

News of Pendleton

New Day Clerk Here

Robert E. Himes, who recently arrived in the west from Pennsylvania, today accepted the position as day clerk at the Hotel Pendleton left vacant by the resignation of Earl Williams who has gone to the Smythe-Lumegan Co. office.

Elder Recruiting in South.

Lieut. Commander J. K. Elder, director of naval recruiting in Oregon and well known in Pendleton, has gone to San Diego on a 30-day furlough to recuperate from a recent serious illness, according to word received at the recruiting station here today.

R. Ransom Arrives

R. Ransom, manager of the Hamilton Motor Company of Portland, which will open a branch in Pendleton, arrived yesterday from Portland. He will remain here for a week to confer with Bruce Bailey, who will be local agent for the Stephens Sales Six, for which the company has the agency.

Ministers Will Meet

Pendleton and other Umatilla county ministers will meet here next Monday to make plans for the county meeting of Interchurch World Movement workers. Rev. J. M. Cornellison received a telegram today from Rev. Berton F. Bronson, secretary, asking that arrangements be made. The county meeting will be held here April 11 and will last all day.

Two Speeders Pay \$5 Each

Fred Parker and John Doe, charged with speeding yesterday, pleaded guilty in police court to the charges and were fined \$5 each.

Back on Job Today.

P. L. Idelman, who has been confined to his home for several days with lumbago, returned to his books at the American National Bank today.

Leaves for Salt Lake.

Frank Kehrl of the dairy division of the U. S. Department of agriculture, left last night for Salt Lake after a visit to Hermiston in the interests of dairy work.

Church Will Open

The new tabernacle of the Church of the Nazarene will open its doors tomorrow at the corner of Court and Mallock streets. Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m., with church services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Charles Maxson, of Walla Walla, will preach. The public has been invited to attend.

Funeral Is Held.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eva Lena Richardson was held this afternoon from the Folsom chapel, with Rev. W. H. Cox, pastor of the Baptist church, officiating. Mrs. Richardson's death occurred in Portland, where she had gone to be with her sister who was suffering from influenza. Mrs. Richardson contracted influenza which later developed into pneumonia. She was 21 years of age and is survived by her husband, G. A. Richardson. They have been making their home on the Walter Cresswell ranch where Mr. Richardson is employed.

Return From West End.

Miss Edna Cole and Miss Florence M. Britton, county health nurses, returned today from the west end of the county where they have been examining school children. They will go to Milton on Monday to continue their work.

Templars Will Take Journey

About 20 members of Pendleton Commandery No. 7, Knights Templar, will drive to Walla Walla next Wednesday to take part in a convalesce of Walla Walla Commandery No. 1. The neighboring chapter has a good-sized class to initiate.

Deputy Goes After Youth.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Blakeley left on No. 4 this morning for Pocatello, Idaho, to bring back Peter Bushman, an 18-year-old youth arrested there for complicity in the robbery of \$110 from E. J. Graham. Clair Hughes, the other youth in the case, is now being held in the county jail here, having been arrested in La Grande and brought here yesterday.

Auto Taken for Joyride

An auto belonging to E. R. Parker, residing in the east end of town, was taken from in front of the Oddfellows building last night by joyriders and found last night by officers who were notified of its disappearance. The machine was undamaged, the only inconvenience being the necessity of the Parkers walking home from town instead of riding as they expected to do when they parked their car.

Registration in Umatilla

A total of 8747 Umatilla county voters have registered, according to reports from the secretary of state's office in Salem. Of this number, 5253 are republicans; 2980 democrats, 153 socialists, and 246 miscellaneous. April 20 will be the last day to register for the primary election and unless there is a split between now and that time, fewer names will be on the poll books than for many years, says the report.

Spokane Wants Local Backing.

The Spokane Chamber of Commerce is seeking the support of the Pendleton Commercial Association in winning for either J. B. Campbell of Spokane, or J. F. Shaughnessy, of Reno, Nev., the appointment to the Interstate Commerce Commission now vacant to which this section of the country is entitled. Both these men are friendly to the intermountain contentions on rates, while the railroad interests, the wife from Secretary J. A. Ford says, are pushing Arthur J. Shaw of Spokane, who, it is alleged, is friendly to the roads and hostile to the best interests of this region. Mr. Campbell is counsel for the Inter-mountain Rate Case.



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U. S. FLOUR TO HUNGRY EUROPE DEEMED WISE

PORTLAND, Ore., March 13.—Julius Barnes, United States wheat director, has issued the statement regarding the plan approved by congress which authorizes the United States Grain Corporation to sell five million barrels of flour on credit to the nations of Central Europe which are facing starvation.

"The grain corporation for two years has protected the presidential wheat price guaranty by the purchases of wheat and wheat flour at the guarantee basis. In three years its purchases on wheat and flour have amounted to over seven hundred million bushels. It is probable that in buying continuously at the guarantee price in this manner it has saved the farmers of the United States over one billion dollars which they would have lost had the price under the pressure of crop movement sunk below the guarantee.

Price Advances Checked.

Having thus protected the national promise to the farmer, the grain corporation had no right to heard such purchases when prices advanced, and, therefore, its purchases of wheat and flour were immediately for sale at all times basis of cost plus accrued charges. This policy of buying only at the guarantee price prevented any possibility of dealer, miller or speculator reaping in the grain corporation at advanced prices.

In these operations the grain corporation accumulated as far back as last October a stock of flour exceeding five million barrels. For almost six months it has tried to sell this flour for cash basis of cost plus accrued charges at home and abroad. It has just completed an extensive advertising campaign in America which did expand the use of soft winter flour measurably, but its sale in all directions have not more than equalled the current purchases of flour which it was obliged to make to prevent the farmer prices sinking below the national guarantee.

Have 5,000,000 Barrels.

The wheat crop last year was peculiar—a rather large yield of soft winter wheat and a small yield of strong spring wheat. The strong wheats are required to make certain quantities of flour which have been popular in America and that character of wheat has sold by supply and demand far above the guarantee and necessarily

that quality of flour far above the price asked for. Of the soft winter flour, broadly speaking, there has not been a day when the flour consumers of the United States could not buy some character of standard flour at the equivalent of the guarantee wheat price even though special quality flour were at the same time selling far above. There is no reason why our people should not exercise a preference in that way if they wish to but they must be prepared to pay for their preference for premium flours when nature's yields are so erratic.

Now we are approaching warm weather with over five million barrels of flour in the hands of the grain corporation bought on the guarantee basis. We have exhausted our efforts to sell this flour for cash at home and abroad. I have told the house rules committee that under the obligations imposed on me by the wheat guaranty act, I must use the authority to sell for credit when sales for cash are not possible. Markets abroad needing this flour are those of nations that are stripped of money, but whose credit resting on their national character and national resources will, undoubtedly, be redeemed in time. In conference, therefore, with the treasury and state departments, the grain corporation will work out the method of delivering this flour to those needy sections abroad and accepting their obligations for it."

UNITED STATES GRAIN CORPORATION.

45 FACULTY MEMBERS LEAVE

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The alumni meeting last evening was held in the library club room with Charles Despain, president of

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