

THREE SCHOOLS HOLD CEREMONY FOR GRADUATES

Silverton—The graduating class of the Silverton senior high school will have its commencement program Thursday evening in the Eugene Field auditorium. The class has 80 members, including those who finished at the January term. Burt Brown Barker will be the speaker.

The program numbers will be given by school orchestra: Invocation, Rev. W. O. Livingston; vocal solos, Miss Mildred Wharton, accompanied by Miss Ruth Lawrence; commencement address, "Ideals," Burt Brown Barker, vice-president of the University of Oregon; vocal solos, Devere L. Penhollow, accompanied by Mrs. Fern Davenport; presentation of honor pupils, Herman J. Kramer, principal of the senior high school; vocal solos, Miss Catherine Cuddy, accompanied by Miss Ruth Lawrence; presentation of diplomas, Robert Goetz, city superintendent of schools; recessional, school orchestra.

Stacyon—Commencement exercises of the high school will be held on Thursday evening in the auditorium.

Prof. Victor Morris of the University of Oregon will give the address of the evening. Twenty student will graduate from the senior class this term. The senior advisor is Dave M. John, Jr. As an expression of their memories the class of '33 constructed a tennis court on the school grounds.

The following students will graduate: Alice Boyington, Alice Brown, Gladys Christman, Lucille Christman, Jeanette Dillard, Ned Edgar, Maxine Huber, Zona Higbee, Ada Keyes, Arlyn Moe, Eula Montgomery, Hazel Murphy, Esther Ruff, Alta Siegmund, Frances Siegmund, Germaine Smith, Maxine Stout, Neva Titus, Vera Davis, Paul Dozier, Gerald Marking, Robert Matheny, Fran May, Harry Monroe, Maurice Stetson, Vernon Snoddy, Trevor Stanton, Ed Streff and Marion Lampman.

Due to the small seating capacity of the auditorium, tickets will be issued by members of the class to those interested. Seats cannot be reserved any later than 7:45 o'clock.

Mill City—The graduation exercises of the Mill City public schools will be held Friday evening at the Hammond hall. Sixteen seniors will graduate from the high school and 25 pupils from the grade school.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion: Processional march, Elliott ensemble; invocation, Rev. Clyde Thomas; song, high school girls' glee club; address, Rev. D. J. Ferguson, pastor First Presbyterian church, Astoria; music, Elliott ensemble; presentation of eighth grade; award of certificates; benediction, Rev. Clyde Thomas.

The graduates of the senior class of Mill City school are Thelma Anderson, Mary Alice Brunner, Edward Chance, Sylvia Farnen, Genella Gentry, Betty Gough, Earleen Goble, Benton Kirby, Frank Moravac, Edward Rada, Elberta Rada, Kathryn Wachter.

The grade school youngsters receiving certificates are Helen Bodeker, Rosamona Bove, Vern Briles, Betty Davis, Robert Delzell, Delbert Downey, Wilma Dunkle, Nancy Faust, Wanda Jenkins, Stella Johnson, Donald Jenkins, Arby Johnson, Hattie Kazda, Lawrence Labenz, Rose Lalack, Claudine LaVine, Myr Lovell, Maxine Merriman, Anne Novak, Carolyn Rada, W. Fred Lee Rhodes, Virgil Clatt. In the sixth Sublimity rallied after a three base hit by N. Dozier and evened the score. They scored again in the eighth, taking the lead. Turner came back in the last half of the same inning and scored twice after a three-base hit by N. Dozier. In the ninth Sublimity threatened with the bases full but a line fly to McCully for the third out ended the game.

SUBLIMITY BEATEN BY TURNER, 4 TO 3

Turner—Turner won a close game from Sublimity on the Cloverdale diamond Sunday by a score of 4 to 3. Turner scored once each in the first and second innings. In the sixth Sublimity rallied after a three base hit by N. Dozier and evened the score. They scored again in the eighth, taking the lead. Turner came back in the last half of the same inning and scored twice after a three-base hit by N. Dozier. In the ninth Sublimity threatened with the bases full but a line fly to McCully for the third out ended the game.

McCully was credited with nine strike-outs and Kirsch with seven. Kirsch walked one man and McCully three. The locals worked two double plays, the first in the fourth with the play by McCully to second out to first, and the second one in the seventh, the play from second to first. Turner made 11 hits, Sublimity 7.

The lineups were: Turner—McCully p, W. Pearson c, Wilber B. Ahrens 2b, Tony 3b, Galt ss, Webb L. Rankin cf, M. Pearson rf, Sublimity—N. Dozier 3b, Sublimity cf, Bradley c, Zuber 2b, P. Dozier ss, R. Boedighermer rf, Ditter lf, Rutledge lf, Kirsch p, P. Boedighermer and Higberger, subs.

Turner will go to Jefferson next Sunday for the next scheduled league game.

SILVER CREEK WINS
Silverton Hills—The home baseball team lost to the Silver Creek Falls team Sunday afternoon on the home diamond, 12 to 9. Bud Neal is manager for the visitors and Clay Porter for the Silverton Hills group. Next Sunday a game with the River Rats will be played on the home diamond.

CLASS PLAY SLATED
Falls City—The senior class play entitled "Oh Susan," which is a four act comedy drama will be given Wednesday. Those participating in the play are: Norman Anderson, Guylo Lewis, Edna Watt, Lanny Murphy, Marjorie Barner, Della Ames, Donald Clark, Hugh Hartage, Wilber Howell, Thelma Robinson.

Surprise Is Given At Eoff Residence

Bethel—Mrs. A. J. Eoff was surprised by a group of friends who gave her a handkerchief shower on her birthday. High scores at cards were won by Mrs. Max Gunter and Mrs. Edna Williams. Mrs. Bert Smith and Mrs. Ed Kitchener served the refreshments.

Those present were the honor guest, Mrs. Eoff, Mrs. Josie Fredericks, Mrs. Lillian Gabriel, Miss Josephine Zak, Mrs. Ena Eoff Williams, Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. Ed Kitchener, Mrs. W. T. Brinkley, Mrs. J. M. Nichols, Mrs. Cass A. Nichols, Mrs. John Hahn, Mrs. Arno Stranger, Mrs. James Landerbach, Mrs. Harry Boles, Miss Gladys Morgan and Miss Ruth Eoff.

TRIPLE SCHOOL EVENT STAGED

Silverton Hills—Dr. A. J. McCannell of Silverton gave the main address and presentation speech in honor of the eighth grade graduates of the three rural schools of this district at the regular meeting of the community club Saturday evening. The schools represented are Mountain View, Porter and Davis. Those receiving diplomas are Minnie Myers, Orpha Leslie, Donald Ross and Gordon Parsons. The committee in charge of arrangements included Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon, Fern Alexander and Carl King, Mrs. Mabelle Towse, teacher of the Porter district, introduced members of the graduating class. During the luncheon hour a specially decorated table in charge of Rich Towse and Miss Geraldine Fry of Mountain View, was in honor of the graduates and the speaker.

Awards of health, honor roll and perfect attendance were made to the pupils of the three districts. Mr. and Mrs. Don Ross were taken in the club as new members. Other program numbers were vocal numbers, violin and guitar music, tap dances and readings. The women will entertain the men next social night.

DIPLOMAS PRESENTED HAYESVILLE CLASS

Hayesville—The six eighth grade graduates of the class of 1933 took their respective diplomas before a large group of parents and friends gathered for the commencement exercises.

The program for the evening was: Processional, Mrs. Earl Pearcey; invocation, Rev. H. N. McCallum; piano solo, Wilma Rings, sixth grade; presentation of class, Mrs. Marshall; salutatory, Edwin Davis; class poem, Yoshimi Saito; class prophecy, Marie Dietzman; reading, Rich Towse; valedictory, Lester Martin; vocal solo, Mrs. Earl Pearcey; address, Principal H. P. Durham, Parish Junior high; presentation of diplomas, Mr. A. Settler; benediction, Rev. H. N. McCallum; recessional, Mrs. Earl Pearcey.

The graduating class roll was Marie Dietzman, Mary Iow, Lester Martin, Richard Saito, Edwin Davis and Yoshimi Saito. All of the young people have signed their intention of entering Parish Junior high school in the fall. Mrs. Marshall, the class teacher and advisor presided at the exercises.

DALLAS TRACKMEN WIN COUNTY TITLE

Dallas—The high school track team scored a total of 62 points at the county track meet Friday in retaining the county trophy which they won last year and by virtue of their performance are county track champions for this year. In compiling their score the wearers of the orange and black took six firsts, eight seconds and eight thirds. Four county records were by the board, the mile run, the discus, the broad jump and the javelin.

The local team consisted of the following: Lester Priesen, Bill Cadie, Burrell Webb, Bob McMillan, Glen Jones, Sam Dashiell, Leland LeFors, Charlie Laing, Willard Petre, Joe Wenger, Dean Cadie, Henry and Irwin Lange, Wilson Holden, Robert Woodman, Robert Harris and Karl Reizer.

Woodburn Juniors Defeat Mt. Angel

Woodburn—The Woodburn American Legion Junior baseball team defeated the Mt. Angel high school team 3 to 1 at Legion Park Sunday afternoon. Mt. Angel outbatted Woodburn five to three but five count plays kept them from denting the plate. Woodburn scored one in the second and two in the fourth while the Angel's made their lone tally in the fifth. Kehoe, Mt. Angel pitcher, was the hitting star with two out of two. Oberst led the Woodburn attack with two out of three. Next Saturday the Woodburn team will play Salem at Salem in the first regular game of the season.

Summary:
Woodburn 3 R H E
Mt. Angel 1 5 1
Tetter and Vogel; Kehoe and Pinnette, Umpire Deets.

Sewing Club Meets

Zena—Members of a small sewing club met at the home of Mrs. Jesse Walling Thursday afternoon and spent the afternoon stitching. Present were Mrs. Ivan Merrick, Mrs. George Boyd, Mrs. Alvin Madson, and son, Alvin Dent, Mrs. Clarence Merrick and daughter Audrey, Mrs. W. N. Crawford and the hostess, Mrs. Jesse Walling. The next meeting of the group will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Boyd. Friday afternoon the same group motored to Amity where they were the guests of Mrs. Fred Purvine and her daughter Marjorie. Being in conversation and music occupied the guests during the afternoon and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

INDEPENDENCE FORUM LEARNS OF NEW BILLS

Independence—All the regular meeting of the chamber of commerce last week discussions were entered into by leading citizens relative to the bills coming up in the July election, and many arguments were presented on both sides. Harry Keeney led off on the opening arguments on whether the passing of a public bond issue be changed from a majority to a two-thirds vote. On this question there was some considerable difference of opinion, the discussions revealing the fact that the bill would provide a majority rule in such matters since only 34 per cent of the votes cast would be necessary to defeat a bond issue subject to a two-thirds vote for passage.

C. F. Gillette, an attorney, took up the subject of county manager type of government and presented briefly the salient points embodied in the proposed measure. He used the city manager type of municipal government as an example calling attention to its success, marking the fact that under such an arrangement a definite responsibility could be placed upon the management of public affairs in contrast to the slipshod check that is often kept on officials determined by public election. Under the county-manager system the only office determined by election would be that of county school superintendents.

The matter of a town band was also discussed and the matter referred to a committee composed of R. W. Craven, Joe Hubbard and E. A. Duncel. Other matters of importance claiming attention were reports on the highway meeting held in McMinnville by Dr. M. J. Butler, plans for the hop picking season, the advisability of opening an auto camp for transients, these all came in for a fair share of discussion.

The president read his appointment of standing committees for the year as follows: Educational, Dr. George C. Knott, chairman, Rev. F. C. Stannard, Dean Walker.

Taxation, W. T. Hoffman, chairman, Z. C. Kimball, E. E. Addison; legislative, Dean Walker, chairman, C. L. Masters, J. W. Copp; industrial, Merl Ebbe, chairman, A. L. Thomas, E. A. Duncel; agricultural, J. H. Hart, chairman, I. D. Mix, K. L. Williams; highway, T. D. Fomberg, chairman, Dr. M. J. Butler, H. Keeney; waterways, G. C. Skinner, chairman, D. P. MacCarthy, Lyle D. Storey; advertising, C. Charbonneau, chairman, W. D. Wiley, Ross Nelson; entertainment, R. K. Montgomery, chairman, Paul E. Robinson, O. A. Kreamer; membership, Tom Smith, R. W. Craven, Rev. H. G. Hanson.

Corn show committee, C. O. Sloper, chairman, C. H. Hardwood, E. C. Calhoun and G. B. Kelley; charity, G. G. Godfrey, chairman, M. C. Williams, Fred Fisher.

MINISTER IS HOST AT BACKWARD PARTY

Turner—Rev. and Mrs. Ellmore J. Gilstrap entertained with a "backwards" party at their Mill creek home for the Christian Endeavor society with 30 guests present. During the evening all games and writing contests were done left-handed and the party was held on the third floor of the home, with all guests entering through the back door.

Emma Parr was elected president; Velvin Holt, vice president; and Margaret Gilstrap, secretary-treasurer. The executive committee will be named later by this executive. Margaret Gilstrap, president; Marjorie Fowler, vice president; and Kenneth Fowler, secretary-treasurer. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Miss Emma Parr, Miss Josephine Gilstrap, Miss Ruth Gilstrap, Miss Helen Witzel, Miss Eva Hansen, Miss Margaret Gilstrap, Miss Anna Johnson, Miss Emma Denyer, Miss Charlotte Parr, Miss Kathryn Hawk, Miss Ruth Gilstrap, Miss Nellie Savage, Miss Harriet Fredericks, Miss Alice Fowler, Miss Fernel Gilstrap, Miss Edna Johnson, Russell Denyer, John Hawk, Lynn McCully, Everett Hansen, Melvin Holt, Varnel Denyer, Harold Fowler, Alvin Garner, Kenneth Fowler, Mrs. O. P. Givens, Mrs. Jay Denham, Mr. and Mrs. M. Holt and the hosts, Rev. and Mrs. Ellmore J. Gilstrap.

Leader of Club Offered Surprise

Turner—Compensating their 4-H club leader, Mrs. John R. Cox, who is leaving soon for her new home at Shedd, members of the "Stitch and Chatter" girls' sewing club entertained with a surprise party Thursday evening at the Cox home. Lois Gunning was in charge of the diversions, and numerous games were played. The group presented Mrs. Cox with an Oriental rug set in appreciation of her club work. Mrs. J. M. Bones sponsored a matchamallow race following the entertainment.

In attendance were Mrs. John R. Cox, Mrs. J. E. Whitehead, Jr., Mrs. Cleora Parkes, Miss Ruth Clark, Mrs. J. M. Bones, Fernel Gilstrap, Ruth Jones, Lois Gunning, Kathleen Sparks, Rachel Riches, Nellie Savage, LaVerna Whitehead, Estella Barnett, Mary Anderson, Mabel Lacy, Eleanor Parkes and Lorraine Barnett.

Lumbering Resumed

Silverton—The Molalla lumber camp started operations last Tuesday. Among those working at the Molalla camp is H. G. Kuschnick of Silverton. Rumors are that the Silverton men will go to camp No. 15 of the Silver Falls Timber company by June 5, if the snow conditions are such a decision should not be put into effect nor the necessity revealed until regular business conditions prevailed again. It was asserted the Wighich switch line, the line from Independence to Corvallis, the line from Broadmead to Perrydale, no more justify continuance than the Monmouth-Dallas route, if returns govern action. It seems likely the Monmouth line request is a trial act and if it succeeds will probably be followed by abandonment of other lines. The proposal may also have been made as a preliminary to lower assessments, a not unreasonable request.

RAIL ABANDONMENT PROTEST IS FILED

Monmouth—A protest is to be filed against the proposal of the Southern Pacific company to take up the track from Monmouth to Dallas. At an interview with commissioner of utilities Thomas S. Dallas, this was decided on. Judge Thomas will forward the protest to the national interstate commerce commission before whom the request to take up the track was made. Attending the conference were Ira C. Powell, F. E. Murdoch, H. W. Morland, C. Gillette and B. B. Swenson. It was brought out at the conference that business over the line to Monmouth is about the same as when the last adjustment was made and the line to Airline taken up. It was asserted business conditions are still under normal and such a decision should not be put into effect nor the necessity revealed until regular business conditions prevailed again. It was asserted the Wighich switch line, the line from Independence to Corvallis, the line from Broadmead to Perrydale, no more justify continuance than the Monmouth-Dallas route, if returns govern action. It seems likely the Monmouth line request is a trial act and if it succeeds will probably be followed by abandonment of other lines. The proposal may also have been made as a preliminary to lower assessments, a not unreasonable request.

Peterson Honored Upon His Birthday

Dallas—Mrs. H. D. Peterson entertained with a surprise party Friday night honoring her husband, Dr. H. D. Peterson, on the occasion of his birthday. Bridge was the diversion of the evening with high scoring honors going to Mrs. Walter E. Ballantyne for the women and A. R. Hartman for the men. Guests in-cluded were Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Ballantyne, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Cruson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garner, Mr. and Mrs. William Blackley and Miss Zella Hughes.

LIBERTY GRADE CARNIVAL HELD

Liberty—The Liberty school, under the direction of Principal A. V. Myers, held its annual carnival Friday evening. The proceeds from concessions are to be put in the athletic fund to help pay for the mimeograph machine. Victor Gibson was general manager and Jack Dusch business manager.

The program was as follows: Song, primary pupils, Annabelle Vickers, Teddy Gordon, Almira Anderson, Ernest Smith, Patay Brown, Ralph Weiderker, Johnnie Strohmeyer and Clarke Houser; minstrel show, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades; vocal solo, Joe Williams, Jr.; tap dance, Merlyn Gummel; solo, Sam Eschelman; solos, Joe Chambers, accompanied by Bill Free on the guitar, and a solo by Wayne Gordon.

Those taking part in the minstrel show, which included jokes and dandy songs, were Echo Sargent, Andrew Coleman, Dallas Spencer, James Rowland, Edward Strohmeyer, Robert Lewis, Charles Cunningham, George Smith, Merlyn Gummel, Raymond Critser, Ruby Jones, Marjorie Denner, Grace Salladay, Victor Gibson, Tillman Houser, Sam Eschelman, Wayne Gordon, Joe Williams, Jr., Junette Anderson, Opal Norris, Echo Sargent, Patay Brown, Pauline Deatur, John Sargent, Margaret Copple, Mary Sargent, Helen Strohmeyer, Mildred Leck, Rowena Westenhause and Peggy Browning.

SUMMER VACATION FOR VICTOR POINT

Victor Point—School closed here Friday for the summer vacation with an all-day community picnic. A basket dinner with home-made ice cream was enjoyed at noon and a baseball game on the school diamond was played in the afternoon.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Doerfler, John, Jr., Ernest and Louise Doerfler, Mrs. J. M. Doerfler and daughter Delora of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Gilmore and daughter Letha Bell, Mrs. Phillip Fischer and son Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Caspar Larson, Sophia, Helen, Dorothy May and Donald Larson, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jones, Bernita and Carl Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Krenz, Laurel and Richard Krenz, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Darby, Marvin James, Jr., Wesley and Agnes Jean Darby, J. Krenz, Miss Millie and Elizabeth Krenz, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hobbs and daughter Wilma, Mrs. W. F. Krenz, Mrs. Floyd Fox and son Junior of Silver Cliff, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Miller and son Dale, Mrs. S. J. Quay, Ernest and Elaine Quay, Mrs. Arthur Quayle of Valley View, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mulkey, Miss Thelma and Robert Humphreys of Oak Grove, Duane Sears of Silver Cliff, Patricia Ann Alexander of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hunt of Valley View.

Mrs. Hunt has been the teacher for the past term. Marvin Darby and Ernest Quayle received their eighth grade diplomas.

DALLAS JUNIORS BEATEN BY SALEM

Dallas—A picked team from the Cubs and the Cardinals, members of the first division in the American Legion junior league played a game with the Washington grade school team on Salem Saturday forenoon which brought in a score of nine to eight. Hass started on the mound for the home team but had a bad time in the first frame being nipped for four runs. He was replaced in the fourth by Lindahl who also got off to a bad start and was also the victim of a batting attack which brought in four tallies. Wiebe replaced him and yielded one run in three innings. Blackley worked on the mound for the visitors and was relieved for one frame by a Probert.

SILVERTON DROPS CONTEST TO SALEM

Silverton—A practice game between the Salem Juniors and the Silverton American Legion Juniors played on the home diamond Sunday afternoon, resulted in the locals losing to the visitors, 4 to 2.

The first regular game of the series will be with Stacyon at Stacyon next Sunday afternoon. Batteries were Gatchell and Akers for Salem and Coomer and Shell for Silverton. Riggs, regular Silverton catcher, was hit in the eye during the pre-warming up process and suffered a painful injury. Salem scored twice in the first inning and held the lead with Nicholson making a homer. Salem made three hits off Coomer and Silverton got five. Coomer made a two-bagger.

The Legion team will play the high school boys here Tuesday afternoon. Guy W. DeLay is coaching the Legion Juniors.

World War Father Buys First Poppy

Silverton—W. W. Miller holds the honor of purchasing the first poppy sold in the business district Saturday. Miller was deserving of the privilege as he had four sons in the World War, three of whom gave their lives for the cause, and the other will spend his life in a veterans hospital. He is at American Lake.

Pratum Enjoys By Class

Pratum—The monthly Sunday school social at the Pratum M. E. church was held last week. Mrs. Harold De Vries and Miss Olivia Vries hostesses. They were assisted with the program by a number from Willamette university.

First was a social time, then the polka lunch. The program opened with group singing, Rev. E. D. Beckie conducted devotions; solo, Miss Helen Benner; Miss Noff, pianist; humorous reading in costume, Martha Jane Hottel. She was generously applauded and gave a second reading; Leslie Klampe and Clyde Boehm, an instrumental guitar duet, playing a group of selections were applauded; Bernadine responded to an encore; vocal duet, Grace and Francis Klampe.

Pratum—The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Branch. All members are urged to be present for election of officers for the coming conference year. There will be a thank offering. The nominating committee will meet at the church Friday evening.

WOODBURN BANK DEPOSITORS IN VOTE OF FAITH

Woodburn—Depositors of the Bank of Woodburn, which has been operating under restricted conditions since the bank moratorium, met at the Lincoln school auditorium here Saturday afternoon for the purpose of familiarizing themselves with the present standing and conditions of the bank.

J. N. Haugen was appointed chairman and Ed Lindeken secretary for the meeting. A report was made by the committee from the chamber of commerce, and included talks by Mayor W. H. Broyles and R. L. Guiss. An announcement was made of the coming visit of A. A. Schramm, state superintendent of banks, when a more specific report of conditions will be made. Eugene Courtney, vice-president of the bank, talked on the present situation and explained that the bank needed the support of the people. Confidence in the bank by its officers was voiced by depositors, including Hiram Overton, justice of peace, Ray Galt, secretary-manager of the Berry Growers Association, and Edgar Dodge, prominent farmer.

It was passed that "in addition to the three members of the chamber of commerce committee, that the chairman appoint two more to the committee; these in turn appoint two members each; making fifteen, all of which shall be depositors," for the purpose of creating confidence and understanding of the banking situation here. Those appointed were, R. L. Guiss, H. H. Broyles and John Shaw, chairman of commerce committee; and John Dinwiddie and A. N. Shears.

MEMORIAL SERVICES SLATED AT TURNER

Turner—Marion Post No. 661, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will have charge of the Memorial day services at the two Turner cemeteries, beginning at 10 o'clock at the Oddfellows cemetery Tuesday morning, and the services at the Twin Oak cemetery at 10:45 o'clock. Mr. Hayden, commander of the post, will give the addresses of the day. Special music and ritual ceremonies will be part of the program.

SENIOR PLAY HAS LARGE TURN OUT

Turner—The annual senior play, "The Fascinating Fannie Brown," was presented by the Turner high school student body Friday night in the auditorium to a full house. The presentation of the two-act comedy was a unanimous success and netted the student body treasury nearly \$25 from the admission prices of 10 and 15 cents.

The cast of characters included: Percival Gale, owner of a summer hotel, Alvin Garner; Billy Pearson, only man at the hotel, Eugene Melis; college sophomore known as Henry Audley; also the fascinating Fannie Brown, Albert Jensen; Mrs. Caldwell, a guest, Emma Denyer; Audrey Caldwell, also a hotel guest, Nancy Springle; Dorothy Doolley, a guest and much sought-after young lady, Leone Cook; Florence Howe, Audrey Shoen; Mrs. Moffitt, a neighbor Marjorie Pickard, and Martha, a servant, Margaret Gilstrap.

Additional numbers included a violin solo by Marion Cook, hostess, a piano solo by Rache Galt and a group of popular songs by the high school mixed chorus, composed of Wilda Skipper, Delmar Barber, Anna Johnson, Dale Johnson, Albert Jensen and Edna Johnson.

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Falls City Holds Speaking Contest

Falls City—The Polk county declamatory contest was given Thursday evening at the high school auditorium. The contest consisted of two groups, the oratorical and extemporaneous. Ribbon prizes were given in the oratorical group: first, Cadwynn Hawn; second, Helen Blodgett; third, Thelma Purce.

Those entering in the extemporaneous contest of which the general topic was unemployment problem in the U. S.; first prize was given to Howard Calk; second to Elizabeth Baker; third, Ester Logan. The judges were Mr. Beck of Airline, Mr. Thomas of West Salem and Mr. Gray of Peede.

CLASS OFFERS LAST PROGRAM

Silverton—The junior high school department of the Silverton schools featured the 9A class members in the Silverton school assembly of the school year Friday afternoon in the Eugene Field auditorium.

Selections were given by Arline Marquam, piano solo; reading, Margaret Dunnigan; violin solo, Hazel Talbot; accordion solo, Norman Kirk; a play, "The New Problem," by Arnold Otjen, Boyd Williams, Harold Knies, Vance Olson, Fairfax Marx, Enid Paulson, Alice Miles, Billie Tomison and Werner Chilberg.

F. J. Roubal, principal of the junior high school, awarded first prizes to Helen Lockner, Enid Paulson, Wilma Mills, Ruth Maurer, Marie Hall, Margaret Langley, Arline Marquam, Cheryl Sypher, Verna Gihlstrom, Maxine Morgan, Helen Seeley, Olive Green, Oretta Chilberg, Virginia Brown, Erna Boesch, Helen Coll, Jean Tomison, Eileen Stanton, Alice Thorndison, Beryl Fletcher, Eleanor Bolme, Esther Lockner, Edna Lehman, Beatrice Leonard, Mary Jane Neff, Alma Hostenson, Lorraine Johnson, Doris Rickard, Helen Lambert, Billie Tomison, Ronald Reed, Bennie Johnson, Harold Odman, Robert Vocum, Russell Quinn Ray Tucker, Arland Schwab, Howard Chandler, Lester Green, Fairfax Marx, Charles Hoagland, Leslie Anderson, Max Wittrein, and second and third prizes to Doris Simeral, Besie Metcalf, Opal Green, Alice Miles, Hazel Olson, Garnet Down, Jean Bowman, June Bowman, Agnes Brenden, Marjorie Anderson, Earla Garver, Dorothy Haddison, Louise Holm, Opal Bolme, Helen Canada.

PIONEER RESIDENT HAS 80TH BIRTHDAY

Independence—Marion D. Hogan, an Oregon pioneer, observed her 80th birthday Friday. He was born in an emigrant wagon, while a slave being made for the night, within the boundaries of the state of Nebraska. His father, Henry Hogan, born in Virginia in 1818, and his mother was Barbara Liles, born in Missouri a few years later.

In 1833 the Hogans joined an emigrant train which was headed for the Oregon country. This was in Illinois, Jim Harpole, who settled near Junction City was the captain of the train, composed of about 50 families.

The train came to a final stop in Lane county, most of the members settling on land, the Hogans taking up a donation land claim 12 miles west of Eugene. Hogan and his wife, Mary, and their children, which they brought across and lived pretty well although they met many hardships the first few years, providing for the demands of a growing family. Hogan having five sisters and four brothers. Later they sold their farm and purchased one on the Long Tom; later a home was established between Corvallis and Kings Valley, another place was purchased until finally the home was established in Junction City where the father died at the age of 84 years and was followed a short time after by his wife. Until he was 18 he attended school about three months during the winter months in a log cabin schoolhouse in the Driscoll district. The school was privately financed and the teacher who received a nominal sum of \$30 to \$40 for his services, boarded around among the patrons of the district. He is an old-time fiddler and with his brothers have performed for many dances in this community. He has two sons, Art and Henry Hogan, and a daughter, Mrs. Al Whitney, who also live here. His 80 years rests lightly with him and he busies himself with gardening and odd jobs and rests in the hop yards. For a number of years he was employed as checkbook in the McLaughlin ranch.

In speaking of his parents, Hogan stated that they were very religious people and on Sunday in those early days would hitch up the oxen and drive many miles to services, taking the entire family.

Miller Cemetery Directors Gather

Silverton—Officers and members of the managing board of directors of the Miller Cemetery association met Friday in the chapel rooms and made plans to keep the grounds in order and also arranged for a road to be opened through the cemetery. Many other stockholders of the association met with the group Sunday and set aside the group time for beautifying the graves for Memorial day. Charles Heinz is president; Dr. A. W. Simons, vice president; Mrs. Charles Hartman, secretary, and Ellis Stevens, Fred Klein and Mrs. L. O. Hadley are special board members.

World War Father Buys First Poppy

Silverton—W. W. Miller holds the honor of purchasing the first poppy sold in the business district Saturday. Miller was deserving of the privilege as he had four sons in the World War, three of whom gave their lives for the cause, and the other will spend his life in a veterans hospital. He is at American Lake.

Pratum Enjoys By Class

Pratum—The monthly Sunday school social at the Pratum M. E. church was held last week. Mrs. Harold De Vries and Miss Olivia Vries hostesses. They were assisted with the program by a number from Willamette university.

First was a social time, then the polka lunch. The program opened with group singing, Rev. E. D. Beckie conducted devotions; solo, Miss Helen Benner; Miss Noff, pianist; humorous reading in costume, Martha Jane Hottel. She was generously applauded and gave a second reading; Leslie Klampe and Clyde Boehm, an instrumental guitar duet, playing a group of selections were applauded; Bernadine responded to an encore; vocal duet, Grace and Francis Klampe.

Pratum—The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Branch. All members are urged to be present for election of officers for the coming conference year. There will be a thank offering. The nominating committee will meet at the church Friday evening.

GRANGERS WANT SPECIAL TALK

Silverton—Friday night the Silverton grange group decided to secure special speakers at the next session which meets June 23 at the M. W. A. hall to discuss the sales tax question. The meeting will be open to the public and a large crowd is desired. The choice of speaker will be announced later.

More than 60 were present at one of the most enthusiastic sessions of the year. The affairs of the state grange that convenes in Pendleton in June were discussed. Ted Hobart, master, and Mrs. Hobart are planning to represent the Silverton grange and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hadley of Silverton Hills grange will also attend.

CLASS OFFERS LAST PROGRAM

Silverton—The junior high school department of the Silverton schools featured the 9A class members in the Silverton school assembly of the school year Friday afternoon in the Eugene Field auditorium.

Selections were given by Arline Marquam, piano solo; reading, Margaret Dunnigan; violin solo, Hazel Talbot; accordion solo, Norman Kirk; a play, "The New Problem," by Arnold Otjen, Boyd Williams, Harold Knies, Vance Olson, Fairfax Marx, Enid Paulson, Alice Miles, Billie Tomison and Werner Chilberg.

F. J. Roubal, principal of the junior high school, awarded first prizes to Helen Lockner, Enid Paulson, Wilma Mills, Ruth Maurer, Marie Hall, Margaret Langley, Arline Marquam, Cheryl Sypher, Verna Gihlstrom, Maxine Morgan, Helen Seeley, Olive Green, Oretta Chilberg, Virginia Brown, Erna Boesch, Helen Coll, Jean Tomison, Eileen Stanton, Alice Thorndison, Beryl Fletcher, Eleanor Bolme, Esther Lockner, Edna Lehman, Beatrice Leonard, Mary Jane Neff, Alma Hostenson, Lorraine Johnson, Doris Rickard, Helen Lambert, Billie Tomison, Ronald Reed, Bennie Johnson, Harold Odman, Robert Vocum, Russell Quinn Ray Tucker, Arland Schwab, Howard Chandler, Lester Green, Fairfax Marx, Charles Hoagland, Leslie Anderson, Max Wittrein, and second and third prizes to Doris Simeral, Besie Metcalf, Opal Green, Alice Miles, Hazel Olson, Garnet Down, Jean Bowman, June Bowman, Agnes Brenden, Marjorie Anderson, Earla Garver, Dorothy Haddison, Louise Holm, Opal Bolme, Helen Canada.

PIONEER RESIDENT HAS 80TH BIRTHDAY

Independence—Marion D. Hogan, an Oregon pioneer, observed her 80th birthday Friday. He was born in an emigrant wagon, while a slave being made for the night, within the boundaries of the state of Nebraska. His father, Henry Hogan, born in Virginia in 1818, and his mother was Barbara Liles, born in Missouri a few years later.

In 1833 the Hogans joined an emigrant train which was headed for the Oregon country. This was in Illinois, Jim Harpole, who settled near Junction City was the captain of the train, composed of about 50 families.

The train came to a final stop in Lane county, most of the members settling on land, the Hogans taking up a donation land claim 12 miles west of Eugene. Hogan and his wife, Mary, and their children, which they brought across and lived pretty well although they met many hardships the first few years, providing for the demands of a growing family. Hogan having five sisters and four brothers. Later they sold their farm and purchased one on the Long Tom; later a home was established between Corvallis and Kings Valley, another place was purchased until finally the home was established in Junction City where the father died at the age of 84 years and was followed a short time after by his wife. Until he was 18 he attended school about three months during the winter months in a log cabin schoolhouse in the Driscoll district. The school was privately financed and the teacher