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## Newsy Notes of Pendleton

**Marriage License Issued.**  
A marriage license has been issued to Thomas H. Matthews and Lena A. Madison, both residents of this county.

**Bean Adjudicates Water Rights.**  
Circuit Judge H. J. Bean returned last night from La Grande where he adjudicated most of the water rights in the Grande Ronde valley. Some of the rights dated back as far as 1865.

**Boys Gilliland Home.**  
County Judge T. P. Gilliland has sold his residence property on Garden street to James Cooper, one of the managers of the Bowman hotel. The sale was made through Lee Teutech.

**Current Literature Club.**  
The Current Literature club will meet at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. J. Smith on Lewis street. The club tomorrow will be entertained by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. R. E. Ringo.

**Division Superintendent Here.**  
W. Boltons, division superintendent of the O.-W. R. & N. company, has his private car set out in Pendleton today but he himself is in the west end of the county inspecting the road improvements there.

**Sues for Money.**  
Victor Lidvall has instituted suit through his attorney, James A. Fee, for \$215 alleged to be due him from Rosa Guderman for cutting her grain the past season. He also asks for interest at 6 per cent and costs.

**Pendleton Chickens Win.**  
F. O. Elliott, the local breeder of Barred Plymouth Rocks is a very happy man today. His birds have just returned from Pomeroy, Washington, where they won first, second and third pullet, third cockerel and second pen. The competition was keen.

**Brother-in-law Killed.**  
C. E. Graham, well known farmer living 10 miles northwest of Pendleton, has just received news of the death of his wife's brother, J. R. Losbaugh, in Portland on December 21. At the time the young man was working for the electric company and he fell a distance of 20 feet to the pavement, after having come in contact with a live wire. He leaves a wife to whom he had been married but a short time. Last March the unfortunate man's father lost a leg while running a sawmill at Bridge, Coos county.

**Baptists Elect Officers.**  
At the regular business meeting of the members of the Baptist church last night, the reports of the various officers and heads of departments were read and accepted after which an election of officers for the ensuing year was held. The following was the result: Trustees, R. E. Ringo, F. K. Welles, R. H. Wilcox, H. E. Edwards and L. F. Nichols; financial secretary, R. H. Wilcox; clerk, Mrs. Mary Harvey; treasurer, Mrs. Mary E. Johnson; chorister, F. K. Welles; Sunday school superintendent, Ben F. Hill; president Young People's Union, James B. Hartwell.

**Represented U. of O. at Convention.**  
James Johns, jr. returned this morning from Spokane, where he represented the University of Oregon at the convention of the conference colleges held in that city. Johns is manager-elect of football at Oregon and made a preliminary schedule for his team at the convention. A contract was entered into with Washington, which secures a game between the two big northwest colleges next year and the year following, the first to be played in Portland and the second in Seattle. Johns also stated that his team would probably meet all of the other conference colleges with the possible exception of O. A. C. during the next season. At the convention he was elected to act as secretary.

**Holdman Woman Dies.**  
Word was received at the undertaking parlors of Ralph Folsom today of the death of Mrs. Rebecca Etters in Holdman this morning at 3:15 of brain paralysis. The deceased woman was well known around Holdman, having been a resident of this county for the past 22 years. She came to Oregon from Texas in company with her husband, John Etter, who died about one year ago. Mrs. Etter at the time of her death was aged 52 years, 9 months and 25 days and is survived by two daughters and one son as follows: Mrs. John Hartle, Mrs. Claude Cady and Roy Etter all of Holdman, J. Trohaugh of Spokane and William Haun of Milton are both brothers-in-law of the deceased. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. at Holdman with interment in the cemetery at that place.

**INDIANS PARTICIPATING IN MID-WINTER CAMPMEETING**  
(By J. M. Cornelson.)

The opening service of the special evangelistic meeting at the Tutuilla church was held last night with Rev. Wm. Wheeler, the pastor of the Kamiah Second church as leader and Rev. James Hayes, pastor of Kamiah First church, to give the opening sermon. There will be services each day following at 9 a. m., 2:00 p. m. and 7:00 p. m., with these ministers as leader and speaker alternately. There arrived on Wednesday and again Thursday a number of prominent men and women who are members of the Idaho churches on the Nez Perce reservation. Among them were Revs. James Hayes and Wm. Wheeler, Kamiah; Wm. Parsons, Luke Williams, Felix Corbett, Darwin Corbett, Emma Williams, Nettie Thomas, Lotie Thomas, Elizabeth Green, Alice Ruboine, also of Kamiah; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Reuben, Mr. and Mrs. Red Duck of Lapwai; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Jackson of Gifford, Ida., and

Mrs. Alexander Hays and several other from different points. Special railroad rates have been secured for the campmeeting, as usual by the missioner, and it is expected that the number of visitors from the different reservations will exceed 50 so as to be benefited by the rate on returning. The Xmas services which were conducted by the pastor, Mr. Dickson, were very successful and all are in a good spirit of readiness for the special camp meeting date. Three have united with the church and eleven have joined the temperance society. New officers have been chosen for the societies for the coming year. The trustees have just announced that they will have their New Year's dinner on Tuesday, January 3, toward the close of the campmeeting, to which all are invited, as all are also invited to attend any or all the services for all coming will be entertained and their horses cared for.

**BAKER'S DEFEAT COMPLAINTS CONSIDERED RIDICULOUS**  
(Continued from Page One.)

**Irate Citizens to Protest.**  
Baker, Ore., Dec. 28.—Determined efforts will be made by the business interests of Baker to have the decision of Acting Governor Bowerman's asylum set aside and the location decided strictly upon its merits. Business men here allege Bowerman has not given them a square deal and will demand that Governor Benson take up the matter and see that a fair decision is given. If they fail in this the courts will be resorted to and an effort will be made to have an injunction issued against locating the asylum at Pendleton.

People here have no grudge against Pendleton, but believe that Bowerman used power in selecting the site to further his own interests and have evidence pointing in this connection. A delegation of Baker business men visited Salem some days ago to make a final appeal to the state board in favor of Baker. The reports they saw on file there of soil experts who visited all the sites and secured data upon which to make reports were in favor of Baker, and the engineers' reports made recommendations in favor of this city. It is said Governor Bowerman ordered the engineers and soil men to withdraw the reports and eliminate everything favorable to Baker. The reports now on file are not the same as the ones viewed by Baker men a few days ago.

The Baker Commercial club has the matter in hand and a definite plan of action is expected to be outlined Thursday. Attorneys for the club now in Portland will arrive home tonight. A meeting will be held tomorrow and an appeal made to Governor Benson and if he fails to take action the courts will be resorted to.

The deal is said to be the rankest that has ever been made in this part of the state. At a banquet given in his honor here Bowerman said he would select a site strictly upon the merits of the localities.

Another raw part of the deal is the appointment of J. D. Plamondon of Athena, as superintendent of the asylum. It is said that C. A. Barrett promised his vote to Bowerman as leader of the senate in exchange for this favor, as Plamondon is a relative of Barrett.

**La Grande Is Philosophical.**  
"We suppose the proper thing to say right now is that an insane asylum is an undesirable thing to have in a county; that it repels rather than attracts settlers in this vicinity; that it discourages the young who get jobs as attendants, etc., etc."

"Yes, we might say all those things at this time of defeat, but we are not going to do it. It is enough to know that the little city of Union made a most gallant fight for what she believed she was entitled to and lost. Her methods were fair, honest and upright, because Tom Wright, W. J. Townley and a half hundred more Union citizens have done their fighting that way for two score years and it is the only way they know. They put forth every merit Union possessed, and we want to say they had a galaxy of facts which seemed to us impossible to overcome. These men did not enter the contest making it a life or death proposition, but they put up a campaign that is a credit to their city, even in defeat."

"And to be a good loser is better than to be a winner, for as N. K. West used to remark, 'Anybody can win occasionally.' Union is a good loser. There are no sore spots on her. She feels that she made good in everything asked of her by the board, and with that she is willing to dismiss the matter and take up something of more importance."—La Grande Observer.

**ABERDEEN'S POLICE FORCE DISCHARGED BY MAYOR**

Aberdeen, Wash., Dec. 29.—Mayor E. F. Benn has dismissed the entire police force of this city. Sunday, Chief of Police Dean quit and with him go 14 patrolmen, the entire force. The action is the outgrowth of the complaint of Harry Carlgast, a logger, who, arrested for drunkenness, was beaten by members of the force.

**Britain's Pauperism Less.**  
John Burns, president of the Longdown government board, added to the joy of his party in the midst of the general elections which are losing interest. He points out that pauperism in Great Britain has greatly decreased in amount, although it has increased in cost. At present the outdoor pauperism is the lowest ever recorded for England and Wales, and the lowest in London for seven years, while the indoor pauperism of the metropolis is the lowest in three years.

**Salt Output of Turks Island.**  
Consul J. A. Howells reports that the salt crop in Turks Island for the season just ended is estimated at 1,075,000 bushels, about half the amount gathered in the best years. The price has held firmly at 6 cents per bushel for coarse and 8 cents for fish, or ground, salt.

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## G. M. RICE MAY GO TO PORTLAND

**OFFERED GOOD POSITION WITH PROMINENT BANK**  
Cashier of First National Not Fully Decided as to Action Notwithstanding Report Published in Portland Paper Yesterday.

"G. M. Rice, who has been cashier of the First National bank of Pendleton the past six years, has been appointed cashier of the Lumbermen's National bank of Portland and will take charge of his new office soon after the first of the New Year."

"Mr. Rice has just returned from Portland, where he spent several days looking over the situation before finally accepting the position with the Portland institution."

Mr. Rice learned the banking business under the tutelage of Levi Ankeny, of Walla Walla. His first position of trust was at Watsburg, Wash., where he served as cashier of the Watsburg National bank for six and one-half years, during which time the deposits increased from \$39,000 to \$175,000. He was then transferred to Mr. Ankeny's bank at Dayton, Wash. During his service there the deposits increased from \$200,000 to \$600,000.

When C. B. Wade, cashier of the First National bank of Pendleton misappropriated large sums in 1905, resulting in almost wrecking the institution, Mr. Ankeny transferred Mr. Rice from Dayton to Pendleton. The deposits in the Pendleton bank had dwindled from nearly \$1,000,000 to \$469,000 when Mr. Rice took charge of the institution. Under his direction the bank rapidly recovered from the effect of Wade's speculations and it now carries deposits aggregating \$1,500,000.

Succeeding Mr. Rice as cashier of the Pendleton bank is G. A. Hartman, Jr., son of G. A. Hartman of Portland, and brother of E. A. Hartman, paying teller at the First National bank in Portland.

Mr. Rice will leave with his family early next week for Portland.

**Report Not Authorized.**  
The foregoing dispatch appeared in the columns of the Portland Oregonian yesterday morning under a Pendleton date line but it is probable that it was written in that city as it was not authorized here.

It has been common property for the past two months that Mr. Rice had been offered the position of cashier of the Lumbermen's National bank and it has been known that he has been strongly considering the proposition, but he has persistently refused to confirm or deny any and all reports, stating that the matter had not been decided definitely.

In spite of the announcement in the Portland paper, when seen today Mr. Rice still maintained his non-committal attitude stating that the change of positions was not such a well established fact as to warrant a public announcement to that effect. He admitted that he was considering such a proposition and considering it seriously but would not say that the matter was decided beyond all possibility of a doubt.

Many of his friends believe he will accept the proffered position, and while they regret very much to see such a constructive citizen leave Pendleton, they recognize the tribute which is paid him by the selection. Still others of his friends refuse to place credence in the announcement, pointing out that his interests are all with the Pendleton bank and that at the last minute he will decide to remain here.

While it is very probable that Mr. Rice has made up his mind to accept the position, from his reluctance to make any statement for publication it is also probable that his decision is not beyond recall.

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## SALOON LICENSES ORDERED ISSUED

**TWELVE MEN FORMERLY SELECTED ARE FAVORED**

**New Law Goes Into Effect Monday—All Near Beer Saloons Now Closed—Stringent Ordinance to Be Modified Slightly.**

Without a dissenting voice and with but little discussion the applications of licenses under the new liquor ordinance which were tentatively approved at the last meeting of the council, were finally considered last night and the applicants were granted their licenses. These will be dated January 1 but will not become effective until the 2nd as the 1st falls on Sunday. By the action of the council twelve men are granted saloon licenses, four were granted drug store licenses, one a restaurant license and one a wholesaler's license.

The twelve chosen to serve drinks over the bar are the same whose applications were considered favorably last week. They are as follows: William W. Hoch, James H. Taylor, W. G. Bogart, Alfred Schneider, Herman Peters, Martin Anderson, Henry Latourelle, George Darveau, W. A. Brown, Antonio Kraft, Paul Hemmelgarn and H. F. Peters. Drug store licenses were granted to the Pendleton Drug company, the Tailman Drug company, F. J. Donaldson and Koopen Brothers, a restaurant license was granted to Gus La Fontaine, proprietor of the Quelle, and a wholesaler's license to Henry Kopitke for the Pendleton Ice and Cold Storage company. This latter was, however, granted with the provision that the secretary of the company approve the bond given.

The granting of these licenses followed the recommendation of City Attorney Raley, who reported that all of the applications and bonds were regular and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance. However, he reported further that none of the buildings in which are now located near beer saloons fulfilled the requirements that no more than one-sixth of the frontage be of opaque substance. Some discussion followed which showed plainly that it was not the intention of the council to demand the entire remodeling of the fronts, and the city attorney was finally instructed to prepare an amendment which would secure a good open front and at the same time be fair to the licensees. This amendment will be presented at the next meeting.

**Drinking Places Closed.**  
The thirsty ones about Pendleton today are suffering for want of a

place in which to buy a drink. All of the establishments are strictly observing their agreement not to sell any more near beer and any wavering resolution they might have is bolstered up by the remembrance of an admonition given them yesterday by Judge H. J. Bean. This was in connection with fines imposed upon a number of them for selling more than two per cent beer.

The conviction of this offense was made some time ago in the local court but the case was appealed to the supreme court. That tribunal has upheld Judge Bean and yesterday the sentences were pronounced.

Ten of the convicted men, Antonio Nolte, A. Schneider, Herman Peters, Harvey Taylor, Paul Hemmelgarn, William Hoch, Martin Anderson, all of Pendleton; Peter Murray, Adams, George Brishols, Athens; W. R. Hardin and James Huggins, Athens, were fined \$50 and costs for the first offense, \$50 and costs for the second offense and a jail sentence of ten days. The jail sentences were, however, suspended pending good behavior.

Nineteen others over the county were fined \$50 and costs, having been convicted of only one offense. They are as follows:

Fred Gordon, Pendleton; Frank Cline, Umatilla; H. F. Peters, Pendleton; Peter Tillson, Umatilla; Al Sigman, Athena; Henry Latourelle, Jas. H. Doty, Wm. Bogart, Antonio Kraft, Pendleton; J. N. Kline, Weston; Thos. Murrell, Pendleton; V. O. Kelley, Freewater; John Estes, Athens; A. G. Longnecker, Mel Norman, M. H. Gillett, Echo; John Bradburn, Lou Bradburn, Pilot Rock.

## SHERIFF WINS IN THREE YEAR CHASE

Another evidence of the perseverance of Sheriff Taylor as a tracker of criminals was furnished this morning when he arrived from Lebanon with Harry Queen, wanted here for stealing a horse three years ago from James Baldwin of Ukiah. The crime was committed in July, 1907, and at that time the sheriff chased Queen for several months but he succeeded in catching the railroad company that the recent trace of him was secured and Taylor apprehended him in the Linn county town where he was employed. A broken nose and other well defined marks of identification were the direct cause of his capture.

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