

PROGRAM DRAWN FOR GRADUATION OF 8TH GRADERS

The 20th annual Jackson county School day will be held at the Junior high school in Ashland Thursday when diplomas will be presented to 300 eighth grade graduates from all schools in the county outside of Medford and Ashland, by County Superintendent C. R. Bowman.

The main address will be given by Dean J. R. Jewell of the Oregon state system of higher education.

The program will be as follows:

- March, "The Graduate".....Lawrence
- Rogue River H. S. Orchestra
- Edward C. Root, director
- Invocation, Rev. J. T. Turnbull, First Baptist church, Ashland.
- Address of Welcome, Theo J. Norby, superintendent of schools, Ashland, Ore.
- Overture, "The Escape".....Mozart
- The Orchestra
- Address, "The Elements of Success," Dean J. R. Jewell Oregon state system of higher education.
- Reverie, "By the Fireside".....Norman
- The Orchestra
- Presentation of Diplomas, Jackson county school superintendent.
- March, "Flying Colonel".....Lawrence
- The Orchestra
- Benediction, Rev. Geo. W. Bruce, First Methodist church, Ashland.

GRAND JURY HAS BRIEF SESSION

The Jackson county grand jury, drawn yesterday, recessed subject to further call, after a short session. No criminal cases were presented but inquiry was made into recent fatal auto accidents and the deaths of Vern Dollarhide near Ashland and Mrs. Ira May Lee-Clair of the Gold Hill district. In both cases death was accidental, all the evidence shows, District Attorney George W. Neilson said.

It is anticipated the grand jury at its next session will file a report dealing with speeding and reckless driving on the highways and streets of the county. The district attorney reported the lack of criminal matters for presentation to the grand jury was the first time in many years.

MARTIN L. PORTER PASSES, AGED 61

Martin Lee Porter, 61, of South Columbus avenue, passed away at a local hospital Monday evening.

He was born in Missouri, Oct. 18, 1879. In 1914 he came to Medford from Colorado. In 1915 he was united in marriage to Mary Jane Robinson, who survives. He also leaves one daughter, Ruby May, living at home, and four sisters, Mrs. Molly Smith, Oklahoma; Mrs. Jessie Race, Pendleton; Mrs. Bertha Miller, Colorado, and Mrs. Frances Brainard, Napa, Idaho. He had been a member of the Christian church for many years and was a member of the Medford IOOF lodge.

Services will be held in Conger funeral parlors Thursday at

Confesses Triple Slaying



State Police Sergeant C. W. Blue (seated) said that Thomas Dewey Cameron, (left) 18, confessed to him that he entered a store postoffice at Huntley, Va., bent on robbery, and slew Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson and their 15-year-old daughter, Ethel. Standing is state trooper D. H. Mason.

2:30 p. m. with the Rev. R. W. Coleman officiating, with I.O.O.F. services at the graveside in the I.O.O.F. cemetery. We loved him? Yes! No tongue can tell how much we loved him or how well God Loved him too—And He thought best To take him home—to be at rest.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Michael of Trail, a boy weighing nine pounds and three ounces in Community hospital May 25.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gunter, route 1, box 42, Medford, a girl weighing six pounds and six ounces in Community hospital May 24.

CIO WILL DEFY EDICT AGAINST RECRUITING AT BOEING FACTORY

Seattle, May 27.—(P)—Gates of the main Boeing Aircraft company loomed today as a potential trouble scene in the CIO's determined drive to lure the workmen away from the AFL's Aeronautical Mechanics' union.

In defiance of an edict of the mayor and police chief, spokesmen for the United Auto Workers' union said a large CIO force would accompany leaflet distributors to the plant at the change of shifts in late afternoon.

Harvey Jackins, acting leader of the CIO group, said a force of 2,000 CIO men would be mobilized outside the Boeing gates.

Jackins was one of the numerous members of the AFL union who were expelled during recent international union "trials" on charges of encouraging dual unionism. Several others were expelled as the result of a union trial board's hearings on charges of communistic activity within the union.

Riviera

Riviera, May 27.—(Sp)—Guests last week at the Wm. Badley home were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Badley and children Edwin and Owen, Miss Gibson, Miss Franks and Owen Herrington, all from Grants Pass, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Demasters, of Sardine creek.

Riverside Extension unit met at the Bressel home Wednesday with 14 members present. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. Dickson, president; Mrs. Schuler, vice president; Mrs. Wm. Howes, secretary-treasurer. Next meeting will be a picnic at the Grizelle auto camp on June 3. In case of bad weather will be postponed to June 17.

John Cameron of Cottage Grove was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cameron of the Delta Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Birdseye and two children, Teddy and Mary Ann, will move the first of the week to a ranch near Butte Falls.

The Vencil Cerveny home Tuesday. Ten ladies enjoyed the afternoon. Next meeting, June 18, will be at the Barnes home.

The daily Bible school will be held at the Foothills Sunday school from June 2 to June 13. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Glenn De Janvier and two sons will leave for Bend, Ore. the first of the week to spend the summer on their ranch.

Mrs. Wm. Myers and Mrs. Della Acklin of Ashland and Mrs. Minnie Rowe of Vallejo, Calif., called at the Lloyd Miller home Thursday.

Among the boys who received their questionnaires for selective service recently was Rowland Miller, who is now employed at the Benton mine. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Scott were Riviera callers Thursday.

Trail

Trail, May 27.—(Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Atmore and friend, Mrs. Frank White, have been spending a few days at the Atmore cottage near Sunset. They recently returned from Detroit, Mich., with a new car in which Mrs. Atmore and Mrs. White left for California Friday. Mr. Atmore will remain here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chamberlain returned to their home in Vancouver, Wash., last week after visiting a few days here with her son Bob Chamberlain and wife.

Miss Tread from Rogue Elk is helping Mrs. Johnson at Sunset auto camp.

Mrs. Scott Brill's father from Tacoma, Wash., is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burk's grandson, Lynn Cherry, spent several days here last week.

Ernie Segessman, who suffered a crushed foot in the woods several days ago, is getting along as well as could be expected. Little Mary Segessman is ill with an abscessed ear which had to be lanced.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keele from Anaheim, Calif., are here for the fishing in the river and have a cottage at Sunset on the Rogue.

Mrs. O. R. Chamberlain of New York and her sister, Mrs. E. Apple of Minneapolis, Minn., were guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chamberlain.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tucker and daughter of Ashland visited at the Boyd Tucker home Sunday.

J. A. Bettingfield of Grants Pass has bought S. W. Hutchinson's trailer house and will use it as a home whenever he is located on state road work.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Merriman and children have a new trailer house and are now located at Shady Cove. He also does state road work.

The American Bible Society was organized 125 years ago.

KOFOED DAMAGE CLAIM APPEALED

Notice of appeal to the state supreme court of the suit of E. E. Kofeod against Ben J. Trowbridge, doing business as the Trowbridge & Flynn Electric company, was filed in circuit court yesterday.

A circuit court jury March 28 returned a verdict in favor of Kofeod for \$2500 personal injuries, allegedly sustained in a gasoline explosion at a Drain, Ore., service station a year before.

In the suit of Olen Bell against the California Oregon Power company for \$50,000 damages for injuries allegedly incurred when Bell was struck by a high power wire on the Grants Pass-Holland line last January, a petition for removal of the action to the federal court was granted, in an order signed by Judge H. K. Hanna.

Bell is a resident of Josephine county and the power company is a California corporation.

PRIVATE RITES FOR SCHOW ON WEDNESDAY

Private services will be held in the Conger funeral parlors Wednesday morning for John M. Schow, who passed away at

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