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COMMENCEMENT OF P. H. S. TONIGHT

LARGEST CLASS IN HISTORY WILL FINISH

Twenty-three Graduates Will Receive Diplomas Tonight—Exercises Will be Held in Methodist Church.

The largest class ever graduated from the Pendleton high school will be given diplomas at the first Methodist church this evening. The program will commence at 8 o'clock. There are 23 students finishing the high school course at this time, which added to the six who were graduated at the mid-year makes a total of 29. The class of 1906 with a total of graduates held the record up until this year.

The diplomas will be presented by Dr. C. J. Smith of the school board. Miss Ruppe, Mrs. Landers and Miss Zimmerman will sing and the remainder of the program will be furnished by the members of the class who are as follows:

Hawley Bean, Grace Bean, Iva Helen Black, Thomas Boylen, Jr., Cecil Cole, Marguerite Cooley, Edith L. Crockett, P. Campbell Crockett, Aubrey G. Graham, Gladys Hamley, Pansy Ireland, Katherine Lea Kirkpatrick, J. Harvey McDill, Lottie Mentzer, Laura Isabel McKee, Zetta Price, Lyman G. Rice, Jewell A. Rook, Cleo F. Straughan, Hans



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The class colors are purple and white, the class flower is white carnation and the class motto is "He conquers who conquers himself."

The baccalaureate sermon was given jointly to the high school graduates and to those of the academy in the Methodist church last Sunday evening. The sermon was preached by the Rev. R. C. Brooks of Walla Walla. The complete program will be as follows:

- Organ Voluntary... Mrs. A. J. Owens
- Invocation... Rev. Ralph E. Storey
- Salutatory... Pansy Ireland
- Oration—"Scientific Farming".... Harvey McDill
- Vocal Solo—Selected..... Miss Bernice Ruppe
- Oration—"The Store-house of Literary Treasures".... Laura McKee
- Oration—"The Central Bank"..... Lyman Rice
- Vocal Solo—Selected..... Mrs. J. S. Landers
- Oration—"Conservation of Our National Resources".... Hawley Bean
- Oration—"Work of Jane Adams".... Lottie Mentzer
- Oration—"Conquest of the Air".... Hans Struve
- Vocal Solo—Selected..... Miss Edna Zimmerman
- Oration—"The Twenty-first Century".... Edith Crockett
- Valedictory.... Laurence Whitman
- Presentation of Diplomas (for the school board).... Dr. C. J. Smith
- Vocal Solo—Selected, Miss Edna Gates
- Benediction.... Rev. Nathan Evans

FARMERS DECLARE WAR ON "JIM HILL" MUSTARD

War, unrelenting and to a finish, has been declared by the farmers of this vicinity upon "Jim Hill" mustard. This weed in one of the worst pests with which the farmers of Umatilla county have to deal and they hope by concerted effort to practically eradicate it.

Among the individual farmers who are putting forth the most efforts to combat the evil is W. W. Harrah, the Wild Horse wheat grower. Mr. Harrah has had three men employed in this work alone all this week with the result that the weed has been nearly completely removed from his fields and lanes.

Major E. L. Swartzlander is also co-operating with those who have inaugurated the campaign and has notified the reservation farmers that they must take the steps necessary to combat the pest. The work of keeping the weed down will be easier with each succeeding year.

No Wool Sold at Echo. Wool sales day at Echo yesterday proved to be more of a failure than the one in this city the day before. Though several pounds of first class wool was put up by the growers and bid on by the buyers, not a pound changed hands. The highest price offered was 17 cents and the lowest was 12 1/4 cents.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Charles Tefft of Echo, spent last night in Pendleton.

Mrs. E. H. Brown came up from Stanfield last evening.

M. McLaughlin is down from Dun-can on a trading trip.

F. Y. Christensen of Ione, is here to look after business interests.

Principal E. M. Haley of the Adams public schools, is in the city today.

Attorney S. D. Peterson of Milton, is down from that end of the county today.

Mrs. M. N. Connelly and daughter of Baker City, are visiting in Pendleton.

Thomas Jensen of Hermiston, came up from that place last evening and is transacting business here.

Miss Chloe Stanfield came up from her home at Echo this morning and is a guest of Miss Jennie Perry.

R. B. Stanfield of Echo, is a guest of the Hotel St. George, having arrived this morning on the early train.

Attorney J. P. Neal of Freewater returned home last evening, after a brief business visit to the county seat.

Mrs. James Cooper came over yesterday from Walla Walla, where she had been the guest of friends for a week.

Ira Scott of Helix, is a Pendleton business visitor today, having come in this morning on the Northern Pacific train.

W. L. Thompson of the American National bank, returned last evening from Echo, where he had been to attend the wool sales.

W. W. Chessman of Eugene, father of Merle and Dale Chessman of this city, will arrive in Pendleton this evening for a short visit.

Glenn Bushee, an employe of the Twoby Brothers' construction company, came up this morning from the company's camp at Barnhart.

Attorney C. T. Godwin, formerly of this county, but now of Baker City, returned home last evening after a professional visit to Pendleton.

J. S. Cherry, the well-known retired farmer, left this morning for Toluca county, California, where he will look at a farm which is for sale.

Miss Beatrice Brownell who has been attending the Pendleton high school during the past year will leave tomorrow for her home at Umatilla. Mrs. J. H. Dunham and baby son returned last evening from Dayton, Wash., where they had been for some time as guests of Mrs. Dunham's parents.

J. T. Mayo, superintendent of bridges and building for the O. R. & N., spent last night in Pendleton, leaving for the west this morning on the west bound train.

Floyd Blyeu and wife of Portland, arrived last night and are guests at the home of Mr. Blyeu's former schoolmate, Claude Hale, of the American National bank.

J. N. Burgess, president of the Cunningham Sheep & Land company, left this morning for Pilot Rock to prepare for the sales day which is to be held there tomorrow.

C. C. Conner, county president of the farmers' union, came in this morning from the east end of the county and will leave this afternoon for his farm near Helix.

Dr. E. B. Waffle went to Barnhart this morning on business in connection with his official capacity as surgeon for the O. R. & N. and the Twoby Brothers' construction company.

Judge S. A. Lowell returned this morning on the motor car from Echo where he had been to deliver the commencement oration to the graduates of the Echo schools, last evening.

County School Superintendent Frank K. Welles, returned this morning from Echo, where he had been to present the diplomas last evening to the members of the graduating class.

Mrs. Ralph Storey and children returned last evening from Milton, where they had been for a week. They were called to that place by the illness of Mrs. Storey's mother, Mrs. Tassie Stewart.

John Timmerman of Helix, came in this morning to transact business.

Mrs. Ed. Zeuske came to Pendleton this morning from the farm near Helix and is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kenneth McRae.

Jack O'Neill, traveling passenger agent for the O. R. & N., went to Stanfield this morning to make arrangements for running an excursion train from Pendleton to Stanfield for the Fourth of July celebration.

KAISER PLANS GREAT INCREASE OF HIS NAVY

Berlin.—Another extension of Germany's plan for naval expansion is contemplated in the near future. It is impossible to indicate the precise nature of the projected new legislation, but it may be authoritatively stated that a substantial increase in the Kaiser's naval armaments over and above that already provided by the navy act, 1900, with its two supplementary acts, is intended.

This development in Germany's shipbuilding program is nothing more than a logical continuation of the policy of the last ten years, and has long been foreseen by those who possess real insight into the inevitable trend of German naval policy.

What the nature and scope of the next navy bill will be is a question that obviously cannot be answered with certainty, but in expert circles there is a strong expectation that a proposal will be put forward to reduce the lifetime of a battleship from twenty years to fifteen years, whereby a substantial acceleration in the shipbuilding program would be brought about, and not for a limited period, but permanently.

The navy act of 1900 fixed the lifetime of a battleship at twenty-five years; the supplementary act of 1908 reduced it to twenty years, so that a reduction to fifteen years, which is persistently demanded by unofficial experts, would be a natural continuation of the same policy.

Moreover, this change would be defended on the ground that it is merely the fulfillment of the provisions of the original navy act of 1900 in regard to the reserve fleet, inasmuch as battleships exceeding fifteen years of age may be accounted too inferior in fighting value to form efficient naval reserves.

In all probability proposals will also be framed for a great increase of submarines, and in this connection it should be remembered that German experts recently explained that the latest types of submarines could be employed not only for purely defensive purposes but also to attack ships lying inside British ports.

It is certain that some such argument will be put forward as: "The rapid growth of the great British armaments compels Germany to pursue the same policy and build in self-defense."

CALLED PRINCESS FRUMP; HAD TO LEAVE BERLIN

Paris.—Dorothy Ward, a young American girl from Montana, was ordered to leave Germany within 24 hours, because she made uncomplimentary remarks about the personal appearance of the Princess Victoria Luisa.

Miss Ward was walking with an American friend, a student named George White, in the zoological gardens of Berlin early in the morning, when she saw two ladies, one quite old, the other very young, who were treated with great respect by the keepers and guards as well as by the pedestrians. Miss Ward thought they had a dowdy appearance and said: "I suppose they are frumps of German aristocrats."

She went on in English, making fun of their figures and the way of wearing their clothes. At this point a policeman in plain clothes drew near and asked the American girl's address, and that afternoon she was ordered out of Germany by the police. She came to Paris at once.

PAYS TO BE A PATRIOT.

French Chauffeur Escapes Prison Because He Served in Army.

Paris.—A taxi-chauffeur named Durand has had to answer before the appeal court for having, through want of care, run over a man and caused his death. He would have assuredly got the maximum penalty had not his advocate, M. Louis Nogueres, recalled to the judges that the accused man was born in Alsace, of French parents, and was incorporated in the German army, where he served two years in Frankfurt.

As soon as his military service was over he crossed the frontier and enlisted in the French army at Nancy, where he served three years and became a sergeant.

Whereupon the taxicab chauffeur was sentenced to four months' imprisonment, with the benefit of the first offender's law, and on reading the judgment the president pointed out that the extreme indulgence of the court was due to the patriotism of the chauffeur, who had been a valiant soldier and a good Frenchman.

ONE POSTAGE STAMP HAS VALUE OF \$500

Washington.—A postage stamp with a philatelic value of \$500 has been received by Postmaster-General Hitchcock from the International Postal union headquarters at Berne, Switzerland. The stamp bears the profile of the late King Edward VII.

It was issued for the Straits Settlement and has the highest face value of any postage stamp ever issued. It is beautifully printed in two colors, light orange and lilac. The stamp has been turned over to Stanley I. Slack, curator of the Postal Museum, to be placed on exhibition.

Hire Seats By Wireless.

London.—The fame of "The Blue Bird" apparently stands as high in America in these days as in England. One example of the interest that Americans are taking in Maeterlinck's remarkable play at the Haymarket is the demand for seats by wireless telegraph. This is the first time that theater seats in London have been booked on so large a scale by wireless.

CUMMINS AMENDMENT DEFEATED IN SENATE

Washington, May 26.—The Cummins amendment to the railroad regulation bill was defeated in the senate today by a vote of 24 to 33. The amendment provided that the increased railroad rates could not take effect until approved by the interstate commerce commission.

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- Clark Sanford, Earnest Lillian, M. G. Echerd, Frank Gifford, William Goodnight, Mrs. J. L. Gray, Mrs. Heaton, John Huffman, Frank Johnson, Frank Lehmann, C. L. Manson, Eliza Maxon, R. A. Patterson, Mrs. Wm. Pierce, E. N. Emith, Nola Thelander, J. Luke Thompson, Mrs. W. H. White, C. Wood, George Williams, J. T. Wilson, J. T. BROWN, P. M.

Grand Opening and Dance. Neal & Hudson announce the opening of their new Stanfield restaurant with a big reception and ball on Tuesday evening, May 31—Music by United orchestra of Pendleton. Everybody welcome.

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