

# NEWS OF PENDLETON

**To Build Garage.**  
Mrs. M. M. Planting has taken out a permit to build a \$100 garage on Logan street.

**Idaho Legislator Here.**  
B. R. Krebs of Wallace, Idaho, a representative in the Idaho legislature, spent yesterday in Pendleton en route home from Boise.

**To Remodel Home.**  
W. R. Wyrick has taken out a permit to remodel his dwelling at 314 Bluff street by putting in hardwood floors and other improvements. The improvements call for an expenditure of \$200.

**Two in Police Court.**  
A John Doe ball of \$10 was forfeited this morning in police court on a drunk charge and P. Bronson, a vag, was given a suspended sentence on his promise to take his departure and return no more.

**Fined for Breaking Fence.**  
Pleading guilty to breaking the fence at the cemetery, shooting his sick horse and leaving it unburied, W. Evans, a truck driver, was fined \$5 in police court Saturday and ordered to pay the costs of burying the animal.

**Pension for Joe Sullivan.**  
Through the efforts of Senator Chamberlain a bill giving Joseph Sullivan, veteran of the Spanish War, a pension of \$24 per month was passed by congress and signed by the president. Mr. Sullivan was formerly in business here and has been paralyzed for some years, with the result he is partly helpless.

**More Bad Weather.**  
More bad weather for eastern Oregon is indicated by the following forecast to stockmen from the weather bureau: "Unsettled weather with rain in valleys and snow in mountains indicated for tonight and probably Wednesday with fresh gusty westerly winds, slowly rising temperatures tonight and Tuesday."

**Would Secure Nitrate Plant.**  
The Pendleton Commercial association is in receipt of a letter from O. C. Scott, secretary of the Walla Walla Commercial Club, asking cooperation in trying to secure one of the new government nitrate plants for the northwest. It is pointed out that an abundance of water power for such a plant could be furnished by either the Columbia or Snake rivers.

**Trouble for Troubadours.**  
A suit was filed in the justice court Saturday against Burns Bros. and Mays Alabama Frostdancers, playing an engagement here, and the box receipts were attached. The complaining witness was C. L. Peck, advance man who alleges \$75.45 due him. His attorney is J. W. Huff. This morning J. R. Perry, attorney for the defendants, filed an answer and counter claim for \$48 for trunks and for \$47.43 as damages for each and every day the company is detained here.

**Colored Janitor Steals Revolver.**  
Earl Allen, the colored boy who acts as janitor at the Smith-Crawford building was arrested Saturday evening by the police on a charge of stealing a Luger revolver from the office of Frederick Steiner and a .41 Smith & Wesson revolver from the office of Will M. Peterson. He had sold one of the guns for 50 cents and the other for one dollar, and had taken them to a shop for repairs. He has been turned over to the juvenile court and a hearing is to be held this afternoon.

**New Millinery Shop.**  
Mrs. John Sloan of Alexandria, R. D., has opened a millinery store at 321 Main street which will be known as the "Sloan Bonnet Shop." Associated with Mrs. Sloan is Mrs. A. A. Perry of Stout City, Ia., as head trimmer. Mrs. Sloan decided to locate in

Pendleton because of its sound business conditions and healthful climate and situation. She has been much impressed with the life and wide-awakeness of the city. Her husband, two daughters and son-in-law intend to drive overland to Pendleton sometime about the first of May and will make this city their permanent home.

**Buttercups Are Blooming.**  
As an evidence that spring is really here, the buttercups are in bloom on all the hills around Pendleton.

**Divorce is Granted.**  
A divorce has been granted by Judge Phelps in the case of Howard G. Purkhiser vs. Bernice Purkhiser.

**Mrs. Whitman Quite Ill.**  
Mrs. M. S. Whitman is reported to be seriously ill at the home of her son, H. P. Whitman.

**Able to Leave Hospital.**  
Mrs. Robert Linnor of Pilot Rock, who underwent an operation recently was able to leave the hospital yesterday.

**Has City Garage Shop.**  
A. H. Jarred, with the Oregon Motor Garage for the past year, has rented the shop in the City Auto Company's garage on Cottonwood street and is now operating the same.

**Looking For Teacher.**  
C. A. Michael and J. E. Pollock, directors of District 77, and W. H. Porter, former director, are here today looking for a teacher to finish the term in the Stewart creek school. Miss Hattie Pollam having resigned to go on her homestead.

**Athens Child Dies.**  
Jessie Nadine, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Saunders of Athens, died yesterday afternoon at St. Anthony's hospital of pneumonia. The body was taken to Athens for burial.

**Administrators Appointed.**  
Ray Bason has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late John W. McBeth which is valued at \$2648.71. Patrick Doherty has been appointed administrator of the estate of Kate Mulalla which is represented to consist of personal property valued at not more than \$4000.

**Sues for Divorce.**  
Married to Loren Coffman on March 2 of last year, Jean Coffman, better known as "Billie Clifford," today filed suit for divorce in the circuit court. She alleges cruel and inhuman treatment, complaining particularly of alleged violence on the part of her husband last Saturday when he choked her in trying to secure \$500. She asks for \$50 suit money and \$25 attorney fees. Will M. Peterson is her attorney.

**Local Institutes Arranged.**  
County Superintendent I. E. Young announces local teachers institutes for the following dates: March 24 in Pendleton, March 31 in Echo and April 7 at Milton. The annual convention of school directors is to be held in Pendleton on March 23. State Supt. Churchill is to be here for the directors' convention and for the Pendleton institute. M. S. Pittman of the Oregon State Normal will attend the Milton institute and some other prominent educator will be secured for the one at Echo. It is required that all teachers in the county attend at least one of the three.

**First of Series of Sermons.**  
At the Presbyterian church last evening Rev. Snyder preached the first of a series of sermons which he is to give during the next ten days at special evangelistic services which are to be held at the church. He pointed out and by convincing argument showed that all mankind is by nature lost but that a provision has been made for their redemption. The sermon this evening is to be "The Man Who Could Not Pay the Price."

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Men's Dress Shirts	89c, \$1.25	Men's "Crown" Overalls	98c
Men's Dress Sox	2 for 25c, 25c	Men's "Ehrmann" Overalls	83c
Men's Dress Pants	\$2.25 to \$3.98	Men's Carpenter Overalls	98c, \$1.39
Men's Dress Suspenders	25c, 49c	Men's Painters Overalls	83c
Men's White Handkerchiefs	5c, 3 for 25c	Men's Work Suspenders	25c, 49c
Men's Medium Union Suits	98c	Men's Bandana Handkerchiefs	5c, 3 for 25c
Men's Muslin Gowns	49c, 98c	Men's Work Shoes	\$2.69 to \$5.25

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The chorus choir led by M. L. Peters is to be in charge of the singing and will provide for special music at each service. Mrs. Hatch will sing a solo this evening. All are earnestly invited to attend these meetings which start at 7:30 each evening.

**Undergoes Operation.**  
The little son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. King underwent an operation this morning at St. Anthony's hospital.

**Recovering From Typhoid.**  
Olen Huey, prominent high school athlete who has been critically ill with typhoid fever, is reported today to be improving rapidly.

**"Moose" Multhead Here.**  
"Moose" Multhead, the famous University of Oregon athlete who with Chet Fee last year scored more points than all of their teammates put together, is in Pendleton, a guest of Claude Hampton.



Bearing bountiful baskets of eatables including the now precious potato, 38 friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Earnhart walked in upon them at their home at Cold Springs Sunday noon for a delightful surprise celebration in honor of their birthdays which occur within a few days of each other. Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bissinger, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bissinger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Embyak and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Wihman, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marks, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. John Metzger, Miss Marks, Miss Downer, Miss Walker, Miss Baker, Mr. Keeler, Mr. Evans, Grandmother Earnhart and others.

**Superfluous Hair Removed.**  
Superfluous hair on the face is a misfortune—but it need not be a lasting one. Free consultation to all ladies by an expert electrolysis operator at the Pendleton Hairdressing and Manicure Parlors. Phone 45.—Adv.

**Dissolution Notice.**  
The firm of Wilcox and Wright have this date, by mutual consent, dissolved partnership. Any claims against said firm may be presented to R. H. Wilcox or J. C. Wright for payment. (Signed) R. H. WILCOX, J. C. WRIGHT.

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## "THE MAN WITH THE HOE" POSING FOR PORTRAIT



Rufus Hoynton, the noted painter of Edwin Markham, the author of "The Man with the Hoe," and other well known poems. The sittings have been continuing for weeks and the portrait, which is said to be a striking likeness of the poet, is now nearly completed.

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