

# People Here and There

P. V. Phillips of Walla Walla is here for a few days.

J. H. Estes motored to Rieti this morning on a business trip.

A. G. Smith of Pomeroy, was a business visitor in Pendleton yesterday.

P. D. Connick and Byron McBride of Walla Walla, were in Pendleton Tuesday.

J. A. Murray, G. B. Wallace and M. K. Long are Pendleton men who are in Portland on business matters.

J. E. Landon, of San Francisco, is here for a visit with his sister, Mrs. George Powers. Before returning to California, he will go to Elgin for a visit with his mother.

J. C. Woodworth, local lumber dealer, is in Eugene for a visit with his son, Lawrence Woodworth who is a student at University of Oregon. Mr. Woodworth made the trip after being in Portland on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allison came to Pendleton from Ukiah Tuesday. Today Mr. Allison who is a district forest ranger, went to Baker to attend a meeting. Mrs. Allison and their baby will visit in Pendleton until his return.

Miss Grace Gilliam, county treasurer, who has been in Spokane to testify

at the trial of Jay E. Hough, charged with forging bonds of the Teel Irrigation district, is expected to return here tomorrow.

## 'PUSSYFOOT' JOHNSON SAYS 'BOOZE' CAUSED STRIKE IN ENGLAND

### With But Few Exceptions Labor Leaders Are Dry; Spots in Rank and File Very Wet.

WESTERVILLE, Ohio, April 12.—(U. P.)—They spent all their money for booze, and now they are hollering for something to eat.

William "Pussyfoot" Johnson, American prohibition advocate, gave this explanation as the cause of the general labor strike in England. "The drink question is back of it," he charged. "With but a few exceptions the British labor leaders are dry, but spots in the rank and file are wet beyond the officers' control."

## NEWS OF THE COUNTY OFFICES AND OFFICERS

### Get \$200 Judgment

Judgment to the amount of \$200 and costs of the case has been awarded to D. J. Segergren and Rollie Jutus against Itayyan Budgett.

### Administratrix Dismissed

The final report of Kate Webb Frazier as administratrix of the estate of George W. Webb has been accepted and approved, and the dismissal of the administratrix ordered in circuit court.

### Returns With Prisoner.

Sheriff Houser has returned from Canyon City. He brought with him O. L. Davis who is wanted on a charge of larceny by bullies. The sheriff reports a heavy fall of snow in the mountains. Several inches fell last night, he reports.

### Verdict Favor Defendant

The jury that heard the trial of the case of Petence, an Indian woman against Fred R. Young in which the plaintiff sought damages alleged to have been suffered by her when the defendant grabbed the reins of the horse she was riding, brought in a verdict last night in favor of the defendant. The verdict was arrived at about 10 o'clock and was sealed.

### Clean Out Hoboes

There has been fewer hoboes and bums around Pendleton following the action recently of the police and attaches of the sheriff's office in cleaning out two "jungle" camps. One of the temporary "homes" that had been established by the wanderers was on the city dumping grounds west of the city and near the Walla Walla bridge east of town was the location of the other one. Twenty-seven men were rendered homeless when temporary shacks which they had erected were burned.

## NEWS NOTES OF PENDLETON

### Convention at Astoria

Local jewelers received notice today that the 1921 convention of the Oregon Retail Jewelers association will be held in Astoria June 6 and 7. F. J. Donerburg, of Astoria, is president of the association and Royal M. Sawtelle, former president and formerly of Pendleton, is a member of the executive committee.

### May Wear Poppies

It is the aim of the national American Legion that red poppies similar to those growing in France shall be worn on May 30, Memorial Day, in commemoration of the American soldiers, sailors and Marines who lost their lives during the war. The matter will be discussed at a committee meeting of the Pendleton Post of the American Legion on Friday, and it is probable that the local post will adopt the plan.

### Will Attend Meeting

E. N. Kavanagh, assistant district forester who is in Pendleton from the Portland office, J. C. Kuhna, Unadilla forest supervisor and R. A. Botcher, assistant supervisor, will leave tonight for Baker to attend a forest rangers meeting in that city. Forest rangers from this forest who will attend also are C. L. Keithley, W. W. Allison, Paul W. Robbins and S. R. Wood, George Langdon, of the Whitman forest's force of rangers, was here today on his way to the meeting.

### EGGS REMAIN FIRM

PORTLAND, April 12.—(A. P.)—Cattle are steady, hogs are 50c lower, prime light 10-56 and 11. Sheep are slow, eggs are firm and butter is steady.

### PENDLETON DRUG

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Other speakers of the evening were Norbourne Berkeley and J. V. Tallman who dwell on the desirability of improving roads to the south of Pendleton.

Talks on "Trade In Your Own City" were made by E. J. Murphy, and remarks were also made on this subject by President James Sturgis. P. W. Dayton urged a movement to make it easier for people to build and own their own homes.

The sum of \$250 was voted to Frank Branch Riley by the association for his work in the Northwest Tourist association of Oregon and Washington on the condition that the Round-Up vote a like sum.

A proposal of A. W. Lundell, leader of the Pendleton band, that a series of concerts be given this summer drew favorable comment from members of the association, and the proposition made by Lundell was submitted to the civic committee.

St. Roese, west end grocer, spoke as a new member of the association and warmly praised the work being done by President Sturgis.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Seniors Receive Commencement Invitations.—The senior commencement invitations arrived yesterday from the entrainers. The invitations consist of a plain engraved card with two envelopes accompanying the time and place. The senior graduating committee consisting of Miss Mary Clarke, Miss Thelma Blanchette and David Swanson, chairman, is at work on the programs for Inauguration, Class Day, and Commencement. As yet a speaker has not been decided upon for the commencement exercises but it is hoped that one will be secured within the next few days. A definite draft has been made of the program for the Baccalaureate sermon.

## U. S. Singer Scores Abroad



"Certainly the best vocalist that America has sent us for many years," is what the London papers said of Miss Ethel Frank, American soprano, after she had appeared at Queen's Hall, with the London Symphony Orchestra. Miss Frank was formerly soloist at King's Chapel, Boston, and with the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

## TARIFF CONGRESS IN SPECIAL SESSION MEETS WITH VAST PROGRAM

### Complete Revision of Import Laws and Taxes Two Big Tasks Facing Legislators.

By L. C. MARTIN

(United Press Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, April 12.—The "Tariff Congress," as the special session of the 67th congress is being called here met in response to the summons of President Harding.

As the name indicates, it is expected to devote much of its time to tariff revision, both temporary and permanent. Along with that is to go tax law revision, and in addition, a third big legislative task which may be undertaken is the enactment of a soldier bonus bill.

Many of the domestic issues are to come before the session, which, many members expect, will be so crowded with important business that it will merge into the regular session next December. The two houses met today under unusually favorable auspices for the morning's work. President Harding's program, expected to be outlined in a message in the two houses today, can be put through intact if it meets with the approval of all republicans in congress, for they have a clear working margin of 100 in the house and 22 in the senate, enough to render the democratic minority helpless.

Under vigorous leadership, however particularly in the senate, where Oscar Underwood is in the middle, the democrats plan to make themselves felt. Their announced program is not purely obstructive; it is more nearly a program of constructive criticism, with a view to making a record upon which they can go to the country in the congressional elections of 1922, in an effort to regain control of congress, or at least to reduce the margin of republican control.

Here is how the program lines up in advance of Harding's message, which, it is expected, will limit the legislative agenda to the most important domestic subjects, plus ratification of the Colombian treaty.

Enactment of a temporary or "emergency" tariff, for the benefit of American agricultural interests.

Passage of an anti-dumping bill to protect American manufacturing interests.

Revision of the tax laws, with particular attention to the so-called war have determined to impose the closure

taxes, including elimination, if possible, of the excess profits tax, and substitution for it of one or more forms of taxation; revision of the income tax schedules.

Enactment of a new permanent tariff in place of the Underwood-Simmons law, with schedules as high or higher than those of the Payne-Andrich and Dingley laws.

Enactment of a soldier bonus law providing for a number of kinds of adjusted compensation to ex-service men, including cash payments, insurance, land grants, home ownership, etc. This will require enactment of revenue legislation to provide the money, although the plan is to defer operation of the law for some time.

Passage of laws reorganizing certain government activities, among which may be the combination of various departments and reduction of personnel.

Consideration of the transportation problem, with probable amendment of the Transportation act of 1920.

These are the outstanding features of the program, though Harding may decide to include a number of others, among them enactment of anti-profiteering laws to replace those sections declared unconstitutional this spring by the supreme court; measures desired by the farmers to enable them to obtain credit more easily, etc.

While the House is putting in motion the machinery necessary to pass the emergency tariff and anti-dumping bills, the senate is to consider the Colombian treaty, under an agreement to vote on the eighth day after the session begins. There may be a lively tilt over this pact, particularly over efforts of Senator Lodge to have it considered in secret.

The senate also will have a large number of nominations to consider, among them that of former Rep. John J. Eech of Wisconsin, who failed of confirmation as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission at the extra session of the senate in March. The shipping board and other important posts are also to be filled.

Indicating their intention of putting the Harding program through as quickly as possible, senate leaders rule, limiting debate, with respect to emergency tariff bill. This may cause a long wrangle, with the democrats stoutly opposing it.

Enactment of a foreign trade bill may gauge the senate's attention before the session ends, though the present desire is to dispose first of domestic questions. The question of a separate peace with Germany through adoption of the Knox resolution or some substitute repealing the declaration of war, will come to the front soon after the session convenes, no matter what Harding's position on the question is. There is some sentiment for adoption of such a resolution, and its discussion will doubtless revive in a measure at least the League of nations debate.

## Leaders in Voters' Convention



MRS. EDWARD P. COSTIGAN CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT

Two of the women who will take prominent parts in the national convention of the National League of Women Voters in Cleveland April 11-16, will be Mrs. Edward P. Costigan, chairman of the committee on food supply and demand, and Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, chairman of the committee on election laws and methods. The future influence of women in politics will be largely determined by the decisions of this convention.

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