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Big Audience Hears Sermon to Graduates

A large and attentive audience listened to the baccalaureate sermon delivered Sunday evening by the Rev. H. V. Wilhelm to the 1927 graduating class.

Class night exercises will be held Wednesday evening and on Friday evening of this week the annual commencement program will be rendered.

Following is the list of graduates: Helen Althaus, Harry Bjur, Percy Carlson, Clinton Chalker, Dorothy Cooper, Daisy Daly, Lucille Dodson, Pauletta Dowsett, Melcher Duncan, Harold Dye, John Fleming, Marjorie Heacock, Rachel Headley, Fred Helber, Margaret Hemmers, Alta Hendricksen, Howard Hopper, Kenneth Horberg, Edith Johnson, Elsa Johnson, Helen Karlen, Ted Karlen, Alvin Kaser, Margaret Kidder, Dorothy Kidder, Mildred Kummel, David Lane, Evelyn Ledine, Harold Lewis, Alice Lind, Melvin Magnuson, Fred Marshal, James McAllister, Mary Miller, Edward Mink, Amy Noreen, John Ott, Marjorie Pullin, Guy Rusher, Helen Sandstrom, Roland Schedeen, Helen Schubert, Amy Sloop, Leola Smith, Frank Smith, Winston Strong, Charles Tallman, Harriett Wilcoxson, Edna Wood.

An enjoyable occasion was that of Friday evening, at the high school gymnasium when seniors, members of the faculty and school board members and their wives were hospitably entertained by the high school juniors at the annual junior-senior banquet.

Three Hurt in Auto Accident. According to a news item in this morning's Oregonian, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wentworth and their three-year-old daughter Lowena of Gresham were injured yesterday when their car was struck at East 20th and Burnside streets by an automobile driven by Stanley A. Starr, banker of Burlington, Washington, who later was arrested. The three were taken to St. Vincent's hospital where it was said Mrs. Wentworth suffered a possible hip fracture, Mr. Wentworth a severely injured right knee and a cut hand, and the girl a laceration over the right eye.

Fairview Grange Dedicates New Hall

The new Fairview grange hall, located at Third and Harrison streets, was formally dedicated Saturday evening by a fitting program attended by about 300 persons.

State Grange Master George Palmiter of Hood River spoke the words which declared Fairview grange hall opened as the meeting place of that organization.

Seated on the platform were visiting masters from the granges of the county with the exception of Lents. T. J. Kreuder, county grange deputy, was given an honorary seat and introduced to the audience.

Several fine musical numbers were given during the evening, the ones which received the preponderance of applause probably being those by the Miller & Tracey quartet from Portland.

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The new grange hall is 34 x 62 feet in size, of substantial wooden construction, with full basement with floors and wall of cement.

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DIXIE Flood Benefit Baseball Game

Floods have done untold damage in the Southland. Thousands look to us for help. A community benefit is planned for—

Wednesday Afternoon, May 18, 2 to 4

At Stapleton Athletic Field, Gresham Union Highschool

The Gresham business and professional men's team will cross bats with the Union high team. The game will be a humdinger. See it if you never saw one before. See it if you never expect to see another.

Business houses will close from 2 to 4.

The Gresham band will play.

LINE-UP OF TEAMS

GRESHAM BUSINESS MEN (who will form team)

Ralph Deaville (Piggly Wiggly store) Bark Laughlin (Brockway & Nelson) E. Hamlin (City Bakery) Bill Tuerk (Standard Oil Co.) Frank Hamlin (Gresham Garage) H. V. Wilhelm (M. E. Church) Oscar Stone (Ekstrom Truck) Harry Sufre (Stockton Bros.) Elvis Stockton (Stockton Bros.) Bill Kinder (O. A. C. Extension) Henry Lunday (Raker & Son) Leo Bailey (Raker & Son) Frank Gillette (J. E. Metzger) Ed. Metzger.

Any others wishing to play should report to Frank Hamlin.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM.

Pitcher.....Alvin Kaser Catcher.....George Okuda 1st base.....Clinton Chalker 2d base.....Ralph Shawver Short stop.....Vaughn McCann 3d base.....Mel Duncan Left field.....Harold Dye Center field.....Milton Satterstrom Right field.....Masaru Takao Subs—Arthur Suhr, Willard Bor-ing.

Don't ask what the admission is. Give enough to more than cover it

Gresham School Will Graduate 29

A class of 29 boys and girls will receive their eighth grade diplomas at the Gresham grade school Thursday evening in connection with a well-arranged program of musical numbers and an address by the Rev. H. V. Wilhelm, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, from the subject, "Dust or Divinity."

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DISTRICT TO HOLD SPECIAL ELECTION

A special election will be held in Cedar school district, No. 10, on Monday afternoon, at 12:30, to vote on the proposition of consolidating with Troutdale district.

Cedar school has had 31 pupils during the greater part of the past year, 16 of whom were Japanese.

An Opportunity-- A Responsibility

Gresham will aid the flood sufferers.

There have been and will be personal contributions. One couple of this community, out of not an overabundance, has contributed one hundred dollars. Others will give their fives and tens, or more. Some less. Everybody in this favored region should do something.

The American Red Cross, as at other times, rises to the occasion and becomes the great "mother" to help the unfortunate.

Other cities and communities are raising their contributions and showing their interest. Let us not fall in this crisis.

One way will be to patronize the benefit ball game tomorrow afternoon, 2 to 4, at the high school, between the pick-up town team of business men and the high school team.

"COME OUT AND SHELL OUT." A canvass of the business places of Gresham has been made and the expression is 100 per cent in favor of closing between the hours of 2 to 4 tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon so that proprietors and clerks can attend the benefit ball game.

This represents a fine and generous response on the part of business houses. Let all citizens show their appreciation by attending the game and trading before 2 and after 4 tomorrow.

The doctor and the lawyer will be there.

The dealer in the things to eat or wear; We'll "whoop it" for the team we want to win And every "mother's son" will generously chip in.

For lowest rates on automobile, truck and general insurance see B. W. Thorne.—Adv.

Mr. Pier Predicts Big Festival Crowd

Plans are going forward for the Rose Festival and pageant, "Rosaria," which will be held in Portland June 13 to 18, inclusive, and is certain the city will be crowded with visitors at that time, according to S. C. Pier, festival director in charge for outside participation.

Mr. Pier was in Gresham one day last week and reported enthusiastic support wherever he has been. He has visited many cities and towns of Oregon and some in Washington and has the promise that a large number will participate in parade, float or band or marching bodies.

PORTLAND JEWELER IS GIVEN PAROLE

Frederick L. Miller, Portland jeweler, has been granted a parole from his sentence of 15 months in the state penitentiary for involuntary manslaughter following the death of Mrs. Alma Hall, an aged woman who was fatally injured three years ago at Fairview by Miller's machine.

Since the fatal accident Miller has been unceasing in his efforts to defeat the findings of justice. Two trials were necessary to secure the conviction carrying with it the prison sentence. The conviction included the recommendation for a parole, but this was not granted. Miller then took the case to the United States supreme court, claiming a flaw in Oregon traffic laws, but this tribunal affirmed the decision of the lower court and denied the appeal.

Stem the tide of flood suffering by aiding the work of relief.

Picking Rates Set for Berry Season

Fixing of the rates for the berry picking season was an important matter attended to at the pre-harvest meeting of the Berry Growers association last Saturday night. The rates agreed upon were as follows: strawberries, 1 cent a pound with one-half cent bonus to those who work as long as they are needed; loganberries, half a cent a pound with one-fourth cent bonus; red raspberries, two and one-half cents with one-half cent bonus; blackberries, one cent, with half cent bonus.

L. W. Wells of Salem discussed the problem of the black cherry shipment and made a very liberal base offer for the crop of the berry growers, which was referred to the board of directors, who will consider it at their next meeting.

Miss Adela Ballard, representing the Council of Women for Home Missions, who is in charge of the activities of the organization on the Pacific coast, made a forceful talk on the question of promoting the care of the small children during the working hours of the berry picking mothers. It was decided that inasmuch as this was a work largely of philanthropy it would be best to leave the planning of the details with the mothers. To that end a meeting has been called for Friday afternoon, May 20, at the Gresham Methodist church, at 2 o'clock, when the problems of the arranging of the Kiddie Kamp will be considered.

S. B. Hall told of the damage done by the berry root weevil and the cherry fly maggot, and told the growers how to control these pests. He has circulars which will explain how to handle the situation. Station Circular No. 79 tells how to fight the root weevil and Circular No. 35 deals with the cherry fly control. These may be had on application. Mr. Hall advised the growers to supply themselves with the bug poison for the root weevil and the arsenate of lead and a spray gun and be ready for business.

A committee of 30, headed by S. B. Hall, was appointed as an advisory board to work with the board of directors in the event of any unusual conditions which might develop during the harvesting and marketing of this year's crop. They may be called upon to serve in any emergency. They are Mr. Hall, F. J. Kellar, Franz Mattson, Geo. W. Alexander, A. C. Arvidson, W. J. Bartlett, J. G. Chiodo, A. E. DeHaven, F. O. Ekstrom, A. L. Heacock, John Ickler, P. A. Johnson, W. R. Johnson, William Kneifel, Mrs. Anna Lehman, Mrs. Martin Lennartz, H. W. Lynch, G. Mayenchen, N. P. Nelson, O. E. Nichols, Mark Nickerson, Chas. Proebstel, Ray Reitsma, Emil Satterstrom, L. G. Seifer, Ola Tofta, H. H. Watkins, Oscar Wallin, H. F. Whilson, A. H. Wright.

The importance of the estimate of the berry crop tonnage to the cannery offices as a help to the sales department was urged upon the growers, many of whom have failed to do so.

The pre-harvest gathering was well attended, there being 250 persons present. It was considered a most helpful meeting.

Sweet Peas and Roses

For the Sweet Girl Graduate.

Plants of all kinds

For Gardens, Porchboxes and Hanging Baskets.

Flowers for all occasions

Gresham Greenhouses

Hogan Road Phone 306

Fair Board Adjusts Financial Obligations

At the fair board meeting held last night in the city hall a resolution was passed authorizing the president and secretary to sign a note for \$32,000, the money to be used to pay off various items of indebtedness, all but two or three thousand dollars to be used to pay off obligations on real estate.

The fair association has been given a new deed by Mrs. Laura Townsend, through her attorney W. D. Freeman, for the purpose of correcting certain defects in former descriptions and covers all the tracts recently contracted for from the Smith heirs and the original tract bought by the city of Gresham of Norman Smith and later sold to the fair association.

Included in this deed is the tract of about six acres which has been platted as Westfair addition. Mrs. Townsend has included in this addition about five acres of her own property, making altogether nearly 11 acres, platted into around 100 lots. This is a choice, slightly location. Two streets are opened through the tract running north and south giving outlets to First street and Division street.

The contract with Davis & Steel, successful bidders for the new club building, were signed and the work will start at once, to be finished for this year's fair. W. W. Lucius is the architect.

Much work has been done leveling the grounds which have now been seeded to grass. Other improvements to grounds and buildings are under way or soon to be begun.

Mrs. Grace Exley has been appointed assistant to Secretary A. W. Metzger and has entered upon her duties, occupying the office on the fair grounds where every matter possible pertaining to the fair will be handled.

Sooner or later we shall not only recognize the cultural value of music, we shall also begin to understand that, after the beginnings of reading, writing, arithmetic and geometry, music has greater practical value than any other subject taught in the schools.—Philander P. Claxton.

Window Cleaning. For expert window cleaning see S. Tajima, or leave orders with J. Ross Brown, Gresham, phone 2501.

Coming Events

Tuesday, May 17—Jud Pullen meets Bobbie Vernon, 4 round prelim., 150 pounds. Portland armory.

May 17—Operetta, "Aunt Drusilla's Garden", Fairview grade school

May 18—Multnomah County Pomona Grange at Fairview.

Wednesday Evening, May 18—Class night exercises, high school.

May 19—Graduation exercises, Fairview grade school.

Thursday Evening, May 19—Eighth grade graduating exercises at Gresham grade school.

Thursday Evening, May 19—O. A. C. alumni party at S. B. Hall residence.

Friday Evening, May 20—Commencement exercises, high school.

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Saturday Evening, May 21—County clubs' essay contest at Gresham library.

Saturday, May 21—County boys' and girls' club picnic at Laurelhurst park.

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Friday Evening, May 27—Music recital of Mrs. Robert Blair's pupils at studio of Miss Florence Honey.

Saturday, June 4—Joint picnic of Cottrell and Lusted districts to be held on Cottrell school grounds.

June 13 to 18—Portland Rose Festival week.

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