News Notes of Pendleton

E. J. Murphy Ill

E. J. Murphy is ill at his home on Perkins Avenue. Mr. Murphy is suffering from a severe cold and for a time was threatened with pneumonia. His condition is improved today.

Game Is Postponed

The game of basketball scheduled between Adams and the Tutuilla Indians for last night was postponed on account of a washout on the O.-W. R. & N. tracks near Saxe station. It will be played later.

No Council Meeting

No session of the city council was held last night, the regular meeting time. The cause of the vacation on the part of the city legislature was that there was not a quorum present. The annual meeting and banquet of the Pendleton Commercial Association was a counter attraction which secured the presence of enough of the council members to prevent any meeting.

Jack Talks Tonight

Three Fingered Jack Godwin who recently closed a meeting here at the Methodist church will speak tonight at the Christian church. Since leaving Pendleton he has been appearing in th other towns of the county where he has spoken on law enforcement and local conditions. He promises to set off some fireworks in his talk tonight, and a great deal of interest has been manifested in his appearance here.

To Build House

A permit for the construction of a dwelling, the first one to be issued during February, has been granted at the office of the city recorder to J. E. Stansberry who will erect a house on West Court street. The estimated cost of the building is given at 2,000. This is the first permit taken out in the city since January 23. The inclemency of the weather is held responsible for the period of quiet that has prevailed in building lines and with the return of sunshine and warmer weather, it is expected that there will be other jobs of work started.

To Meet At Roseburg

Roseburg is the place, February 20, 21 and 22 the time, and the conventions of the retail merchants and the shoe dealers are particular events in which business men of Oregon are showing interest. The business sessions of the retail merchants and the shoe dealers will be separate, but all social gatherings will be held jointly, according to plans that have been made by the Roseburg and Douglas County Merchants' Association which will fill the task of being hosts to the state organization. A special invitation to the wives of merchants has been extended, according to the publicity being issued by the association.

Judge Lowell Ill.

Judge Stephen A. Lowell is ill at his home. His condition is not serious but he is confined to his bed.

Get Marriage License

A license to wed has been issued at the office of the county clerk to Ray B. Robinett, a laborer of Hermiston, and Geneva B. Morrison, also of Hermiston.

Cold Has Bill Down

William Ory, messenger for the Western Union, is not able to work today on account of a severe cold. During his absence John Allegar is doing double duty.

Improvements Made.

Cruikshank & Hampton are making improvements in their furniture store on Webb street. The space devoted to the music department is being remodeled and will be used for the stove and range department.

F. W. Furst Here.

F. W. Furst, of the Portland forestry office, is in the city today to confer with C. L. Kiethley, forest ranger, on extensive reconnaissance with regard to the Umatilla and Wenaha divisions of the Umatilla National Forest.

Precipitation is .40.

Precipitation yesterday was .40 of an inch, the rain being a heavy one. The barometer is low and more rainfall is expected. The maximum, says Major Lee Moorhouse, is 44, and the minimum 33, while the barometer registers 20.48.

Lowell for Governorship

That Judge S. A. Lowell of Pendleton will be in the race for the republican nomination for governor is indicated by an extended story in the Oregonian this morning. Judge Lowell sets forth the platform on which he will run if he enters the race and lists himself as a "probable" candidate.

Answer Is Filed

The answer of Carl A. Swanson, appellant in the case of Frank Hickman against Carl Swanson, appealed from the court of Justice Joe H. Parkes, has been filed in circuit court by Peterson, Bishop and Clark, Swanson's attorneys. The suit covers costs of work done on a construction job and only a small sum is involved.

No Meeting Tuesday

Because of the fact the members of the Progressive Business Club are to be entertained by the Rotary club next Wednesday evening there will be no regular luncheon by the Progressives next Tuesday it was announced today by G. M. Rice, president of the Progressive Business Club. The joint dinner is to be served at the Elks club at 6:30 Wednesday.

County Children Winners.

Nita M. Paulsen of Hermiston, won the first prize of $15 in the essay contest held recently under the auspices of the National Highway Association, and James H. Raley, of Pendleton, won the third prize of $5. The prizes were offered to grade school children. Other winners were Harry Tornhopf, of Portland, second, and Artie Appleton, of Astoria, fourth.

George Tonkin Here.

George Tonkin, United States game warden, is a Pendleton visitor. Mr. Tonkin scouts the idea that ducks in the west end died of poisoning. He attributes the cause to old age, insufficient food, etc. Mr. Tonkin is distributing attractive bulletins on "How to Attract Birds in Northwestern States," "Farm Help from the Birds," and "Bird Houses and How to Build Them."

Desertion Charged.

That his wife deserted him within three weeks after their marriage in 1918 and has lived separate from him ever since is a claim made by Moses Taylor in a suit for divorce filed in circuit court in which Elizabeth Scully Taylor is defendant. She lives in Walla Walla county, Washington, according to the complaint. Peterson, Bishop and Clark represent the plaintiff.

Milton Stores Robbed

A hardware store, and a nearby store at Milton were entered and burglarized last night, according to information securred at the office of Sheriff Zoeth Houser this morning. The extent of the losses has not been determined at the office of the sheriff at noon. Deputy Sheriff Jake Marin went to study the cases. Entrance to both stores was gained by smashing in the window, it is stated.

Dean Robbins Coming.

Dean E. C. Robbins of the School of Business Administration of the state university will be in Pendleton on Monday, February 20, according to information received at the office of the Pendleton Commercial Association from the director of the extension division. The visit of the dean is expected to result in a conference in which the needs of the summer teachers' normal here will be placed before him. Instructors for the normal may be secured as a result of the conference.

Checks Are Acceptable.

Checks in payment for income taxes are acceptable to the department of internal revenue if the banks on which the checks are drawn will cash the paper at its face value without deducting for exchange service, according to a statement made by Clyde G. Huntley, collector of this district. It is understood that local banks provide exchange for their patrons free of charge. Where this service is not provided, Huntley directs that taxes be paid either by drafts or money order.

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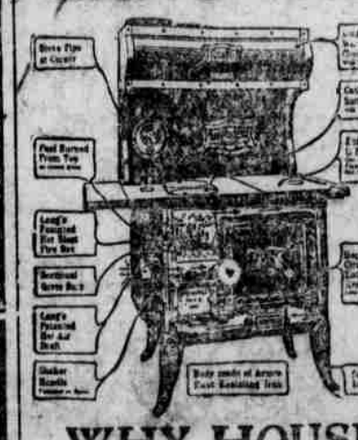

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ALASKA FACES RUSH FOR OIL AND COAL

By WARREN W. WHEATON.
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Aloof Alaska faces another rush for wealth as picturesque as the famous dash for gold, it was declared today by interior department officials.

The barren wastes of the Far North country hold unlimited quantities of oil and coal that will add untold millions to the country's natural resources, it was officially announced, and the federal government proposes to take early steps to develop the Alaskan area.

Immediate action to secure joint and reduced freight rates from the coast to the interior was taken under consideration by Secretary of the Interior Fall today following the exposition of the find to President Harding and cabinet officials.

Goaded to action by reports from Governor Scott C. Bone, of Alaska, and a prospector named Smith, both of whom are now in Washington, the administration, it was learned today has promised to take the necessary steps to open up the Alaskan country.

Announcement was made that Dr. Alfred Brooks, geologist connected with the interior department, who has made a thorough study of the far northern possession of the United States, will soon leave Washington for Alaska to complete his survey of resources of the country.

"We place all possible reliance on the statements that unlimited oil and coal deposits are as yet untouched in the interior of Alaska,' declared department officials today. "A prospector named Smith, who is now in Washington and who has traveled twenty-two thousand miles by dog team under the Arctic skies in places that are yet unmapped, tells us of vast quantities of oil and canned coal to be found in the barren wastes about six hundred or seven hundred miles north of Fairbanks and in the interior of the country.

"We feel that everything possible to extend transportation routes in Alaska to open up this territory should be undertaken, and the interior department believes that the northern terminus of the Alaskan railroad, now at Fairbanks, should be further extended.

"We are not inclined to feel that this find is a pipe dream. It is still in the exploration state, and it may take some years to develop it, but the department is confident it is there."

Governor Bone is here to press favorable consideration by congress of legislation designed to liberalize laws for Alaska and make more solid its now characterized "chaotic system" of government, which the governor declares has "repelled capital and retraded growth and population."

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