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NOT HIGHEST PRISON POPULATION

Several Oregon newspapers have in the past couple of days published the statement that the Oregon penitentiary had the highest population in its history.

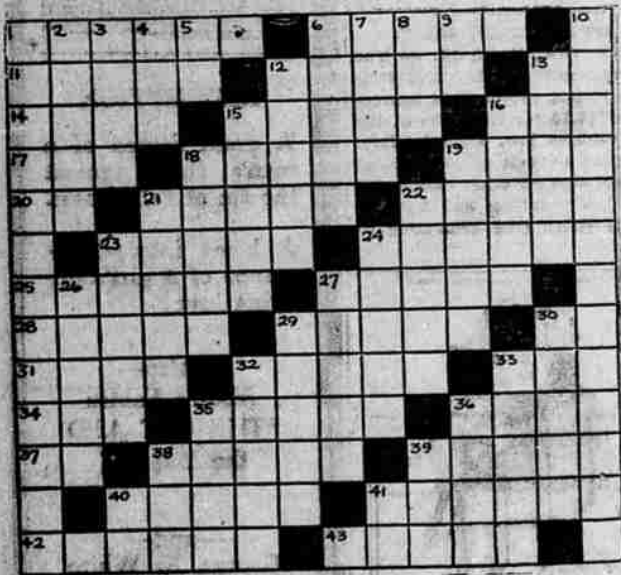
Which was not true. The number of prisoners yesterday was 517. The record number was 566, in 1916.

There is nothing to the statement that prohibition has increased the Oregon prison population. The fact is, it decreased it. There were only 397 men on January 1, 1924, and the number of men has for a long time run around 350, which is very low for a state with the population of Oregon.

Some of the increase of our prison population is due to the growth of our general population. We had about as many prisoners in the Oregon penitentiary, in the days before prohibition, when the population of our state was not more than half what it is now.

There are some bootleggers and moonshiners among the present prison population; but very little of the growth of late can in any other way be attributed to prohibition. A great deal of the increase can be attributed to the unsettled conditions following the war. A lot of young men who were uprooted from former environments have never since become settled.—Salem Statesman.

TODAY'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL

1. A meal.
6. A tropical tree.
11. Appearing as if gnawed.
12. Camera.
13. Upon.
14. Frame of wood around window pane.
15. A slight sickness caused by a draft (pl.).
16. Naturally fitted.
17. Employment.
18. Prices.
19. To dice.
20. Musical note.
21. Man distinguished for valor (poss.).
22. Danger.
23. Women's cloaks.
24. Cotton fabric.
25. Basket for catching eels.
27. Duration.
28. Crawled.
29. Leather straps for controlling horses.
30. Father.
31. A utensil for carrying food.
32. Distributed.
33. House pet.
34. Electrical unit.
35. Listened.
36. A fairy.
37. Conjunction.
38. Leads.
39. Trunk of human body.
40. Wild dogs.
41. Covered dish for holding soup.
42. Confections.
43. Dresses.

5. Birthmarks.
7. Finds the sum.
8. Possesses.
9. Correct.
10. Forward dislocations.
12. Japanese musical instruments.
13. Pertaining to the eye.
15. Punctuation mark.
16. Nest of a hawk.
18. To replant.
19. Cuts, chops.
21. Cheerful.
22. Rouge.
23. To free from dirt.
24. Youngster.
26. Mistake.
27. Is clothed with.
29. Reads.
30. To separate a sentence into its grammatical parts.
32. Affectionate term for children.
33. Seals with wax.
35. Warmth.
36. Minute opening in skin.
38. Garden tool.
39. Large vessel used for bathing.
40. Exist.
41. Preposition.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

TED MANOATE ASH
O OBESE COLON A
WANE TACIT ROWS
AT RETIRALLO
ALL FUR TILLURE
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SHELL HEAT TINE ON
SWEET USE TATTIC
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EM PRAISE D IT
EDIT OCF AN NOSE
R TOAST KNOWN N
EYE REISPEAK SAID

SOME NEVER FAILING SIGNS OF SPRING



GERMANY WILL PROTECT PARIS

Inundation of River Seine May Be Prevented by Germans

PARIS, March 17.—To Germany may revert the task of protecting Paris from the inundations of the Seine recurring every few years, plans for the curbing of which have been under study since the days of Henry IV.

Victor Peytral, minister of public works, replying to a suggestion from M. Emile Brisson, president of the general council of the Seine department, that "Germany cooperate in the execution of great works of public utility," replied as follows:

"I have the honor to inform you that following the London agreement the question of the cooperation of Germany in the execution of public works has been reopened and the conditions under which Germany could make certain deliveries in kind, the amount of which would be placed to the credit of its reparations account, are being examined anew."

Herald "Class" Ads Pay

CORVALLIS BANKER DIES FROM STROKE

CORVALLIS, Ore., March 17.—M. S. Woodcock, a pioneer of Benton county, regent of the Oregon agricultural college and president of the First National bank of this city, died here early this morning as the result of a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Woodcock was in an automobile accident about a year ago when the car driven by Dr. W. J. Kerr, president of the Oregon agricultural college, was run into and tipped over by another car driven by a Japanese. He suffered an internal injury that troubled him ever since. Under the advice of physicians he finally consented to go to Portland for an X-ray examination, and was stricken Saturday, the day before he had planned to go.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, in charge of the Masonic lodge in all of whose branches Mr. Woodcock was a member.

TWO SPEEDING AUTO DRIVERS PAY FINES

Barclay Springs was the scene yesterday afternoon of the downfall of two speeding motorists, who were picked up by R. E. Knowles, county traffic officer. The two men were T. W. Houlihan, who paid into justice court this morning \$15 for speeding 45 miles an hour, and S. R. Johnson, who was fined \$10 for

LONE PINE

Lon Storey and his assistant, L. Stevenson, are drilling a well on the Walter Enman ranch this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hasley and children, Tommy and Edward, visited Wednesday at the O'Connor home.

Several of the local residents witnessed the green production of Janice Meredith last week.

A few days ago a petty thief reloaded Mr. Clarno of his automobile tires and gasoline which were in his garage.

The local members of the Library club who attended the meeting of that organization at Mrs. Bailey's Thursday were Mrs. Clyde Kiger, Mrs. Scott McKendree and Mrs. Hugh O'Connor.

Lon Storey cleaned out the well on the S. E. Enman ranch a few days ago.

Clyde Kiger and family attended the dance in Malin Saturday night.

Those who transacted business in Klamath Falls from this locality last week included J. R. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kiger, Frank Geertson, Walter Enman, Mrs. J. R. Dolan, Jack Dehney and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Connor.

Mr. Koppell of Klamath Falls attended to legal matters in this section Thursday.

Mrs. J. R. Dolan is visiting for a few days with her son, Ward Dolan of Spring Lake.

P. L. Geertson and children, Charlotte and Rolf, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kiger and children and Lorraine and Roy Beasley attended the basketball game in Merrill Friday evening.

C. Patterson of Midland was a business caller in this community Thursday.

The Lake county and Medford county assessors were in this neighborhood Wednesday fulfilling their official capacity.

Jack Finch of Merrill is engaged in carpenter work and Ray Kenney of Malin is doing some plumbing at the O'Connor ranch this week.

SECOND CHARGE IS PREFERRED AGAINST MRS. S. A. CROWLEY

When Mrs. S. A. Crowley indicated by her plea of not guilty that she intended to fight the charge of maintaining a nuisance preferred against her following the raid Saturday night, steps were immediately taken by Acting District Attorney W. P. Myers to file a second charge of conducting a house of prostitution. The charge was filed this afternoon.

The charge carries a fine of from \$100 to \$500 and a jail sentence of from 30 days to one year.

COUPLE CELEBRATE 53d ANNIVERSARY

Still hale and hearty and as dependent on each other as the sunny day 53 years ago when they were married, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Schollars, 302 Oak street, are today celebrating their fifty-third wedding anniversary.

The aged couple are the parents of six children who live in Klamath and Jackson counties. They have been residing in Klamath Falls since 1923 with a son.

Mrs. Schollars, aged 83, is fifty years older than her husband, who can swear to 78 summers.

"But just the same, I am just as spry as he is," she said this morning.

"Yes, you sure are," remarked the husband fondly, "and have been ever since we were married."

It was in the year 1872 that a courtship culminated in the marriage of the couple.

"I didn't stop to think I was married on St. Patrick's day," Mr. Schollars said. "Fact is, I didn't stop to think much of anything except getting to the preacher just as fast as possible."

Mr. Schollars is a veteran of the Civil war.

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