News Notes of Pendleton

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
January 26-27—Meeting of Oregon State Bee Keepers Association in annual convention.

Leaves for Hood River.
T. F. O'Brien, formerly local station agent for the O. W. R. & N., left today for Hood River where he will be employed by the Gilpin Construction Co. of Portland. Mrs. O'Brien is remaining in Pendleton but will join her husband later.

To Go On Cash Business.
Beginning January 1, the Table Supply market will transact all its business on a cash basis, and credit, longer than the usual 30-day period, will not be permitted customers. This announcement has been made in a letter which has been sent patrons of the establishment, which is in charge of Charles DeSpain and Charles Goodyear.

Second Semester Starts Jan. 30.
The second semester of school in Pendleton will start January 30, according to an announcement made by Supt. H. E. Inlow, and not immediately after the Christmas holidays, which is an erroneous impression which has prevailed. The examinations for the high school for the semester's work will be given during the week preceding January 30. Beginning classes in both the first and second grades will be opened for the second semester. Children may be admitted to the first grade who are six years old on or about that date.

They'll Try Walla Walla.
The Tutuilla Indians are going to Walla Walla Friday night where they are to try issues with the high school team in the good old game of basketball. The Indians have been mixing it with all comers and they expect to go the rounds with all contenders during the season. They expect to take over several carloads of boosters for the game.

For Illegal Possession
A sad story which ended up "$50 or 25 days in jail," was written this morning in the police court docket when Michael O'Leary appeared before Magistrate Thomas Fitz Gerald to answer to a charge of having a bottle of intoxicating liquor on his hip. The police declare that not all of the contents were contained in the bottle. Sam Sturgis, Indian, and James Doe were relieved of $10 each on a charge of being drunk Tuesday afternoon.

Delegates To Attend
Among the delegates who will go from Umatilla county to attend the convention of teachers at Portland the latter part of the coming week are Supt. H. E. Inlow and Principal A. Landreth of the city schools, and Supt. W. W. Green, Miss Agnes Carter, Supt. A. C. Voelker, Hermiston, E. F. Goodwin of Milton, and Sanford Sigrist, principal of Pilot Rock. At least one more official delegate will attend from the county at large, and other teachers are expected to be in attendance.

Display is Shown.
An attractive window display at the Snow & Dayton real estate office is attracting attention. A miniature house, snow covered and with lights aglow, is shown. In the background are other miniature homes in a modern residence district.

Shortest Day of Year.
Today is the shortest day of the year, and tomorrow will mark the lengthening of the hours of daylight. The weather today shows signs of moderation, the maximum being 28. The minimum last night, says Major Lee Moorhouse, was 11. The barometer registers 29.51.

Membership Meeting Tonight
Happy Canyon problems are expected to be up for discussion tonight at the monthly membership meeting of the Pendleton Commercial Association. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock at the Elk's lodge room. No final action is expected to be taken at the meeting, but whether to rebuild the structure will be discussed.

Blizzard Rages In Valley
John E. Montgomery returned last night from Wasco and other points in the lower part of the state where he has been for several days on a business mission. The weather is decidedly winterish there, he reports, and a stiff wind has piled drifts of snow on the roads which in some sections has made auto traffic an impossibility.

Christmas Tree at Church
The annual Christmas program of the Baptist church will be held Sunday night at 7:30 in the church. There will be special numbers and Santa Claus will appear to distribute candy from a Christmas tree. All Pendleton children, whether or not their parents are identified with the church, will be welcomed.

Mrs. Richey Dies.
Mrs. John Richey died last night after a week's illness. She was 34 years of age and had resided here for the past eight years. She is survived by her husband, one son, John Ray Richey, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilman, of Monroe, Oregon. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. from the Nazarene church, with Rev. J. T. LaRose officiating.

No Forum Luncheon Tomorrow
The forum luncheon, which has been a regular weekly event of the membership of the Pendleton Commercial Association all autumn and winter, are to be discontinued until in January, 1922, according to an announcement made today by Secretary C. I. Barr. The Christmas rush is responsible for the decision not to hold the luncheon tomorrow and next week. Many people are also out of the city at present visiting, or they are entertaining guests, and this was another cause of the action of the association.

No Golf in Holidays.
Santa Claus won't be able to stop over in Pendleton this Christmas to play golf. Of course, the old boy might stop, but he won't be able to play for the simple reason that there is too much snow. If the patron saint of boys and girls plays the game up in the far-away Northland, he may have some special golf balls which will enable him to play here. Brooke Dickson and Lou Pinson have been appointed a committee of two to watch the links here on Christmas Eve to see if the old boy plays once around during the wee hours of morning when nobody is up except him and the stars and a few sick folk.

Stage Lines Sold
Walter Coldiron, representing the Blue Star State line, which has several lines on the coast, including one out of Everett, Wash., has purchased both the Davin-Horn and the Cozy stage lines running between this city and Pendleton. Mr. Coldiron took possession of the two lines Saturday. The new company took over both the big busses owned by the Cozy line, and the bus on the Davin-Horn line, but not the big touring car on that line. Mr. Coldiron is driving one of the busses himself and was out of the city yesterday afternoon, but it is reported that the busses in use will later be displaced by big White, 16 passenger machines. Davin-Horn company will continue in the automobile and garage business, handling the Haynes and Chalmers cars.—Walla Walla Union.

Poultry Meeting Held
H. E. Cosby, poultry specialist of O. A. C., at a meeting of 35 poultrymen in Hermiston yesterday, pointed out that in dollars and cents, poultry brings in more money to Oregon farmers than wheat, corn and oats combined. He stated that Umatilla county, the seventh in the state in the amount of poultry raised, ships in yearly a great quantity of eggs. Most farmers, he declared, feed hens a maintenance ration while eggs are high. Mere feeding, he stated, will not produce eggs. "Chickens should be hatched about April 1," said he. "Before that time, it is too early as chickens go into the moulting season and chickens hatched after April 1 fail to lay until the winter is over. Hens should have a balanced ration of one fifth protein, which can be supplied by meat scraps and milk, mash is an excellent food." Fred Bennion, who accompanied Mr. Cosby, says that poultry business is picking up in the west end of the county and that several new poultry yards have been built. W. A. Ford, of Umatilla, F. A. Phelps, of Hermiston and E. E. Graham of Columbia, are keeping accurate accounts so that profit or loss in the poultry business can be determined. Mr. Cosby and Mr. Bennion spoke at the Commercial Club luncheon in Hermiston and indicated how business men could help in building up the poultry industry.

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