

Congratulations, Graduates

76 Seniors Graduating This Week

Seventy-six high school seniors in Morrow county don caps and gowns this week to graduate in commencement exercises being held in the three high schools.

Ione High's commencement exercises are Wednesday night, May 22, at 8 p.m. in the Ione School Gymnasium where 12 will receive diplomas. Kathy Keene is valedictorian and Janice Snider is salutatorian.

At Heppner High school the Class of 1968 has 41 on its roster. Commencement exercises for them will be in the Heppner High Gymnasium Thursday night, May 23, at 8 p.m. John Rawlins is valedictorian and Merri Lee Jacobs is salutatorian.

Twenty-three will receive diplomas at Riverside High school's commencement at the A. C. Houghton school cafeteria, Irrigon, on Friday night, May 24, also at 8 p.m. Linda Tatone is valedictorian and co-salutatorians are Betty Eppenbach and George Kenney.

Speaker at the Ione commencement is William F. Maddron, owner of Industrial Litho, Eugene, and author of the book, "Vacation Air Mexico." He has served as chairman of the State Board of Aeronautics and is a member of the Central Lane Planning Commission.

A former principal of Heppner High, Gordon R. Pratt, now of Monmouth, will return to address students at commencement here tonight (Thursday). Pratt is now principal of Central High school of Monmouth-Independence.

Speaker at Riverside High school's commencement is Jack Rye of Eastern Oregon College, La Grande.

Presenting the class at Ione High school is Harold Beggs, principal, and Dan McElligott, chairman of the Morrow county school board, awards the diplomas.

Remainder of the program includes the salutatory and valedictory addresses; a solo, "Clair de Lune," by Darrell James; a musical selection, "No Man is an Island," by The Choralettes; presentation of awards by Principal Beggs; pledge of allegiance to the flag, led by Willa Johnson, class vice president; invocation by Kerry Peterson, senior class president; and benediction by Chris Lovgren, student body president. Processional and recessional are played by Gene Rietmann.

Principal Richard Carpenter will present the class and awards at Heppner High school, and Jack Sumner, a director of the school board, will present diplomas. In addition to the address by the former principal, salutatory will be given by Miss

Jacobs and valedictory by Rawlins. The class will sing the musical selection, "Born Free." Invocation and benediction will be by Father Raymond Beard. The Heppner High and Junior High School Bands will play the processional and recessional.

Roy R. Kirk, Heppner High school teacher for many years and now living in Colorado, will be a special guest of honor at commencement by invitation of the class.

Speaking at the Riverside commencement in addition to the principal address by Rye will be the valedictorian, Miss Tatone, and the co-salutatorian, Miss Eppenbach and Kenney.

Principal Dan Daltoso will introduce the speaker, and Ralph Skoubo, a director of the Morrow county school board, will present diplomas. Mrs. Elizabeth Kuhn will be soloist. Invocation will be by Rev. George Neeley, Community Church, Boardman, and benediction will be by Rev. Herbert E. Vaughan, Community Baptist church, Irrigon.

Processional and recessional will be played by Mrs. Albert Partlow, organist, and Mrs. LaVern Partlow, pianist.

At Ione High the class motto of the Class of 1968 is "Our Future is born; we have yet but to live it." Class colors are blue and white, and class flowers are pink and white roses.

Heppner High's class motto is "Free to Follow our Hearts." Class colors are yellow and bronze, and the class flower is the gladiolus.

Riverside's 1968 seniors have as their motto, "The future is ours; we are the future." Class



GORDON R. PRATT
Commencement Speaker
Heppner High School



ROY R. KIRK
Commencement Guest of Honor
Heppner High School

All Ione Grads Plan for College

All 12 of the graduating seniors of Ione High school expect to go on to college, according to an article in The Cardinal of Thursday, May 16.

Seniors and colleges they expect to attend are: Oregon State University—Chuck Nelson and Kerry Peterson; Eastern Oregon College—Willa Johnson, Janet Palmateer and Janice Snider; Blue Mountain College—Chris Lovgren; Big Bend College—Neal Christopherson; Western Business University—Kathy Keene; Southern Oregon College—Tim Loyd; St. Louis University—Jim McElligott; Portland University—Maureen McElligott; and University of Oregon—Terrie O'Connor.

Colors are powder blue and white and class flower is the lilac.

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

IONE HIGH SCHOOL
Wednesday, May 22, 1968, 8:00 P.M.
Ione High Gymnasium

*PROCESSIONAL Mr. Gene Rietmann
*INVOCATION Kerry Peterson
*PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Willa Johnson
SALUTATORY ADDRESS Kathy Keene
"NO MAN IS AN ISLAND" Alex Kramer
The Choralettes
VALEDICTORY ADDRESS Kathy Keene
ADDRESS Mr. Bill Maddron
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS Mr. Harold Beggs
Principal, Ione Schools
"CLAIR DE LUNE" Mr. Darrell James
PRESENTATION OF CLASS Mr. Harold Beggs
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS Mr. Don McElligott
Chairman of Morrow County School Board
*BENEDICTION Chris Lovgren
Student Body President
*RECESSIONAL Mr. Gene Rietmann

*AUDIENCE WILL PLEASE STAND

HEPPNER HIGH SCHOOL
Thursday, May 23, 1968, 8:00 P.M.
Heppner High Gymnasium

*PROCESSIONAL Heppner High and Junior High School Band
*INVOCATION Father Raymond Beard
SALUTATORY Miss Merri Lee Jacobs
MUSICAL SELECTION Senior Class
"Born Free"
VALEDICTORY Mr. John Rawlins
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS Mr. Richard L. Carpenter
ADDRESS Mr. Gordon R. Pratt
PRESENTATION OF CLASS Mr. Robert Mather
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS Mr. Jack Sumner
*BENEDICTION Father Raymond Beard
*RECESSIONAL Heppner High and Junior High School Bands

*AUDIENCE PLEASE STAND

RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
Friday, May 24, 1968, 8:00 P.M.
A. C. Houghton Cafetorium

*PROCESSIONAL Mrs. Albert Partlow, Organist
Mrs. LaVern Partlow, Pianist
INVOCATION Rev. George Neeley
Community Church
Boardman, Oregon
SALUTATORIANS Miss Betty Eppenbach
Mr. George Kenney
Mrs. Elizabeth Kuhn
SONG Miss Linda Tatone
VALEDICTORIAN Mr. Dante Daltoso, Principal
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER Mr. Jack Rye
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS Mr. Ralph Skoubo
Member Morrow County School Board
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS Rev. Herbert E. Vaughan
Community Baptist Church
Irrigon, Oregon
*BENEDICTION Mrs. Albert Partlow, Organist
Mrs. LaVern Partlow, Pianist
*RECESSIONAL

*Audience will please stand during Processional and Recessional

Senior Plans Varied For Coming Year

FROM HEPPNER HIGH
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By SHERRI O'BRIEN

Members of the Class of '68 will be attending many different goals in life after graduation as they go their separate ways.

Sheila Luciani and Merri Lee Jacobs are among those entering Oregon State University. They will room together. Sheila plans to major in guidance and Merri Lee will major in pharmacy. Marsha Lovgren, after a summer of work at the new Heppner swimming pool, will major in Business Administration. Ruby Fullerton will attend the summer session as well as the regular school year at OSU.

JOHN RAWLINS plans to work for a B.S. degree, then possibly go into medicine at the University of Oregon Medical School at Portland. Dave Hall will be delayed for 10 months from entering OSU as he tours as a State FFA officer. Then he will study ag-engineering and go out for track. Steve Pettyjohn will work this summer and study engineering next fall.

Frances Abrams plans to attend either OSU or Washington State, where she will either major in chemical engineering or marine biochemistry. Nancy Doherty, Russell Kil-

Nancy, and Bob Dobbs have all chosen the University of Oregon to further their education. Bob plans to "work as little as possible this summer," then go into Secondary Education. Nancy will work this summer, which may cause her to learn to drive a wheat truck. In the fall she will head for Eugene. She says that she "will probably flunk out the first term," but I doubt if she will.

Russell will take a liberal arts course, then major in psychology.

EASTERN OREGON College at La Grande will call Earl Ayres, who will attend there a year, then transfer to OSU to major in forestry; Debbie Young and Christine Munkers, who plan to take secretarial science; and Bill McLeod.

Four students will enter Southern Oregon College at Ashland. Jim Sherman will major in music and minor in music education. After graduation he hopes to go into sound engineering. John Van Winkle will

take Business Administration and Bill Stockard, general courses. Paula Siewert will spend the summer visiting relatives, then go to Ashland. She will take a liberal arts course, planning later to transfer to the University of Oregon.

Frank Lovgren will study police science at Treasure Valley Community College.

BLUE MOUNTAIN Community College in Pendleton is the destiny of several members of the class. Three girls, Kathy Matthews, Vickie Robinson, and Mary Pierce will study dental assistance. Kathy may then take a secretarial course; Mary hopes to later become an airline hostess.

Alfred Drake will take a two-year Ag Technology course at BMCC, then transfer to OSU to study agriculture before returning to operate the family ranch. Linda Heath will also attend BMCC, taking a general business course.

Roger Britt, now working at a mill, will be busy this summer also redoing. He will attend BMCC next fall, as will Matt Hughes, who will study livestock production.

BONNIE KESSELL plans to go to the Oregon College of Education to study elementary education.

Susan Starks will attend Northwestern College of Business for one year, then hopes to be a secretary. She wants to travel.

Terry Corbin plans to go to Portland Community College and study either architectural drawing or police science.

Louella Roark will attend Portland State.

THE NAVY is the destination of Randy Stillman and Ivan Adlard. Mike Davidson will work at the mill. Alvin Vinson will "engage as a pioneer minister and work at a part-time secular job."

Norita Marquardt will finish the schooling she missed during her junior year, then she will either visit relatives or enter a school so she can take vocal lessons next spring.

Rita Pettyjohn will attend the Pendleton College of Beauty. Earl Struckmeier will attend Blue Mountain Community College where he will study Police Science.

Bob Van Winkle will work at the mill. Later he will join the service.



Good Wishes to Our Grads

JERRY'S SHELL SERVICE
HEPPNER

Today we've got a



MIND!

All we can think about are the Seniors. It's not hard to do... in scholastics... in sports... in civic and church work... they have long ago established a reputation for "can do!"

We extend to each of these fine young people our sincerest congratulations.

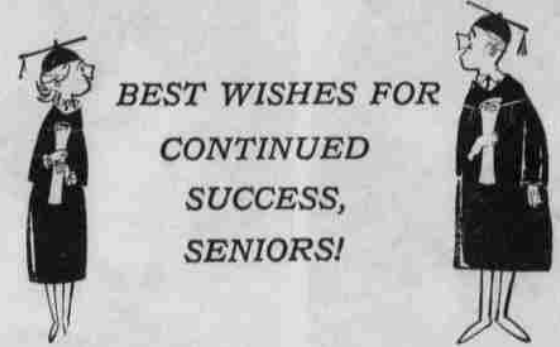
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