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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION EXERCISES

Nine Seniors Complete Four-Year Course With Honors

The Methodist church was again filled to overflowing on last Thursday evening to witness one of the prettiest graduating exercises ever held in our city, and the presentation of the diplomas to the nine members of the senior class of the Halsey High School. The church was artistically decorated in the class colors, green and white, which formed a beautiful setting for the dainty frocks of the graduates. The class motto, "Not Evening but Dawn," in green and white lettering formed a part of the decoration while white roses were used in great profusion.

Following the opening song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic," Rev. Cook gave the invocation. This was followed by a vocal solo, "Fiddle and I," by Miss Alberta Koontz, accompanied by Miss Donna Robertson, piano, and Miss Elma Lutgen, of Eugene, violin obligato.

Prof. Patterson in a brief talk announced that for the four-year course Miss Bertha Walker had received the highest average, graduating with excess credits. Also that Miss Nora Pehrsson graduated with excess credits, having the highest number in the class. Miss Donna Robertson and Mr. Erceel Sneed finished the course with honor in three years. Dean Straub, of the University of Oregon, gave a most interesting address. His subject, "The Human Tragedy," brought out most clearly the suicide of inefficiency.

Another violin solo by Miss Elma Lutgen, accompanied on the piano by her little sister was then enjoyed. Selection, "A Perfect Day," was graciously responded with encore.

The diplomas were presented by Rev. Cook, pastor of the Methodist church, who made fitting and inspiring remarks to the young people. Three eighth grade graduates also received diplomas at this time.

Another violin solo by Miss Lutgen and the singing of "America," by all, concluded the programme.

Following appears the names of the graduates: Misses Bertha Walker, Nora Pehrsson, Helen Armstrong, Donna Robertson and Messrs. Louis Skirvin, Wm. Corcoran, Erceel Sneed, Lawrence Taylor and Lawrence Wells.

The under graduates took charge of the floral offerings which were many and beautiful.

Eighth grade students to receive diplomas were: Truman Robnett, Lila Dudley and Fay Dykstra. Reulah McKern was also entitled to a diploma but was unable to be present.

Mrs. D. Taylor and son Lawrence, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Sherling attended the strawberry carnival at Lebanon Saturday.

The Lake Creek Jersey Calf Club, consisting of Ralph Gibson, Ralph McNeil, Earl Brock and Carl Williams, returned Sunday from Tillamook where they attended the Jersey Jubilee. They report a splendid time.

LINN COUNTY WINS POULTRY RECORD

Clarence Williams Conducts a Successful Demonstration Farm

Clarence Williams, one of the industrious poultry raisers of the Lake Creek section, west of Halsey, holds the highest individual flock record for April, according to the Linn County Farm Bureau News, when his 510 S. C. White Leghorns laid a total of 12001 eggs with an average of 28.53 eggs per hen.

Mr. Williams, who is conducting a demonstration farm for the O. A. C., has an ideal location, devoting about four acres to his flock. He has seven chicken houses in all, one large two-story one built after the approved Petaluma plan. The incubator house is equipped with eleven incubators with a hatching capacity of 3800.

Since November first Mr. Williams has received \$1465 for chicks and eggs with a profit of \$919. He now has on hands 530 laying hens and 600 young cockerels. The latter will soon be ready for market.

Prof. H. E. Crosby of O. A. C. will in the near future hold another demonstration at the Williams farm which will be well worth your while to attend.

Geo. Githens was an Albany visitor Friday of last week.

School Notes

The student body held their last meeting of the year last Friday and elected officers for the ensuing year. They are as follows: President, Alberta Koontz; Vice President, Louise Robnett; Secretary, Minnie Gourley; Treasurer, Anna Hiendrich; Sergeant-at-arms, Willis Kirk; Reporter, Janet Boggs.

We, the students of the Halsey High School, wish to express the appreciation we have for the interest shown us by our teachers, Professors W. W. Patterson and Henry F. English. We wish them a very happy vacation, and would like to have them with us again next year.

Reporter,
Janet Boggs.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Bond, Mrs. M. C. Bond and Miss LaVelle Palmer, enjoyed the chicken dinner served by the members of the Farm Bureau at the Lake Creek Church Friday evening, after which they motored to Harrisburg.



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