Local News In Brief

n's Club Meets Tonight—
Members of the Men's Club of the thodist church are looking forward tonight's session when "Religions of World" will be the topic for the monthly session. E. D. Towler will the leader and several other speak- will have papers. The club con- nes at 7:45, and all interested men invited.

uldn't Pay His Fine—
Harry Boston was found guilty of sau't with a deadly weapon when was brought before Police Judge tchen yesterday. He was sentenced pay a fine of $75 and costs and fail- to pay this resulted in his deten- n in the city prison. Charges were ed against Boston by Stanley Wil- ms who alleged that Boston drew open razor and threatened his life. th are colored.

xty-Eight Quarantines—
At nine o'clock this morning, 68 uses in La Grande were under quar- tine for scarlet fever and small- x. Four new cases of smallpox and o new cases of scarlet fever were arantined yesterday. The scarlet ver cases are at the following places: N. Pierce, 1502 First; Chester ompson, 803 Pennsylvania. The allpox cases are at the following aces: George Kreutz, 1803 Cove; E. McIntosh, 2804 Greenwood; dd, 2908 Spruce; Pearson, 1205 N.

Interest Youth in Lodge—
Grand Chancellor W. J. H. Clark, d Grand Keeper of Records and al Walter Gleason, paid an official sit to Red Cross Lodge No. 27 last ening, and were greeted by a large thering of local knights. Earnest peal for greater community influ- ce in the state by Knights of Pyth- s orders, and a campaign to interest e youth between 18 and 21 in the aching of the order constituted the ief keys of the grand chancellor's ecch. "Walt" Gleason also deliver- a masterly address. After the rmal session of the lodge, refresh- ents were served.

Maccabees Meeting—
The Lady Maccabees will hold eir regular meeting Wednesday ening at 7:30 o'clock at K. P. all. The state commander will be guest, and all Lady Maccabees and siting Lady Maccabees are urgent- requested to be present. After e regular meeting there will be a cial hour, with a good time, good tertainment and good eats prom- ed.

COMING EVENTS.

Feb. 14-19.—Prune Week in Oregon.
Feb. 16.—Chautauqua Board of directors meet.
Feb. 20-26—Father and Son Week—Banquet at Y. M. C. A., Feb. 24, 6:15 p. m.

Ladies' Aid Meeting—
The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will meet in the Aid room, Wednesday, February 16. All ladies are requested to be present.

Methodist Choir Meeting—
The Methodist Choir will Meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the church.

Quorum Not Present—
No meeting of the American Legion was held last evening, as a quorum failed to be present.

Union Superintendent Here—
Superintendent of Schools French, of Union, was a visitor in La Grande last evening and today.

Verdict for Defendant—
A verdict for the defendant was brought in by the jury in the case of H. J. Newcomb vs. Earnst Thorsen, in circuit court this morning. The amount of the bill in question was $242.62.

Bible Class Meeting—
The Ladies' Bible Class of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. T. Moore, 1905 Third St., Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. All members and friends are invited.

La Granders in Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Byers, of La Grande, are at the Cornelius. Fannie and May Sommer, of La Grande, are registered at the Portland, and Ross Mayfair, of La Grande, is at the Imperial.—Oregon Journal.

Place of Funeral Changed—
The funeral of the late Bernard A. Heinz, woodchopper who died from exposure, will be held tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock at the Catholic Church, Rev. Loeser officiating. The funeral was first announced to be held in Henry's Chapel. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery. Officials were unable to locate any relatives of Heinz.

Another Spelling Match—
The pupils of the third B, in Mrs. G. A. Hogan's room had the regular Friday spell-down last week. About 300 words were spelled. After spelling 250 words, Jay D. Lynch, George Webb, Phylis Dunn and Seville Pratt remained standing, and George Webb came out victorious but had keen competition with Phylis Dunn. Spelling matches in this room are to be regular events this term.

Local Report Is Good—
Rev. E. L. Whiddon leaves today for Western Oregon to attend the district conference where Bishop H. M. DuBose, of Berkeley, Calif., will preside in connection with District Supt. C. L. McCausland. About 30 ministers will attend the Inland District of the Northwest conference. Rev. Whiddon carries with him the best report ever taken from the local M. E. Church South. The church is in an excellent financial condition and 40 new members have been received into the church.

Labor is Plentiful—
Farm labor will probably be extremely plentiful this spring, in the opinion of local farmers. A report from Portland says that 4,500 idle men are seeking farm work. Sherman county recently fixed the following wage scale, which will probably affect the decision as to wages in this county: Single men, $40 a month, with board and room; married men, $60 to $70 a month, house to be furnished; tractor operators, $4 a day, board and room; cooks, $30 a month.

North Powder Case Today—
Today's session of circuit court is occupied in taking testimony in the case of J. B. Coon vs. the City of North Powder. In this case Coon entered suit against the city of North Powder for $900 and interest alleged due him in connection with work done on a water system over six years ago.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES TO TAKE UP SPECIAL WORK

The unanimous endorsement of the Christian citizenship program was given at the meeting of Sunday school superintendents and teachers of boys' classes at the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. last evening. Representatives of a majority of the Protestant churches in La Grande were at the meeting and much enthusiasm was shown in the proposed work. The program will be introduced into the boys' Sunday school classes soon.

In the near future a training class for leaders is to be organized. This class will instruct the leaders in the program which has for its basis the well rounded development of the boys, taking into special consideration those factors in each individual that the school does not bring out sufficiently.

The program covers intellectual, devotional, social and physical development and seeks to balance these four branches of character.

The class is to be organized in the near future, no date having yet been set for the organization meeting of the class. Among the churches represented at the meeting were the following: Methodist, Methodist South, Presbyterian, Christian, Baptist, L. D. S., and Episcopal.

GOVERNMENT TO FURNISH VACCINE FOR BLACKLEG

According to a letter received from John C. Kuhn, forest supervisor at Pendleton, by F. W. Kendall, forest ranger with offices in the local federal building, the forest service will cooperate in every way possible in supplying cattlemen running cattle on the national forests this year with blackleg vaccine.

Arrangements have been made whereby the bureau of animal husbandry, through its Walla Walla representative, Dr. Exline, will furnish the forest service with this vaccine. The plan worked out between the forest supervisor's office at Pendleton and Dr. Exline will result in material reductions in losses from blackleg if forest rangers make a decided effort to induce cattlemen to take ordinary precautions against losses from blackleg.

The vaccine which is to be furnished to the cattlemen will be fresh and of the best quality. Stockmen who wish to take advantage of the offer can leave their application with Mr. Kendall, who will requisition the amount called for here from the Pendleton office.

New Spring Suitings Have Arrived. Prices are from $15.00 to $20.00 cheaper.—TOGGERY. 2-15-3t.

SEAT OF TROUSERS MAY LEAD TO THE OWNERS' ARREST.

OXFORD, N. C., Feb. 15.—The seat of an ordinary pair of jeans trousers is the clue on which Granville county authorities are working in the hope of arresting a negro moonshiner who eluded prohibition ofifcers near Bethel church, five miles from here, a few days ago.

Three officers found three negroes at a still. Surrounding them, one of the officers commanded: "Hands up!" to which one of the negroes replied, we're g'wine away from here." And they did.

Deputy Ed Lyon pursued one of the negroes. Entering a briar patch, Lyon stumbled but grabbed the negro by the seat of his pants. The pants gave way, leaving the seat in possession of Lyon. With this clue the authorities hope to capture the negro, whose still was destroyed.

Canada's Great Winter Sport

Curling enthusiasts enjoying the great outdoor game at Banff, Canada.

NEW SYSTEM IS A SUCCESS

IMPROVED TEACHER MEETING PLANS WORKED OUT.

Superintendent Hampton Succeeds in Bringing Theoretical and Practical Sides Together.

During the past two weeks a new system of grade teacher meetings has been put into effect in the La Grande schools by Superintendent A. C. Hampton. Formerly, teachers of the various grades, first, second, third, etc., met at appointed times, when the matters relating to their particular grades were discussed. Under Mr. Hampton's new system the grade meetings are still held, but the teachers of each grade visit a school at 3 o'clock, where a teacher in that grade is unusually proficient in a particular branch of teaching has charge of a class in that branch. The meetings are held following this class-room visitation.

So far three such visitations have been held, others being scheduled for the balance of the semester. Last week the first grade teachers visited the class of Miss Esther Ryan in reading, and the eighth grade teachers visited the class of Miss Bertha McAllister in spelling. Monday afternoon, the second grade teachers visited the class of Mrs. Mary Bibberstein in arithmetic and number work.

Mr. Hampton stated this morning that his observation of the discussions at the teachers' meetings following these visitations has been that the teachers' self-criticizing faculty is materially sharpened by these visitations which give the individual teachers an opportunity to study the practical side of the work under favorable conditions.

The old system, which Mr. Hampton has practically discarded, centers on the theoretical side of the work and, therefore, fails to be of the greatest good to the teachers.

WEEDS ARE INJURIOUS

Weeds are injurious to man in the following ways: 1. They crowd out the growing crop. 2. They consume the moisture necessary for a crop. 3. They consume the mineral or other food elements essential to a crop. 4. They pull down a crop. 5. They are injurious because they harbor insects. 6. They are injurious because they harbor parasitic fungi. 7. They prevent the proper cultivation of the soil. 8. They may cause conditions which breed diseases. 9. They may poison the soil. 10. They stop drains. 11. They poison animals and man.—Prof. L. H. Pammel, Iowa State College.

URGE TESTING OF SEED CORN

Even When Carefully Selected and Stored It Should Be Tested Before Planting.

Even where seed corn has been carefully gathered and stored it should be thoroughly tested in the spring before planting. The best way to do this is to make a seed corn testing box and test 100 ears separately.

Each kernel that is tested must be perfect, and not injured at the tip when it is removed from the ear. Hand-shelling will give much fewer injured tips than machine shelling, and should be used with all seed corn. If three or more kernels out of ten from any one ear fail to grow it will be wise to test every ear in the entire supply of seed. If the 100 tested ears show no poor ones, further testing of the supply is unnecessary.

PROPER CLUTCH LUBRICATION

Truck Operator Will Do Well to Use Oil Recommended by Manufacturer of Vehicle.

One rule the truck operator will be well advised to cling to as regards the lubrication of the disk clutch, and that is always to use the brand of oil recommended by the maker of the vehicle. The truck clutch shoulders a heavy burden at best and absolutely correct lubrication is essential to efficient operation of continued service.

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LOGGER SLIPS ON HILLSIDE, AND IS IN CRITICAL WAY

WALLOWA, Feb. 15.—Fred Wickham, of Minam, a logger, is at a local hospital suffering from a serious wound just above the hip sustained when he slipped on the mountainside Saturday and rolled a considerable distance, impaling himself upon a broken branch. Doctors hold out little hope of his recovery. Wickham is married but has no children.

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