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THE CIVIC CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Mrs. Clyde Ecker was again chosen president of the Civic Club here Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Sherman Hays. The other officers elected are: Mrs. Taylor Jones, 1st vice president; Mrs. C. O. Sloper, 2nd vice president; Mrs. J. C. Kreamer, secretary; Mrs. J. S. Cooper, financial secretary; Mrs. G. W. Conkey, treasurer; Mrs. James Robbie, Mrs. W. M. Huff and Mrs. A. E. Thomas, members of the executive board.

Much important business was transacted including the report of several committees and the annual report of officers. By request the president's annual report will be published soon.

Following the business session the meeting was given into the hands of the social committee consisting of Mrs. Jas. Robbie, Mrs. Sherman Hays, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Oliver Smith, Mrs. Taylor Jones and Mrs. A. L. Thomas. The committee had used a choice collection of Oregon's beautiful roses to make the home more festive and gay colored panes too smiled their greetings. A program of delightful numbers was rendered including a solo, "That Little Old Fashioned Mother" by Mrs. Oliver Smith which was heartily encored. Mrs. Small was the pleasing accompanist and was urged to give a solo but she declined. Master Russell Jones was the reader for the occasion giving for his first number, "My Sister's Best Feller." He was so good that he was forced to appear in a second recall. The afternoon closed with a most appetizing luncheon prepared and served by the hostesses.

There will be a big booster meeting on Wednesday, June 25, at which

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HUGE CROP SAYS VERD

(Portland Journal.)
The Willamette valley is going to have the biggest crop raised in 20 years," declares Verd Hill, who owns a ranch near Independence. "Farmers are going back into the hop raising industry, which was abandoned somewhat during the period of the war. They feel that cutting out the strong drinks will help the hop industry, since more hops than ever will be needed for soft drinks."

BACCALAUREATE ADDRESS GIVEN BY D. V. POLLING

Graduation week began Sunday evening when D. V. Polling, student adviser of the O. A. C., delivered the baccalaureate address before the graduating class and a large gathering at the Methodist church which was artistically decorated with the class colors crimson and white. The speaker chose for his subject, "Now Abideth Co-operation, Appreciation and Determination, but the Greatest of These is Determination." His address was very able and many pretty pictures were drawn which will prove helpful to the class and all present. Besides the congregational singing J. G. McIntosh rendered a pleasing solo and the choir presented a beautiful anthem.

FARMERS SEEK RELIEF FROM DEPREDACTIONS OF BEAVER

Farmers living along the Luckiamute river have asked the state game commission for permission to kill the beaver which live on the banks of the stream. The animals have undermined considerable abutting property which not only is a great detriment to the land but stock is injured by breaking thru the ground.

BLANCHE SWEET IN "THE UNPARDONABLE SIN"

INDEPENDENCE IS THE FOURTH
TOWN WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI
RIVER TO GET THIS PICTURE. IT
WAS SHOWN FOR THREE WEEKS IN
SEATTLE FOR A DOLLAR A SEAT.

A Soul Stirring Picturization of the Most Tremendous Story ever Written . . . "Man shall be educated for War and Woman for recreation of the Warrior. Everything else is folly."—Nietzsche. And thus are brute force and evil passions glorified. History's darkest pages could scarcely recall such teachings as this—the result is only so strongly shown in "The Unpardonable Sin." . . . You won't believe it until you see it and when you see it you'll want to fight—any red blooded human being would! . . . Today when the fault is committed Woman hides herself. Man walks proudly erect, so conveniently for Man, so bitter for Woman! . . . A Powerful Story of the Brutality and Injustice of Man toward Woman—unbelievable, unthinkable, its dramatic thrills will hold you riveted to your seat. . . . "The Unpardonable Sin" is making all America sit up and take notice. . . . It conveys a message that startles, thrill and delights you—and you'll be a better human being. . . . You'll always see the picture, you'll always remember the story, it will live in your mind forever.

**MUNDAY AND TUESDAY, JUNE 16 & 17
TWO NIGHTS**

ADMISSION 25-50c.

PROGRAM FOR REMAINDER OF THE WEEK

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18—BRYANT WASHBURN in "The Way of a Man With a Maid." Girls! Girls! Will you never learn? Of course, you don't think the man's just trying to be nice to the girl. You know his kind! But don't worry! She can play the game, too!

MACK SENNETT COMEDY "The Village Chestnut."

THURSDAY, JUNE 19—"CAPTURED BY CANNIBALS." Final installment of Martin Johnson's sensational pictures "Cannibals of the South Seas." A first hand visit to the land of the human brute. Audaciously Original Unconventional Startling pictures of Savages. Naked, Treacherous Man-killing and frequently Man-Eating. Selecting Brides for Marriage—Trapped by Man-Eaters—Buried alive—Sixty hour death-watch.

FRIDAY, JUNE 20—DOROTHY DALTON in "Quicksand." Come on boys! Yes, every one of you. Mothers, fathers and sisters, too! See what life really is for a cabaret girl! See, if it all gay music, bright lights and sparkling champagne! CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "The Fireman."

SATURDAY, JUNE 21—WILLIAM DESMOND in "Life's a Funny Proposition." A rollicking comedy drama—the story of a bachelor's agonies over the unexplained and unexplainable possession of a perfectly innocent baby. OUTING CHESTER and a Comedy.

SUNDAY, JUNE 22—D. W. GRIFFITH presents
"The Greatest Thing in Life"

What about that French girl that the soldier boys, back victorious from the war, is telling about? Are her clothes startling? Do the skirts show her hose? Is she the "Frenchy" sort of person you imagine her to be? D. W. Griffith's newest motion picture introduces you. Meet the girl the soldier boys knew in France. IT COST "SOME" MONEY TO GET THIS PICTURE, BUT WE BOOK-ED IT JUST THE SAME.

ISIS THEATRE INDEPENDENCE

GUY PAUL PRATHER RECEIVES PLAUDITS AT GRADUATION

The crowning event of the season's musical events was the graduation of Guy Paul Prather last Thursday evening from the Western Conservatory of Music, Lottie Hedges McIntosh, Interstate Faculty Teacher. The event was held at the Methodist church before a large and discriminating audience. The choir loft was a bower of beauty, a color scheme of pink and green was charming and effective. The chancel rail was entwined with lacy ferns and pink rambler and huge pink peonies and choice roses of the same delicate hue made the setting one of extreme beauty as can only be gathered from Oregon's flower gardens.

The youthful musician was assisted during the evening by Miss Gertrude Rogers, violinist, who delighted the audience with her selections, and Miss Arbutnott, reader, who always holds her audience every minute thru her original manner in creating the atmosphere of the different characters she represents. For this occasion she chose "Calling on Caroline."

As a pianist of only fifteen years, Guy Paul Prather played with a maturity and poise quite remarkable. He displayed a brilliant technique and splendid interpretation. His entire program was given from memory. The second group "Adagio and Allegretto" deserve especial mention as the contrast in action was a splendid attest to his ability. His rendition of Chopin's "Polonaise" showed consummate mastery and he was insistently recalled. In "A Scottish Tone Poem" he displayed a poet's response to Scottish rhythms.

DANCE

INDEPENDENCE

WEDNESDAY

JUNE 18

Music by the
Famous Tillotson's
Singing and Playing
Jazz Dance Orchestra

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY OPEN

A. Thomas, long years experienced photographer, has opened the Independence Studio and will do all kinds of work in a pleasing and satisfactory manner.

In "The Unpardonable Sin" Miss Sweet is shown alone in a room with one of the (continued on Page 4.)

THE CLASS OF 1919

Margaret E. Burroughs
Charles T. Calbreath
Norma M. Calbreath
Opal E. Hewett
Gladys I. McGowan
Grace Seaman

Motto—"Hit, Don't Fan."
Class Colors—Red and White.
Class Flower—Red Carnation.

PRIZE WINNERS NAMED IN OREGON HISTORY CONTEST

The final decision of the judges in the contest offered by the Civic Club to the history classes for the best essays on "Early Oregon History" or some phase of early history was made Monday evening. The winners were Kathleen Skinner, freshmen, Otis Scott, sophomore, Norma Calbreath, junior, Kathleen and Norma tied for the general prize. As the girls tied in merit it was decided to combine the two prizes and divide them equally between the two which disposition gave each winner two dollars. The judges were Mrs. J. S. Cooper, Mrs. Clyde Ecker and Rev. C. T. Cook. They were highly pleased with the thought given the subjects and the thorough manner in which the papers were prepared. They only regretted each participant in the contest could not be given a prize. The Club hopes to make other offers to the pupils along similar lines.

LIEUTENANT RALF FLOYD AND ORA FENTON WED

It was a great surprise to Independence friends to learn that Lieutenant Ralf A. Floyd and Miss Ora Fenton, were married at Corvallis a few days ago. The parties were "kid" sweethearts and the romance which was interrupted by the war was resumed in the glad-some days of peace which naturally resulted in the ringing of marriage bells.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Floyd are now on their way to the Philippines Islands where the groom has been assigned to active duty in the aviation branch of the service.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT PRATHERS

Last Friday night, the Prather clan of which there are many members, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Prather and spent a very enjoyable evening. Either Mr. or Mrs. R. E. or both had a birthday and the event was duly celebrated.

REV. STEWART RIES AT BANKS

Rev. W. S. Stewart, for three years pastor of the Independence Methodist church, died at Banks Wednesday. He had been in poor health for a number of months. His parents live at Monmouth. The funeral was held at Salem Friday, a number from here attending.

BEST OF PICTURES AT ISIS NEXT WEEK

The best pictures are coming to the Isis! The bill of the coming week is unusually strong. Feeling that their Saturday night shows could be improved, the proprietors proceeded to schedule a high class repertoire. "The Unpardonable Sin" (Monday and Tuesday, June 16-17) is one of the most pretentious screen plays that has ever been attempted, and has completed after months of painstaking effort and with the expenditure of more real money than has been enlisted in the aid of any photoplay produced within the past five years. It is a grand new production, and just now is having its initial runs in the important theatres in the East.

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IT WILL BE A BIG FOURTH CELEBRATION

Get the spirit of the Big Celebration and come along. We, of the U. S. A. have just learned how we are, so now is the time for everybody to celebrate. The committees who have the different divisions in charge are working earnestly to have their feature surpass all expectations. Here's a surprise: there will be an Oriental boat from Portland in the parade, and many unique and original schemes are being worked out by business houses for their entries. The sports committee have many surprises in store. There will be music—good music a plenty—and amusements to fill the day with the Victory spirit. The boisterous dance will be one of the splendid features. All the carriages in town will give vent to their resounding natures. There will be a vaudeville tent and a baby show, and, of course, the "pig uggies" will make a lane o' laughter.

METHODIST LADIES AID MEMBERSHIP THE BIRTHDAY

The Methodist Ladies Aid always keeps its eye on the birthdays of the members and not one is allowed to pass without a pretty celebration. Last Thursday these ladies prepared a nice surprise at the Methodist church for Mrs. A. D. Davidson and Mrs. Bertha Ferguson who had each reached another mile stone. The reveries were all complete and as a climax to the pleasant event Mrs. Anna Dyer appeared with a birthday cake bearing 13 candles. The ladies knew they were past that age but refused to believe in the traditions of superstition and each departed with the same cheerful note on me and surrounding friends.

Celebrate in Independence.

STUDENTS' RECITAL

Given by the pupils of MOTTIN MUSEUM and
TOKI at the First Methodist Church on Friday
evening, June 20, 1919, at 8 o'clock.

PART I.

Piano Duette—"Blossom Time" Spaulding,

Andrea and Ruth Tethrow Lindsey,

Piano Solo—"Come Pussy" Pauline Perry Lindsey,

Piano Solo—"On Tiptoe" LeAnna Womber Lindsey,

Piano Solo—"Cinderella Waltz" Clara Fleming LeGrande,

Piano Duette—"The First Duette" Frederick and Opal Hewett Presser,

Piano Solo—"Happy Holiday" Ruth Tethrow Brownfield,

Piano Solo—"Springtime Joys" Dottie Womber Lindsey,

Piano Solo—"Rose Waltz" Marion Meyers Presser,

Piano Solo—"The Contented Bird" Mildred Tethrow Rowe,

Piano Solo—"Birds of Spring" Edna Burch Brownfield,

Piano Solo—"Rainbow Waltz" Lucille Cooke Weber,

Piano Solo—"Sunshine Polka" Trula Grant McIntyre,

Piano Solo—"Whippoorwill Waltz" Lennie Burch Streebing,

Piano Solo—"Waltz of the Snowflakes" Fannie Luetta Baker Fearn,

Piano Solo—"Play Ground March" Bernice Burright LeGrand,

Piano Solo—"Spinning Song" Hazel Butler Elmerich,

Vocal Solo—"A Dusky Lullaby" Margaret Zielesch Gilberts,

PART II.

Piano Duette—"March Des Trombones" Ch. Weiss Bessie Plessinger and Guy Prather Margeson,

Vocal Solo—"Tommy Lad" Ernest Chown Wachis,

Piano Solo—"The Myrtles" Vera Wilson Daley,

Piano Solo—"Under the Stars" Goldia Hooker Lane,

Vocal Solo—"Fireside Faces" Vera Wilson Browne,

Piano Solo—"Love Dreams" Emma Zielesch DeKoven,

Vocal Solos—(a) "Nita Gitana" (b) "The Twilight Hour" Alma Wells Geibl,

Piano Solo-Quartette from Rigoletto "Verdi" Spier Bessie Plessinger

Vocal Solo—"Spring's Awakening" Helen Jones Sanders,

Piano Solo—"Dance of the Raindrops" Edith Plessinger Adam,

Piano Solo—"Polonaise" Guy Prather Chopin,

Told by the Bank Book

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The Only Savings Department For Miles and Miles and Miles

DO you realize that the Farmers State Bank has the only real Savings Department between McMinnville, Corvallis and Salem? Then you will realize what a huge territory this institution covers in its operations, and you may be sure that we are prepared to serve everyone in that section too.

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Cashier.
L. C. FITZGERALD,
Asst. Cashier.



"See here," says the Good Judge

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about that small chew
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it's good tobacco. Its
quality saves you part of
your tobacco money.
It goes further and lasts
longer.

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