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INTERESTING STUDENT PERSONAL ITEMS

Weekly Reports From the Various College Fraternal Societies.

Miss May Goode has returned for Commencement week. Miss Goode has been teaching in Gresham the past year—Her home is in Portland.

Miss Ethel Gross who has been teaching in Seaside, Oregon, the past year has returned for Commencement. Miss Gross was a member of the class of '08.

Miss May Murdock returned from Seaside the first of the week. Miss Murdock has had intermediate position in that place during the past winter.

George Murdock has finished his school in Grass Valley, Oregon. Mr. Murdock has not been teaching all winter but has just filled a vacancy for the past two months.

The program given by the first four grades of the Training Department on last Saturday evening was very successful. There was a good attendance thus a neat sum was netted for the purchase of books next year.

Tomorrow night the advanced classes in the T. D. will give a cantata entitled "Golden Hair and the Three Bears. The pupils are working hard to perfect their parts and deserve to have a good audience, which is assured. They will have in leading role—Miss Lora Craven as Queen, Carl Gardner as Bard, and Elbert Arant as Big Bruin—All students in the Normal.

The following is the calendar of events for Commencement week—Sunday, June 13, Sermon to Graduates—Rev. H. L. Nave, D. D.

Monday June 14.

10:00 a. m. Closing Semester Assembly.

12:00 Presidents Breakfast to Seniors.

2:30 p. m. Athletic Field Day

8:15 p. m. Joint Session Literary Societies.

Tuesday June 15.

10:00 a. m.—Tennis Tournament

2:00 p. m.—Class Day Program

4:00 p. m. Faculty Reception

8:15 p. m.—Commencement Concert Mr. LeRoy Gesner, violinist; Mrs. May Bowden-Babbitt, Pianist

Wednesday, June 16

10:00 a. m. Graduation exercises

Dr. J. R. Wetherbee speaker

2:00 p. m. Alumni Business Meeting

3:30 p. m. Basketball Game

8:15 p. m. Alumni Public Program

10:00 p. m. Alumni Annual Banquet.

Monmouth Heights.

D. Harrington is digging a well.

John Yeater visited with Geo. Sullivan Sunday.

Ina Fishback spent Sunday with

Blanche McKinney, of Dallas.

H. C. Chamberlin, the Monmouth butcher, was in these parts Monday.

Mrs. Sliger, of Rickreall, visited with A. J. Shipley and family Monday.

Several from here attended the Whiston and Longman meeting at Dallas Sunday.

Otis Wolverton and T. A. Riggs of Monmouth, were seen in our midst last Tuesday.

Orville Sevier, of Eugene, is visiting with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sevier.

George Bingman, of the Luckiamute, passed through here enroute to Monmouth Tuesday.

Jesse Johnson, who has been working near Independence, returned home on a visit Saturday.

John Sumpter and family, of near Falls City, visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Swearingen Sunday.

Missee Whitehouse and Ruby Shearer, teachers of the O. S. N. S., were in this vicinity Friday taking a panorama of the Heights and the surrounding country.

Falls City

Mr. Hayden made a business trip to Dallas Wednesday.

F. Gilliam, of Dallas, was a business visitor here last week.

Mrs. William Ellis spent Sunday with her mother in Dallas.

Mrs. Vassal went to Portland Saturday to take in the Carnival.

Mrs. Murtin Ellis left for Portland Thursday to take in the Rose Carnival.

Charley Hopkins came over Sunday from Dallas on a visit with friends.

J. E. Augustine and Luis Young of Portland, visited at the home of Wm. Hinshaw Sunday.

J. L. Tate, from Willamina, was here last week; he is well pleased with his new home.

Mr. Williams, of Dallas, has come to take Mr. Singleton's place in the depot for a few days.

W. J. Southwell went to Dallas Saturday to bring up a new boiler for the Gerlinger mill.

W. L. Tooze and wife returned Wednesday from a business trip to Portland and Vancouver.

Orin McGinnis, who resides at Black Rock, was taken to Dallas Wednesday for medical treatment.

Henry Ebbert and wife, from near Dallas, visited at the home of E. A. LaDow and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Chopin, who was called to McMinnville last week on account of sickness, returned home Saturday.

Miss Maloy left for Seattle last week to visit the fair, after which she will return to her home in Michigan.

C. H. Trask, from Portland, was here last week and reports his daughter much improved since moving to that city.

Mrs. McSherry, who has been sick for the last two weeks, as a result of having her teeth extracted, is slowly improving.

Mrs. E. L. Ebbert, from Monmouth, visited her sister Mrs. E. A. LaDow, Tuesday. This was her first visit here and she was much pleased with our town.

INDEPENDENCE NEWS BUDGET

From Our Regular Correspondent.

DAILY HAPPENINGS IN OUR SISTER CITY.

Scan This Column For News of Importance From the Riverside.

Mrs. A. Moore spent Monday in Salem.

Miss Pearl Percival came from Portland Sunday.

Mrs. T. House was a passenger to Corvallis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mott were Salem visitors Tuesday.

S. D. Cooper made a business trip to Portland Wednesday.

Mr. Kaltz, the piano tuner, was in town the first of the week.

Jim Thurston and wife, of Suver, were in this city Wednesday.

I. Claggett returned Sunday from a business trip to Portland.

Last Friday M. Merwin returned from a business trip to Corvallis.

Ed Lawrence, of Albany, spent Sunday with his parents near this city.

Mrs. J. H. Ellison left Sunday to spend a few weeks at Hood River.

C. C. Long and wife left Wednesday for Portland to attend the Rose Festival.

Mrs. H. Mattison, who has been very ill for several weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. L. Damon left Wednesday morning for Portland to attend the Rose Festival.

Miss Dorothy Cooper returned Sunday from a weeks visit with friends in Eugene.

Mrs. Jesse Whiteaker, Mrs. Ed Owen and Nola Owen were Salem visitors Wednesday.

W. H. Walker and wife went to Portland Wednesday to spend a few days in that city.

West Perry, of Salem, attended the dance Saturday night and also spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Claud Skinner and little children spent Sunday with Mrs. Lark Hall at Monmouth.

W. H. Riggs, the painter, returned the first of the week from a few days visit in Portland.

Mrs. John Bohannon spent last Sunday with her daughter Bertha who is working at Corvallis.

Grant McLaughlin, of Corvallis, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Independence.

Miss Babe Owen returned Monday from a weeks visit with relatives and friends in Portland.

Mrs. S. Walker returned Sunday evening from Dallas where she visited relatives for a few days.

George Murdock, formerly the principal of the public school, was visiting here and Monmouth last week.

Mrs. Chas. Shennelfield went to Portland Tuesday to visit relatives there and attend the Rose Festival.

Wm. Edgar, A. Whitney, Claud Skinner and Edd Hillard returned Sunday from a fishing trip near Scio.

Roscoe Staats and wife of Pendleton, formerly of this city, are visiting relatives here and Airlie this week.

Mrs. Gus Sperling and little daughter left Sunday for Portland, after a weeks visit with relatives here and Airlie.

Ben W. Olcott, Percy V. Cotter J. R. Lehman and R. Catlin, some hop speculators, of Salem, were in this city Tuesday evening.

Fred Parker, of Sacramento, California, formerly of this city, was here the first of the week. Mr. Parker is a mining man now.

Mrs. Loren Wann, of Roseau-eult, Wash., came the first of the week to make a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Dr. Duganne, Grover Mattison and Sam Irvine started Tuesday evening for Portland by the way of Salem and will attend the Rose Festival in that city.

F. W. Treanor, the former proprietor of the Little Palace Hotel sold his home in this city to Mr. Addison, of Ashland Oregon, who has taken possession.

Leora Shank, sister of Mrs. F. L. Hooper, returned Sunday evening from Silverton, where she has been head trimmer in a Millinery store in that city.

Mrs. W. O. Cook returned Monday to her home in Eugene, after a weeks visit with relatives here and Monmouth. She was accompanied by her two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Treanor left Monday for a trip in the east, first going to Duluth, Minnesota, thence to Iowa. They expect to be away about six weeks.

E. W. Cooper and wife came down Monday to attend the Reunion at J. S. Cooper's, returning Tuesday. Mr. Cooper is the fruit inspector of Linn county.

A very interesting game of base ball was played here Sunday between Portland and Independence. The score was 13 to 10 in favor of Independence.

Rev. H. Chas. Dunsmore was a passenger Monday for Portland where he will attend the organization of the "Presbyterian Brotherhood" and also enjoy the Rose Festival.

Miss Gena Wilcox left Sunday for Portland to attend the Rose Carnival and from there she will go to Eugene to attend the commencement exercises and visit her sister Cecil, who is attending the University of Oregon.

C. L. Fitchard and family, accompanied by Mrs. M. E. Chapel started Monday afternoon in their touring car for Portland where they will enjoy motoring about the city for two or three days, then go to Seattle and visit the A. Y. P. Exposition. They will be absent about ten days and will make the entire trip by automobile.

Last Thursday, June 3, Mrs. Jessie Cromwell entertained a few friends at the home of Mrs. Merwin in honor of her sister, Miss Mollie Campbell, of Salem. "500" was the principal amusement, after which refreshments were served. The following guests were invited: Miss Ethel Whiteaker, Miss Bessie Butler, Mrs. M. Mervin and Mrs. Jessie Cromwell.

Monday June 7 the seven Cooper brothers held their annual reunion at the home of J. S. Cooper. They were all present except one. W. H. Cooper, of Stayton, celebrated his 75th birthday at this date. They are: W. H. Cooper, D. J. Cooper, J. S. Cooper, J. C. Cooper, R. D. Cooper, J. E. Cooper and E. W. Cooper. After a big dinner being served the brothers returned to their several homes.

A PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT

Last Friday Evening at the Normal Chapel.

ANOTHER COMING MONMOUTH MUSICIAN

Mr. Burton Arant Gives Splendid Performance Before Delighted Audience.

The many friends of Mr. Burton Arant who attended his piano recital last Friday evening were very much pleased with the marked proficiency which he displayed in the rendition of his difficult program. Not the least remarkable feature was the fact that his memory proved faultless. It is not a small achievement to commit the selections of the masters he presented.

His manner was modest and dignified, but he showed complete confidence and carried his hearers with him. His program made heavy demands upon his technique, which however proved equal to the occasion.

Mr. Arant has not studied long but he has made excellent use of his time. His success should prove an inspiration to other aspiring pupils. His capable teacher, Mrs. May Bowden-Babbitt, is to be congratulated on the promise of a successful career for her gifted pupil.

The Ladies' Trio, who assisted, sang Schubert's serenade beautifully. The audience demanded an encore, but were obliged to be content with a graceful bow.

The full program was as follows:

Beethoven Sonata Pathetique
Rubenstein (a) Melody in F.
(b) Staccato Etude
Schubert-Taussig Marche Militaire
Schubert Serenade Misses Fugate, Craven and McReynolds
Chopin Polonaise Ab Op. 53
Wagner-Liszt (a) Evening Star from Tannhauser
(b) March, from Tannhauser

In Memoriam

March Violet, daughter of Oscar and Abbie E. Brewster was born at Mabel, Lane county, Oregon, March 19, 1888. She fell asleep in Jesus June 7, 1909, aged 21 years 2 months and 27 days.

March became obedient to the Gospel about four years ago and lived a consistent Christian till the time of her death. Here was indeed a beautiful character. Helpful, patient and loving, she was a blessing to the community in which she lived, loved and respected by all who knew her.

Her life was full of devotion to her loved ones and an abiding faith in God, which remained unshaken to the end enabling her to say, "I have not a doubt nor a fear for the future, though I would desire to live longer for mother's sake."

The funeral services were conducted at the home, by W. A. Wood on Monday evening. The remains were taken to Eugene on Tuesday for interment.

"They're gathering homeward from every land
One by one—one by one;
Their feet are now pressing the shining strand,
Yes, one by one.
Their travel-stained garments are all laid down,
Their brows are adorned with a living crown;
And clothed in white raiment they rest on the shore
Of the river of life forevermore."