News Notes of Pendleton

Program to be Given

A special program will be given tomorrow evening at the Salvation Army hall, by the young people. The program will be open to the public.

Miss Dunn Employed

Miss Ariel Dunn, formerly of Pendleton, has taken a position in the advertising department of Lipman, Wolfe & Co., of Portland.

To Observe Holiday

Washington's birthday anniversary will be observed in Pendleton tomorrow. The banks will be closed for the day, and the postoffice will also be closed to permit employes a vacation. Other lines of business will be conducted as usual.

Half Holiday for Schools.

Pendleton schools will observe the anniversary of the birth of George Washington tomorrow morning when special programs will be given in all of the buildings. In the afternoon the schools will have a half holiday in accordance with Oregon laws, which so specify.

Horch In Trouble Again.

Jack Horch, former stage driver who occupied the limelight here recently, is in trouble again. He was arrested last nigth by the city police on complaint of Mrs. Horch who has charged her husband with being drunk and with threatening to assault her. Horch was taken before the court this morning and his case was set for trial this afternoon. He is held in jail. Maud Johnson this morning forfeited bail of $10. She was charged with being drunk.

Barker Disappears, Report

That Earl S. Rowe, cashier of a recently organized bank at Freewater, has disappeared is the report that has been brought to Pendleton by Freewater residents. Rowe left a week ago today. His car was found between Walla Walla and Wallula recently. Rowe was at one time secretary of the Spokane Cattle Loan Co. The Freewater financial institution with which he was connected was backed largely by fruit men.

Deer Slayers Fined

Fines of $100 each were assessed against Carl, Dan and Leonard Calander in the court of Justice Joe H. Parkes yesterday when the men were brought into court by Deputy Game Warden W. H. Albee and Special Agent Glenn Bushee on charges of killing deer out of season. The venison and green hides were found by the game warden at the home of the men on North Fork near Meacham station. Deer were seen feeding in the brakes near the hillsides yesterday Mr. Albee stated.

Judge Belts to Sit Here

While Judge G. W. Phelps occupies the bench at Portland for a fortnight in order to assist in clearing the overcrowded docket there, the bench in the Umatilla circuit court will be occupied by Judge H. H. Belt of Dallas who arrived in Pendleton yesterday. Judge Belt is an experienced jurist. He is expected to sit on the Carmichael divorce case and may hear some other cases of local importance during his stay in Pendleton. Judge Phelps will leave for Portland tomorrow night.

To Dance Feb. 28

The degree team of the Woodmen of the World is planning a final dance of the present season which will be given at the Eagle-Woodman hall a week from tonight, Tuesday, February 28.

Power Plants Lower

At least one item that is used rather widely on Umatilla county farms is lower in price now than it was. A reduction has been made in the price of the Lally light and power plant. Previously, the outfits cost $585, and they recently were reduced to cost $550, f. o. b. Pendleton.

Insurance Company Sues

The Idaho State Life Insurance Co. has brought suit in circuit court through Peterson, Bishop and Clark against Henry C. Hudson and others seeking judgment and foreclosure of a mortgage. A note for $12,000 said to be past due and unpaid is the basis of the action.

To Quiet Title

George E. Dixon and others are plaintiffs and E. P. Dixon and others are defentants in a suit to quiet title to real estate brought in circuit court. S. D. Peterson represents the plaintiffs, and he is also the attorney in a case of similar nature brought by J. E. Moseley against Joseph L. Teel and others.

New Telegraph Editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hall of Portland, arrived this morning, Mr. Hall coming to accept a position as telegraph editor of the East Oregonian, succeeding Mrs. Edna Morrison, who has resigned. Mr. Hall was for three years a student in the industrial journalism course at O. A. C. and while there had newspaper experience on college publications and as correspondent for the Oregon Journal.

Make Inspection of Property

The mayor, all the members of the city council and the city attorney were included in an insnection party which made a trip over the Pat Doherty property just west of the city this morning. The inspection was made by the city authorities in an effort to acquaint themselves definitely with the value of the property which will probably be purchased as a site for the spetic tank.

Institute Collection Suits

Suits to collect on notes and foreclose mortgages given as security have been filed in circuit court by Robert R. Hazlett and his wife, Lydian Hazlett, against Lena C. Springer and Ada Loveland. Notes claimed to amount to $2,500 are involved. Carter and Smythe represent the plaintiffs. Lee R. Caldwell is defendant in two suits brought by Alison H. McCutcheon in which the plaintiff seeks judgment on notes of a total value of $4,7700 and foreclosure of real estate. Raley, Raley and Steiwer represent the plaintiff.

Public Invited to Program.

A special program in observance of the anniversary of Washington's birth has been planned by the Pendleton high school and will be presented tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the high school auditorium. The public and friends of the school have been extended a cordial invitation by the school authorities to be present. The numbers on the program are as follows: Selection by the McElroy orchestra; conferring of debate letters to winners of honors by Miss Amanda Zabel, address "Washington," by Rev. John H. Secor.

Killed Wife and Self

Word has been received in Pendleton of the murder of Mrs. Samuel Wright who was killed by her husband, Samuel Wright, at their home in San Pablo, California, February 13. A few minutes later the man is said to have turned the gun on himself and fired shots which resulted in his own death within a short time. Wright was a brother of the first wife of H. F. Peters of Pendleton and was also related by marriage to Fred E. Peters of Rieth. Joe Wright, a brother of the deceased man, formerly was a well known farmer in Umatilla county. He came here in 1904, operated extensively on the reservation up until two years ago when he left for California. Jealousy or mental irresponsibility is given as the probable cause of the shooting.

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