keep not your kisses for my cold, dead brow, The way is lonely; let me feel them now.

Think gently of me; I am travel-worn, My faltering feet are pierced with many a thorn, Forgive! O hearts estranged, forgive, When careless bliss is mine, I shall not need The tenderness for which I long tonight.

Ascribed to Rev. A. J. Ryan, also to Alice Cary, Ben King and others.

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