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Society

If you know of a society item and do not inform the newspaper, it is your own fault if it is not printed.

Mrs. Andrew Brund and Mrs. K. K. Mills pleasantly entertained the Constellation club last Thursday. The banquet room of the Masonic hall was prettily decorated with wall flowers. The afternoon was spent with fancy work, after which refreshments of strawberry shortcake and coffee were served.

There will be no meeting of the M. P. G. club next Tuesday, the meeting having been postponed on account of chautauqua. The next meeting will be a picnic, to be held four weeks from next Tuesday.

Mrs. T. B. Hartley, of Saginaw, entertained last Thursday for her mother, Mrs. Epperson, the occasion being her fifty-ninth birthday. Fifteen guests were present. Refreshments were served.

John Sampson and Miss Clara Lebow were quietly married at noon Saturday at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Jos. Knotts. They left immediately for Montana, the home of Mr. Sampson.

P. C. Henson and Mrs. Bessie Turner, both of Medford, were married here at the Baptist parsonage May 31, by Rev. E. G. O. Groat.

The meeting of the Emanon club, to have been held this week with Mrs. W. B. Cooper, has been postponed to next week.

On account of chautauqua, the meeting of the Social Twelve club has been postponed until two weeks from today.

Nearly every social function and party has been postponed this week on account of chautauqua.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Methodist Church—Rev. Jos. Knotts, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Regular preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Morning sermon, "Follow Me." Evening sermon, "Wanted, a Man."

LATHAM.

(Special to The Sentinel.)
June 6.—Mrs. George Randolph and Mrs. B. F. Adams attended church in Cottage Grove Sunday.

Among those who were at the commencement exercises Friday evening were Albert Hull, Mrs. John Hull, Edna Hull, Leslie Hull, Mr. and Mrs. George Boyd, Della Boyd, L. M. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph, Misses Sibyl Cellers, Myrel Van Nortwick, Margaret Counts, Juda Trunnel, Stella Adams, Ada Adams. Three of the graduates were from Latham. They are Edna and Ruetta Boyd and Oval Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. William George have arrived from Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. They report high prices all along the road, hay in some places being as high as \$40 a ton.

J. V. Johnson returned last week from Marshfield. Mrs. Johnson was unable to return with him on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Andrew Masters, formerly Miss Anna Anderson.

Mrs. Harry Munniksma visited with Mrs. Randolph Monday afternoon.

"Uncle" Burne Veatch underwent an operation at the Cottage Grove hospital this week and is recovering nicely.

Chris Hostettler, of Saginaw, returned home from Eugene yesterday. He had been receiving treatment for his eyes.

Mrs. George Kebbelbeck, who underwent an operation at the Cottage Grove hospital two weeks ago, returned home this week.

TWENTY-NINE ARE GRADUATES FROM HIGH SCHOOL

Dean Morton Delivers Inspiring Address Upon Educational Preparedness

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duced by Superintendent Beattie and made a stirring address upon "Educational Preparedness." Using the European war and military terms to point his similes, Dr. Morton made a strong appeal for a broader and more practical preparation along educational lines to equip young people for the civic and economic, and if necessary military, battles which they will encounter. His speech was progressive and inspirational and made a profound impression upon his hearers.

Mrs. Short, Miss Smith, Mrs. Cruson and Miss Wilcox sang "Little Gray Home in the West" in a manner which elicited much applause.

Superintendent Beattie, in presenting the diplomas to the members of the class, made a brief but impressive address. A diploma, he said, was in no sense a passport; that at most it was merely a writing to the effect that the holder had overcome the obstacles of a prescribed course of study. He said that the graduates would now enter upon new fields, to be confronted by new obstacles and new problems, and that not the diploma itself, but the training necessary to obtain it, would be their best equipment for the successful subjugation of new obstacles.

Superintendent Beattie also presented a scholarship from the conference colleges to Miss Genevieve Jury. This scholarship is annually awarded to one of the best pupils, and consists of one year's tuition in any one of the colleges in the conference are Reed, Pacific, Albany, Philomath and McMinnville, and Pacific University.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Callison, of the Christian church. The platform was artistically decorated in the class colors and the class numerals were suspended above.

At the alumni banquet held in Moose hall Saturday evening the following much-appreciated program was rendered:

Piano duet—Miss Ada Matthews and Miss Mae Armstrong.
Vocal solo—Miss Orpha Stevens.
Reading—Miss Eunice VanDenBurg.
Quartet—Mrs. Litch, Mrs. Heager, Miss Mae Armstrong, Miss Carrie Woods.
Vocal solo—Miss Jessie McCord.
Piano solo—Miss Ada Matthews.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Litch.
Quartet—Mrs. Cruson, Mrs. Short, Miss Wilcox, Miss Jessie Smith.
Presentation of class of '17—Superintendent Beattie.

Welcome to class—Ernest Wyatt.

Following the program a brief business session was held at which the following officers were elected: Miss Elsie Lea, president; Miss Blanche Groom, vice president; Miss Sadie Cox, secretary and Rupert Coffman, treasurer.

A number of amusing and interesting "stunts" were put on by members of the various classes, refreshments were served and the evening was a delightful social success.

TALES OF THE TOWN

Mrs. Matilda Applegate was up from Drain this week looking after her hotel property.

A. J. Armstrong motored to Eugene and Springfield Tuesday morning with Martin Anderson, who went to Wendling. Mr. Armstrong returned with his niece, Miss Harriet Vilas, who taught in Springfield this last winter.

E. C. Lilly, of Redding, Calif., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Harry Metcalf.

E. J. Rochold and family, of Fort Collins, Colo., have moved into the house owned by Mrs. Atkinson on J street.

Miss Mabel Hanna, of Portland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. E. McKinney.

Miss Pearl Whiteley came up from Springfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams, who had been conducting revival meetings at London, returned Monday to their home at Molalla.

B. B. Parmenter, of Saginaw, came to Cottage Grove Monday to vote. He is 87 years old and hale and hearty.

Miss Dorothy Lebow went to Portland Monday and will remain to attend the rose festival.

Ben Curry, Walter Cochran and Ed. Jenks were in from Black Butte Monday.

Ellen Jones returned Sunday evening from a visit with her two daughters at Grants Pass.

Kenneth De Lassus is spending a few days in Springfield with his mother, Mrs. Riley Snodgrass, before leaving for California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Grable left Monday in their automobile for a trip through Oregon and California and as far south as Mexico.

H. T. Warner, brother of Mrs. J. B. Lewis, was visiting in town over Sunday. He left for his home in Portland Monday.

Mrs. K. E. Hanna, sister of Mrs. W. G. Beattie, spent the week end here, returning Monday to her home at Canby.

DELIGHT VALLEY.

(Special to The Sentinel.)
June 6.—Miss Bertha Neat, of Saginaw, was a guest of Miss Ruby Keene one night last week.

The Misses Thelma and Martha Wilkinson and Juanita Short and Virgil Powell were guests at the Chas. Wilkinson home Saturday.

Alfred Bush, of Creswell, spent the week end at the W. A. Wither home. A number from here attended the

WAS PIONEER OF THE WEST OF EARLY 50'S

William Stange Wilson Was One of the Few Survivors of the Mexican War

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The Boise Statesman has the following to say concerning William S. Wilson, a pioneer of the Cottage Grove country, who recently died in Idaho:

One of the oldest pioneers in this section of the country and one of the few survivors of the Mexican war, William Stange Wilson, passed away last week, at the ripe old age of 95 years.

Mr. Wilson's mind was clear up to the last and his illness lasted only three days. He was out in the street on Sunday and he died Tuesday night. No one man of the west had a more varied experience in his life than Mr. Wilson. He was born in Logan county, Ohio, December 30, 1821. In early childhood he moved with his family to what is known as Black Swamps, Elkhart county, Indiana, where he lived until he was 28 years old, when he went to Joliet, Illinois, and engaged in the millwright trade. In '49 he married May Anne McNutt. He enlisted in a volunteer force for the Mexican war and was captured at Jefferson barracks on account of sickness. At this time he was told by the army physicians that he was suffering from a hopeless case of consumption.

In May, '52, he started with his wife and child across the plains to Oregon. Passing through the identical spot on which Boise is now located, Mr. Wilson's party met an emigrant train on the verge of starvation. Their supplies were completely gone, they had only rifles, and could not find any game. The Wilson party's supply was also low, but Mr. Wilson had a shotgun. With this he shot a sackful of jackrabbits, which furnished the principal food for the party for some days. The two parties kept together, sharing provisions, until a settler's store was reached.

He worked at his millwright trade and farming and stockraising until '55, when he served under Captain Nolan as a spy in the Rogue river Indian war. After the war he continued in the stock business, accumulating a fine herd of blooded cattle, but the hard winter of '61 and '62 left him without one of the entire herd.

Discouraged at this work he heard of the gold mines of Idaho and came into Boise basin between Christmas and New Year's of '62. In the spring of '63 he discovered valuable claims at Grimes' Pass, which he worked, carrying out about \$9000 the next fall from his claims.

The ensuing summer he went back to Oregon, where his wife died in July, '64. In 1865 he married Miss Nancy Johnston. In '74 he moved with his family to Lander county, Nevada, where he again engaged in stockraising and mining until 1892, when he moved with his sons to this section of Idaho. He made his permanent home with his son, J. F. Wilson, now of Nampa, but he spent some months from time to time at the Soldiers' home at Boise, enjoying reminiscences with the other old veterans. The last years of his life were entirely free from ill health or worry, and he occupied most of his time with religious work. He was united with the Church of the Brethren and the Apostolic faith.

Mr. Wilson had the distinction of having named a number of places. He named Grimes' pass, after Grimes, who met his death at the spot; Charlotte gulch he named after his sister-in-law, Charlotte McNutt; and Maysville, Nevada, after his youngest daughter, Wilson's creek, near Cottage Grove, Oregon, is named after him.

Mr. Wilson was the father of J. J. Wilson, of this city, and was well known to all the surviving pioneers. He worked as a millwright here and erected the first flour mill on Row river, owned by Squire Vought, who but recently passed away in his ninety-fourth year.

commencement exercises at the high school at Walker Friday evening.

Jess Tucker and Delbert Bennett, of Wendling, were here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Leota Case arrived Saturday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wither.

Mr. Raser, of Eugene, called at the Cornutt home Sunday.

J. A. Joll and son Frank made a business trip to Creswell Tuesday.

Mr. Rose and Baxter Young, of Springfield, were over-night guests at the Joll home Tuesday.

Charlie Conner is recovering from a severe attack of the measles.

Mrs. Wither and Mrs. Wilkinson were hostesses to the G. T. X club Wednesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments of jello, cake, pickles and coffee were served.

A picnic party consisting of the Nixon, Nichols, Shattock, Safley, Kayser, Hopper and Horn families from here, the Clyde Wright family and Mrs. Miller, of Walker, and the Heine family, of Silk Creek, motored up to the fish hatchery on the McKenzie Sunday and spent the day.

Chas. Wilkinson had the misfortune to lose 100 little chicks Saturday. They crowded together in the brooder and were smothered.

Alfred Bush, Jess Tucker, Miss Myrtle Wither and Miss Bessie Nichols motored to Eugene and back Sunday evening.

Miss Marjorie Vaughn, of Saginaw, was a Sunday guest of Miss Ruby Keene.

Mrs. C. H. Haight and two of the children are sick with measles.

Word has reached here of the birth of a son on May 31 to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wither, of Portland. The baby has been named Melvin Ansel.

Mrs. Geo. H. Baxter and children, of Creswell, attended several sessions of chautauqua here this week.

The child that was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Freeman May 30, died June 3.

CHAUTAQUA FANS HAVING TIME OF LIVES

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The Royal Venetian band, appearing in the prelude yesterday afternoon and giving a full evening concert, fully equaled any musical aggregation that has appeared at any chautauqua session here and delighted the many music lovers of the city, as did also Miss Mary Adel Hays, the prima donna soprano accompanying the band, who sang with a warmth and power that delighted Cottage Grove vocalists and lovers of vocal music, among whom she was voted the best vocalist ever appearing here.

The work of the band would have been appreciated more had there been a liberal application of the soft pedal, especially in the accompaniments for Miss Hays. A considerable portion of their program was marred by its general trend toward fortissimo.

Mrs. Wiswell Wilson, in "The Adventure of Being Human," complimented Cottage Grove upon the start it had already made in that direction and gave many other good suggestions. She spoke of the importance of regular gathering together of the family in the home, the important work of mothers and fathers, putting the latter on an equal basis with the former, paid her compliments to the passive citizen who makes his living in a community, profits its through the efforts of others, but who never furnishes a hand himself to do anything to help the community that does so much for him. She advocated the joining of members of a community into one great family, with common meetings and common discussions of matters of local interest, common recreation, all pushing and pulling for the common good of a common community. She is intensely human herself and rightly termed "The Community Engineer."

The program for today and tomorrow is as follows:

THURSDAY
Afternoon prelude—The Wasser company.
Lecture, "Misunderstood Mexico"—W. L. Mellinger.
Evening entertainment—The Wasser company.

FRIDAY
Afternoon—"Stories of the South"—Wood Briggs.
Paganini, "Making Americans"—Junior Chautauquans and "Miss Columbia."
Evening, Closing entertainment—An Evening in the Alps—Graum' Alpine Yodlers.
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