

BONNEY GIVES CLASS SPEECH

Educator Says Mother's Example Holds Priority Over That of Teacher

MONMOUTH, Aug. 29.—A large group of parents, relatives and friends of graduates attended chapel exercises presented in honor of the class of 182 members yesterday morning at the Oregon Normal school. Only 165 members actually received diplomas, others having to make up work.

President J. S. Landers presided, and introduced the speaker of the day, Merle E. Bonney, of the faculty, who delivered a splendid address based on psychological data to an interested audience.

Mr. Bonney quoted the belief that the personal example of a teacher is the most important factor in character education of the child, and proceeded to present cogent arguments to disprove the belief.

"I do believe that the teacher's examples act as stimuli to a child's atmosphere of moral and character education," said he, "and occasionally a very efficient and decisive instance is encountered as in the case of Ernest in the Great Stone Face. But I am inclined to compare such a success to a home in baseball. It is thrilling, inspirational, but not the basis on which most games are won.

"A child's experiences, from which he derives satisfaction, or dissatisfaction, and from which his character develops, are more important. A child who is backward, anti-social, non-cooperative and with a badly controlled temper, will have to undergo a new set of experiences to overcome these handicaps, of which he probably is scarcely aware. Adults too are not notorious for knowing their own defects. A teacher's example in such cases may be a helpful stimulant, but the mother holds priority over the teacher, as is shown by many psychological studies.

Miss Eulaine Cox suggested the new approach of Indian summer by her three delightful selections: "Indian Dawn," "Waters of Minnetonka" and "Pale Moon." She was accompanied at the piano by Miss Alice Peterson and Miss Grace Maurie. Mitchell added a pleasing violin obbligato.

Diplomas were presented by Dean J. B. V. Butler.

Roberts Gets Cast Removed After 11 Weeks; Yet in Bed

ORCHARD HEIGHTS, Aug. 29.—Charles Roberts was taken to Salem this week and x-rays were taken after which he was released from the cast in which his body has been encased for 11 weeks. He is still confined to his bed but expects to soon be about on crutches. His injuries are due to a motorcycle accident.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher and sons, John, Chester, Billy and Tommy have gone on a vacation trip which will include a visit at the home of Mrs. Fisher's brother, Charles Binger at LaGrande and also a visit to the Pendleton round up.

Dr. F. M. Hellworth of Toledo, visited at his farm here Tuesday. With him was his sister-in-law, Mrs. Amelka Sabra of Phoenix, Arizona. They returned to Toledo Friday morning after spending the intervening time at the Salem hospital where both underwent minor operations.

Brown Buys Garage And Service Station

WACONDA, Aug. 28.—Leslie Brown has purchased the Hewitt garage and service station at Corvallis and is now making his home at this place. Miss Gladys Brown, his sister left Wednesday for Cornelius where she will remain with him for some time.

Besides operating the service station and garage, situated at the east end of town, Mr. Brown is a member of the fire department and will serve in that capacity when needed.

JIMMY GRINS AND BEERS IT



When Jimmy Walker, New York's traveling Mayor, visited Bodenbach, Germany, recently he received a mighty wet reception. Many of his constituents turned green with envy on seeing this picture of Mayor Walker quaffing genuine Pilsener. And it is reported that Gotham's dapper Mayor went abroad to take the "waters" of Carlsbad for his health! Somebody's mixed up somewhere.

MRS. HAGAR 88 SOON MONMOUTH HOME OFFERS INTEREST IN ANTIQUES

By BEULAH H. CRAVEN
MONMOUTH, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Sarah Hagar of Monmouth is celebrating her 88th birthday anniversary, August 31. She was born in 1843, and crossed the plains with her parents, Abraham and Amanda Landis, 11 years later. They settled near Eugene, at the confluence of the Willamette and McKenzie rivers, where the family home was a landmark for more than half a century.

Sarah Landis was married September 10, 1863, at the old home-stand, to F. M. Davis. They were engaged in farming near Eugene for many years. Of seven children born to them, three are living: Mrs. Julietta Davis, Seattle; Mrs. Hattie Lincoln, Portland; and Eldon Davis, of San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Davis died in 1887.

Mrs. Davis was married to J. F. Hagar, a Civil War veteran, who died in 1921. She has lived since 1884 in Monmouth, where her home is a place of delightful interest to those interested in choice antiques and quaint novelties.

A frail looking little old lady, Mrs. Hagar is noted locally for her optimism and her energy. She has enjoyed remarkable health during her long lifetime, and continues to manage her own household with capability. She recalls vividly her journey across the plains, and can recount innumerable happenings of that time with precision.

Last summer, she accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Ebert, of Monmouth, who will be 91 September 6, took an airplane ride together. They are believed to be the two oldest sisters in the world to have taken a plane trip together.

AUGUST SCHAFER IS BURIED, ST. LOUIS

GERVAIS, Aug. 29.—August Schaefer died at this home at St. Louis early Thursday afternoon. He had been in poor health for three years and had been confined to his bed three and a half months.

He was born in Portland December 21, 1862. His family came to this community when he was six years of age and he has resided here since that time. He was married to Margaret Stanley in Portland in April, 1912.

He is survived by his mother, who is 84 years of age; three brothers, Adolph of Portland; Alfred of Gervais; and William of Brooks; two sisters, Mrs. Lee of Tacoma; and Mrs. Fred Hagener of Monitor; two sons, Carl and George of Portland and one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Simon of Los Angeles.

Funeral services were held at the graveside in the St. Louis cemetery Saturday forenoon at 10 o'clock, Rev. Krause of the St. Louis church officiating.

Mrs. Hogg's Sister Scotts Mills Guest

SCOTTS MILLS, Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hogg had as their guests Thursday Mrs. Hogg's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Blum and two children of Tenino, Wash., also Mrs. Hogg's mother, Mrs. T. Mapplehorpe of Salem.

Mrs. Calvin Phillips of Seaside was called home Tuesday by the serious illness of her father, G. W. Myers. He has been in the Silverton hospital for several weeks.

SCHOOL START YET UNSETTLED

Transportation Problems Hold up Action by Board at Amity

AMITY, Aug. 29.—Since the problem of transportation is not settled, the Amity school board has hesitated to set a date for the beginning of school. Prof. A. E. Murphy has announced unofficially that school will start September 14.

The attendance this year will be about the same as last year regardless of the fact that the school buses will not be allowed to transport students from Grand Island to the Amity high school.

The Union high school election will be held November 3. It is generally believed that the patrons of the high school will arrange some means of transportation on the island to accommodate students who wish to attend the Amity high school.

The grade school will be enlarged by the eighth grade pupils from Broadmead and Fairview.

Will Lancefield Said Recovering; Torbets in Albany

AMITY, Aug. 29.—According to latest reports, Will Lancefield, who was operated on at a Portland hospital, is getting along nicely.

Miss Edna Strout, domestic art instructor at the high school, was a Salem business caller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Torbet visited relatives in Albany recently.

The Misses Helen and Clara Karns moved to Independence August 29. They are employed in the hop yard.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Abraham and family spent last Sunday in Albany with relatives.

Comegys Attending Round-up; Boil on Eye is Troublesome

PERRYDALE, Aug. 29.—Felix Comegys and his mother are in Pendleton for the Round-up which they attend each year. At the Dalles they will visit a niece of Mrs. Comegys, Mrs. T. S. Coffee and after the Roundup they will go to Farmington, Wash., to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Donsen, a daughter of Mrs. Comegys.

Mrs. Orville Kurtz is suffering with a boil on her eye lid. The eye is swollen shut and is causing a great deal of pain.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van Gross were in Salem Thursday on business.

Harris Return After Trip East; Say Oregon Best

TURNER, Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris, old Turner residents, have reached home after spending most of the summer with friends in Utah and Idaho. They visited their old home at Oxford, Idaho, after an absence of 40 years. They encountered very hot weather and also a water shortage which materially decreased the crop harvest. Mr. and Mrs. Harris are glad to be back in Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Givens left early Friday morning for a week-end visit at Seattle and Bremerton where they will visit at the homes of Mrs. Givens brothers, Weylan and Albert Savage, Jr., and a niece, Mrs. Martin Hughes. They were accompanied by Mrs. Givens' father, Albert Savage, of Waldo Hills, and Nellie Savage, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Savage, Jr., who has spent most of her summer vacation at the home of her aunt, where she lived several years when a small child.

Reeves Families Enjoy Swim Party East of Jefferson

JEFFERSON, Aug. 29.—Cousins and their families of the descendants of the Reeves family enjoyed a swimming party Thursday evening at Thomas creek, three miles southeast of Jefferson.

After a bountiful chicken dinner, the evening was spent in visiting and swimming. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reeves, of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Del Forgey, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shumaker, Mrs. Vivian Albert, all of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roland and daughter, Miss Claudian Roland, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roland and children, Doris, Shirley and Sheila.

Feller Undergoes Sixth Operation at Portland Hospital

AURORA, Aug. 29.—Harlan Feller, son of A. E. Feller, a hop grower near Donald, who was injured while on duty as a traffic officer over a year ago, underwent his sixth operation at the Good Samaritan hospital last week.

One time Feller left the hospital somewhat improved but was returned for treatment. It was recently thought Feller's improvement was of a more permanent nature, but another operation was found necessary.

Mrs. J. E. Loveall, who was taken to a hospital in Oregon City, is in a very serious condition and has had a second operation. Henry Pauly was also taken to Oregon City and it is reported he has had a relapse.

Flanagan Off Mail Route; On 20 Years

SCIO, Aug. 29.—Twenty years of service for Uncle Sam, all of which were spent in the country about here, will be ended Monday when George L. Flanagan retires from his duties as rural mail carrier on route three. Flanagan took up rural mail carrying the first day of August, 1911.

Mr. Flanagan has the following interesting bits to say of his score of years of service: "When I took up the route three miles would cover all the gravel roads I had on a 24-mile route. We carried with horse-drawn vehicles then. And such roads! Mud knee-deep to our horses.

"And believe it or not, in some places the chuck holes would be thick I have been thrown out of the rig three times in going less than a mile. I have a picture of Charles Peora prying my rig out of the mud with a fence rail. But those days of riding all day in a storm passed when we got our first 'lixies'.

"I have seen the mail increase from 5000 pieces a month to three times that amount. And I have seen boys and girls along the route grow to manhood and womanhood and become fathers and mothers.

Mr. Flanagan is an ardent enthusiast of the federal mail service, and believes that to be the most important branch of the government work today.

As he steps from this work, the veteran carrier expresses thanks, success and good luck to his associates of the Scio office. John Stickey is postmaster and his fellow carriers there are R. M. Shelton, Ed Holland and Lawrence Montgomery.

Teachers Leaving To Start Schools In North and East

SILVERTON, Aug. 29.—The Misses Beana and Glodys Jorgenson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jorgenson of this city, left Friday for East Stanwood, Wash., where they will teach school this year. Their school starts Monday.

Among other Silverton teachers to leave recently was Miss Clara Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hanson, who left Monday night for Mandan, North Dakota, where she will teach in the grade school. She had been visiting her parents for the past two months. Her sister, Miss Manda Hanson, has gone to Corvallis, where she is employed in a bakery.

OFFICER ACQUITTED
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29.—(AP)—B. F. Gardner, Los Angeles police officer, was acquitted by a jury today of a charge of possession of a still.



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