

Race Problems To Be Subject Of Lecture

"Race Problems" will be the subject of a lecture by Dr. S. B. Laughlin, professor of sociology at Willamette university, which Monday night open a lecture and discussion series at the state tuberculosis hospital by members of the university's faculty.

Dr. Gorver C. Bellinger, superintendent of the hospital and a graduate of Willamette, has cooperated with President G. Herbert Smith of the university in arranging these lectures and discussions.

The series will run until late August with participation by Dr. E. S. Oliver, professor of English, on the subject of "Modern Literature;" Dr. Robert M. Gaithe, professor of political science, on "World Organizations;" Dr. Robert E. Lantz, professor of Education, on "Natural Resources of the World;" Dr. Lawrence A. Riggs, professor of Education, on "Psychology in Human Relations;" and Professor John L. Knight, professor of religion, on the subject "World Religion."

Each professor is assigned two hours in consecutive weeks, the first hour is spent in the presentation and the second hour in discussion. Approximately 50 patients are participating in this educational program.

Utility Hearing Slated Today

Hearing on the petition for creation of the western Linn county peoples' utility district, filed recently with the state hydroelectric commission here, will be held today at the Santiam hall, located between Albany and Lebanon.

The proposed district would involve virtually all of western Linn county with the exception of the municipalities of Albany and Lebanon. The latter city has filed petition for a separate utility district.

Approximately 990 square miles are included in the proposed western Linn county district.

Portland Rainfall Hits Second High Since 1885

PORTLAND, May 31.—(P)—The weather man chalked up two records today for the month of May. Rainfall was 4.46 inches, the highest—except for 1941—since 1885. Average May rainfall is 2.18 inches.

May temperature was three degrees above the 56.9 average, the result of an unseasonable hot spell early in the month.

Graduate at Commencement On Thursday

MONMOUTH — A class of 12 was graduated from Monmouth high school at commencement exercises in the gymnasium building, May 31, at 8 p. m. Thomas H. Gentle delivered the address.

Ruth Pace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pace, was salutatorian; and Frances DeVoss daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Boyd, valedictorian.

Principal A. C. Stanbough presented the class, and James W. Gentle, chairman of the board of directors, awarded the diplomas. A woman's quartet from OCE sang.

Baccalaureate services were held in the Christian church, Sunday, at 8 p. m. Rev. H. R. Scheurman of the local Evangelical church spoke on "A Man's Market Value."

The graduate roll is: Betty Davis, Frances DeVoss, Ethel Lamb, Mary Lee Mead, Charlotte Morlan, Merle Eileen Mull, Lucile Nendel, Ruth Pace, Varian Carrow, Jack McElravy, Dan McLean and Rodney Petty.

Scio Pupils Hear Speakers

SCIO — "Education stops only with death, and high school graduation is only the commencement, or beginning," Dr. A. Edward Bostrom, of Albany, head of the Linn county public health association, told Scio high graduation class of 1945 at the annual commencement program at the gymnasium May 29.

"Something has gone wrong when people think and act only for their individual interests and welfare," the speaker said, stressing cooperation for the general good as the desired and most successful course in education as in all other material matters affecting the general welfare.

Mrs. Lettie Crane, class advisor, basing her remarks upon the class motto, "To the Stars Through Difficulty," spoke briefly to the class.

In presenting diplomas, K. J. Purdy, chairman of the local board of directors, expressed appreciation of the nation's public system and praised cooperation of patrons with the faculty and the board in efforts calculated best to subserve the interests of the schools. "Parents also are entitled to diplomas for the splendid results of the school year in assisting the pupils," Purdy declared. Completing the course were Floribel Gordon, salutatorian, Dorothy Cook, valedictorian, Frances Eastin, Jack Fox, Irene Klum, Jack McDonald, Evelyn Roner.

Harold Malde New Head of WU Students

Harold Malde, returned naval air corps veteran, will head the Associated Students of Willamette University next year. Results of the elections held Tuesday and Thursday and announced this morning gave the Portland man a victory over Bill Stortz, Salem.

Malde left Willamette to enter the navy in the summer of 1942, and left active service as an ensign with the south coast patrol last January.

Thyrea Jean Currey, Salem, was elected first vice president; Jan Peterson, Salem, second vice president; Pat Otis, Newberg, secretary; Nancy Stuart, Portland, publications manager; Evelyn Deal, Longview, Collegian editor; Ann Strother, Newberg, Wallajah editor; Ruth Farmer, Rickrell, student council representative for next year's senior class; Pat Mansfield, Salem, junior representative; Evelyn Jory, Los Gatos, Calif., sophomore representative.

Sacred Heart Graduates 27

The Very Rev. Edmund G. Van der Zanden of Portland delivered the address to 27 graduates of Sacred Heart academy, their families and friends at the 82nd annual commencement exercises at St. Joseph's parish hall Thursday night.

The Rev. T. J. Bernards, pastor of St. Joseph's church, presided and conferred graduating honors, assisted by the Rev. George O'Keefe, St. Vincent de Paul's church pastor.

The class: Shirley Catherine Ansberry, Marian Eleanor Blaylock, James Scott Bremner, U. S. navy, Joan Marie De Jardin, Jean Eloise Evans, Kenneth Christopher Free, Georgia Ann Gilbert, William Edward Haselbacher, Mary Catherine Heenan, Patricia Anne Jaskowski, Anna Marie Keller, Mary Jean Kennedy, Yvonne Marlene Lagerfeld, Richard Gail Larson, U. S. navy, David Joseph Lovick, Geraldine Ann Majeski, Elizabeth Ann Meier, Josephine Florjan Meyer, U. S. merchant marine, Shirley Monette Moling, Bernard Edward Nanneman, U. S. navy, Kathleen Marie O'Leary, Letitia Elizabeth Schlageter, Roselle Frances Staab, Albert James Volk, Norma Evelyn Weger, Nicodemus Weiss, Theresa Rose Wrubbe.

Canary Does Its Bit To Ease Food Shortage

PORTLAND, May 31.—(P)—A canary owned by Mrs. Luvida Olness must have heard of the food shortage.

The bird escaped from its cage during the night. Later Mrs. Olness found a canary egg in a dish on the family dinner table.

Kemmis Family Leaving Soon For Montana

FALLS CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kemmis and family are leaving this week for Kallispell, Mont. Mrs. Kemmis has just returned from there, where he purchased a farm. The family has been waiting until the close of school. There are three sons in school. Their daughter, Mrs. Loreta Wineman, and her small daughter are living in Salem and will remain there while her husband is in the service. Their cousins, Mrs. Frank Fomhecker and son, Bob, of Pioneer, and Mrs. Floy Woodhull of Dallas visited at their home Monday night.

The first grade pupils and their teacher, Mrs. John Calavan, will entertain the boys and girls who will be in school next year as first

graders. The little folks are asked to come at 9 and spend the day.

Rev. R. A. Dodd, returned missionary from India, will hold a 10-day revival beginning June 6. He has traveled extensively and is an interesting speaker. Mrs. Dorothy Radcliff of Cottage Grove and Miss Clara Sparks of Portland will assist with the music.

Mrs. Olmstead Is Hostess

LYONS — Mrs. Arthur Olmstead was hostess for the Wednesday afternoon card club with a party held at her home. A 1:30 dessert luncheon was served to Mrs. Ed Olmstead and Mrs. Guy Griffith of Mill City, Mrs. Francis Jungwirth, Mrs. Percy Hiett, Mrs. Pat Lyons, Mrs. Bert Lyons, Mrs. Arthur Anderson, Mrs. Earl Allen, Mrs. Clifford West, Mrs. Roy Elenock, Mrs. Floyd Bassett, Mrs. Walter Bevier and Mrs. Olmstead.

Diplomas Given To Detroit High, Eighth Graders

DETROIT — Graduates from the eighth grade and high school received their diplomas Tuesday night at the school house, which was nicely decorated for the occasion. The program presented was:

Processional, invocation, Mrs. A. Poole; salutatory address, Rodney Moore; piano solo, Daroleen Phillips; recitation, Donald Fryer; glee club, song; recitation, Richard Haseman, valedictory address, Dr. Robert E. Lantz of Willamette university; presentation of diplomas, G. W. Moore, chairman of school board.

Eighth grade graduates were: Daraleen Phillips, Donald Fryer, Irene Calderon, Richard Haseman

and Betty Poole, high school graduates were: Rodney Moore, Colleen Mermillion, Robert Dugart

and Richard Sears. A picnic will be held on the school grounds today.

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