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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES TO BE TOMORROW NIGHT

Address is to be by F. J. Haas, Pastor of First Methodist Church, Eugene.

Commencement exercises for the 1924 class will be held tomorrow night in the high school auditorium. The commencement address will be given by F. J. Haas, pastor of the First Methodist church in Eugene. Professor Sweetser, of the University of Oregon, who had been selected for the address, had to cancel the appointment on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Sweetser.

The complete program is as follows: March—Mrs. Bessie Sutcliffe. Invocation—E. R. Clevenger. Address—F. J. Haas. Piano solo—Mrs. Oren W. Hays. Awarding of diplomas—H. J. Shinn, chairman school board.

The class night program held last night, was as follows: Roll call—Marion Richmond, class president. Piano solo—Gordon Wright. Salutatory—Miss Donna Nichols. Vocal duet—Miss Nellie Stewart and Miss Ruth Powers.

Class will—Miss Helen Waples. Violin solo—Miss Velma Madden. Class poem—Miss Beulah Smith. Vocal solo—Miss Ray Godard. Class prophecy—Miss Genevieve Rice. Clarinet solo—Leo Brand. Valedictory—Miss Helen Breedlove.

The junior reception for the seniors will be held tonight. Baccalaureate exercises were held Sunday night at the Methodist church, the sermon being by E. J. Adams, pastor of the Christian church. He gave an inspiring address.

MRS. SUTCLIFFE'S PUPILS PRESENT PLEASING RECITAL

Mrs. Bessie Lewis Sutcliffe presented her piano pupils in a pleasing recital at the high school auditorium Friday evening to a large and appreciative audience. On the program were 25 numbers, ranging from simple primary studies to masterpieces of classical composition. A large number, unable to obtain seats, filled much of the available standing room and remained until the end of the long program.

Few cities are blessed with so large a percentage of discriminating music lovers as Cottage Grove; and though many of these have begun to fear that the art of the musician is being slowly but surely submerged in the raucous racket and stuttering synecopation of the school of jazz, there were both encouragement and inspiration in the spectacle of a class of 56 students, ranging upward from six or seven years of age, presenting a comprehensive program of great music in a manner which surely could have pleased none so much as the instructor.

Technique and execution were uniformly excellent throughout. Among the advanced students, Gordon's Wright's interpretation of Rachmaninoff's "Prelude in G Minor" was perhaps the most impressive, although Leo Brand's spirited work in Koelling's "Hungary" brought an enthusiastic and well deserved encore and little Miss Thelma Kem played the Chaminade "Arabesque" with all the grace, artistry and aplomb of a finished concert performer.

Several two-piano and three-piano solos demonstrated a precision of tempo almost metronomic, as did likewise a three-piano, 18-hand number which was heartily received.

Mrs. Arab Hoyt Rae, popular Eugene contralto, sang the "Harvest Lullaby" and "Thank God for the Harvest" and was enthusiastically encores and recalled. Mrs. Victor Kem, popular local soprano, sang "The Wind in the South" and responded to an encore with the Kashmiri song, "Pale Hands."

Memorial Service Sunday. A special memorial service will be held Sunday at the Christian church. A. J. Adams, pastor, will deliver the sermon and there will be special music. Several fraternal organizations plan to attend in a body. The American Legion, with the assistance of the young married women's class of the Christian Sunday school, are decorating the church appropriately for the occasion.

Bond Election Tomorrow. The special election for the consideration of the issuance of bonds for the erection of the proposed new grade school building and class-room gymnasium will be held this afternoon. The polls in the high school auditorium will be open from 2 to 7.

HOME TERRITORY STANDS BY COMMISSIONER SHARP

Lorane, Home of New Commissioner, Only One in This Section Giving Vote for Recall.

Commissioner Sharp's home territory stood by him. The recall against him lost by 87 votes in the city. Lorane precinct alone, in this end of the county, gave a favorable vote on the recall against Sharp, although in Cottage Grove No. 1 the recall against Roney was favorable by 4 votes and Sharp had a lead of only 2.

Zimmerman was hardly even an "also ran" in his contest with Congressman Hawley. Cottage Grove's candidate for the democratic nomination for county commissioner, W. T. Poole, failed to land.

There was a great deal of misunderstanding of the ballot. Counting boards report that many voted to oust the commissioners and then voted to put them in again, while others voted against the recall and then voted for the recall candidate instead of for the commissioner.

Many were confused by the fact that the name of Commissioner Sharp appeared upon the regular republican ballot as well as upon the recall ballot. They did not realize that Commissioner Sharp's term would have expired next January and that it was necessary to nominate someone as a candidate in November regardless of the result of the recall. Clinton Hurd, who will take Mr. Sharp's place, is also the regular republican nominee for the general election in November.

Despite the intense interest in the recall election and in some of the other contests, there was less than a 50 per cent vote.

J. S. Medley, former resident, received a handsome complimentary vote from his former neighbors here for the democratic nomination for district attorney. One man who said he had voted but once in his life went to the polls particularly to vote for Medley.

Vote by precincts in Cottage Grove on contested offices was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5 Total
For recall of Sharp:					
Yes	67	16	60	10	35 188
No	69	66	82	35	51 303
For recall candidate against Roney:					
Hurd	65	13	56	8	37 179
Sharp	61	58	77	30	40 266
For recall of Roney:					
Yes	69	20	62	12	40 203
No	63	63	82	34	48 290
For recall candidate against Roney:					
Crowe	61	18	59	10	39 187
Roney	56	52	73	30	43 254
For Harrisburg bridge:					
Yes	99	63	108	30	60 360
No	23	11	20	8	18 80
For transfer road money:					
Yes	53	44	75	27	41 240
No	61	20	41	14	28 164
For U. S. senator:					
Baker	25	19	28	8	16 96
Kubli	9	4	23	3	11 50
McNary	41	30	52	14	36 173
Stallard	0	2	4	0	1 7
For member of congress:					
Hawley	64	53	89	25	51 282
Zimmerman	6	2	11	1	4 24
For attorney general:					
Kuyken	40	27	71	15	31 184
VanWinkle	36	24	33	9	20 122
For legislature:					
George	32	26	45	9	33 145
Howard	42	26	42	14	28 152
Potter	50	38	58	22	22 190
Roberts	26	18	43	6	15 108
Wheeler	32	18	58	11	26 145
White	37	23	44	12	18 134
For district attorney:					
Brownell	22	13	27	6	17 85
Johnson	14	7	26	13	13 83
Jones	24	27	36	12	21 120
Wells	10	7	12	4	4 37
For county commissioner:					
Bailey	14	3	18	1	11 47
Hurd	28	9	56	5	19 117
Sharp	37	44	39	17	29 166
For sheriff:					
Liles	8	5	35	4	6 58
Svarverud	28	16	61	9	23 138
Taylor	36	34	6	11	25 112
For assessor:					
Callison	30	17	52	5	25 129
Keeney	45	38	56	20	34 193
For district attorney (democratic):					
Medley	30	17	23	16	14 109
Young	4	1	15	4	4 28

The vote on the recall in precincts outside of Cottage Grove in this end of the county was as follows:

	Recall	Recall		
	Sharp	Roney		
	Yes	No	Yes	No
Brumbaugh	24	62	29	58
Dieston	11	25	13	23
Dorena	6	51	5	53
Latham	59	78	60	77
Saginaw	15	47	15	47
Silk Creek	7	44	9	43
Wallace (London)	25	45	25	45
Sinslow (Lorane)	29	12	39	12

Cottage Grove and all outlying precincts gave President Coolidge a splendid endorsement.

The vote on district attorney in outlying precincts in this end of the county was as follows:

	Jones	Wells	Brownell	Johnson
Brumbaugh	19	22	6	10
Dieston	11	22	3	4
Dorena	19	1	6	8
Latham	43	8	16	20
Saginaw	8	8	8	4
Silk Creek	21	2	8	3
Wallace	5	7	6	5

The live wire print shop is always ready to help in the preparation of advertising and printing copy. Our experience may be worth something to you.

A GRANDMOTHER AT 36 YEARS WAS REMARKABLE RECORD OF MRS. MONROE

Becoming a grandmother at 40 is no feat at all in this favored section of the famous, fertile, fruitful Willamette. The Sentinel published last week the names of two grandmothers, one becoming such at 41 years and the other at 43 years. Since then word has been received from Mrs. A. L. Monroe, who is now on a motor tour with her husband. She became a grandmother at 36 but did not enter The Sentinel's contest because she thought there would be others much younger.

THREE MACHINES CLIMB SIDE OF MOUNT DAVID

Cody Evans, Salem, Takes the 76-80 Per Cent 400-Foot Grade in 13.3 Seconds.

Three machines, all Harley Davidson's, negotiated the 76-80 per cent grade of Mount David in the fourth annual hill climb held here Sunday afternoon.

Cody Evans, Salem, won first prize, making the 400 feet in 13.3 seconds in the 61 cubic inch professional class. Harry Lewis, Roseburg, was second, his time being 14 seconds flat. Evans made his record on the third trial. He went over on the first trial in 14.8 and failed to reach the top on the second trial. The only other time that the hill was topped was when Evans did it in the 80-inch open event in 17 seconds.

G. Beachold, Portland, on an Indian, took the 60 cubic inch event, going 232 feet. L. DuBay, Eugene, was second, as he was also in the 80-inch event, on a Harley Davidson.

MATTHEW L. TOMPKINS, 80, WAS CIVIL WAR VETERAN

Matthew L. Tompkins, veteran of the Civil War and for 10 years a resident of Cottage Grove, died at his home on south Sixth street Monday morning from a complication of diseases, after having been an invalid for five years. The funeral was held Wednesday from the chapel, Pastor A. J. Adams, of the Christian church, officiating and Appomattox post, G. A. R., of which Mr. Tompkins was a member, assisting. Interment was in the A. F. & M. M. I. O. F. cemetery.

Mr. Tompkins was born November 28, 1843, in Monroe county, N. Y., and had passed his eightieth birthday anniversary. He was married in New York to Emma Randall, who survives. They moved to Iowa, Utah and California before coming to Cottage Grove in 1906, when they settled at Lorane, remaining there until moving into this city in 1913.

Mr. Tompkins served in F. company, 105th New York volunteer infantry. The only surviving child is C. R. Tompkins, of Lorane. Mrs. W. F. Johnson, of this city, is a niece.

Eugene Plays Here Sunday.

The baseball season will be officially opened here Sunday, when Eugene will be here for a contest with the regular team. Manager Earl Hill has had his men practicing every evening and hopes to have them in shape for a real contest with the county seaters. A contest between these teams is always a keen one.

The local team will go to Roseburg the latter part of next week to play the team of that city in a contest that is to be one of the strawberry festival attractions.

W. C. STAFFORD, S. P. BRAKIE MEETS INSTANT DEATH

Was Operating Hand Brake When Staff Gives Way and He Falls Under Wheels.

W. C. Stafford, of Roseburg, a brakeman on Southern Pacific extra No. 2542 eastbound, met instant death at 11:30 Monday night when he fell under the wheels of a freight car which was being shunted into the yard of the Oregon Pacific & Eastern railway. He was operating the hand brake when an apparently defective brake staff gave way and he fell forward in front of the car and Mrs. Della Winsor, which passed over the body diagonally. The body was dragged for a distance.

Coroner Branstetter held an inquest Monday, the jury returning a verdict that death resulted as stated above.

Stafford was born in Missouri and was aged 31 years. He had been an employe of the Southern Pacific since January, 1917. The wife and a daughter survive. A. A. Stafford, of Portland, is the father and Mrs. Della Winsor, of Portland, is a sister. A. H. Stafford, a brother, arrived here Tuesday morning from Roseburg for the body. Mrs. O. F. Haley, of Round Prairie, Ore., is a sister and a brother, J. M. Stafford, lives at Clear Lake, Okla.

PRINTED WORD COMES TO LIFE AFTER HALF CENTURY

There is practically no limit to the life of the printed word. It may drop from sight for a long time and then be unexpectedly brought to light. When F. G. Stillier took down an old building which had stood for probably half a century on "the island" on the west side of the river, he found that it had been papered with copies of the Pioneer Press, of St. Paul, Minn., of the years 1868 and 1869. While it was impossible to remove the papers in such a manner as to preserve any story in its entirety, much of the printing could yet be read. Mr. Stillier did not know who erected the building or how long it had stood, but he was certain that the lumber was produced by the first sawmill to be operated in this section, which was located upon Silk creek.

Merchant Team Plays First Game.

The merchants' baseball team played its first game of the season last evening with the Pioneer Lumber company's team at Curtin. The Sentinel went to press before the result was available. The Pioneer Lumber company's team defeated the Rice Hill team in a game played at Oakland Sunday, the score being 9 to 2.

WOMAN AWAY FROM HOME FINDS THAT THERE IS NO PAPER LIKE THE SENTINEL

The Sentinel has received the following letter from a Washington reader, who signs herself "Cheerful Bucky." The name of the writer is withheld by request:

"Here is what I have heard a former Cottage Grove woman say in speaking of your paper: 'It is the best home town newspaper I have ever read and if you don't believe it, just get away from Cottage Grove and find out when it comes every week.' The woman to whom she was speaking, also a former resident of Cottage Grove, agreed with her. She had lived there from the time she was five years of age to the time she was a grandmother at 44 years.

"This same grandmother learned to dive after she was 50 years of age and has dived into a few risky places—speaking figuratively—but has been able to come to the top every time so far. If one does not know what he can do, he can learn like this grandmother did—by learning to dive and finding out by ascertaining.

"If there's another grandmother in Oregon who has learned to dive after 50 years of age!"

LITTLE TOT MOURNS FOR HER COLLIE DOG, WHICH WAS PLAYMATE-GUARDIAN

A little girl is very unhappy because her playmate, a Collie dog, has been missing for a week. A reward in this issue offers a reward for the return of the dog, but the ad does not tell all the story.

The little girl is the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perkins Jr. The dog was her constant companion and faithful guardian. On last Thursday Mrs. Perkins and the daughter visited at the school house in the Walden district. It was thought that the dog must have strayed away or might have been stolen by someone.

The person who returns the dog, or gives information leading to its recovery, will not only receive a material reward but will be more fully rewarded by the happiness that will be brought to the little girl whose tears show how much she misses her pet.

FIRST BETTER HOMES WEEK IS SUCCESSFUL ONE

Interest of Number of Women Is Maintained; Good Start Made for Next Year's Event.

In spite of the approaching close of the public schools and other activities of this time of the year, Better Homes Week in Cottage Grove was successful. Although a large number of women were not reached by the demonstrations, a number of the women were interested throughout the campaign. A good start for Better Homes Week next year was made this year, in the opinion of Mrs. Clara Burkholder, local chairman.

With Mrs. Burkholder's report to Herbert Hoover, national leader in the movement, she will recommend a change to an earlier date for the event.

Pictures of both the exterior and interior of the houses visited will be sent with the report, not only to make the report more attractive but because these pictures, it is felt, will help to advertise Oregon in the eastern states.

Cooperation of the business houses, newspapers and ministry helped to impress Better Homes Week on the minds of the people. Among the several attractive windows put up by the stores were the two kitchens, one at the Dazby Hardware company and the other at Bressler's furniture store.

BIGGEST CELEBRATION EVER SAYS PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

"The biggest celebration in Oregon" is what the publicity committee advertises for the observation here of the Fourth of July. Some of the classic advertising ever gotten out for a celebration here is being distributed and several hundred cars will carry windshield stickers advertising the big event.

The advertising says there will be fun for young and old, with something doing every minute. A championship wrestling match, with Ralph Hand as one of the participants on the night of July 3, a snappy baseball game and an all-night carnival are among the features. There will be the usual sunrise salute, big street parade, speaker program, basket dinner in city park and small sports of every kind; also a firemen's water battle, street carnival, fireworks display and jitney dance.

Poppies to Be Sold Saturday.

Impitation poppies which are made by the disabled veterans in the Portland veterans' hospital, will be sold on the streets all day Saturday for Decoration day buttonnieres by the auxiliary of the American Legion. The entire proceeds are to go for the relief of the veterans who made the flowers. Since the world war the poppy has become recognized as the proper flower to be worn on Memorial day.

COOLIDGE AND McNARY ARE FAVORED BY VOTERS

Recall of County Commissioners in Lane County Goes Over by a Decisive Majority.

Unofficial returns from over the state show that Coolidge received a two to one vote over Hiram Johnson. Senator McNary carried every county in the state, having an actual majority over his opponents, George Baker and K. K. Kubli.

Congressman Hawley received his usual overwhelming majority in this district. Congressman Sinnott was renominated in the eastern Oregon district and Crumpacker was nominated in the Portland district on the republican ticket to oppose Elton Watkins, incumbent, renominated on the democratic ticket.

I. H. VanWinkle has been renominated for attorney general, although for a time it seemed that Kuykendall might land. The latter carried Lane county handsomely.

Tom Kay received the republican nomination for state treasurer, the office which he once held for many years, and Thomas Myers, holding the office by appointment, received the democratic nomination.

Milton Miller received the democratic nomination for United States senator over W. H. Strayer, although the endorsement given McNary indicates that the honor will be an empty one.

Main interest in the county election centered upon the recall invoked against the county commissioners, which was decisively successful in both cases. Early returns indicated that the recall against both candidates would be successful but friends of the commissioners were encouraged by reports reaching here Saturday afternoon to the effect that the early lead against the commissioners had been cut down by returns from outlying precincts. Such reports, however, were not borne out by an actual compilation of the figures. The latest unofficial returns show 4967 votes for the Roney recall and 3968 against, with 5092 votes for the Sharp recall and 3892 against.

O. E. Crowe, of Lorane, was elected to the unexpected term of Roney by a vote of 4561 for Crowe to 3211 for Roney. Clinton Hurd was elected to take Sharp's place by a vote of 4661 for Hurd to 3162 for Sharp. These are unofficial figures.

Next in interest probably was the contest for district attorney, Clyde Johnston, the incumbent, having taken a prominent part in the recall campaign. This was won by Howard Brownell, who had a lead of less than 300 over Johnston, the lowest on the list, and less than 200 over his other competitors, Walter B. Jones and Gordon S. Wells.

Next in interest was the contest for assessor, Ben F. Keeney, incumbent, having taken a prominent part in supporting the commissioners. Keeney won over Callison by about 700 votes.

E. O. Potter, H. C. Wheeler and Emmett Howard were nominated on the republican ticket for seats in the legislature. Ed F. Bailey and Ralph Laird, who had no opposition, were nominated on the democratic ticket.

Other republican nominees were Edna Ward for treasurer, R. S. Bryson for clerk, P. M. Morse for county engineer, E. J. Moore for school superintendent and W. W. Eranstetter for coroner. None of these had opposition.

J. S. Medley took the democratic nomination for district attorney from Donald Young.

Frank Taylor won the republican nomination for sheriff and Hugh Earle the democratic nomination.

Clinton G. Hurd, the recall candidate against Sharp, was also nominated over him on the republican ticket for the term beginning next January.

The Harrisburg bridge carried by an overwhelming majority.

The democrats plan to take advantage of the break in the republican ranks and hope to put over several of their candidates at the November election. They plan to put over at least one man for the legislature, who would be Ed Bailey, now a member. They probably would pick Emmett Howard as the easiest one of the republican candidates to beat, as his lineup with the anti-recallers resulted in his being the low man of the three nominated.

Likewise with the assessors, they think there is a good chance to beat Keeney because of his prominent part in the recall.

The democrats are really confident that they can land this district attorneyship with J. S. Medley, but the sheriff's office is the prize upon which the democrats will concentrate. There was no split in the republican ranks upon this office, so that the contest promises to be a lively and close one.

Miscellaneous Sale to Be Held.

The Mothers' club will hold a miscellaneous sale Saturday, May 31, at the rest room. The club finds that the rest room is growing in popularity and that it is continually requiring more money to support it, so they are putting on this affair for the benefit of the enterprise. Cooked food, clothing, fancy work and many other articles will be on sale. The club will appreciate donations of these articles. Ice cream and cake will be served.

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IRA DERN DEFEATS HAND IN CLEAN, KEEN MATCH

Salt Laker Doesn't Get to Use His Airplane Spin But Gets Information on Toehold.

In the cleanest and keenest wrestling match ever seen here, Ira Dern, Salt Lake airplane spin specialist, was victorious Tuesday night over Ralph Hand, although he didn't get a chance to use his famous method of giving 'em a taste of high life and then slapping them to the mat. As a matter of fact, he was kept busy keeping out of Hand's famous toehold, which the local man succeeded in slapping on for one fall.

Dern took the first fall in 49 minutes with a cradle lock and toehold. Hand took the next in 23 minutes and the Mormon boy the next in 21 minutes with a head scissors and arm bar.

Mike Mosby was the third man in the ring but he had little to do except to keep out of the way, which was difficult at times as the whole of the mat was often covered within a few seconds as the two caty contestants grabbed for a hold from a standing position or pounded out of one. The wrestlers did not have to be put back on the mat more than half a dozen times. They attended to that matter themselves by spending very little time on it.

Dern made a hit with the fans as a clean sport and as a sure comer for the light heavyweight championship. It was the general opinion that he is the only man who has met Hand here who has put up fully as square a contest as the local favorite. The Salt Laker gave his weight as 170 and Hand his as 163.

Called upon for a speech, Dern said that Hand had shown him something new in a toehold and he was going to try and figure it out. When he lost the fall to Hand he did not realize that the local man was seriously attempting his favorite bone crusher.

Harry Nost and "Spike" Diggins, local men, wrestled a 30-minute draw.

A knockout in the sporting line was the other preliminary when four good-sized boys, McCargar, Swanson, Gordon and White, put on a blindfolded boxing match, carrying cow bells to make known their position to the others. There was no decision.

MRS. NAOMI BALES DIES; ALL NINE CHILDREN LIVING

A remarkable fact in the life of Mrs. Naomi Bales, who died May 16 at her home near Dorena, was that of nine children who survived infancy all were living at the time of her death.

Mrs. Bales was born in Jefferson county, Ill., February 17, 1846, and had passed her seventy-eighth birthday anniversary. She lived in Missouri and Colorado before coming to Oregon in 1886. She had made her home ever since at Dorena. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Dorena church, A. B. Spearow, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, officiating. Interment was in the Sears cemetery beside the husband, who died February 12, 1913.

The surviving children are U. S. (Grant) Bales, Mrs. Mary England, Mrs. Minnie Wagner, Arthur Bales and Mrs. Anna Doolittle, Dorena; Charles E. Bales, Cottage Grove; Frank Bales, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Zillah Land, Alexandria, B. C., and Mrs. Rebecca Chapman, Eugene. Mrs. Kate Sears, Cottage Grove, is a niece, and a stepson, Alvin Bales, lives in Elkland, Mo.

Fifth Graders Stage Play.

The pupils of the fifth grade on the west side successfully staged a play, "The Bulb of the Crimson Tulip," yesterday afternoon in their school room. The play was of the revolutionary days and Miss Odessa Knowles and Elwyn Whitely had the leads. A spelling and arithmetic contest was also held. Parents of the students made up the audience.

History of Order Is Told.

The Odd Fellows lodge was addressed Saturday night by F. Nelson Smith, of Minnehaha lodge, Winnipeg. He gave a history of the order, tracing it from its inception to the present time. He has visited some 3000 lodges in 22 jurisdictions. He visited The Sentinel and remarked that Cottage Grove has one of the best newspapers and one of the best newspaper plants he has ever seen in a small city.

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