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TEN WILL GRADUATE

THIS EVENING AT THE FRAZER OPERA HOUSE.

No Admission Fee Will Be Charged—Commencement Address by State Superintendent Ackerman—An Attractive Musical Program Will Be Rendered, the Best Vocalists in the City Contributing—Singing by High School Chorus.

Tonight the commencement exercises of the Pendleton high school will be held in the Frazer theater, and the public is invited to attend, no admission being charged.

The commencement address will be delivered by State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. H. Ackerman, who is a forcible and scholarly speaker. The presentation of the diplomas to the graduates will be done by Walter M. Pierce, in behalf of the school board.

During the evening vocal solos will be rendered by Mrs. John Ross Dickson, Miss Myrtle Fraker and Miss Rena Ferguson, all of whom will sing "a" and "b" numbers. Also, there will be singing by the high school girls' chorus.

There are 10 in the high school graduating class this year, and they are as follows: Miss Josephine Cameron, Miss Mary Rust, Miss Elva Turner, Edgar Smith, Miss Rita Howland, Miss Louise Grey, Fred Milne, Albert Warner, Miss Mary Williams and Miss Effie Smith.

INSPECT DITCH ROUTE.

Water Will Be Taken From the River, East of Echo.

This morning W. J. Furnish, W. M. Pierce and Ed Marshall left for Echo, from which place they will go over the land to be covered by the irrigating ditch to be taken out by the inland irrigation company.

Under the plans the company's ditch will take water from the Umatilla river this side of Echo, and at the same place as the Carnes-Lytle ditch. It will then run in a north-westerly direction and water lands owned by Mr. Furnish and others on that side of the river.

NEW CHURCH AT ECHO.

Baptists Organized With 16 Members Last Night—Ground for Church Donated.

At an enthusiastic meeting held at Odd Fellows' hall at Echo last night, at which Rev. George T. Ellis, of Athena, and Rev. G. L. Hall, of this city, were the principal speakers, a

Baptist congregation of 16 members was organized, and ground was donated for a new church building which it is hoped will be erected within six months.

Meetings will be held in the M. E. church at Echo until a new building is erected and Rev. George T. Ellis, pastor of the Baptist church at Athena, and Rev. G. L. Hall, of this city, will supply the pulpit until the new congregation is strong enough to support a pastor.

Death of Chris L. Nelson.

Chris L. Nelson died at the hospital at Walla Walla yesterday from the effects of dropsy, and his remains will be brought here this evening. The funeral will occur tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the Rader undertaking parlors, and will be conducted by the Rev. Henry Dixon Jones, the interment being in Olney cemetery. Deceased was 46 years of age and has been living six miles south of here. He had no immediate relatives in Pendleton, but has a sister in North Yakima, and the arrangements here have been made by a nephew, James Anderson, of North Yakima.

Seventy to the Fair.

Conductor Fred Waffle who came in from Huntington this morning on No. 1, carried 70 passengers en route to the Lewis and Clark fair. Of this number 60 were from Missouri river points and 10 from scattering points in the East. Those who passed down the O. R. & N. today said that nearly all their neighbors are coming to the fair some time during the year, and the prospects are that Portland will receive the greatest rush of visitors ever assembled in any American city on a like occasion. Most of these visitors are routed back by way of California.

Bentleys Interested.

J. D. and R. H. Bentley, brothers of J. M. Bentley, of this place, are directors of the bank of Oakdale, Cal., which was forced to close its doors yesterday owing to the shortage of the cashier, Louis Kahn, who attempted suicide. The bank doors were closed to prevent a run being made on the institution. Both of the Bentleys have been stockholders in the bank for many years, it being a very old bank, and one of them will probably lose considerable money, as a result of the cashier's shortage.

Buying Horses for Army.

Four men, three of whom were army officers, were here yesterday for the purpose of purchasing horses for the service. They were T. R. Rivers, captain of the fourth cavalry; R. R. Brown, captain of the same regiment; J. T. Scanlan, of the quartermaster's department, and E. Y. Taylor, of Salt Lake, a horse buyer. All of the party left last evening for Union, and will return to Pendleton tonight.

Sells Out in Echo.

Mrs. M. E. Gallagher, of Echo, has sold her lease on the Arlington hotel at that place, and has also sold her real estate interests and will come to Pendleton with her daughter, to reside for a short time, after which she will go to Portland to live permanently. She will join the Umatilla county excursion to Portland on June 6.

J. B. Young, president, and F. L. Burton, cashier of the wrecked Goldfield bank, have been arrested at San Francisco.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

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STATION MUST QUIT THREE SENTENCES

ABANDONMENT OF UNION EXPERIMENTAL PLANT.

Attorney General Rules Against the Scheme of the Regents to Keep the Farm Going—This, in the Opinion of Senator Pierce, Is the Beginning of the End—Emergency Measures for Its Maintenance Cannot Be Depended Upon.

There is now no hope for the branch experiment station at Union, for the attorney general has ruled that the plan proposed by the regents to secure funds with which to maintain the institution during the next two years would be illegal.

Regent W. M. Pierce received a copy of the decision last evening, the same being forwarded to him by President Weatherford, of the board of regents. This morning Mr. Pierce stated to the East Oregonian that there is now no way in which the station can be continued during the next two years, and that he will immediately call a meeting of the executive committee to arrange for the sale of the stock and for the renting of the land used by the station. The herd of cattle on the station, in which there is some fine pure-bred stock, will probably be sold at public auction within a short time.

Great regret was expressed by Mr. Pierce at the turn which affairs have taken.

"It simply means," said he, "that the station will have to be abandoned and that thousands of dollars worth of experiments, mainly grasses, will have to be thrown away. There are three grasses in particular that promise to be of untold value to Eastern Oregon, and they were propagated entirely at the station. These are the hybrid bunchgrass, the Oregon broom and the Oregon evergreen. As these were originated at the station, of course they cannot be secured in the market, and unless the plants now at the station are preserved, the valuable work will simply be wasted. If there is no other way, I am going to try to save some of the grasses at my own expense, if I can do so."

Emergency Scheme Fails.

The branch experiment station had an appropriation of \$15,000 in the general appropriation bill, which has been held up by the referendum petition filed on the 15th of this month. Consequently, it can secure no money from the state between now and the next session of the legislature. No money derived from the sale of products of the farm can be used for the maintenance of the station, because at the recent session an act was passed requiring all state institutions to turn all money so received into the state treasury. The decision of the attorney general just given is upon this point, and holds that the experiment station is a state institution, and subject to that law.

As to the possibility of keeping the station going during the next two years by private aid, relying upon the legislature to reimburse the parties for such amounts, Mr. Pierce is dubious. According to him, such a procedure would be too great a risk in view of the sentiment against the institution with which a large portion of the public has become imbued. This sentiment, and also the feeling against the normal schools, he regards as unjust and due to lack of understanding of the real value of the work done.

CROW SUES O. R. & N.

Claims Grain Fire Was Started by an Engine.

John W. Crow has sued the O. R. & N. for \$2243.52 damages sustained by the defendant on August 8, of last year, at which time a field of grain, 195 acres, was burned in a fire started by a spark from an engine run by the railway company. The total damage is given at \$3798 in the complaint, but of this amount \$1546.37 was covered by insurance which was collected. Consequently, the suit against the railway company is for the total loss less the amount of the insurance.

The complaint in the above case was filed with the county clerk last yesterday afternoon, and Judge James A. Fee appears for the plaintiff.

GIBBONS GOES TO IRRIGON.

Pendleton Teacher Selected as Principal of the New School.

Prof. Albert Gibbons, who has been assistant principal of Pendleton academy for the past year, has accepted the position of principal of the public schools of Irrigon, and after the close of the academy here will visit a few weeks in Eastern Oregon, when he will return to Irrigon to prepare for his coming year's work.

A new school house has been erected at Irrigon, and it will be one of the leading schools in Morrow county. Mr. Gibbons has proved to be an efficient teacher, and has made a host of friends during his residence in this city.

PAROLE FROM REFORM SCHOOL

Boy Taken in Custody at Umatilla Said to Be Named Bommer.

From a letter written to Judge Ellis by the superintendent of the state reform school, it has been learned that the boy who is now in the county jail charged with having robbed a house at Umatilla a couple of weeks ago, is a parole from the reform school. In the letter the name of the boy is said to be George Bommer, whereas the name of Smith was given by the young man on being arrested.

Should it prove true that the youthful burglar is a parolee inmate of the reform school, he may be either returned to that institution, or prosecuted on the charge against him, according to the wishes of the district attorney.

HOCKINSMITH GETS AN INDETERMINATE.

Good Behavior Will Secure His Freedom at the End of Two Years, While He May Serve Twenty Years—John Rodgers Gets One Year—John Cauthorn Sentenced to Two Years for Burglary and Robbery.

This afternoon a session of circuit court was held here, and three criminals now in the county jail were sentenced to terms in the penitentiary by Judge Ellis, all of them having pleaded guilty to the charges against them.

Otto Hockinsmith was given an indeterminate sentence under the new law, which went into effect but a week ago. Under this sentence he may be confined in the penitentiary from two to 20 years, at the option of the prison authorities and the governor. Two years is the minimum penalty for forgery, and should Hockinsmith's behavior be good, is what he will be required to serve. Under the new law the indeterminate sentence shall have as a minimum the minimum term prescribed for the offence committed.

John Rodgers, who slashed J. F. Bradford with a razor in the city jail not long ago, was given one year in the penitentiary for assault with a dangerous weapon, and Bradford, who has been held in the county jail as a witness against Rodgers, was released from custody today.

John Cauthorn, one of the robbers of the Bee Hive store, was sentenced to serve a term of two years in the penitentiary. The indeterminate law was not used in his case.

In the case of young Smith, (or George Bonner, as the reform school officers give his name) the matter is being held pending a letter from the superintendent at Salem. It is possible that the youthful burglar may be returned to the reform school, being taken below at the same time with the men sentenced today. Sheriff Taylor is now at La Grande, and it is likely the prisoners will not be taken to Salem until Monday.

Funeral of Miss Ankeny.

The funeral of Miss Charity Ankeny, who died this week in Philadelphia, will be held at Walla Walla on Friday at 1 p. m. A number of friends of the family from this city will attend the funeral.

Bought Partner's Interest.

Harold Stewart has bought of Walter Lindsay, the latter's half interest in the Depot stables on Cottonwood street, leaving him sole proprietor. Wade & Son effected the deal.

Railroaders Lost Game.

In the regular Thursday baseball game between the railroad boys and other local teams at Huntington, the merchants beat the railroaders yesterday by a score of 31 to 7.

In Police Court.

In the police court this morning W. W. Gardner was fined the sum of \$10 for fighting on the streets.

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