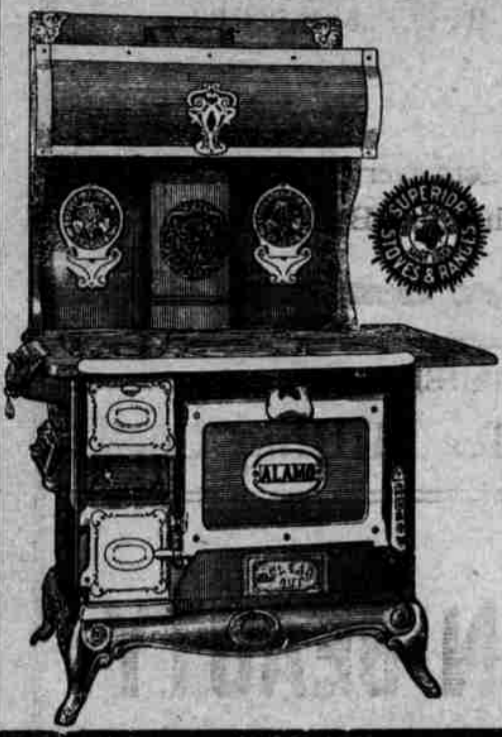


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Pendleton Day and Saturday Night Mardi Gras Are Big Events This Year.

All is in readiness for holding the fourteenth annual picnic of the Umatilla County Caledonian Society in this city next Friday and Saturday, May 22 and 23. The two main features of the picnic, Pendleton Day and the holding of a real Mardi Gras have been worked out in detail by those having them in charge, with the result that the Pendletonians are to be made glad that they came to spend a day with the Scotch laddies and lassies, while every one and his friend will miss nothing by being present and participating in the wind-up Saturday evening.

Special attention has been given the sports program and the committee promises entertainment and amusement in plenty. The spots and stunts will take place this year on Main street, many of which carry with them cash prizes, which aside from friendly rivalry, offers inducement for a large number of entries in the different events.

The sports include a horse team race between the Pendleton and Athena fire departments. Considerable interest centers in this race, for the reason that both departments have good horse teams and the result is looked forward to with interest.

Trotting and pacing races by fast horses are also on the program in addition to foot races by men and fat men, boys and girls, and free for all foot races, novelty races, etc. There will be an Indian village inhabited by Chief Minthorn and a tribe of real Indians, who will take part in parades, participate in war dance and do rough riding.

The music for the Mardi Gras Saturday night, will be furnished by the famous Bingville Band, and the evening gaily will be carried on through the brilliancy and glare of lights exceeding that of thousands of electric lights.

The program at the City Park each day promises to be more extensive and elaborate than any of recent years, and the annual Scotch concert at the opera house, Friday evening, the dance following, is sure to be well attended. The program, subject to change, follows:

Friday, 9:00 a. m.
Meet train with Athena Band and Citizens. Auto Parade.
9:50, Band Music on Main & 3rd. Parade to grounds.
10:00 sharp, at City Park, Music by Band.
Address of Welcome, Mayor Koonitz. Response, by Pres. Tallman of Commercial Ass'n. of Pendleton.
Bagpipes Selection, Major McDonald. Comic Song, Jock Coleman. Selection, Miss Lizzie Hoben. Solo, Mrs. Hinges; Mrs. Plamondon accompanist.
Ventriloquist, "10,000 Leagues Under the Sea," Julius Verne.
Dance, Misses Watson & Williamson, Messrs. McCormick & D'Arcy.

Friday Afternoon.
Band Music on street; Bagpipes.
1:30 at Park. Comic Selection. Duet, Misses Hoben. Annual Address, Hon. R. A. Booth. Sword Dance, Misses Winnie Watson and Tootsie Williamson.
Piano Solo, Miss Zola Keen. Selection, Major McDonald.
Vocal solo, Halle Parrish Hinges. Sailor's Hornpipe, by McCormick. Selection, Julius Verne.
Recitation, Miss Elsie Hoben. A Stunt, by Pioneer Scotchmen. "Worth Repeating," Jock Coleman. Impromptu Remarks, P. C. Crookatt.
4:00 p. m., Sports on Street.

Friday Night.
Concert at Opera House.
8:00 Band Music on Street.
Bagpipes Selection.
Highland Fling, Four Dancers. Comic Selection, Jock Coleman. Piano Solo, Miss Belle McIntyre. Selection, by Julius Verne.
Duet, J. N. Scott and Miss Merna DePaul.
Sword Dance, Misses Watson & Williamson.
Recitation, Miss Elsie Hoben. Selection, by "McDonald Twins." Solo, Mrs. Hinges; Mrs. Plamondon, accompanist.
Duet, Misses Hoben. Comic Stunt, Jock Coleman. "Auld Lang Syne," Mrs. Hinges, and Audience.
Dance After the Concert.

Saturday Forenoon.
9:30, Band Music on Street.
March to City Park, led by Bagpipes. Welcoming Address, Attorney Homer I. Walker.
Highland Fling, by Four Dancers. Comic Song, Julius Verne. Vocal Solo, Mrs. Hinges. Piano Duet, Mammie Sheard, and Zola Keen.
Recitation, Miss Babe Hoben. Special, (Harry Lauder,) Jock Coleman.

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Jock Coleman, Caledonian Picnic Entertainer

Sword Dance, Misses Watson and Williamson.
Recitation, Savannah Smith. Piano Solo, Miss Elizabeth Hoben. Sword Dance, by Frank D'Arcy. Bagpipe Selection, by Major McDonald.
Short Address, A. Mackenzie Meldrum. Sailors' Hornpipe, James McCormack. Saturday Afternoon.

1:30, Band Music on Street. March to City Park, led by Bagpipes. Sailors' Hornpipe, McCormack. Comic Song, Julius Verne. Piano Solo, Miss Mammie Sheard. Vocal solo, Mrs. Hinges. Coleman's Special, by Jock Himself. Recitation, "Raggedy Man," Jeanette Miller.
Highland Fling, by Four Dancers. Selection, Elizabeth Hoben. Bagpipe Selection, McDonald. Recitation, Miss Elsie Hoben. Sword Dance, Tootsie Williamson and Winnie Watson. "Talking Through His Hat," Julius Verne.

Vocal Solo (Love in Springtime) Mrs. R. G. Saling. Scotch "Recall," Another Highland Fling, Four Dancers. Musical Selection, Misses Saling of Pendleton. Selection, Jock Coleman. 3:30, Sports and Stunts on Street. Saturday Evening. 8:00, Band Concert. Mardi Gras on Main Street.

THE BANKS-ZERBA NUPTIALS

Popular Couple United in Marriage Sunday at Bride's Home.

Mr. E. M. Banks and Miss Nellie Zerba were united in marriage at the home of the bride, north of Athena, Sunday at one o'clock, p. m., by Rev. Gornall, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. The ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives of the bride and groom. Miss Lulu Banks, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid and Virgil Zerba, brother of the bride was best man.

A wedding dinner was enjoyed, after which the newly wedded pair came to Athena and took the evening train, amid showers of rice and good wishes, for Pendleton. That the wedding might continue the groom's best man, accompanied by a lady friend hid themselves to Pendleton in an automobile ahead of the train, and patiently awaited the arrival of the newlyweds at the station there, with a plentiful supply of rice. But the groom, resorting to strategy, outwitted the would-be rice-throwers, by phoning for a taxi to meet the train at the Court street crossing, and when the train pulled in to the station, bride and groom stood in a window at the Bowman hotel, enjoying the joke they had precipitated.

Mr. and Mrs. Banks will reside near Dayton, Washington, where Mr. Banks is employed on a large fruit ranch. He is the son of Mrs. S. A. Banks of Santa Rosa, California. His bride is a daughter of J. S. Zerba, and was raised in this vicinity, where she has many friends who offer congratulations and extend wishes for a happy, prosperous life.

Cold Wind Hurts Grain.
Cold winds of the past week have damaged grain, especially wheat, in this county according to reports of farmers, says the Pendleton Tribune. Some of the wheat growers say the effect to date means a yield of 20 per cent under that of last year. Wheat in the light soil is said to be burning now, but it is believed by many that a rainfall within the next few days will restore the crop to where it would equal that of last year.

MEXICAN REFUGEES AT WALLA WALLA

MAY LOSE THEIR POSSESSIONS BUT WILL GO BACK.

Colfax People Imprisoned By Federals for Safety, Stoned on Railway Train.

Seven American refugees, driven out of Mexico reached Walla Walla Wednesday night on their way to their old homes in Colfax where they will wait for the storm to blow over, when they will return to their holdings, says the Walla Walla Union. They were a part of a colony of 68 Americans owning land about 40 miles in an air line from Vera Cruz.

At work peacefully on their land—a perfect paradise, according to their description—having given a contract to have it cleared, just the night before, they were surprised the morning of April 25 by Mexican federal soldiers, who put them under arrest, loaded them onto a flat car and took them to Cordova, where they were thrown into prison. They remained four days and were then taken to Soledad where they were picked up by an English train and taken to the neutral zone. A walk of six miles brought them to the American outpost. This was the first they knew of the American occupation of Vera Cruz.

"It was like getting a letter from home to see the American soldiers," said A. E. Kirkland, one of the refugees. "Cans of water and tins of sardines they furnished us made a fine meal," Harold Kirkland declared reminiscently.

"The walk was a hard one," said Mrs. A. E. Kirkland. "One woman gave out and had to be carried. Old or women carried their little children until they were exhausted." Reaching Vera Cruz, the party was well taken care of by the United States, being sent to New Orleans on the Monterey and from there to their destinations. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shearer, their daughter, Melva and son Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kirkland and son Harold.

This party tells no tale of insults and mistreatment by the Mexicans except at Soledad where their train was stopped, the windows being broken and the party called dringoes and vile names by the Mexicans. At other places they were treated well. Federal soldiers, when they put them in the Cordova prison, stated it was to protect them from marauders and bandits. In this prison were 150 Americans from Mexico, none of whom had any grievance against the Mexicans.

School Children's Picnic.
The City Park was made lively Tuesday afternoon by the presence of the children from the third, fourth and fifth grades from the Athena Public school, chaperoned by Mrs. McPherson and Miss Doolittle, teachers of these grades. The children made most of the occasion of freedom and were regaled with light refreshments. Wednesday the eighth grade pupils, accompanied by Prof. Drew and Miss Woodruff, drove to the Umatilla river and enjoyed a glorious day's outing. The principal feature of this occasion was a splendid basket dinner, spread in true picnic fashion.

GRADUATING CLASS IN CHURCH TONIGHT

CLASS OF THREE WILL RECEIVE THEIR DIPLOMAS.

Baccalaureate Sermon Was Impressively Delivered Sunday by Rev. Gornall.

Tonight at the Christian church, at 8 o'clock, will occur the graduating exercises of the class of 1914 of the Athena High school. The young people who will receive their diplomas tonight, are: Miss Ruth Dickenson, Miss Grace Zerba and Mr. Blaine Hansell.

The class address will be made by A. Mackenzie Meldrum. The Baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Rev. R. E. Gornall at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning in a very impressive manner. Immediately following the exercises this evening, the girls of the High school will entertain the graduating class and a few invited friends at an informal luncheon.

The following program will be given at the graduating exercises tonight: Invocation, Rev. R. E. Gornall. Song, Primary grades. Salutatory, Blaine Hansell. Instrumental Music, Miss Myrtle Holmes. Oration, "Woman's Usefulness," Grace Zerba. Instrumental Music, Zola Keen. Valedictory, Ruth Dickenson. Class Address, A. M. Meldrum. Presentation of Diplomas, Principal E. W. Drew. Song, Primary grades. Benediction, Rev. Meldrum.

The Pioneers' Reunion.
On Friday and Saturday, June 5th and 6th, Weston will don her best bib and tucker to receive and entertain the big crowds which will congregate there on those days to attend the big annual event, the yearly meeting of the Umatilla County Pioneers. Everybody has a royal good time when he attends the Pioneers' Reunion at Weston, and there will be no exception to this general rule this year, for everything possible is being done, by the capable committees to make the coming picnic one of the best in the history of the association which stands sponsor for the success of these annual gatherings where old friends take a couple of days off to go and meet old friends. The program of entertainment this year has been specially prepared with the view of furnishing entertainment and amusement for all.

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