

DEAF MUTE SCHOOL

Annual Graduating Exercises Held This Afternoon

Extension of the Manual Industries and General Progress in the School

At 2 o'clock this afternoon, in the presence of a large number of the friends of the institution and parents and relatives of the children the annual commencement exercises were held, and they were indicative of the excellent work done under Supt. Mrs. Clark, the head and matron of the state school for the training and education of the deaf mute children of the state. But the visitors today saw the industrial work that has been carried on will realize that manual training and domestic duties are a large part of the work of the state in educating these defectives. Supt. Mrs. Clark have carried on this work by adding a shoemaker and harness shop and wood working shop, in the old farm house that stands in the yard by the spring, and it is a most appropriate place for these work rooms.

This building was fitted up and decorated by the boys of the school, as the faculty insist that they shall learn to do, and shall become self-helpful in all departments of life. Several pieces of harness were made and sent to the St. Louis fair, and all the clothing for the 65 children was done here by the young shoe-making brigade. The state and the parents buy shoes for the children, as it does not pay to make shoes by hand in these days, but the repairing is a big thing, and the trade of a cobbler is not to be despised, as with about five dollars worth of tools these boys can set up and go into business for themselves.

The Wood Working.
This department has been carried on by the establishment of a full-time school in charge of John Mathers, an old country carpenter and joiner, who has seen industrial work in Iowa and Pennsylvania institutions. He has had eight boys under him the past year, and teaches industrial drawing to scale and making of kinds of surfaces, joints and angles, and some of the work turned would tax the skill of full-grown mechanics. For outside work the boys completed and painted a fine picture, and laid new floors in a large part of the building. Mr. Mathers has also prepared a series of articles for the institution paper, the Webfoot, dealing all kinds of wood work and materials. There were also eight turning the trade in the leather-making room. This department is under Prof. Bjorkquest, and, like Prof. Mathers, he is an expert, and the state is fortunate in having such devoted and competent men in its employ. Bjorkquest is a graduate from the Illinois deaf mute school.

Domestic Work.
The training in the domestic arts has been carried on to the smallest details of learning housework. The girls in the sewing classes made all the pretty white graduating dresses.

hemmed all the sheets, towels and tablecloths used in the school, do all the mending, and, incidentally, sent a large exhibit of plain and fancy needlework to the St. Louis exposition. One day in the week the girls, aided by the boys, prepare all the meals in the institution, in all cooking for about 85 people, and learning to prepare all kinds of food, making bread and pastry, and get an understanding of the relative amounts of food and their nutritive values. This kind of domestic training is excellent, and is taught to the boys and girls alike, so that the boys become good cooks and bakers. Besides all the children learn to make their own beds and keep their rooms neat and clean. The cooking class includes 12 of the best and brightest girls in the school, and they will be able to cook for the king if he should happen this way.

Larger Attendance.
The school the past year has had the largest attendance in its history and inaugurated work with a beginning class of 11, and in all added 16 pupils this year. The two graduates this year are B. L. Craven, of Oregon, and W. W. McClain, of Joseph, both accomplished students, of whom the state and their parents may well be proud. The children have enjoyed good health the past year, and have been very, very good, none having to be punished, and being ruled by love entirely.

Graduating Exercises.
These were conducted in the beautifully decorated chapel of the building, under the direction of Supt. Mrs. Clark, and were enlivened by talks from several of the visitors. Governor Chamberlain could not be present and give out the diplomas, as he was called to Eastern Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke and the teachers were very proud of the children, and many of the little ones had dear visitors—parents and guardians—coming to take them home to the remote parts of the state, some living farthest away going today, and others departing tomorrow and Saturday, and the schools will be closed for the summer. There will be several changes in the personnel of the faculty, at least two of the ladies having appointments of a more agreeable character than teaching. The exercises were highly entertaining, both singing and recitations being partly in the sign language, and interpreted by Supt. Clarke to the audience.

Program.
First Year Class—Taught by Mrs. Clarke.
Recitation—"Oregon My Oregon,"—Grace Kau, taught by Mr. Halse.
Second and Third Year Classes—Taught by Miss Michaels.
Recitation, "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight"—Burga Zumkeller, Lotus Valentine, Grace Kau, Mamie Brickley, Ruth Thomas.
Essay, "The American Indians"—Bird L. Craven.
Map Drawing—Francis Brickley.
Map Questions, Fourth Year Class—Taught by Miss Divine.
Essay, "Irrigation"—William McClain.
Recitation, "Oh, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?"—Ethel Morton.
Senior Class—Taught by Miss Schneider.
Presentation of Diplomas—Hon. Geo. E. Chamberlain, governor of Oregon.
Doxology—Ruba Westfall.

For Weak, Languid People.
Weak, sickly people often remarked "If I could only get something that would nourish me and give me strength," they do not know why, but the food they eat is of no benefit to them. They gain no flesh and feel no stronger. The fact is the stomach is too weak to perform its work. And the little appetite they once had is soon gone. The blood becomes more thin and watery, bringing on faint sick spells with loss of memory and ambition. There is a remedy for all this that acts in the right way. It is called Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic, and is sold by all druggists for 75c per box, or 3 boxes for \$2.00. It turns the food you eat into rich, red blood, making flesh and strength, creating an appetite because the system demands sustenance.
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STATE CHAIRMAN BAKER

Sends Out An Appeal to Get Out the Full Vote

Thousands of Voters Will Have to Be Sworn in On Election Day

State Chairman Baker has been a vigilant and tireless officer in working for a Republican victory this year. He has had loyal support in Marion county by such workers as District Chairman Tooze, State Committeeman Patton and County Chairman Murphy. He has issued a circular of appeal to get out the unregistered vote, and roll up a majority such as shall win for Oregon the good will of the Republicans of the whole nation.

State Chairman's Slogan.
Fellow Republicans:
A condition confronts us, not a theory. In certain counties the number of voters registered this year is not as great as two years ago; consequently the state committee urges you to do your utmost to see that each and every elector who has not registered avails himself of the opportunity provided by law—namely, that of having six freeholders certify that he is a qualified voter. We suggest that each precinct committeeman go among the voters of his precinct and acquaint them with this law, and on election day that he be at the polls, ready to secure the required six freeholders. Have your precinct committeeman assure each unregistered voter that there will be no trouble in securing the six freeholders at the polls on election day; but, of course, the precinct committeeman must see to it that he has six freeholders in readiness to certify. This is very important. If the Republicans of the state are in earnest in their desire to have the first gun fired off this presidential year heard all over the United States, thereby giving encouragement to our Republican brethren for the November contest, they will go to the polls and vote whether registered or not.
We estimate that the counties behind two years ago in registration are: Gilliam 7, Harney 75, Josephine 106; Klamath 211; Lake 99, Lincoln 145, Marion 232, Morrow 5, Tillamook 158, Wasco 31, Wheeler 6, and Yamhill 450.
It will be a downright shame if Oregon fails to elect Judge Moore, for example, our nominee for supreme judge, by a considerably larger vote than Judge Bean's two years ago, and it will be a shame if any of our county's nominees are defeated in consequence of Republicans not voting.
Hoping that the national convention at Chicago, to be held soon after our election in June, may be electrified by the news of Oregon's unprecedented majority, I beg to remain, Your obedient servant. FRANK C. BAKER.

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Sired by Red Heart 2:19 1/4, the sire of Chain Shot 2:06 1/2 Red Seal 2:10, Etc.

Dam ALICE M. (trial) 2:25 ... by Mark Field (son of Geo. Wilkes), sire of Daisy Fields 2:08 1/4, Mam-lawood 2:19 1/2, brine Field 2:11 1/4, etc.

Second dam DAY BELL, ... by Advance, sire of Mairaska 2:25, etc. Dam of Veritas 2:16 1/2, Vindex 2:29 1/2.

Third dam daughter of Tippeo Salt, a thoroughbred. Red Heart is by Fred Wilkes, out of Sweetheart, by Sultan; second dam Minnehaha, the dam of Beautiful Bells, etc. RED SEAL stands 15.1, compactly built, with great quality and a sure sire of great speed. He will make the season of 1904 at the

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