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## SECRETARY KEEFE IS NOW ON DECK

COMMERCIAL CLUB MAN BEGINS DUTIES TODAY

Will Have Charge of Club Rooms and Employ Janitor—Active Campaign for New Members to Be Waged.

The Pendleton Commercial club now has a paid secretary and the earnest desire of many members during the past few years is at last realized.

J. E. Keefe, who was elected as secretary a month ago, enters upon his duties this evening. He came down from Weston this morning with the ball team and this afternoon is playing his last game with the nine of which he has been the leader during the past two years.

It was presumed until today that Keefe would not begin his duties until the first of the month but upon arriving this morning he announced to President Smythe his readiness to start work at once. The news was received with pleasure by Smythe who has been waiting anxiously for his arrival.

By action of the board of managers the care of the club rooms is left in the hands of Secretary Keefe who is authorized to employ a janitor to do the menial work about the establishment. It is the intention to have the rooms thoroughly cleaned and some alterations in the arrangements may also be made.

A vigorous campaign for new members is to be started at once and an effort will be made to get every business man, professional man and property owner of the city upon the club roster.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF INQUIRY

Collision Between Train No. 15 (Motor Car) and Train No. 56 at Stanfield 6:41 P. M., May 26th.

Train No. 15 (motor car No. 2) Conductor Sherry, motorman Carpenter, collided with train No. 56, engine 365, Conductor Ray, Engineer Graybill, consisting of 3 loads and one empty, 1252 tons, 400 feet west of west switch at Stanfield at 6:41 p. m. May 26.

The following passengers slightly injured: Mrs. P. E. Warren, Pendleton; Spencer J. Brown, Spokane; G. H. Jackson, Seattle; Mrs. James Loudermiller, Hermiston.

Damage to equipment \$420.00.

The board of inquiry find that this accident was caused by Conductor Ray and Engineer Graybill, train No. 56, occupying main track on the time of a superior train in violation of rule No. 87, and motorman R. C. Carpenter of motor train No. 15, disregarding block signal at stop in violation of rule 504.

We, therefore, find that Conductor Ray, Engineer Graybill and Motorman Carpenter are responsible for this accident.

W. Bollons, Supt., W. R. Ladd, Asst. Supt., A. Buckley, Asst. Supt., F. L. Coykendall, Asst. Supt., Frank Sloan, farmer; Lewis S. Sires, blacksmith; H. G. Newport, contractor.

Maryland Hunts Meet. Baltimore, May 29.—What promises to be one of the classiest amateur race meets ever held by the Maryland Hunts was commenced today and will be continued on Thursday and Saturday. Leaders in the society of Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and other cities are attending the meet as participants or spectators.

It is natural that an expectant who has been cut off by a will should suffer from a lack of will power.

## Newsy Notes of Pendleton

**W. O. W. Hold Social Session.**  
Pendleton Camp, W. O. W., held its regular meeting last night and after the election of officers for the ensuing six months, repaired to the Hobback ice cream parlors and enjoyed a treat of ice cream and strawberries.

**Waffles Sail for Europe.**  
According to a letter just received by friends in the city Dr. Eldred B. Waffle and wife, Dr. Clara Waffle, embarked at New York on last Thursday, May 25 for Europe. They will sail directly to Norway where they will visit for awhile before beginning their tour of the continent.

**Hot Wire Dropped.**  
While electricians employed by the Pacific Power & Light company were working at the corner of Main and Webb streets yesterday a live wire fell across the phone wires on the east side of Main street. The accident caused a spectacle for a moment and when it was over a dozen telephone wires had been burned in two. However the damage was soon repaired and it is understood that the phone service was interrupted but a short time.

**Well Known Indian Dies.**  
Peter Salah, a well known Indian on the reservation, died at his place across the river from the agency Sunday and was buried this morning. A large concourse of tribesmen and white people attending the funeral rites. The services were conducted by Father Mead of the agency who sang the requiem high mass. Salah was about eighty years of age at the time of death. It is not known just what was the cause of his demise but many are of the opinion that he was a sufferer from appendicitis.

**Perspective of Round-up Park.**  
Citizens of Pendleton who wish to know what Round-up Park will look like when all of the improvements are completed can get an idea by standing in at the south window of The Peoples Warehouse, Swingle & Wells, the Portland architects who prepared the plans for the grandstand and bleachers, have placed here a colored drawing of the park as it will be, showing the track, grandstand, bleachers, arena, Indian village, trees, bucking bronches, cowboys, bull dogs and other performers in action.

## STATUE OF LINCOLN IS UNVEILED TODAY

Newark, N. J., May 30.—The Gutenberg Borglum statue of Abraham Lincoln, which is believed to be the largest bronze ever cast in one piece was unveiled today by Colonel Roosevelt. Before the ceremony Roosevelt reviewed a parade of the veterans.

## WIRELESS OFFICERS ARE CONVICTED AND SENTENCED

New York, May 30.—Christopher Columbus Wilson, president of the United Wireless Telegraph company, and four of his associates, were convicted in the criminal branch of the United States circuit court today of fraudulent use of the mails to solicit subscriptions to wireless stock. Judge Martin immediately imposed sentence as follows:

President Wilson, three years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta; George H. Parker and F. E. Butler, two years each in the same penitentiary; W. D. Diboll and W. W. Tompkins, one year each in same. New York penitentiary. Parker formerly lived in Seattle, Wash, where he made his fortune. Judge Martin committed the five men to the Tombs under a ten days' stay to allow an appeal.

## ELECTRIC POWER TO IRRIGATE RANCH

Pasco, Wash., May 30.—The big 317-acre ranch known as the Kieeb-Cox ranch has been improved by the installation of an electric power plant for pumping purposes. This plant gives the owners, if they so desire, a continuous flow of water on their land. Under the present system, the pumps will deliver 800 gallons a minute, but by installing the electric power system in place of the flow being intermittent, it is practically continuous.

On the ranch are 35 acres planted to alfalfa and 100 acres more will be sown with the same crop. Quite a part of the ranch is devoted to fruits, 125 acres being given over to an orchard of about 7000 trees, principally peach and apple trees. The ranch now has a \$5000 payroll annually.

## MECHANIC KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE RACE

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ed up for the start and the drivers, goggled and grim, waited impatiently for the signal that would send them on their way, risking life and limb to make a Hoosier holiday. Every possible protection for drivers and spectators has been provided by the management of the speedway, but with more than two-score cars flying about a single narrow track at a speed of a mile a minute, it will be almost miraculous if the day passes without some fatal accident. Every driver entered in the race realizes that he is flirting with death, but the purse of gold at the end serves to make the game worth the candle. Ten thousand dollars from the management of the meet and nearly half as much more in special will be the reward of the man who first finished the five-hundred mile grind, and the next nine will receive smaller sums and lesser meeds of glory. For the other thirty-six there will be only disappointment, and maybe broken limbs or worse.

The Oklahoma woman who has 13 sons, all under 5 years of age, probably also has her hands full most of the time.

## WALLA WALLA WILL NOT PROTEST GAME

Walla Walla will not protest the 7 to 6 game with Pendleton last Sunday even if some of her fans and players are somewhat disgruntled. According to a telegram received this morning by Carl Cooley, secretary of the league, from Frank Innis, secretary of the Garden City club, all such talk is "bunk" as is the rumor to the effect that Manager Bade will refuse to bring his team over for the game a week from next Sunday. The telegram follows:

"Friend Carl—Any report about protest of game is false. Give regards to boys and let 'er buck. Will see you June 11.

"FRANK INNIS."

While many of the Walla Walla fans are sore at the loss of the game, they have too much good sense to believe that they have any just grounds for protest. They know that the game was won fairly if by good luck and that Umpire Buerstatte officiated honestly and impartially.

Regarding that decision which resulted in Fischer Mitchell or Walker being put out of the game they have been much comment and discussion. Many are under the impression that the umpire called Dickson's bunt which rolled out of the diamond a fair ball, which is not the case. As Buerstatte and Mitchell were running over to the ball together, the one to watch its course and the other to pick it up, the former said, "It hit fair," but a moment later in rendering his decision, called it a foul and motioned Dickson off the bag. Mitchell, however, was much incensed because he thought Buerstatte had called it fair and proceeded to abuse him, although he did not call him vile names as reported. Buerstatte told him if he wished to finish the game he would have to stop "ragging," whereupon Mitchell retorted that he didn't care whether or not he finished the game. After he had repeated this several times and refused to go ahead with the game, Buerstatte ordered him to the bench and refused to withdraw his order upon the supplication or threats of the Walla Walla players. Mitchell, himself, even adopted a placating tone, without result. The feeling here is that he brought the punishment on himself and that Buerstatte was justified in benching him.

## WILL IMPROVE TOMBIGBEE RIVER

Columbus, Miss., May 30.—In response to a call issued jointly by the governors of Mississippi and Alabama, a large number of delegates assembled here today for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization of the Tombigbee River Improvement association. The convention will secure the services of an expert secretary to direct the work of securing and compiling the figures on the tonnage of the Tombigbee; both actual and prospective, and a delegation will be named to appear before the next congress and present the need for the improvement of the river.

The executive committee of the new association includes Senator John Sharp Williams, Senator H. D. Money, Senator J. H. Bankhead, Senator Leroy Percy, Gov. Emmett O'Neal of Alabama, Gov. E. F. Noel of Mississippi and other prominent men of the two states through which the Tombigbee flows.

## Second Fiddle for Hoosier Vets.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 30.—Hoosier veterans played second fiddle today, the great automobile race and other sporting events completely eclipsing the Decoration Day program. The observance of the day will be rounded out this evening with a boxing tournament, in which Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee will meet Jack Dillon of this city in the main event of ten rounds. Two other events will be decided, Paddy Lavin of Buffalo tackling Jack Herrick of Wewanee, Ill., and Jack White of Chicago taking on Joe Mandot of New Orleans. Kid-McCoy will act as referee.

## MEXICAN BANDITS BURN AMERICAN AT STAKE

San Francisco, May 30.—Refusing to comply with demands for money by a band of bandits at Ajuno, Michoacan, Robert J. Sweazey, an American superintendent of the Central railroad of Michoacan, was burned at the stake on May 18, according to the story of Joseph Hansfelder, one of the refugees who arrived here yesterday on the steamer Newport from Manzanillo.

Hansfelder says that the bandits had made demands for money of every American in the district. Some complied, but Sweazey refused to pay. Hansfelder declares that he made his way to Sweazey's house, three miles distant from his own home on May 19, and found the house burned to the ground and Sweazey's body lashed to a post in the midst of the burning embers. Mrs. Sweazey had disappeared, and is believed to have been taken prisoner by the bandits and held for ransom.

Fearing his own house would be attacked, Hansfelder, with his family made his way to Manzanillo and took passage for the United States. Sweazey is believed by Hansfelder to have been a former resident of San Diego.

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## MANY GRADUATES TO CONTINUE EDUCATION

Fully fifty per cent of the members of the 1911 graduating class of the Pendleton high school will continue their education in some college or university. This is an unusually high percentage although Pendleton has sent a large number of students to institutions of higher learning for the last seven or eight years.

The University of Oregon and the Oregon Agricultural College will get the majority of the students who will go on to college, each of these institutions drawing four each. Brooke Dickson, Dude Devine and Dale Chessman will all enter the state university at Eugene next fall while Nat Kimball, who was a member of the class of 1911, has been at the same institution the past semester. James Hartwell, president of the student body, leader of the debating team and valedictorian of the class, will also probably go to Oregon but will defer his entrance for a year.

Louis Anderson, salutatorian, Beatrice Brownell and Elmer Dahlgren have all signified their intention of entering O. A. C. next fall while Arthur Jordan is contemplating the same course, but has as yet made no definite decision. Charles Milne will probably enter Washington State College at Pullman to take an engineering course, while Miss Blanch the University of Washington. Badley is contemplating going to the University of Washington.

## PLACER GOLD LIES IN OAKLAND CELLAR

Ashland, Or., May 29.—Henry L. S. Kniffin, vice president of the Western Bonding & Investment company, has just struck a gold mine in his cellar. The strike was made under unusual circumstances. Mr. Kniffin has in his employ as caretaker an old California miner. A few days ago the latter was digging a hole in the cellar, preparatory to putting in an additional pillar. After having gone down a couple of feet, he looked closely at the soil, which is of decomposed granite, and detected strong traces of gold. He called Mr. Kniffin and announced that there was rich gold-bearing dirt in the cellar.

The owner was at first inclined to doubt the presence of gold, but was prevailed upon to take a pan of it to his office, where there are facilities

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for panning. He was assisted by O. L. Young, an old mining man, and when the dirt was washed away, a substantial quantity of gold remained.

It was estimated that the dirt will pan \$8 a ton. Mr. Kniffin owns 12 acres at the west end of Sheridan street and he is so encouraged by the way the sample panned out that he is having his entire property thoroughly prospected.

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