

NEWS OF PENDLETON

Oratorical Contest Tonight.

The Umatilla county oratorical and declamatory contest will be held this evening in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. Fifteen students representing seven schools of the county will compete for gold and silver medals.

Idaho Officers Here.

Major H. T. Lewis and Lieutenant M. A. McConnell of the Idaho National Guard, were in Pendleton this morning en route from Boise to Pasco to establish battalion headquarters. The Idaho guardsmen are assisting in guarding bridges and railroad property.

Speaks to Students.

Roy Haley gave the third of a series of patriotic addresses this morning before the high school assembly. In speaking of our attitude toward Germany and Germans, he said that Americans should never cultivate a national hatred of any race, and that we should reserve judgment as to the loyalty of Germans in our midst until all facts are known.

Want Objectors Out.

D. H. Nelson, president of the local good roads organization, has received word from Bruce Dennis, executive secretary of the state legislative good roads committee, approving the dates set for the meeting of Commissioner Adams in this county. In his letter Mr. Dennis asks that good crowds be secured for the Adams meetings and that a particular effort be made to get the attendance of those who seem opposed to the bond plan.

Transcontinental Auto Truck.

The G M C auto truck, which recently took a capacity load of Carnation milk from Seattle to New York, will arrive in Pendleton tomorrow enroute back and will tour the main streets of the city. This word was brought over today by Fritz Lundstrom and H. Dovey of Walla Walla, who are making the tour of the northwest with the driver, Warwick. The transcontinental trip was in the nature of an experiment and proved a revelation to the auto world.

The only accident that befell the truck on the long run was a broken spring.

To Build Addition.

Roland Oliver has taken out a permit to build a pergola addition to his new home on Jackson street. It will cost about \$150.

Not Expected to Live.

Word was received in Pendleton last night that Chief of Police Frank Nash, who is in a Portland hospital, was not expected to live through the night. No further word has been received today.

Sue for Rent of Horses.

Filonena Casciato and Carmela Ragnone have brought suit in the circuit court against the Newport Land & Construction Co. for judgment for \$1288 alleged to be due as rental for 12 head of horses and harness, Henry S. Westbrook of Portland is attorney for the plaintiffs.

Passed Naval Tests.

Word has been received from Hal Corby and Don Saunders who recently enlisted in the navy. Saunders passed the test for the aviation corps and is to be held at Bremerton, while Corby is qualified for the wireless department and is to be sent to Mare Island.

To Aid Boys' Work.

Arrangements have been made whereby a man is to be sent here to have charge of the boys and girls' vegetable gardening work under the industrial club movement in this county. Mr. Seymour, who has charge of the work in the state, was here this morning in connection with the move. No county agricultural agent has been secured for Umatilla county but Mr. Bailey is here acting as district agent in connection with the food preparedness campaign directed by President Kerr of O. A. C.

Boys Stole Bicycles, Alleged.

Sheriff T. D. Taylor this morning placed under arrest two boys, John Fajner and Harry Sherman who are wanted in Walla Walla to answer to a charge of stealing bicycles. They

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J. & P. Coats Sewing Thread	4c	Yolke Waists	98c, \$1.49, \$1.98
Corticelli Silk Thread	3c	Three Pound Cotton Batts	73c, 89c
Fancy Foot Silk Hose	49c	Small Cotton Batts	10c, 15c, 25c
Fancy All Silk Hose	85c	Beautiful Line of Collars	25c, 49c, 98c
White and Black Silk Gloves	49c, 98c	Sport Wash Skirts and Plain White	98c to \$3.98
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are alleged to have ridden the bicycles to Pendleton. The boys do not tell a very straight story as to their past whereabouts.

Umatilla Baby Born.

A nine pound son was born last night at St. Anthony's hospital to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Withey of Umatilla.

Edward Thompson Ill.

Edward Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson, is reported to be quite ill with tonsillitis at the home of his parents.

Foresters Are Here.

Thomas P. McKenzie of Portland, assistant district forester, and Robert Evans of Baker, supervisor of the Whitman forest are here today conferring with supervisor W. W. Cryder.

Four Feet of Snow.

Frank Hanley of Kameki, who is in the city today, reports four feet of snow yet on the mountain top and packed so hard that a wagon can be driven over it. There is still enough snow in the mountains to make very high water, he states.

Ukiah Woman Asks Divorce.

Mary C. Peterson of Ukiah today brought suit in the circuit court for a divorce from her husband, Valentine V. Peterson, and for the custody of four minor children. They were married in Grant county in 1889 and she alleges her husband deserted her in March, 1915. They have five children between the ages of six and 22. She asks that the decree give her husband the right to visit the children. W. M. Peterson is her attorney.

Further Census Directions.

Sheriff T. D. Taylor, Clerk R. T. Brown and County Physician D. J. McPaul today received from Governor Withycombe added instructions relative to registering all men of certain ages in the county for the information of the government. Definite instructions will be sent later. All precinct polling places will be opened at designated dates and all men between prescribed ages will be required to present themselves for registration. Those who fail to comply will be subject to arrest. After the census men of certain classes will be eliminated.

In view of the agricultural department's appeal for more people to undertake bee culture one would like to know whether modern science has not invented a safety bee?

STEPS BEING TAKEN FOR ORGANIZATION OF A CAVALRY UNIT

Meeting is called for next Monday evening in the Commercial Association Rooms to discuss matter.

With three reserve infantry units already organized in Pendleton, steps are now being taken to organize a cavalry unit and to that end a meeting has been called for next Monday evening in the Commercial association rooms. J. Roy Haley, first president of the Round-Up and an enthusiastic horseman, Earl Blaneett, prominent Round-Up performer, Ivan P. Smythe and Lee D. Drake, who have been active in forming the other military units, are taking the lead in the formation of a cavalry unit.

Recently Blaneett volunteered to raise an entire squadron of rough-riders from among the cowboys. He has received word from Adjutant General White that he has no authority at this

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"Sayre"

(Yesterday was another good day in our "Down Stairs Store.")

Big Guns of the Pennsylvania

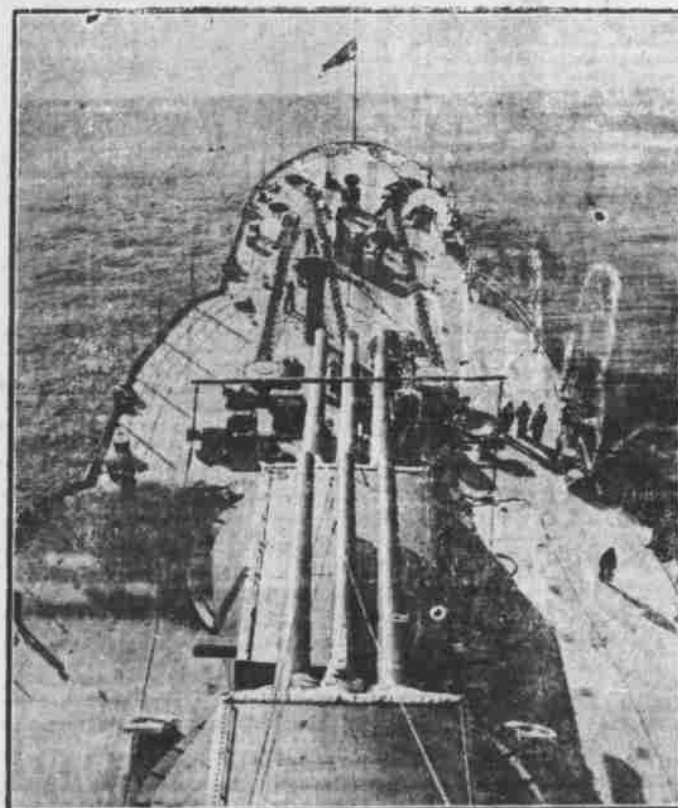


Photo by American Press Association. The super-dreadnought Pennsylvania, flagship of the Atlantic fleet, has twice fourteen-inch guns. Her triple turrets each carry three of these monstrous weapons. The Pennsylvania is the most powerful ship in the United States navy. She is a 31,000 ton ship.

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