

LIST OF 8TH GRADE GRADS MADE PUBLIC

1928 Freshmen Will Receive Diplomas At First Annual Commencement Friday Morning at Chautauqua Building—42 Boys and 59 Girls in Class.

Fifty-nine girls and 42 boys will receive their diplomas Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the first annual eighth grade commencement exercises to be held in Ashland. The exercises will be held at the Chautauqua building with Attorney Wm. Briggs as the main speaker.

Boys and girls who will receive their diplomas for completion of grammar school work are:

- Robert Arant, Gordon Baker, Robert Beitel, Billie Beagle, Wayne Chaney, Donald Curry, Robert Dunn, Gilbert Elder, Neal Fay, Leonard Gonnell, Harold Gilmore, Arthur Gilbert, Cecil Harbord, John Hogg, James Miller, Charles McDavido, Lyle Merahon, Walter O'Toole, Raymond Perry, Almonta Folk, Erford Poole, Norris Rickman, Kenneth Shiffer, Donald Stansell, Homer Walkup, Farrell Wood, Bert Wright, Richard Porter, Franklin Arant, Paul Atkins, Melvin Beagle, Wayne Carter, Maynard Croxall, Ralph Curtis, Billy Edsall, Max Guiley, Russell Parr, Clifford Real, Dorrance Ruder, Norman Spindler, Wilson Torrance and Lyle Reader, Harriett Prescott, Juanita Reikind, Mary Wiley, Geraldine Scott, Elizabeth Carter, Wanda Schwin, Edna Mae Sullivan, Esther Springer, Ruth Raymond, Ruth Parsons, Wilma Nutter, Anna Kiel, Iona Kidwell, Florence Hocking, Lucille Hamilton, Frances Hardy, Wilma Hall, Ellen France, Maxine Emery, Margaret Gresson, Louise Baldwin, Laurel Wood, Beulah Yerlan, Viola Underwood, Ruby Tompkins, Jean Trobee, Jeanette Stearns, Lucille Reeder, May Rayton, Flora Polk, Iris Patterson, Nellie Perrine, Beatrice Pederson.

BOXER DIES WHEN NECK IS BROKEN

Steve Adams, Lightweight Champion Held Awaiting Investigation

KANSAS CITY, Kansas, June 2.—(UP)—Held under \$5,000 bond in connection with the death last night of Steve Adams, Sammy Mandell today awaits action of a coroner's jury. Mandell is the world's light weight boxing champion.

Adams died last night in the second round of a scheduled 10-round fight.

It is doubtful whether any action toward holding Mandell will be taken.

Adams crumpled in the second round after Mandell landed a blow on his stomach. Doctors were called immediately but the fighter was dead before aid could be given. An examination revealed the man's neck was broken.

SIXTY DAYS FOR DRIVER

Frank Duffy Must Pay \$200 Fine For Operating Car While Drunk

Frank Duffy of Mt. Shasta, California, was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail and ordered to pay a fine of \$200 when Justice of the Peace T. R. Roe of Jacksonville found him guilty of driving a car while intoxicated.

Duffy was arrested by officers following an auto accident Thursday evening, May 26, when his Cadillac car was wrecked on the Pacific highway near the California line. Duffy suffered from several fractured ribs in the wreck.

He pleaded not guilty to charge of intoxication saying he was not intoxicated but injured seriously. He admitted five other members of the party had been drinking.

Chief of Police George McNabb, Sheriff Ralph Jennings and Traffic Officer C. H. Talent were witnesses in the case. District Attorney Newton D. Chaney, conducted the prosecution.

AIMEE MC. GOES EAST

Famed Evangelist Will Attempt to Conquer Wicked Chicago

LOS ANGELES, June 2.—(UP)—Aimee Semple McPherson, dynamic woman evangelist, left Los Angeles Thursday on the initial trip of a campaign to win the East to her Four-Square gospel.

Accompanied by the Four-Square gospel quartet, Bible teachers and a choir leader, Mrs. McPherson will go directly to Chicago, where she will preach for three weeks in the Coliseum. She will carry on a two weeks' revival in Alton, Ill., and then perhaps go to Toronto, Canada.

Troops Sent To Tien Tsin

LONDON, June 2.—American, British and Japanese authorities in China have decided that 16,000 troops are necessary to protect the national and diplomatic interests in Tien Tsin and Peking, the Manchester Guardian said today, quoting an article which appeared in the British owned Shanghai Times.

GAME WARDENS HAVE BUSY TIME SAYS LOCAL OFFICER

Game wardens are kept busy these days checking up on fishermen's licenses, and protection of wild game in the forest reserves according to Game Warden Roy M. Parr.

"We've got to watch that streams are not polluted with sawdust in the springtime and summer time as it kills the fish, and we make a checkup of this each spring," Parr says.

In the last month several fishermen who failed to secure licenses have been found and fined,

while two prosecutions were conducted against violators who were even with venison in their possession.

General observance of game laws, enacted for the protection of wild animal life, is made according to the game warden. A constant checkup in various sections of the county is kept by state game wardens, who work under the state department, one assigned to each county with extra assistance during the busier seasons.

LIBERALISTS WIN CLASHES IN ASSEMBLY

Unflocked of New York Pastor For Doubting The Virgin Birth Is Not Saponated By Ministers—Presbyterian National Meet Ended Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—(UP)—Tolerance became the keynote of the 139th general assembly of the Presbyterian church, U. S. A., which drew to a close here yesterday.

Four times the fundamentalist-liberalist controversy arose on the floor of the convention and four times the liberalists — they say they are not "modernists" — won.

The last bitter fight occurred yesterday when the report of the permanent judicial committee dismissing the suit of Dr. Walter D. Buchanan against the Synod of New York demanding the unfrocking of Rev. Cameron Parker Hall and the Rev. Carlos G. Fuller, because of alleged statements doubting the virgin birth and immaculate conception, was adopted by the assembly by a vote of 333 to 298.

First victory for those liberalists who believe that the Presbyterian church is big enough to allow for divergent schools of thought was the election of Dr. Robert Elliott Speer as moderator.

Second and third were the adoption of a report of the Princeton Seminary committee which found against the fundamentalist group in the faculty of the seminary, headed by Dr. J. Gresham Machen.

The 1928 assembly will be held in Tulsa, Okla.

ASK RECALL OF SHERIFF

Friends of Officer Murdered by Albert Brownlee File Petition

EUGENE, Ore., June 2.—(UP)—With more than 2500 names appended, petitions asking for an election to recall Sheriff Frank Taylor, have been filed with the county clerk. It is expected that a recall proposal will be placed on a special election ballot June 28.

The recall movement is an aftermath of the Veneta holdup last February, which resulted in the murder of Eston Hooker, a postman, and for which Albert Brownlee was hanged May 17.

The recall started when the sheriff refused to meet their demand in discharging Deputy Van Sarver, who was accused of neglecting his duty in going to California when the bandits were un-captured. Friends of the slain postman started the recall.

Earthquake Shakes N. J.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., June 2.—(UP)—Earth tremors of mild intensity frightened thousands of persons in towns and cities along a 50-mile belt of the New Jersey coast Wednesday.

The disturbance area began at Jersey City and extended southward along the coast to Tom's River.

In New Jersey the actual damage was slight, but buildings swayed, bricks toppled from chimneys, clocks stopped, and dishes rattled on shelves and sent families running to the streets.

CAR IS WRECKED

A Willys-Knight sedan owned by E. M. Scott of Portland was overturned Wednesday afternoon near the Verhous crossing on the Pacific highway south of Ashland. The accident occurred when Scott attempted to pass a road grader and got off the road into the ditch. No one was injured and the car was only slightly damaged. Traffic Officer C. H. Talent investigated the wreck.

ENGLISH GIVE LINDBERGH ROYAL RECEPTION-SATURDAY "LUCKY" STARTS FOR U. S. A.

LONDON, June 2.—(UP)—Homeward bound after the most universally applauded flight in history, Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh took the air at Croydon today on the first leg of his journey to Washington and national honors in the United States.

The flyer's decision to accept a trip on the United States cruiser Memphis, which will take him direct to Washington by June 11, instead of on the destroyer Breck, enroute to New York, did not change his plans for the remainder of his stay in Europe.

London will have one last chance to see him in the air as he sets out across the channel for Paris, from where he will fly Saturday to Cherbourg. There he will board the Memphis for Washington.

Lindbergh's last full day in England brought him even more attention. While 500,000 Eng-

lishmen and their ladies were betting at Epsom Downs' famous derby race, Lindbergh preferred to neglect the race and chat with the debutantes near his box, thus exhibiting an interest in women he has not shown before.

"I am interested in the race, but not particularly thrilled," he said to those who wondered at his lack of attention to England's most outstanding turf event. When other men visited the paddocks during an intermission to inspect the horses, he was notably the only male left in the boxes.

And he further surprised the English sports enthusiasts by attending the classic event in a gray fedora and sack suit instead of the accepted top hat and morning coat.

As "the man in the gray fedora" he was pointed out by the still admiring crowds.

ONE MILL LEVY ASKED

County Fair Fund is Completed And Voters Will Pass on Finance Plan

Petitions asking that a tax measure provided for a one-million levy to finance the continuance of the Jackson county fair, be submitted to the vote of the people at the special election on June 28, was filed yesterday with the county clerk of courts, Delilah Stevens.

The additional levy, is said by those who circulated the petition, is one to make the fair permanent and to provide funds for buildings, for maintenance and operations.

Temporary buildings are erected each year and then torn down, according to those favoring the levy. It is proposed to erect permanent structures.

Although the Jackson county fair is one of the outstanding fairs of Oregon, the levy originally granted for its maintenance has been found insufficient for its maintenance.

Hopheads Held In California

Chief of Police George McNabb will go to Redding, California, next Wednesday, June 8, to appear as a witness in a police court case there. Two "hop heads", who were held in the city jail in Ashland after attempting a short change gag at local stores, three weeks ago. They are held in Redding on an attempted burglary charge.

VIOLA LEAVES LEFTY HOLLYWOOD, CAL.

(UP)—Viola Dana and her husband, Maurice "Lefty" Flynn, former Yale gridiron star and now and actor, have parted, the diminutive film star admitted here today.

20 Killed In Holland

AMSTERDAM, June 2.—(UP)—Twenty persons were killed and 300 injured in a cyclone which swept the Gelderland province late yesterday.

The towns Neede and Groenlo were the hardest hit.

CULT LEADER TAUGHT HIS FLOCK WELL

Fearful of Prosecution, "King Ben" Held Mock Trials And Instructed Members of Religious Colony In Art of Purjury Witness Testifies.

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., June 2.—(UP)—"King Ben" Purnell was a canny fellow, according to Mrs. Esther Hansel, his estranged confidant, now the state's star witness in its suit to dissolve the House of David and divide its \$5,000,000 property among past and present members.

Besides extorting written confessions from members of the queer colony and filling those containing incriminating evidence, the bearded cult leader actually held mock trials to instruct members "in the art of perjury."

From her testimony Wednesday, it appeared that "King Ben" always had possible prosecution in mind and took precautionary measures to thwart it if and when it came. Mrs. Hansel related the role played by "Queen Mary," wife of the aged cult leader, who may take the stand before the trial closes.

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Normal Takes League Game

Southern Oregon Normal team emerged victors over the Battery B baseball team in the Y. M. C. A. twilight league last evening by taking the long end of a 13 to 5 score. The game was hard fought from the start, the Battery team taking the lead in the first inning and by again tying the score in the third inning. From then on the Normal team tightened up and made it a little harder for the Battery. Batteries for the Normal were: Laws catcher; Mercer, Dixon and Butterfield, pitchers. For Battery B: Young catcher and Slack, pitcher. The next game of the series will be played between the Normal and Employed Boys' teams on Monday evening.

STOPPED BY FOG KENLEY AIRDROM, ENGLAND.—Captain Charles Lindbergh who dared to fly across the North Atlantic alone was stopped today by fog when he attempted to fly across the English channel.

AVERAGE AGE OF ASHLAND CIVIL WAR VETERANS 85

Average age of Civil War veterans, members of the Ashland Post G. A. R., is 85 years old.

Youngest of this group of 15 silver haired boys in blue are G. W. Benedict, 84; Veteran Cedar, 84; Comrade Crawford, each of whom is 80 years of age.

Comrade Whitney, who is past 94, is the oldest of the members of the local G. A. R. Post.

Ages of the 15 veterans, according to George Van Natta, commander of the Post, are as follows: G. W. Benedict, 84; Albert Johnson, 85; George Van Natta, 81; E. K. Howell, 83; W. A. Patrick, 82; J. P. Bayle, 80; G. W. Nobels, 84; Veteran Crawford, 84; Veteran Cedar, 84; Veteran Whitney, 84; J. E. Bates, 86; S. H. Wilcox, 83; D. L. Glyn, 82; Veteran Shaw, 86; and Veteran Crawford, 89.

Comrades Crawford, Wilson, Glyn, Patrick, Howell and Van Natta marched with Sherman to the sea.

GRAD OF JUNIORS IS TONIGHT

Marshall Dana Will Speak Eighth Grade Commencement Tomorrow

Marshall Dana, orator and newspaper man arrived in this city today and this evening will deliver the annual commencement address at the graduation exercises for the 1927 class of Ashland Senior high school.

Mr. Dana has delivered a number of commencement addresses this year, and is a polished speaker, with a real message of value to youth.

Commencement exercises start at 8 o'clock this evening at the Ashland Armory. Sixty-two boys and girls will receive their diplomas from Superintendent George A. Briscoe.

Tomorrow at 10 o'clock the eighth grade commencement exercises are to be held at the Chautauqua building and a special invitation is being extended the public to be present at these exercises. Near 100 boys and girls will receive their diplomas.

PAVING IS CONSIDERED

Crater Lake Road And Unpaved Stretch of Pacific Road Work Planned

Two highway projects in southern Oregon are being encouraged by C. E. Gates of Medford, member of the state highway commission.

One is the paving of two miles of the Crater Lake highway, beginning at the end of Crater Lake avenue in Medford. Use of a new paving solution for a test is planned for this stretch of road.

The second is to be discussed at a meeting between Gates and the California state highway commission, to be held soon at Medford. The paving of the missing link of the Pacific highway from the state line south, is to be considered. The state line unpaved stretch is the last on the Pacific highway between Canada and Mexico and its completion has been considered for the last ten years, Mr. Gates says.

ROBBINS TO DIRECT BOAS

Pearpickers And Lithians Play Sunday at Jackson Hot Springs

Orelis Robbins, Boas shortstop, becomes playing manager of the Ashland team, succeeding John Morgan, first baseman, following a re-organization made this week.

Robbins is a former O. A. C. star, and has been playing a stellar brand of baseball this year. He is well qualified to direct the team, and Ashland baseball enthusiasts are looking forward with anticipation to more success for the local aggregation.

Next Sunday the Lithians will play Medford at Jackson Hot Springs. The Pearpickers have been strengthened through re-organization and new material in the last week. They defeated the hard hitting Grants Pass aggregation last Sunday.

Klamath will go to Grants Pass to play there Sunday, according to the League schedule.

Files Suit Then Dies

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 2.—(UP)—Mary Lygo, former folkie beauty, and center of a \$100,000 heart balm suit against Gordon Thorns, Chicago millionaire, died in a hospital here from self administered poison.



Heroes

A cartoon illustration of a man in a suit sitting at a desk, looking thoughtful. He has a large, bushy mustache. On the desk are two signs: 'FRANCE' and 'MUNGESSER AND COLI'. The man is looking at the 'FRANCE' sign.