

A BANK'S MISSION

As a semi-public institution, a bank accepts these definite missions at the time it receives a charter:

1. To encourage individual thrift to the end that the community may record definite financial progress.
2. To so transact its business as to do the greatest possible good to the community which it serves, remembering always that the safety of deposits is of first consideration in any strong bank.

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Malheur County Bank

NYSSA, OREGON

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MALHEUR

RANCH HOUSE BURNS

WILLIAM BLAKE HAS NARROW ESCAPE—CONTENTS OF BUILDING CONSUMED.

W. M. Gregory, better known as Billy, had the misfortune to have his arm thrown out of place, and was also badly bruised about the body. Dr. Stenhamer was called and took him to Vale to determine the amount of injury done.

Orin Rowley and wife have moved to Jordan Valley, where they expect to make their future home.

Mrs. Rosa Morton and children and Mrs. Ed Payne and children returned home from Beulah the last of the week, where they have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Ben Thomas.

Frank Smith has gone to Beulah, where he expects to be for some time riding for cattle.

J. D. Fahy, wife and daughter and Liberty Chastain motored to Vale Friday, returning Saturday.

Most of the farmers of this vicinity have finished their first crop of hay and the second crop is looking fine.

J. C. Medlin and family have moved to their homestead to spend the summer months.

A large number of Westfall people attended the picnic at the Kime grove last Sunday. Every one reported a good time.

Mack Lee was riding a bad one Monday when the horse decided to go through a car, smashing the radiator and breaking the windshield. The rider fortunately escaped injury.

Frank Jones and wife of Vale

ROCKVILLE

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

LARGE CROWD ATTENDED AND EVERYBODY REPORTS A GOOD TIME.

Rockville enjoyed a Sunday school picnic Sunday July 23, on Andrew Greeley's lawn. A large crowd attended. A delicious supper was served in the evening. Everybody reported a good time.

Miss Fay Larue from Kansas is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Miller.

Mr. McLeod and family motored to Caldwell Sunday evening. Mr. McLeod expects to go east with his lambs. Mrs. McLeod will stay at Caldwell until he returns.

Most everybody on Succor creek has finished the first crop of hay.

Mrs. Frank Mullinix and son Stanley visited Mrs. Ellen Maysonholder and Mrs. Bertha Leake.

Mr. Ed Kopp and nephew, Earl Kopp, left for Cornucopia last week. Harold and Henry Maysonholder have been visiting their cousins, Chester and Stanley Mullinix.

passed through Westfall Monday on their way to Ironside.

William Blake, who lives on Dry Creek, woke up the other morning to find his home in flames. Everything was burned. The old man narrowly escaped being burned in the house.

Mr. Jack Welch and wife of Harper were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Clint Hill, Sunday.

Frank Scott left Tuesday for his father's ranch at Beulah.

O.A.C. POULTRY MEETING

600 PERSONS EXPECTED AT STATE WIDE GATHERING AUGUST 1-3 AT COLLEGE.

From 500 to 600 poultrymen of Oregon are expected at the state poultrymen's convention at the college August 1 to 3, according to A. G. Lunn, professor of poultry husbandry.

Three speakers of international reputation—Prof. James R. Rice, head of poultry department at Cornell University, D. J. Raymond Bench, in charge of poultry disease investigation at the University of California, and James Dryden, who by his breeding methods has made the northwest famous as an egg producing section, will address the assembly. Professor Rice will discuss the world poultry situation and some phases of poultry farm management, and Dr. Bench will tell of California's work in assisting poultrymen to combat disease. President W. J. Kerr of the college will address the visitors at the evening session August 2. Demonstrations of killing, picking, canning and culling will be given at the college poultry plant by members of the poultry department. Camp grounds are provided for the visitors.

Crop Standardization Important.

"Standardization of crops as to variety and quality is vital to the welfare of Oregon," declares G. R. Hyslop, farm crop specialist of the Oregon Experiment station. "Sixty-three different varieties of wheat are grown when 14 and possibly 11 would take care of all needs and give a better yield and quality. The discarding of many of the inferior varieties and standardization of those best suited to Oregon conditions will bring an increased yield at practically no increase in cost."

Twenty-five thousand acres of grain were inspected and passed as meeting certification requirements last year, reports Professor Hyslop.

Get Rid of Lice on Hogs.

Lice on hogs can be easily destroyed by the use of smudge oil or the discarded oil drawn from the crank case of the automobile or tractor. It can be applied with a brush in the case of a few hogs or it can be used in connection with rubbing posts. This treatment destroys the lice but does not effect the eggs. It is therefore necessary to give a second treatment at the end of 12 to 14 days when the eggs are hatched. Experiments have shown that lice reduce the effectiveness of the feed as much as one-third.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

Supplementary Feed Valuable.

Now in the days of dry pasture is the time to start feeding supplementary feed such as a little grain or silage. If the farmer finds himself unprepared this year he should plan to put in Vetch and oats in the fall to have a supply next year. This crop will be harvested in June and July and provide ample supply of silage for the summer months.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

Codling Moths Are Due.

The new brood of codling moths is due. Worms will be appearing five to eight days after the appearance of the moths. From Lane county north, therefore, a codling moth spray should be applied July 20 to 30. From the number of worms already evident an August spray is almost inevitable. This will probably be due about August 21 or earlier. Many growers are using a sprayer in all spray applications. The station is inclined to believe this advisable, but considers the addition of the sprayer particularly desirable and worth while in the August cover spray.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

ANTS MARCH IN REGIMENTS

Remarkable Stories Told of Insects That Are a Pest on the Gold Coast of Africa.

The animate curiosity of the African Gold Coast is the driver-ant, which also constitutes its worst pest. The driver-ants consist of the standing army of the insect world. They have a system of caste and rank, and the naturalist gravely tells that the workers are a quarter of an inch long, the soldiers about half an inch, while the stately officers reach seven-eighths of an inch.

A "crack regiment" of driver-ants, solemnly says the Oxford Survey of the British Empire, "marches in close formation, perhaps twelve abreast, forming a line some two inches wide, the soldiers being distributed along the flanks and at regular intervals amongst the workers, on much the same plan as that laid down for a British column in thick country. The force travels at the double, and generally at night, taking as straight a line as possible and selecting all available cover, an advance party having already prepared the way. These insects construct tunnels in exposed spots, perhaps thirty feet in length, with a height and breadth which may be as much as one inch, and provided with airshafts. Every animal makes way for them, for they will attack anything in their path, even fire, their systems of communication enabling them to send reinforcements to any threatened point."

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Real Genius of Poetry.

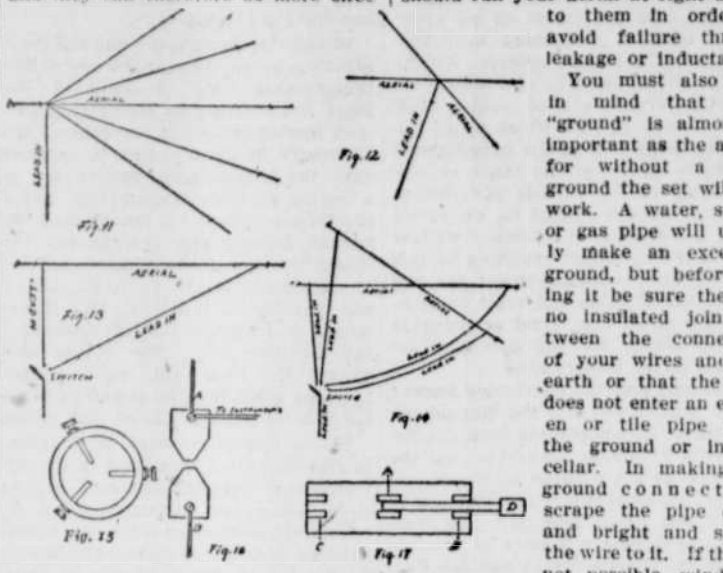
The inner vision lifts us higher into the higher sphere of truth—a truth wherein lies the true genius of poetry.

THE HOME RADIO

How to Make and Use It By A. HYATT VERRILL

VIII. MORE ABOUT AERIALS

If there are several sending stations at various points from your set, it is often a very good plan to run several aerial wires at right angles or radiating as shown in figures 11 and 12, connecting them together and running the lead-in from the point where all join, as shown. Sometimes this principle may be reversed and several lead-ins may be carried from the outer ends of the radiating aerials and joined to form a single lead-in and will bring even better results, figures 13 and 14. These several lead-ins may be connected by means of an anchoring, figure 15, to equalize the waves or currents, or they may be provided with multiple point switches as shown in Figs. 13 and 14. This switch arrangement has the great advantage that you can largely cut out stations you do not wish to hear by using the switch towards the station you desire to hear. This will result in the others being fainter or weaker in comparison and they can therefore be more effectively tuned out by your instruments.



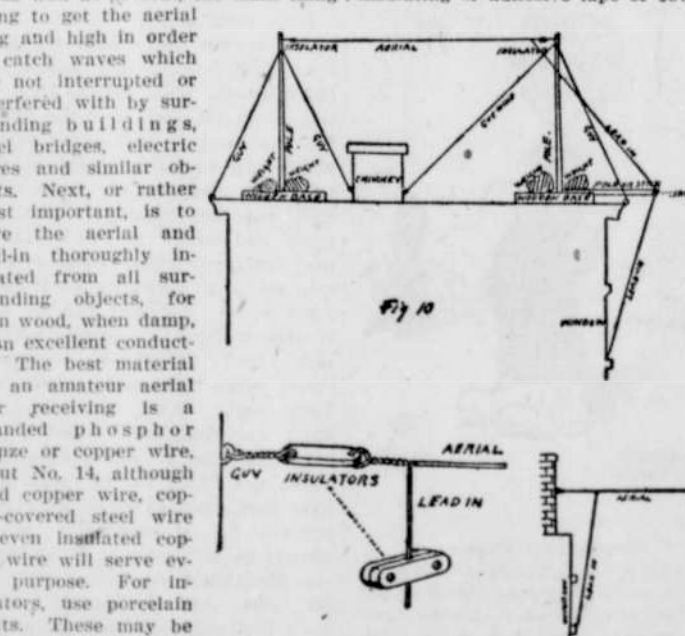
Aerials are most peculiar affairs and a little experimenting will enable you to determine the best size, height and type to use. It is well known that wireless waves are directive, or in other words, that they travel more strongly in one direction away from the sending aerial than in others and while this has been largely obliterated in up-to-date stations, yet the ordinary receiving aerial is directive and will get stronger signals if the lead-in is towards the sending station, or is pointed towards it, so to speak. I know of several cases where amateurs failed utterly to hear voices, music, or even connection with the foil and fine wire and wrap it with adhesive tape. Where no pipe is available carry the ground wire to a sheet of copper, an old copper boiler or a copper tank or basin filled with charcoal and buried at least five feet under the surface of the earth. A lightning rod or fire escape will sometimes make a very good ground. But it is not so much what you use for a ground as how good the connections are and how well the object is grounded. Do not use an electric light or telephone, telegraph or door bell wire for a ground. To repeat, be careful of your connections and sure of your grounding.

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VII. AERIALS AND HOW TO INSTALL THEM

One of the greatest advantages of wireless telephone receivers is that an elaborate or expensive aerial is not required. Although good sets with vacuum bulb detectors may be used with an indoor aerial, or even with a bedstead or wire springs as an aerial, yet an outside aerial will always give better results. As I have already mentioned, a single wire will do as well as several, the main thing being to get the aerial long and high in order to catch waves which are not interrupted or interfered with by surrounding buildings, steel bridges, electric wires and similar objects. Next, or rather most important, is to have the aerial and lead-in thoroughly insulated from all surrounding objects, for even wood, when damp, is an excellent conductor. The best material for an amateur aerial for receiving is a stranded phosphor bronze or copper wire, about No. 14, although solid copper wire, copper-covered steel wire or even insulated copper wire will serve every purpose. For insulators, use porcelain cleats. These may be used both where the lead-in is attached to walls or other objects, and where the aerial wire is attached to the supports or guys. The accompanying figures, No. 9 and No. 10, illustrate aerials installed, the first showing the wire attached to a chimney or similar structure and to a wall; the other, an aerial which is designed for a tin or slate roof and which obviates making holes for attachment. Where the



with "spaghett" tubing. For the best results, be sure to run your lead-in from the end of the aerial towards the station which you most frequently wish to hear or towards the most distant station which you desire to pick up. Very often, this will make a vast difference in results, especially with a small receiving set. Care in following directions will insure good results.

Powerful Lighthouse Beacon.

The Langarr lighthouse has one of the most powerful beacons on the Pacific coast. So bright is the illumination from the lighthouse that the halibut fishermen twenty-five miles distant can operate in the night without difficulty. A stranger entering the lens room would soon find himself ablaze unless made aware of his danger. So rest is the concentration of sun's rays through the huge reflectors that is less than a minute's time a person's clothes become ignited. Heavy blinds are to be kept down during the day to prevent fire.—Vancouver (B. C.) Tribune

Peculiar Reckoning.

When Harry de Wit visited the Siberian Ostiaks he found that they calculated quite long distances in terms of kettles, an almost identical custom at the other end of Asia. If a journey was five kettles long an explorer found they meant that it would take as long as it would to boil five kettles of cold water in succession.

WHAT WE WEAN BY

"SERVICE"

"Service" is a word often thoughtfully misused. Our idea of real banking service is to give more than just ordinary attention to your affairs. We aim to take a personal interest in our customers and study their needs in order that we may serve them better.

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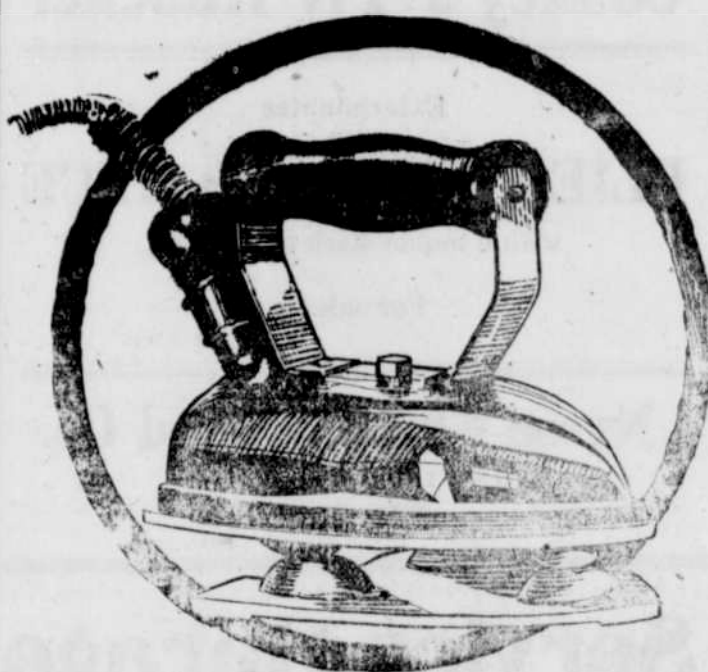
SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday School..... 10:00 a. m.
Preaching services..... 11:00 a. m.
Preaching Services..... 7:30 p. m.

by Glenn Davis

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Extraordinary Electric Iron Offer During Aug.



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HATS USED TO DENOTE RANK

In China Headgear to the Value of Many Thousands of Dollars is Not Uncommon.

The natives of the Philippines and South Sea Islands wear large sun-hats as a protection from the heat. Palm leaves of various kinds furnish the material generally used, but the shapes differ. Some are woven flat and some with a peak. The commonest form in the Philippines is made of palm leaves covered with cane, a cane bander giving an air space above the head. The ornamentation of these hats is very simple; no colors are used, with the exception of brown, which is occasionally introduced in the use of hemp.

In China, in addition to the large, peaked coolie hat used as a protection against heat, there is the hat which is emblematic of rank. The social position of a Manchu woman, for instance, can always be determined by the ornaments on her bonnet, often consisting of precious jewels. These hats range in price from a few dollars to as high as \$10,000 apiece. One of the most interesting specimens on exhibition at the Brooklyn museum is a hat covered with delicate ornaments of turquoise blue kingfisher's feathers, an imitation of jewels formerly used, fastened to a frame of a stiff black open mesh. These ornaments, which are made with a metal foundation, stand out about half an inch from the hat itself, and are beautiful both in design and color.

BONDS CALLED FOR PAYMENT.

Malheur County, School District No. 26, Nyssa, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that the total remaining outstanding block of

an issue of \$8000 bonds of the above mentioned school district, dated August 18, nineteen hundred and eight; due August 18, nineteen hundred twenty-eight; option for redemption on and after August 18, nineteen hundred eighteen; being bonds numbered 1 to 8, inclusive, in denominations of \$1000 each, are called for payment and will be paid on and after Sept. 1, A. D. nineteen hundred twenty-two, and no interest will be allowed after Sept. 1, A. D. nineteen hundred twenty-two.

LINA N. SHERWOOD, Clerk, County School District, No. 26, Nyssa, Oregon.

BONDS CALLED FOR PAYMENT.

Malheur County, School District No. 26, Nyssa, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that the total remaining outstanding block of an issue of \$2000 bonds of the above mentioned school district, dated January 25, nineteen hundred and nine; due January 25, nineteen hundred and twenty-nine; optional for redemption on and after January 25, nineteen hundred and nineteen; being bonds numbered 1 to 2, inclusive, in denominations of \$1000 each, are called for payment and will be paid on and after September 1, A. D. nineteen hundred twenty-two, and no interest will be allowed after September 1, A. D. nineteen hundred twenty-two.

LINA N. SHERWOOD, Clerk, County School District, No. 26, Nyssa, Oregon.

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NYSSA WILL HAVE SLENDID SCHOOL

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MAINTAIN STANDARD

SUPERIOR HIGH SCHOOL

CORPS OF COMPETENT STRUCTORS SECURED A GOOD WORK ASSURED

The Nyssa public school open on Monday, September 1, forward to one of the most full school years in the history of Nyssa. Care has been taken selection of the corps of teachers and everything possible to maintain the standard of the at the high level it has enjoyed the past. Special care has been taken to insure that the high school of Nyssa is justly shall suffer no deterioration of fact, its standard of excellence be raised if possible, and from outside districts may take advantage of the excellent educational facilities with the full assurance that their children are receiving the best possible instruction. In the department of school, S. D. Goshart, one of the rectors, said:

"The school board fully realizes the importance of maintaining high school at the highest standard and the personal high school teaching force that the work in this department will be of a high order. The board, in the interest of the school, has slightly reduced the force from that of last year, not been done at the expense of efficiency, and acre has been that the high school part shall be maintained at the possible standard."

Dr. J. J. Sarazin returned day from a three-weeks visit old home in Michigan.

MALHEUR

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

WOMAN AND THREE CHILD IN BUGGY WHEN HORSE RUN AWAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Huggs of Boise passed through here day enroute to Portland by the train. They formerly lived here a few years and have since they had been away.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Ward left Monday for their home in land after several weeks visit with his mother, Mrs. Fanni gent.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Long Astoria are visiting here, the of her sister, Mrs. George H. fish. Mr. Longway has a child born in the town of Ms Mrs. C. H. Bronson and children narrowly escaped killed one day last week, when neckyoke slipped back on the of the buggy. The horses to run away, but she succeeded stopping them before any harm done.

Charles Follett was in town his ranch the last of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Dots daughter, Mrs. R. W. W. left Sunday for the mountain huckleberries.

Clarence and Floyd Howa Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woodcock home from Baker Thursday, they had been to attend the of their father, Baltimore E who passed away at his B Baker last week. The sympathy this community is extended family.

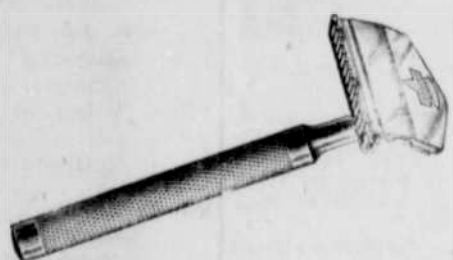
G. R. Delamater of Baker business visitor here at the sham ranch one day last week. H. G. Kingston and far Lockhart visited here with Mrs. H. M. Rutherford, last week.

Mrs. F. H. Howard and lit Eldred, spent the week at Mrs. J. B. Woodcock.

Frank Elliott was a business visitor here from Bridgeport St. C. O. Howard of Baker business visitor here last week.

Shakespeare's Hamlet in 16 As the Greek tongue is made and eloquent by Homer. Hesiod. Iliad. Aeschylus. Sophocles. P. Phocylides and Aristophanes. Latin tongue by Virgil. Ovid. Silius. Italian by Lucanus. L. Amelius and Claudius. so it has tongue is mightily have rare ornaments and resplendent ornaments by Sir Philip Sidney. Daniel. Drayton. Warner. Spenser. Marlowe and Chapman. as Meres, in Palladia Tamia.

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