

New Method to Be Used for Eighth Grade Exams

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copy any amount from the text book, but he will find help by turning to it to refresh his memory on some point that has escaped him just for the moment. When writing an examination a pupil often finds that he can not recall the answer to a question. He is then liable to become so nervous and frightened that he will fail in the entire examination. This is really the common sense way to prepare a pupil for his work in the every day world, for if a man has to write an article or prepare a paper on any subject, he does not attempt to depend upon his memory for the proof which he wishes to use from various

sources to substantiate his statements; rather, he has on his table a number of reference books dealing with the subject upon which he is writing. The eighth grade examinations to a large extent, set the standard for teaching, and I am very confident that this new plan will strengthen the work in the eighth grade and give the pupil much more power and confidence than he gains from the memory tests. If his class standing has been high during the year and his English work what it should be, he will pass a good examination. If his class work has been below par, the open text book will be of no help to him during the short hour of the examination."

Local News Happenings in and about town

Home From South.
Sprent Wells of Ely came in last night from a visit in San Francisco.

Regal Arch Tonight.
Regal Arch Chapter will hold their regular meeting tonight at the Masonic hall.

A Ten-Pound Son.
Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor Walter are the proud parents of a ten-pound son, born Sunday morning.

News Camp Meets Tonight.
News Camp, I. O. O. F., meets tonight in regular session. Visiting Patriarchs invited.

Returns to Port.
J. H. Hensley, Fort Klamath's telephone magnate, returned to the Port today after a short sojourn in the county seat.

Expected Home.
County Agriculturalist E. Roland Shaber and wife are expected home

this evening from Corvallis, where they have been attending Farmers' Week and the various conferences held under the auspices of the Oregon Agricultural College.

Suit on Note.
Suit to recover \$109.50 alleged due on a note, and \$50 attorney fees has been commenced in the circuit court here by C. H. Couchman against O. P. and Lida B. Couchman. All parties concerned are residents of Grants Pass, and the property attached under the action is in Josephine county.

Reveries Closed.
The revival meetings held by Emmanuel Baptist church have closed, owing to the fact that Rev. Black has a severe attack of rheumatism. While not largely attended, the meetings were of great spiritual interest, and resulted in several additions to membership and the building up of the church.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 18.—Although most of the city officials and six or seven school board members failed to pass the Binet normal mentality tests now officially used on all Cleveland school children, a majority of the insane patients at Newburg state hospital passed the test easily.

Clevelanders opposed to the Binet test cited these facts today in their fight to have the test abolished. The test is a part of a system of examination under which 1,847 school children have been declared mentally defective. A child of 12, to be normal, according to the Binet, must, after hearing it once, repeat: "I saw in the street a pretty little dog. He had curly brown hair, short legs, and a long tail."

Members of the forest service delivered, during 1915, 149 public addresses, mainly in response to the requests from educational institutions, associations of lumbermen, technical societies, and national forest users.

BRIEF MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frasier are visitors to this city from Fort Klamath.

T. G. Bradley is here on business from Copeco, Calif.

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E. L. Fox is a business visitor from San Francisco.

A. M. Dennison is here from San Francisco.

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J. Frank Adams is in this city from Merrill.

Vernon Larant is a late arrival from Roseburg, Ore.

Our bowling alleys are the best in Southern Oregon. Come in and try them. New Palm, 5th and Main. It

Fred Gilbert is a recent visitor from Oroville, Calif.

Thomas Wordon left recently for Portland, where he will spend the winter.

Improvements of the National forests during 1915 are represented by 108 miles of road, 1,719 miles of trail, 3,267 miles of telephone lines, 106 miles of fire line, 103 lookout structures, 35 bridges, 267 miles of fence, 696 dwellings, barns and other structures, 23 corrals, and 202 water improvements.

HOUSTON'S Metropolitan Amusements

HOUSTON'S OPERA HOUSE
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STAR THEATER
Drama of "WHO FAYE" SERIES
"The System Dance," Lubin Three Reel Drama
"The Evolution of Comedy," Vitaphone Comedy
7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17

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"The White Horse Inn," Lubin Comedy
"Singer's Show," Lubin Drama
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Showings Daily at 8:30
ALL LATEST PICTURES

OPERA HOUSE
Showings Tuesday and Saturday

BIGBEE GOES TO PORTLAND SQUAD

KLAMATH HEAVY OF LAST SUMMER AND HIS BROTHER ARE SIGNED UP BY WALTER MCCREDIE

Lyle Bigbee, the big University of Oregon star who pitched such phenomenal ball for Klamath Falls' phenomenal team last season, has been drafted into professional ranks. He has just accepted an offer from Walter McCredie, manager of the Beavers, and is to report for practice early in the spring at the Beaver training camp.

Bigbee's brother, Carson Bigbee, a player of phenomenal speed, has also been drafted. Young Bigbee will try for the infield, while Lyle was signed for pitcher or outfielder.

The signing of these two clever youngsters was a foregone conclusion, but Hugo Beadek, athletic coach at the University, is in mourning. He had hoped to have them signed with Pittsburg, and he had also counted greatly on Bigbee grit and strength for next fall's football eleven at the University.

SALOON PROBLEM WILL BE TALKED

UNION MEETING OF PROTESTANT CHURCHES TO BE HELD TOMORROW NIGHT TO DISCUSS THIS PHASE OF PROHIBITION

There will be held in the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock a union meeting of all the protestant churches of the city any anyone else interested for the discussion of the "Problems Growing Out of the Closing of the Saloons in Klamath Falls," and "What Should Be Done to Meet Those Problems."

This meeting will take the place of the regular weekly prayer meetings scheduled for this week. These matters have been under discussion at the midweek meetings of the Presbyterian church for the past two weeks, and much interest has been shown. The public is invited to attend and participate in these meetings.

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Golden Rule

Belgian Women and Children Waiting Turns at a Soup Kitchen



This, according to Horace Fletcher, the famous food economist, who brought the photograph with him from Belgium, is just one illustration of the suffering of the Belgian people this winter. It shows scores of Belgian women and children in line before a municipal soup kitchen in the north of France. "There are 2,000,000 such cases," Dr. Fletcher continued. "Many of these will starve if food is not sent from the United States," he said.

BASEBALL TALK HEARD AT STOVE

LOCAL FANS ARE BEGINNING TO THINK OF SPRING, AND LINE IS BEING TAKEN ON LIKELY MATERIAL AT HAND

Although there will have to be some tall old thawing weather before

we hear his umps calling "play ball," Klamath Falls baseball prospects for the season of 1916 are beginning to receive serious consideration. At nearly every session of the Hot Stove League, the talk reverts to baseball, and the chances for another team like last year's wizards.

There was hope in the breasts of some that big Lyle Bigbee might be brought here again this summer to do the heaving. The announcement that he will be a Beaver dispels this, so more scouting is in order.

Local fans believe action should be started at once in order to secure the proper kind of material for a winning team. They point out that if the matter is delayed until spring, the best

men will be picked up by other live towns, and Klamath Falls will be left out.

Klamath Falls demonstrated last year that a winning baseball team will be given splendid support here. In view of this fact, Klamath Falls could well afford to pay good semi-pro players from \$5 to \$10 a game for their playing, as well as provide these men with jobs. This is an inducement that would interest many a good player, providing these are hooked up now.

The payment for playing services is extremely slight, when it is considered that the men practice every night for an hour or two.

The net area actually owned by the public within the national forests of the United States is 163,773,880 acres. The number of national forests is now reduced to 155 as against 163 a year ago.

Twenty-seven new publications were issued last year by the forest service, and 280,000 copies of forest service publications were distributed.

Accurate information about property and farm lands. See Chilcote.

Centennial is being made in the art of housecraft.

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