

ANGLERS NET LARGE TROUT

THE PARK, (Special) — Catching is still high but very clear and catches of large rainbow trout are reported right along. The catches are not so much in the numbers of fish, for while the waters are high and cold the little fishes do not readily bite.

Young and old made up a party last Sunday going to Big Creek where all participated in an old time bass-bait game in which much sport and merriment were the results.

A Vaudeville net was on the program Saturday evening at the Big Creek School house. A number of the Park people attended and report a most enjoyable show.

Mrs. Lydia Vandevanter was visiting her sister Mrs. Alice Lonsley, Big Creek, Sunday. Mrs. Lonsley is the mother of a young baby. Both are doing nicely.

Miss Oella Vandevanter was a visitor to the Lonsley home Sunday.

Frank Wigglesworth transacted business in Union lately.

George Melbow was a visitor to Union recently.

Port Van went to Union on business a few days ago.

Joseph Lay went by team to Union bringing back a new cream separator that he bought from the Union Hardware Company.

Lee Kilburn a Union resident is herding one of Ed Miller's bands of sheep at the old Jerry Thompson place.

Mrs. Rose Lay motored to Baker Monday going by way of Big Creek taking along with her Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walker. They returned in the evening.

Clarence Vanorder went by auto to the Queen City on business Monday.

Joseph Lay hauled a load of wood to the Baker Market Monday.

Kenneth Vanorder bought a new Ford runabout and plans a trip with his mother to Walla Walla in the near future.

Detroit woman pushed her husband out a second story window. He should rent a bungalow.

Ontons up to \$4 a crate will hurt the chewing gum business.

107—Still Likes the Girls



They never get too old—to like the girls. Johnathan Foult, 107, who has just moved to the Soldiers Home, at Danville, Ill., admits he likes them, although he thinks "Flappers" are silly. Johnathan, shown above with Martha Lindberg, was born at Starva, Ill., and passed his 107th year on Dec. 2 last. He has never drank liquor, chewed or smoked tobacco and believes continued and long walks are needed for longevity.

OUTLOOK GOOD AT POWWATKA

WALLOWA, Ore. (Special) — James Plass and Vernon McKendie, returned home the last of the week, from a several days trip in the Okla. country. They made

the trip with a truck, carrying a considerable load. The rain in that portion of the country has been very heavy during the past week, making the roads very muddy, and they state they experienced much difficulty in making some of the hills, having to use teams in places. John Couch, of Leap, delivered some fat hogs here the last of the week.

George Coleman, a Powwatka farmer, was a business visitor here the latter part of the week. Mr. Coleman states the crops are coming along fine that section of the country, and that the rainfall has been very heavy there very muddy, and they state they experienced much difficulty in making some of the hills, having to use teams in places. John Couch, of Leap, delivered some fat hogs here the last of the week.

John Jacobs, of Elk Mountain, was in this section the last of the week. He states that the rains of the past two weeks have reached well over that section of the country, and that the roads have been very muddy.

Mark Courtney and son of Lonsley, were business visitors here the last of the week.

Eugene Castin has been working for B. J. Conner the past several days.

H. O. Anderson and family, and Mrs. T. M. Gastin, of Wallowa visited the last of the week at Mrs. J. B. Gastin's.

Duane and L. V. Lathrop of Leap commenced plowing summerfallow during the past week. They have been busy for the past few weeks with their spring seeding.

Rev. G. H. Froese, has been elected as a delegate to attend the state grange meeting, as a representative of Wallowa grange 503.

George Cousins finished planting his corn the last of the week. He has about twenty-five acres planted in this crop this season.

A number of Diamond Prairie farmers have been busy the past few days working on irrigation ditches, getting them in shape for irrigation season.

Wealth may not be a curse, but it causes a lot of crying.

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Well Built Houses Would Save Lives In Tornado Country

CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—(AP) — If engineering science were applied to the design and construction of dwellings and school houses, they could easily and inexpensively be made proof against the devastation of tornadoes such as recently visited the five middle western states, according to C. C. Williams, head of the department of civil engineering of the University of Illinois.

Even frame and stucco houses can be built sufficiently strong to withstand the force of a tornado. Mr. Williams said. The stresses in a frame dwelling due to wind are calculated at all critical points and the strength of timbers and the holding power of nails are well known, so the entire structure admits of scientific design comparable with a steel riveted building.

"That dwellings, school houses and churches readily collapse under such a storm is due to the fact that the design and details of framing, anchorage and ties have been left entirely to the tradesman, who has little knowledge of the character of stresses set up inside the structure that he is building," Mr. Williams declared. "It merely erects one part on top of another, with toe-nails at best, like a pile of child's blocks, and when the wind comes the pile offers very little resistance to the destructive force."

"Even architects have been engrossed in the appearance and convenience of dwellings to the exclusion of careful thought to the stability. They have unfortunately accepted the tradesman's framing and details."

"A study of the design of a frame dwelling shows that a well sheathed house of average size can be made proof against a tornado at an expenditure of less than one percent of the total cost of the house."

"Man is continually combating the destructive elements of nature. Medical science has largely removed the scourges of disease. Tornadoes are no more a visitation of providence to which man must submit than were the plagues of the Middle Ages. Engineering science, if applied to the design and construction of such buildings as dwellings and school houses, is amply able to protect human life from wholesale destruction by wind, and the failure

to take advantage of this fact in the conservation of human life is a relic of marplot inertia fitting the age of maelstrom and the black death."

Clackamas Jail Broken. OREGON CITY, Ore. — Four prisoners escaped from the Clackamas county jail shortly before midnight, and another given a day's leave of absence to visit his sick daughter is missing. The escape was made by the use of duplicate keys, and four doors were unlocked to allow the imprisoned men their freedom.

The jail breakers arrested Gay Epton, of Portland, serving time following the submission of moonshine manufacture. James O'Connor of Portland, charged with a statutory crime awaiting trial in circuit court. Charles Willam and Leo Adams both of Portland, arrested near Sandy Saturday and charged with possession and transportation of moonshine.

In Bronze



A bust of Jefferson Davis, first president of the Confederate States, has been made in bronze by Celo Nell, sculptor, of Dallas, Tex. Replicas will be placed in the schools throughout the south.

Seattle Pastor Chosen For U. of O. Services

University of Oregon, Eugene, Ore.—(Special) — Rev. Frank H. Matthews, pastor of the University Baptist Church, Seattle, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon June 14, at the graduating exercises of the 1925 class of the University of Oregon. The Rev. Mr. Matthews is himself an Oregon Alumnus and will attend the Commencement week exercises and the reunion of the class of 1895, of which he was a member.

While at Oregon, the Rev. Mr. Matthews was captain of the varsity football team in his senior year and held the office of president of the campus Y. M. C. A. He has been pastor of the University Baptist Church in Seattle since 1919, and served previously for ten years in the pulp of the First Baptist Church of Redlands, Cal. During the war, he was a lecturer in the California army camps.

The Rev. Mr. Matthews' Seattle church is near the campus of the

University of Washington and his congregation contains a number of Washington students. His two sons are undergraduates in the U. of W. The Baptist clergyman is familiar with student life and is a friend of the undergraduates.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered in the First Methodist church, Eugene. Commencement exercises for the class of more than 400 will be held on the following day, June 15, in the Woman's building on the campus, with Dean Joel H. Hildebrand of the University of California as the speaker.

Nemesis of Bedbug Found In Tiny Manitoba Scorpion

WINNIPEG, Man. (AP) — Presented to the world by Prof. V. W. Jackson of the Manitoba Agricultural college, a scorpion is reputed as sure death to bedbugs. The little warrior which has been warring a name, was brought in by a small boy when Professor Jackson broadcast by radio his suspicion that such a scorpion might be

In Manitoba. The new scorpion is smaller than the bedbug, but in numerous experimental combats has always killed the famous nocturnal tormentor.

The bite of this scorpion is not injurious to humans. Unlike scorpions in the tropics and in parts of Manitoba, the bedbug slayer has no tail.

After the boy produced his specimen, the bedbug slayer was found all over Manitoba.

PENDLETON WINS CASE. PENDLETON, Ore.—The Inland Construction company of Portland lost its damage suit against the city of Pendleton here when a motion by the defense that a non-suit be allowed was granted by the Judge Campbell. The motion was made by counsel for the city after the plaintiff company had presented its testimony. The construction company sought damages of \$10,000, claimed to have been caused by the changes in plans authorized by the city while a septic tank was being built.

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