

NEWS NOTES OF PENDLETON

In Operated Upon.

F. E. Cable is convalescing at St. Anthony's hospital after an operation today for appendicitis.

Mrs. R. Porter in Hospital

Mrs. Ross Porter is convalescing in St. Anthony's hospital after an operation today for appendicitis.

Pilot Rock Stockman Here.

F. F. Fletcher, of Pilot Rock, was in Pendleton today en route home after selling several carloads of beef cattle at North Portland.

Sox and Sweaters for Refugees.

A shipment of knitted garments for the use of refugees overseas arrived today at the Red Cross headquarters, sent from Hermon. The package contains Sox and sweaters. It is probable that a shipment of refugee garments will be sent from the Umatilla County Red Cross chapter sometime in September.

Weston Farms Prosperous.

Wheat land is yielding from 30 to 50 bushels an acre this year in the Weston region. A. W. Lundell, of the east end town, who has moved to Pendleton to enter business. The acreage in the district is likely to be close to 40 bushels. One field, of 250 acres, gave better than 50 bushels to the acre, according to M. R. Lundell.

Marvin Turner Here.

Marvin Turner, formerly a lawyer of this city and who intends locating here again, is in the city today from Umatilla.

Weather Forecast, July 28 to Aug. 2.

"Generally fair and normal temperature" is the weather forecast for this section from today until August 2, according to readings made by the weather bureau, United States department of agriculture. E. W. Bow, is the forecaster.

Cattle Man on Way Home.

J. L. Carter, of Long Creek, was in town this morning on his way home from Portland, where he disposed of a large shipment of cattle at an excellent price. French & Carter also shipped 200 head of choice beef cattle to Kansas City Saturday and expect to receive a considerably higher price there than at Portland.

Business Men to Confer.

Business men of Pendleton who have been invited to confer with the local lodge of Elks will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the lodge rooms to consider the proposed building plans with the committee. It is probable that a decision regarding the proposed building will result from tonight's conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Oldfield Have Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Oldfield are the parents of a little son born Saturday at St. Anthony's hospital.

Divorce Decree Signed.

A decree of divorce was granted Loretta Starba from John C. Starba in circuit court today. The plaintiff is also awarded a judgment of \$150 and court costs.

Miss Roumagoux Recovered.

Miss Grace Roumagoux, nurse at St. Anthony's hospital, who has been convalescing after an operation for appendicitis, has recovered. She is taking a short vacation before resuming her duties at the hospital.

Temperature is 103.

The weather is partly cloudy today, with the mercury at 103. Last night was one of the coolest nights of the summer season, when the temperature dropped to 47.

Is Employed in Office.

Billy O'Rourke, of Heppner, is a new employee in the Warren Construction office. His duties are those of timekeeper.

Son is Born.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross are the parents of a little son born today at St. Anthony's hospital. The new arrival weighs eight pounds.

Has Tonsils Removed.

Talitha Burgess, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Burgess, is convalescing at St. Anthony's hospital after having his tonsils removed this morning.

One Speeder Pays \$5.

Harold McCarthy, arrested for speeding within the city limits, forfeited his \$5 bail in police court today by failing to appear for trial.

Final Report is Filed.

The administrator's final report in the estate of Albert Lewis Willis was filed with County Clerk R. T. Brown today.

Max Gorkile to Canada.

Max Gorkile, of the Eastern Hide and Junk Company, left last night for Toronto, Canada, where he will remain until January 1, visiting his parents.

School Board to Meet.

The school board is scheduled to meet tonight to award contracts for the school building repairs which had to be postponed from Friday due to the absence from the city of most of the directors. The meeting will be held in the office of Livermore, Bicklers & Friedly.

Explosion Starts Grain Fire.

An explosion in the separator on the Bennett farm, on the Walla Walla-Prescott road yesterday destroyed the separator, 200 acres of wheat and over 2000 sacks of threshed wheat and feed wagon. Insurance was carried. The crew saved the derrick table and other equipment. The fire was a fierce one and was difficult to handle.—Walla Walla Union.

Alimony Case Compromised.

W. F. Brown, cited by his divorced wife to appear in circuit court today to show cause why he should not be held in contempt of court for failure to pay \$600 gross alimony due January 28, 1919, settled the case satisfactorily today by paying Mrs. Minnie A. Brown, the plaintiff, \$300 cash. Brown has been paying the monthly alimony, the testimony showed, but had been unable to pay the lump sum when it fell due, as provided in their decree of divorce.

Postal Inspector Checking Up.

T. G. Rowan, postal inspector with headquarters in Spokane, is in Pendleton today to check up on the goods stolen from the Pasco postoffice by Paul Baker, now in the county jail here. Baker, with a number of companions, robbed the postoffice and drug store at Pasco and made good their escape. Baker was caught a few days later at Umatilla where he had robbed a section crew's quarters. Some of the missing articles from Pasco were found on him here. He will have a hearing before U. S. Commissioner C. A. Newberry and probably be held for the federal court at Portland.

RATE TESTIMONY IN PORTLAND FINISHED

Taking of testimony in the Columbia Basin rate case, which opened in Portland one week ago Monday, was completed after an evening session yesterday and today the defensive arguments are being heard by the three interstate commerce commissioners in Seattle today.

In an effort to conclude the presentation of Portland's case by Monday afternoon all interests had agreed on calling J. G. Woodworth, traffic assistant for the North Pacific district, as a witness for the railroads. However, when J. N. T. West, district examination of R. Blaisdell, auditor of the O-W-R. & N. company, Arthur C. Spencer, chief counsel for the railroad administration, endeavored to take the witness into his own fold and caused the presentation of much testimony for the railroads.

Just prior to the noon recess Monday, M. J. Buckley, general superintendent of the O-W-R. & N. gave some highly valuable testimony when called to the stand by the prosecution. He testified as to the amount of power required to haul a ton of freight over a mountainous railroad as compared with a water grade route, declaring that the mountain haul was approximately three times as expensive as the level haul.

Questioned by C. A. Hart, Woodworth declared that the grain rates in vogue in the Northwest are very low, comparatively, because grain is the important product of the territory, because public interest is centered on grain and because the rates had been

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reduced by legislative enactment. Chairman Hall asked him if the railroad administration had not used the gradeless haul wherever possible during the war for loads and shipped empty cars back over the mountain tracks, thus giving the loaded train the advantageous haul and relieving congestion.

Immediately Woodworth became evasive, referred to future witnesses and finally failed to answer the question at all. Shortest possible routes were used by the railroad administration, he said, during the war, and he had been a member of a committee to designate shortest routes and bring them into use.

Concluding the afternoon session, Woodworth testified that nothing had been done in the interest of streamlining operation on Puget Sound by the railroad companies that they would not gladly do in Portland under like circumstances. His testimony was resumed at the evening session.

Half Returned Soldiers In Umatilla Co. to Profit By Bill for Education

Fully 50 per cent of the returned soldiers of Umatilla county will take advantage of the opportunities offered by the soldiers' educational aid bill, according to Miss Virginia Todd, secretary of the home service section of the Red Cross and of the county chapter.

However, no money will be available for the payment of claims incurred under the operation of the bill until January 1, 1920, according to an opinion prepared by Assistant Attorney General Van Winkle for the guidance of Sam C. Koser, deputy secretary of state. In the meantime such claims as are incurred must be carried either by the returned service men who take advantage of the provisions of the bill to further their education, or by the school, which such service men elect to attend.

The credit of the state, however, will be back of the claim, as the bill provides an appropriation equal to a tax levy of .2 of a mill on the taxable

property of the state. This appropriation is based on the 1919 valuation and does not become effective and available until January 1, 1920, and the secretary of state cannot issue warrants in payment of such claims until there is an appropriation available therefore.

The audit of such claims, however, the opinion states, might be regarded as incurring a deficiency by a state officer and, should the state emergency board authorize such a deficiency, the secretary of state's office can audit the claims as presented and issue certificates of audit and allowance, which would bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum until the date upon which the appropriation is made available.

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PERMITS ARE ISSUED FOR TWO BUNGALOWS

Two bungalow dwellings, each to cost \$5000, were issued permits today by City Recorder Thomas Fitz Gerald. Both will be built by A. H. Cox on property in House's addition on West Haley street on the north side. They will be completed about November 1.

One of the houses is to be built by C. M. Griswold, contractor, and it will be disposed of by Mr. Cox. The other has been contracted to John Horn and

likely will be occupied by Mr. Cox and family, when completed. Both houses are to be of the most up-to-date construction and will embody all the latest conveniences.

A permit for a garage, to cost \$200, was issued to Joseph Leuer. It will be erected at 763 Webb street.

Too Late to Classify

TO TRADE—For Ford or light car, 2 room house and lot with fruit, line in Salem, Ore. Address "D" East 1 block from paved street and car—Oregonian.

DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT

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