

NEWS OF PENDLETON

From Friday's Daily

A. J. Gift Here.

A. J. Gift, well known farmer of Pilot Rock, is in the city today. He is selling of Pilot Rock's big community auction sale to be held in that city February 6 and 7. The sale will be the first venture of his kind ever held in Pilot Rock.

Time for Appraisal Extended.

An order was signed in probate court today extending the time for appraisal in the estate of Charles W. Harder until March 5, 1920.

Three Actions Dismissed.

Dismissals were entered today in the cases of A. E. Michael vs. Roy J. Satt; E. L. Temple vs. Thomas Parlow and Margaret Miles vs. Wallace A. Miles.

Ten Day Romance Fails.

A chance acquaintance made on a train in Pennsylvania and culminating in matrimony 10 days later proved not to be "love at first sight" for John H. Schaeffer. He filed action for divorce today. From Audien D. Schaeffer, who he has deserted him in August, 1918, after they had been married about eight months. He made diligent search for her but has never heard from her since and seeks separation. He is represented by Peter, Bishop & Clark.

Woman's Temper Too Violent.

Charging his wife, Joseph H. Hartzell, with an ungovernable temper that made his married life constantly miserable, J. C. Hartzell today brought suit for divorce. He alleges that she often attempted, while in a fit of anger, to do him bodily harm. The plaintiff is represented by James A. Fee.

Seeks to Collect Old Note.

Joseph Babby is plaintiff in an action started today to collect \$1136 and 19 per cent interest from Jan. 31, 1917, from Charles E. Hall. The money was secured by a promissory note. The plaintiff is represented by Bailey, Bailey & Stelwer, and H. J. Warner.

Funeral is Held.

The funeral of the late Dell Schoonover was held this morning from the Polson chapel. Rev. Alfred Lockwood, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer officiated.

Traffic Officer Ill.

William Layday, traffic officer, is ill today with grip. He has been assisting the health department for several days in placing and lifting quarantines on local residences.

1st Engine Run, Fixed.

M. C. Hill paid a \$5 fine in police court this morning after he had pleaded guilty to a charge of letting the motor of his car running while the car was unattended.

Returns From Spokane.

Will M. Peterson returned from Spokane yesterday afternoon on No. 7. There is considerable snow on the ground in the eastern Washington wheat section. Mr. Peterson said.

Pilot Rock Lawyer Here.

J. M. Schumacher, of Pilot Rock, is in Pendleton today on legal business. It is rumored that citizens of the southern community have suggested his name as a county judge possibility.

Presbyterian Church to Close.

Because of the influenza situation in Pendleton, the First Presbyterian Church will hold no services on Sunday. The measure is taken in the hope of relieving the situation.

Funeral of Mrs. Hillings.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lee Hillings, Walla-Walla woman who died recently in Pendleton, was held this morning from the Polson chapel. Rev. Father Kern of the Catholic church of which Mrs. Hillings was a member, officiated.

Wish to Be Notified.

The Red Cross asks anyone who has been receiving food from the diet kitchen who wishes the service discontinued, to notify the office by phoning 463. The demand for food from the kitchen is still great, say those in charge of the kitchen.

Salvation Army Sale Tomorrow.

The Salvation Army doughnut sale will be held tomorrow at the Allen-Knight Company. Captain Jennie Conrad announces that 1920 real Salvation Army doughnuts will be sold, the proceeds to go toward remodeling the S. A. hall on Alta Street.

Tractor School Postponed.

The tractor school scheduled to take place here February 4 and 5 has been indefinitely postponed, according to a decision reached today by Fred Hendon, county agent, H. B. Inlow, principal of the high school and Fred P. Austin, city school superintendent.

Fire Department Handicapped.

Three or four members of the paid fire department are now on the sick list, leaving Fireman King the only regular on the job. Chief W. E. Ringold was taken ill yesterday afternoon. His assistant, Floyd Heathman has been ill for several days as has also been Fireman Peters.

Stanley Jewett Returns.

Stanley Jewett, of the local office of the U. S. Biological Survey, returned today from a visit to Washington. He attended the meeting of the National Livestock Association held recently in Spokane and says that the work of the Survey was commended by the attendance. It was decided at the meeting to petition Congress for more money to carry on the work of the Survey.

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Comes to See Grand-daughter.

Thomas Thompson arrived from Portland on No. 6 this morning to see his new grand-daughter, little Miss Catherine Anna Hayden, and to join Mrs. Thompson, who came home two days ago. The Thomasons have been spending the month of January in the Rose City.

Medieval Funeral Tomorrow.

The funeral of the late Mr. Harry A. Medernach, former Pendleton man who died recently in Portland, will be held at Holman's parlors tomorrow at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass will be offered and interment will be at Rose City cemetery. Dr. Medernach, who was 42 years of age, is survived by his wife, Mrs. Justine Medernach, and a 10 year old daughter, Harriett Medernach.

John Does Face Judge.

Three young men of the John Doe family were fined \$10 each in police court this morning on a charge of being drunk. All pleaded guilty and paid fines. Henry Jones and John George, Indiana, received like sentence for a similar offense and paid fines. Harry Ford, colored, was the sixth alleged inebriate and his portion was five days in jail in lieu of the \$10 fine assessed against him.

New Hospital in Perspective.

An emergency influenza hospital is in operation at Pilot Rock, says Miss Stella P. Walsh, Red Cross nurse who arrived from Pilot Rock today after establishing the hospital. The hospital is located in the residence formerly occupied by Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Pickford, who recently left for China. Five patients are accommodated in the building. Miss Walsh is leaving the hospital in charge of Miss Martha Johnson, while Miss Walsh leaves to take charge of a hospital at Hermiston.

Manufacturers' Directory Out.

A 166-page directory of Oregon manufacturers issued by the Associated Industries of Oregon, has just been distributed and copies are being received in Pendleton. The booklet is the first attempt on the part of any such organization to compile a list of all the manufacturers in Oregon and is intended for use as a reference book. It is indexed both by names having manufacturers and by commodities manufactured in various towns.

Methodists Not to Have Services.

No services will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday. The decision not to hold church is in accordance with the measures used to combat the influenza situation.

Accepts Position in Yakima.

Chester Martin, who has been employed in the hardware store, has accepted a position as head of the stove department in one of the largest hardware stores in Yakima. Mr. and Mrs. Martin will leave next week for Yakima.

Red Cross Canteen Enlarged.

The Red Cross canteen building at the O. W. station was broken open last night and ransacked, according to reports by the police today. Miss Virginia Road, local Red Cross secretary, said that nothing of value was missing, however. A window was broken and the door forced open.

From Monday's Daily

Louis King is better. Louis King, who has been seriously ill with Spanish influenza, is slightly better today. Mr. King's condition has been critical.

No Services at Episcopal Church.

To aid in combating the influenza situation, the Church of the Redeemer will hold no services tomorrow, announcements Rev. Alfred Lockwood, pastor.

Will Not Hold Services.

The Baptist church will not hold services tomorrow, according to announcement made today by Rev. W. H. Cox, pastor. This is in the hope of aiding in combating the influenza situation.

Harold Newquist in Colorado.

Harold Newquist, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Newquist, is in Boone, Colorado, where he expects to locate. He plans to farm land in Colorado. His sister, Mrs. Albert Rover, resides at Boone.

Will Make Home in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dethlefsen and family of Duncan, formerly of thirty left today for Seattle. They will sail February 19 for Alaska, where Mr. Dethlefsen will hold a position as road commissioner.

Cancels Sunday Services.

Rev. E. Blasberg, pastor of the German Lutheran church, announces that because of the influenza situation, no services will be held at the church tomorrow.

Returns to Portland.

J. B. Biles, sales manager for the Oregon Liberty Motors Co., left on No. 1 today for Hood River and from there will drive over the Columbia highway to Portland.

Ex-Serviceman Volunteers.

Forcy Ross Switzer, who served in France as a member of the Canadian army, yesterday volunteered his services to aid in the Red Cross work against influenza. Mr. Switzer will assist the nurses in the care of the sick.

Here From Idaho.

Emil Thumman, who formerly resided on a wheat ranch at Helix, is here today from Caldwell, Idaho, where he now has a ranch. There was a recent heavy snowfall in that district he reports.

Will Visit County Towns.

W. D. Chamberlain, deputy income tax collector, and J. J. Wilkinson, of the Portland tax office, will be in Athena from February 2 to 4, inclusive to give aid to citizens of the Athena region who must make income tax returns. They have just finished a

week's stay in Milton. They will be in Pendleton, February 5 to 14, inclusive, and March 6 to 15, inclusive, and in Echo February 16 and 17, inclusive.

District Chief in City.

L. K. Weber, district chief for the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., is in Pendleton today to assist in the transfer of operators from other stations to fill vacancies in the local office caused by illness.

Going to Bend.

J. S. Backwith left on No. 1 today for Bend where he will look after his bootlegging business for a few days.

Indication of Rain or Snow.

There is an indication of rain or snow in the weather today says Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer who bases his prediction upon the fact that the barometer reads 29.54. The maximum temperature is 40 and the minimum is 28.

Wood Campaign Buttons Here.

First of the presidential campaign buttons noticed in Pendleton are those issued by the Leonard Wood-for-President League. The little blue buttons bear the picture of the army officer and the words "Leonard Wood League." Major Lee Moorhouse is wearing one of the first buttons to be received.

Many Fed in Diet Kitchen.

Seventy-five were fed in the diet kitchen yesterday morning, while those fed at noon numbered 84. It is expected that the number fed today will exceed that of yesterday. Mrs. Frank Kincaid, Mrs. G. W. Phelps and Mrs. J. W. Maloney are working in the kitchen today, under the direction of Miss Ella May Harmon, county demonstration agent.

Receives Mazama Magazine.

A copy of the December Mazama magazine was received today by C. K. Cranston, containing a story and pictures of a recent ascent of Mount Rainier by the Portland and Tacoma climbers. Among pictures shown is that of a pliarman nest which was discovered by Stanley Jewett and photographed by William L. Finley, deposed state biologist.

Carload of Tomatoes Coming.

The carload of tomatoes no longer expected in Pendleton will arrive here Monday, and unloading will take place Monday morning, say Pendleton Brothers. The carload consists of 900 cases which have been bought and paid for. Those who bought the tomatoes are asked to bring their receipts with them to the Pendleton warehouse where the tomatoes will be distributed. No delivery can be made until the receipt is shown. The warehouse is No. 4 and is the first one east of the O. W. R. & N. warehouse. It is not known yet whether or not a government employee will accompany the car to Pendleton. There has not the distribution will be made by Pendleton Brothers. They are anxious to distribute the tomatoes immediately after they arrive in Pendleton.

Is in Hospital.

Mrs. Paul Bryant of East Wall street is a patient in St. Anthony's hospital where she was operated upon this morning.

Return From The East.

W. L. Thompson, E. P. Marshall and Henry W. Collins returned today on No. 12 after a trip East. They have been in New York, Chicago and other eastern cities.

Will Become Tire Salesman.

Alfred Pitts Gerald has been released from a quarantine for influenza and is planning to take over the local agency for the Hercules-Bentley tire Co. on Monday. Mr. Pitts Gerald is a bond man, the son of Judge and Mrs. Thomas Pitts Gerald, and is returning to business here after a temporary absence. C. V. McKenney, who has been in charge of the tire concern here, is to leave, after handing over the business, for Goldensale, Wash., to enter business for himself.

Van Pelt Funeral Held.

The funeral of the late Charles Van Pelt, well known Indian, was held today at the Presbyterian church in Tutuilla, with Rev. E. J. Conners, Indian minister, officiating. Interment was made in the cemetery of the church. Van Pelt is survived by his wife and the following children, Moses, 12; Levi, aged 10; and Eva, aged 8. Another son, Louis, aged 20, by a former marriage, is also here, but has been attending Chemawa but was here for the funeral. He is an ex-serviceman.

Final Day for Filing.

Today was the final day in which applications for the forgiveness of delinquent tax certificates could be filed. It was acted upon during this year. Up to press time there had been but few applications filed.

Four Suits Dismissed.

The four suits recently filed by the American National Bank against C. A. Brown, C. W. Brown and the two under the partnership of Brown Brothers, were ordered dismissed in circuit court today. The actions were begun to collect on promissory notes totaling \$7450.

Dogs Subject to Capture.

All dogs over the age of eight months, found running at large after tomorrow and unlicensed by the state are subject to confiscation by any state officer, according to the law which governs the licensing of dogs. No announcement has been made by police officers regarding their plans to enforce the law in this county.

Officials Non-Committal.

Highway Commissioner E. P. Kiddie and Highway Engineer Herbert Nunn left Pendleton yesterday afternoon without making public their decision regarding the route which the Oregon-Washington highway shall take through Weston. They together with the county commissioners, District Engineer M. O. Bennett and Roadmaster R. E. Phelps looked over the Weston situation Friday. After returning to Pendleton the state officials with Mr. Bennett drove to the west end, to go over the Old Oregon trail from Echo to the Columbia river and along the Columbia river highway toward Arlington.

Sheep Company Sells Big Order.

The Cunningham Sheep & Land Co. today was issued the largest consign-

ment of state dog licenses so far received by the county clerk. There were 25 dogs in the company's hands to be licensed. There are now 800 licensed dogs in Unatilla county.

Auctioneer Marooned.

Sturgis & Storie received a telegram this morning from Col. W. F. Yohnka, Blytheville auctioneer, that he is marooned at Blytheville and could not get to Pendleton today to hold an auction sale of the stock formerly owned by E. L. Power. Inasmuch as this is the second postponement of the auction the goods will be disposed of at private sale.

P. H. S. QUINTET TO MEET WALLA WALLA

Pendleton high school's basketball quintet will journey to Walla Walla tomorrow to meet Walla Walla high tomorrow night in the second game of the season for the local boys. Two full teams probably will be taken to the Garden city, accompanied by several auto loads of spectators. The green and gold played at The Dalles last week and lost to Darkhorse Newman's proteges in a fast close game. The local contingent has been on the floor but didn't find the basket often enough on the strange court to turn the tide. Better results are looked for tomorrow night, although Walla Walla is stiff opposition.

The warriors will leave tomorrow morning with the rosters following later. Most of the party will spend the night in Walla Walla, the athletes having been extended the hospitality of the Whitman college fraternity houses. The first team men are French and Straub at forwards; Laurence at center and Kirtley and Terjeson at guards. Coach Earl Fleischmann, Neil King John Simpson and the second team will accompany the first string men.

INFLUENZA VICTIM IS WISHRAM TRIBESMAN

Charles Van Pelt, half-breed who died yesterday of influenza, was one of the best known Indians of the reservation district.

He was a member of the Wishram tribe, native to the region opposite Celilo, on the Columbia river. The Wishram Indians are mentioned in "The Bridge of the Gods" and were told of by Lewis and Clark after their famous expedition.

Van Pelt, who was about 25 years of age, was educated and has been acting as an employee at the Unatilla Indian agency. His wife, who survives him, was Jennie Poo, daughter of Chief Poo, chief of the Unatilla Indians. She is an educated Indian, having attended Chemawa Indian school.

VACCINATE PUPILS OR CLOSE SCHOOL, EDICT

BEND, Jan. 30.—Failure of the school authorities of various districts to comply with order of the state board of health regarding vaccination for smallpox will mean the closing of those schools disregarding the school board, according to Dr. David N. Rogers, state health officer. The president of smallpox in Oregon is the cause of the strict order. There has been considerable objection in Bend to the vaccination order of the state authorities, but the school board will back up the state board to the limit.

OFFICIALS COME TO FIX STATE HIGHWAY ROUTE

Highway Commissioner E. P. Kiddie, of Island City and State Highway Engineer Herbert Nunn, of Salem, arrived here this morning to make final settlement of the state highway route through the city of Weston. This matter was left unsettled upon the resignation of Commissioner W. L. Thompson and has been in the air for several months. Accompanied by Commissioners G. L. Dunning, B. E. Anderson and Judge C. H. Marsh and Roadmaster R. E. Phelps the visitors motored to Weston today to meet the townspeople and settle upon the route through town. There was considerable division of opinion in the east end town regarding routes last summer but at that time it was understood that differences had been laid aside and that the decision of the commission would satisfy the citizens. The location will probably be made on the basis of cost and directness of the route.

MEXICO SPREADS NET IN NORTH TO ENTRAP OUTLAWS

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 30.—The Mexican government is preparing heavy campaigns against rebel forces operating in some northern states to insure preservation of order during the coming presidential elections. It is learned that Carranza today instructed state commanders to intensify the hunt for bandit chieftains to avert national disorders when his successor is chosen next July.

JUGO-SLAV'S REPLY CALLED NOT WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION

ROME, Jan. 30.—Jugo-Slavia's answer to allied propositions for settlement of the Adriatic dispute is "absolutely unsatisfactory." The idea of a "not worthy of serious consideration," the newspaper added. The entire Italian press voiced indignation at the Jugo-Slavia refusal.

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MAN WHO PAYS TAX ON INCOME IS LUCKY FOR THREE REASONS

First, Because He Has Sufficient Funds; Second, Rates Are Put Lower, and, Third, Current Act is Made Liberal.

The man who pays an income tax has several reasons for which to be thankful. First, that his income for 1919 was sufficient to place it within the taxable list; second, that the normal rates are lower than for 1918; and, third, that the current revenue act is more liberal in its provisions than preceding acts.

Prior to 1916 a distinction was between only two classes of taxpayers. A man was either married or single, and was taxed accordingly. The act of September 8, 1916, extended the exemption privileges in one respect. Recognition was taken of the fact that many unmarried persons, in the maintenance of a household, assume the same responsibilities as a married man. Under the 1916 act the exemptions allowed a married person were extended to include the "head of a family." A single man, if his income for 1919 was \$1000 or more, could file a return, but if he is the sole support of relatives by blood, marriage or adoption, living in the same household with him, and if he exercises control of household affairs, he is granted an exemption of \$2000.

Allowance Added. Still another distinction was drawn by the revenue act of 1917. An additional allowance of \$200 was made for each child dependent upon his parent, provided such child was under 18 or mentally or physically defective. The exemption applied only to the father or mother who was supporting dependent child in his or her household.

The revenue act of 1918 extended further the exemption privileges. The additional \$200 allowance now applies to each "person (other than husband or wife) dependent upon the taxpayer, if such person is under 18 years of age, or incapable of self-support." Thus, for example, if a man supports his mother, uncle, or aunt in a sanitarium, he is entitled to the \$200 additional exemption, but if he supports his children at home with his wife in a sanitarium he receives no additional exemption for his wife.

Under the 1918 act deductions for losses sustained outside of the taxpayer's regular business were not allowed. The merchant or professional man who took an unfortunate flyer in the stock market was granted no allowance for such loss in the making of his income tax return. The act of 1918 allowed such losses to the extent of gains in similar transactions. For example, the taxpayer who, such nothing his regular business, made \$100 in one stock transaction and in another lost \$1000 was required to report the \$100 gain and could deduct only that amount as a loss. The 1918 act provided for the deduction of all losses "if incurred in any transaction entered into for profit, though not connected with trade or business."

More Deductions Allowed. Prior to 1917 deductions for contributions to corporations organized for religious, charitable, scientific, or educational purposes were not allowed. Under the current act such deductions are allowed to an amount not in

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WASHINGTON GRAIN FIELDS WASHED OUT BY RAGING WATERS

DAYTON, Wash., Jan. 30.—Many grain fields were washed out by the high water, caused by three days of unprecedented rains, which melted the snow in the mountains. All the streams in the valley overflowed their banks and much of the town and country were flooded.

ELECTROCUTING INSECTS IN CEREALS IS TESTED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Experiments to determine the feasibility of electrocuting insects in sealed packages of cereals are being conducted by the department of agriculture with promise of success. The object is to protect consumers and prevent waste. The department is also undertaking tests to determine whether fumigation will lessen the damage from attacks by insects on goods in warehouses.

RESERVE OFFICERS CANNOT QUIT U. S. WITHOUT LEAVE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2.—The reserve officers of the army are informed through a memorandum from the Secretary of War that they are expected to request permission from the Adjutant General if they desire to leave the country. They should also keep the department informed of their whereabouts while abroad. Except in the cases of intelligence officers and officers whose services may be used for absence in excess of one year because it will take them out of the country over the training periods.

NORTH PACIFIC FOREST RECEIPTS ON INCREASE

The receipts from national forest business in the North Pacific district for the six months ending December 31, 1919, were \$238,968.82, an increase of \$41,552.40 over the receipts for the corresponding six months of 1918, according to a statement of receipts by forests and classes compiled by H. I. Loving, district forest agent at Portland.

Timber sales, which brought in \$159,552.70, is the leading item; \$4,200 came from water power; \$5,200 from special use permits; \$2,500 from grazing permits; and \$600 from timber settlement. More than \$1,000 of the total receipts came from fire, grazing and timber trespass. Six forests of the district contributed more than \$10,000 each to the total. The Whitman national forest, eastern Oregon, led the district with \$46,884.82. The Tongass, in Alaska, was second with \$44,169.66 and the Crater, in southern Oregon, was third with \$27,942.37. The Columbia, \$42,144; the Oregon, \$14,016.23; the Olympic, \$14,015.25, rank fourth, fifth and sixth respectively.

CAMP MERRITT IS SOLD AS SCRAP FOR \$500,000

TENAFLY, N. J., Feb. 2.—Camp Merritt, at Tenafly, N. J., built by the government at a cost of millions of dollars, was sold to the Harris Brothers Contracting Company of Chicago for \$500,000.

The government will close the camp next week and remove the few hundred members of the quartermaster's corps now there to another post. The contractors will start dismantling the buildings in the spring. Ten small towns near the camp have banded to purchase the sewerage system put in by the government at a cost of 150,000. The towns are them Tenafly, Dumont, Perseus and Westwood, will pay \$125,000 for the sewerage rights.

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