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TWO DOLLARS THE YEAR IN ADVANCE.

Klamath Falls, Ore., Thursday, May 31, 1906.

Ashland Normal Notes.

The Y. W. C. A. met Tuesday noon. The subject, "Investing a Life," was presented by Miss Storey.

Miss Maile Kincaid visited the Normal last Tuesday.

Friday, the Training school closed with suitable exercises. The Chapel presented a beautiful appearance, being decorated with purple and white, the colors of the eighth-grade graduating class. The following program was given:

Address.....Rena Miller
Concert Recitation.....Primary grades
Instrumental Solo.....Merle Singleton
Essay, "Panama Canal," John Peruzzi
Chorus, "My Own United States,"

"The Leak in the Dike," 2nd and 3rd grades

Class History.....Verna Prader
Wand drill.....4th and 5th grades

Recitation, "Bunker Hill,"

Instrumental Solo.....Martha Fordney
Oration, "George Rogers Clark,"

William Allen

All of the members of the eighth-grade, Rena Miller, Merle Singleton, John Peruzzi, Verna Prader, Juanita Greninger, Martha Fordney and William Allen received their diplomas, after an address by Miss Kaiser, Principal of the Training department. Many of the parents and patrons of the school were present. Each number on the program was well rendered and showed the excellent training of the pupils.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM.

Saturday evening, June 9th, Musical, Normal Chapel 8 p. m.

Sunday evening, June 10, Baccalaureate Sermon at the Chautauqua building, at 8 p. m. by Rev. Carstens of the First Baptist Church, Medford.

Monday, June 11, Class Day exercises 10 a. m., field meet, 2:30 p. m. Class dinner 6 p. m.

Tuesday, June 12, Graduating exercises at Chautauqua building, 8 p. m. The address to the class will be given by Rabbi Wise of Portland.

Wednesday, June 13, Alumni Reunion 8 p. m.

The members of the graduating class are:

Ella Anderson, Medford; Nora Beebe, Central Point; Anna Deeson, Talent; Clarence Boneliet, Ashland; Florence

Bissell, Ashland; Kate Broad, Jacksonville; Clarence Burke, Medford; Maile Campbell, Lorella, (Klamath county); Minnie Chapman, Talent; Ethel Corbin Ashland; Clara Davies, Ashland; Herbert Eastman, Ashland; Goldwin Herndon, Ashland; Harvey Inow, Trail; Esther Jarvis, Neil Creek; R. H. Jones, Eagle Point; Edna Kinglake, Oswego, (Clackamas county); James Martin, Juneau, Alaska, (formerly of Ashland); Anna McCarthy, Albany; Elva McFarland, Ashland; O. B. Newton, Klamath Falls; Ethel Osborn, Clackamas, (Clackamas county); Alfred Scullen, Ashland; Ida Robinson, Elkton, Douglas county; Eva Foley, Ashland; Herman Scullen, Ashland; Clara Sherwood, Coquille, Coos county; Mrs. Sadie Singleton, Monmouth; Bert Standcliff, Phoenix; Verna Storey, Ashland; Ethel Stratton, Ashland; Anna Swinney, Woodville; Martina Thiele, Goli Hill; Jessie Wilson, Medford; Minnie Yee, Ashland.

CHAPEL NOTES.

On Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings, the Chapel period was given to chorus practice.

Tuesday Hon. E. B. Watson spoke on "The Cause of Earthquakes." He traced the formation of the earth to the present time and gave good evidences of the truth of his statements.

Friday morning, Rev. Zimmerman, of the First Methodist Church, gave the students a short talk on, "Each one's duty to acquire an education."

A Farmer's Irrigation.

Under above caption in a recent issue of The Furrow, the following article appeared:

"There is at least one man in the rain belt region of the United States who has solved the drouth problem, and in overcoming his drouth nightmare he has somewhat unexpectedly discovered that every year brings a drouth, to a greater or less extent. 'I have put in, as you see,' he said to me, 'a simple plan of irrigating some of my land from a little stream running through the place which I thought would give me crop insurance during dry years; but it has taught me that never a year goes by that there is not some period or periods of greater or less extent that a watering does not greatly increase the crop. I can observe accurately, because I have my irrigated crops growing practically alongside those which get only rainfall for their watering.'

"This farmer's discovery of the efficiency and ease of irrigating was in a measure accidental. A little stream which showed a capacity—in July—of about six cubic feet per second, or say 2,800 gallons a minute, which is a much smaller stream than the figures would indicate to the nursery, runs with a slight fall through a piece of rich bottom land and at one point near its lower end had been dammed by the boys to form a bathing pool. Several years ago, while in the midst of a destructive drouth which was burning up the crops even on this usually moist bottom land, the farmer raised this dam by throwing in earth with the help of a plow and scoops, and crudely flooded several acres of cabbage, melons and some recently planted late corn. The result was so satisfactory and the idea of overcoming nature so fascinating, that the next year, after the spring high water season, a more substantial dam was put in at the head of the field which enabled the flooding of the entire bottom, with a little rough surveying to find the levels. The yield is stated to have been enormous, and while the farmer's tendency has been to over-irrigate, he is learning more than he ever knew before about the great productive capacity of land which has enough water at the right time and also the great response which comes from heavily manured soil when well supplied with water. His dam is a cheap affair, built entirely by labor on the farm, and largely reconstructed each year. It has no storage capacity, the irrigation depending entirely upon the regular flow."

With the loss of no time or labor and at considerably less expense could this farmer have secured the same, and even better, results by the hydraulic ram. It works automatically after once being started, both nights and Sundays, too, just the same as interest and just as safely. It requires no attention whatever, and need not be rebuilt every year as does the dam. It does more than merely to furnish water for irrigating purposes. Pure water for the house and barn is also supplied. Every enterprising farmer should investigate this ram subject if it is only with the view of supplying water to the house to make it easier for his wife.

The Direct Primary.

Are you in favor of the direct primary? Are you in favor of choosing your United States Senator by direct vote? These are the two questions that the people of Klamath county are asked to decide this election.

Last April the people of Oregon selected two men to make the race for Senator—Jonathan Bourne, Jr. and John M. Geatin. The former has always been fairly and squarely on a platform favoring a direct vote. The latter has not. He never made known his wishes until the last minute and then only because

he was a candidate. Bourne worked hard for the passage of that law. Geatin did not. Bourne made his fight on this question. Geatin, through his campaign managers, has not. On the contrary, they have filled the mails with veiled and scurrilous attacks on Mr. Bourne, and one of their slogans is: "Oregon will have a republican senator even if Geatin gets a majority of the votes, for the legislature will be republican, and it will not elect a democrat."

Is that fair politics? Is it honest? No. If Geatin did get a majority vote, the authors of this circular would be the first to demand his election. No fair-minded man can approve of such methods.

The question of choosing a senator by a direct vote has agitated every state in the union for years. If a law similar to the Oregon statute was in force throughout the United States, the senate would not be filled with railroad and Standard Oil senators, and President Roosevelt would not have had such a bitter struggle to secure the passage of his railroad rate bill and other legislation in favor of the people. There is one thing for the people of this state to do, and that is to vote for Jonathan Bourne, Jr. If they do, there will be no question of his being sent to Washington. It will show the people of the United States that Oregon is all right, that it is ahead of the times, that there is a way to throw off the corporation yoke and that the will of the people is mightier than the dictation of a few men.

The County Board.

The voters and taxpayers of Klamath county must remember that the County Board elected this year remains for four years. That during that time many important questions are to come before them. That it is before this tribunal will come the next assessment roll. That these men have the fixing of the tax rate; and that the rate is based on the assessment.

It is up to the voter and taxpayer to say whether we have a fair, complete and adequate assessment, for in placing in the office of County Judge and County Commissioner men who are familiar with these questions it will be possible to get what is fair and right. If republicans are elected, they will see that the work of assessing property is done systematically. If it is not, they will not approve of the assessment roll, and will order a new one made or the one presented corrected. A fair assessment means a lower tax rate and means that every man will pay his just share of taxes. It will mean that property that has remained unassessed will pay taxes, and that the man who has been overburdened will get a square deal.

The election of Emmitt and Rueck will further mean a curtailment of county expenditures, an equitable distribution of road funds, better highways and an administration for the people.

CONSPIRACY
To Defeat Jonathan Bourne, Jr. For U. S. Senator
Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., has issued an appeal to the voters of the state, calling attention to the fact that a movement is on foot to bring about his defeat.

The salient points in his letter, a copy of which has been mailed to every voter in the state, are as follows:

"There will be over 50 statements. No. 1 men in the legislature; 43 will elect."

"A conspiracy is on foot to throw the popular vote to Senator Geatin and then defeat him in the legislature by inducing members of the legislature to violate their pledges."

"Back of all the conspiracy are aiders, abettors and beneficiaries of special interests, the owners of special privileges."

"The issue in this campaign is simply as to whether the people shall rule or continue to be ruled and exploited by the owners of special privileges."

"If the 30,000 Republican majority in Oregon wants another Republican United States Senator let them vote for me on the 4th of June."

Notice.

We will not be responsible for any bills contracted by any of our employees unless same is upon properly executed Voucher, countersigned by the Manager and O. K'd by the employee presenting same. The Midway Telephone & Telegraph Company. 24

Whenever you want freight from the railroad send an order to Jas. R. Moore at Pokeyama and you will get your freight promptly.

For Sale—320 acres good farming land two miles due West of Klamath Falls at \$15 per acre. Also my home ranch at Keno, Oregon. R. A. Emmitt. tf

Are You Going to Build?

If so I want an opportunity to figure on your work. I am prepared to make prices on all classes of buildings and will furnish plans whenever necessary. All work guaranteed.

A. M. Taylor, Contractor and Builder.

KLAMATH LAKE RAILROAD CO

IN EFFECT MAY 1st 1906.

Leave Threlk 6:25 A. M.

Arrive Bogus 6:40 A. M.

" Steel Bridge 6:50 A. M.

" Fall Creek 7:05 A. M.

" Klamath Springs 7:20 A. M.

" Dixie 8:10 A. M.

" Pokeyama 8:20 A. M.

Leave Pokeyama 10:45 A. M.

Arrive Dixie 10:55 A. M.

" Klamath Springs 11:40 A. M.

" Fall Creek 11:45 A. M.

" Steel Bridge 12:00 P. M.

" Bogus 12:20 P. M.

" Threlk 12:45 P. M.

E. T. ARDITT, General Manager.

To let—320 acres pasture for the season, 12 miles from Yainax; under good fence and abundance of water. Also two Jacks for sale. Enquire of Snowgoose, Keno, Oregon.

For Sale—16 inch dry pine wood delivered any place in town. C. C. Law Belmont Feed yards.

Weinhardt's Celebrated Lager Beer on draught at the Central.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed, by the County Court of Klamath county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Daniel Colwell, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to me at Merrill, Oregon, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, May 3rd 1906. John Colwell, Executor of the estate of Daniel Colwell, deceased.

H. W. Kenner, Attorney for executor. 5-3-5-31

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed, by the County Court of Klamath county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Joseph A. Graham, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to me at Merrill, Oregon, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 3rd day of May 1906. Hannah L. Stewart, Administratrix of the estate of Joseph A. Graham, deceased.

H. W. Kenner, Attorney for Administrator. 5-3-5-31

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On the Melhase place eight miles south of Klamath Falls will be in service every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for the next three months. Mares will be pastured. No liability for damages. Charges \$10 for season.

T. F. & J. L. Short

Lands in HOT SPRINGS ADDITION NOW ON SALE

Examine the artistic sub-division and make your selections early.

Near the heart of Klamath Falls. Near the Hot Springs. Near the Depot. Note the wide streets and alleys of this tract.

Read what we propose to do.

We shall grade the streets.

We shall lay cement sidewalks.

We shall provide perfect drainage.

We shall construct sewers.

We shall provide a water system.

We shall secure electric lights.

We shall have a great hotel on the tract.

We shall make a park around the splendid Hot Springs, situated almost in the center of the Tract.

We shall have the depot of the California Northeastern Railway.

We shall have a Street Car system as soon as required.

We shall stand for A GREAT AND BEAUTIFUL KLAMATH FALLS.

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