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UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Largest Class in History of the Institution—Wesleyan University Commencement Exercises Begin May 28.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)—The examination and investigation demanded by Superintendent Alden and Assistant Superintendent Nicholson of the Norfolk asylum, whose resignations were demanded by Governor Mickey on charges of incompetency and mismanagement, may lead to a general shakeup in other institutions. When the board goes into this case it may decide to go into others.

No doubt exists but all of the state institutions are in better shape at this time than ever before in the history of the state, and so far as the public is concerned was the Norfolk asylum supposed to be running in first class shape, and in the meantime, it is said, Dr. Alden and Dr. Nicholson intend to put up a hard fight for vindication and part of their defense will be, it is said, a letter from the governor giving them a clean bill dated after his own investigation of the asylum.

University Commencement.—Inasmuch as the State university will turn out one of the largest graduating classes in its history more than the usual amount of interest is being taken in the coming commencement exercises. The annual sermon will be delivered by Chancellor Andrews, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday evening, June 14, when the commencement exercises will be held in Memorial hall. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday evening, June 16, in Memorial hall by Chancellor Andrews. Monday, June 18, the annual Phi Beta Kappa oration will be delivered before that society in Memorial hall. Tuesday will be class day. The board of regents will meet in the morning and the senior class play will be produced in the evening at the Oliver theater. The alumni of the university will gather at the university farm on Wednesday for the annual celebration. The annual address will be delivered by Will Owen Jones of the class of 1886, who will speak on "Government by Public Opinion." The climax of the week will come on Thursday morning, June 14, when the commencement exercises will be held in the Auditorium. The commencement address will be delivered by General Nelson A. Miles, whose subject will be "Our Country and its Future."

Ivy Day Program.—The celebration of Ivy day will be held by the senior class next Wednesday afternoon, when the ceremonial planting of a sprig of ivy to commemorate the class of 1901 will be done by the president of the class and the crowd turned over to the president of the Junior class. All seniors will be excused from recitations from 1 to 5 in the afternoon. The program will begin at 2 o'clock, with music by the Young Men's Christian Association quartet. The ivy day oration will be by Earl M. Marvin. The singing of the class song, composed by Ethel O'Connell, will follow, and will be succeeded by the reading of the class poem by Miss Letta Stetter. The presentation of the class memento to the university will be responded to by Chancellor Andrews. President Edwin Crites will plant the ivy, then turning the trowel over to President Herbert G. Myers of the Junior class, who will make a short speech of acceptance on behalf of the class of 1901. The exercises will close with the May pole dance by sixteen girls of the class.

Medical College Exercises.—The program of the fourth annual commencement of the University College of Medicine, which will be held in Omaha Wednesday and Thursday, May 23 and 24, has been announced. It is as follows:

WEDNESDAY. Alumni day. Special alumni clinics, Methodist hospital.

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Conferring of degrees by the chancellor. Awarding of prizes. Reduced rates from Lincoln, going May 23 and returning May 24. Commencement address by James Carroll, M. D., director of the Army Medical museum, Washington, D. C.—"The Microscope in Medicine."

Religious festival march (Dunster). Informal reception for the speaker, alumni, graduates and invited guests in Lincoln hall.

Church May Buy Tabitha Home.—Dr. A. A. Turkle of Pennsylvania, secretary of the board of education of the Lutheran church, is expected in Lincoln tomorrow to look at the Tabitha home, which is being bought for the use of the Lutheran church. It is planned to build in addition to the present structures on the grounds a seminary at a cost of \$25,000, providing the property is bought. Tabitha home has had a strenuous existence during the last three years. It was started some eighteen years ago by Rev. and Mrs. Helmer, who conducted it as a home for aged people and homeless children, and who depended upon charity to make it a go. Things moved along with little trouble until a committee of Lincoln people concluded it needed looking into, and then the hammers began to beat, with the result that the Helmers were forced out of the property and it was taken over by the self-appointed guardians of the friendless with a flourish of trumpets not unlike the opening of a new coal mine. The committee found it had a white elephant on its hands and the home was dropped and the hammers brought forth again. At this time the home is being managed by a committee of Lincoln business men acting in conjunction with the Helmers.

Surprise for Sister.—Lincoln letter carriers gave Postmaster Stier a little surprise when they invited him to the postoffice during the evening and numerous speeches were made congratulating him on his reappointment, finishing the ceremonies with a nice spread. Mr. Stier responded with a speech.

Thompson Speaks at Syracuse.—Deputy Attorney General Thompson will speak at Syracuse on Memorial day. Mr. Thompson has received a number of invitations to use his voice on Memorial day, but he had accepted the invitation to go to Syracuse before the others got here. It is planned to make the day a memorable one in the Oro town.

Bids Are Too High.—Bids for the construction of the new Elks home at Thirteenth and P streets were opened yesterday, but all of them were higher than the estimated cost of the structure. It had been estimated the building would cost \$88,000, but none of the bids came within \$10,000 of the estimate. The committee has not yet announced what it will do, but it is believed new estimates will be made and bids called for a second time.

Modern Woodmen Memorial.—The Modern Woodmen of America is planning to hold memorial services June 3 at the First Presbyterian church. Head committee: Talbot and G. W. Benge will deliver addresses. A program of some length in addition will be carried out.

Wesleyan Commencement.—Commencement exercises at Wesleyan university will begin May 28. Following is the program for the week: Society Anniversaries—Monday, May 28, Theophanias, Tuesday, May 29, Willard; Wednesday, May 30, Orthophanias; Thursday, May 31, Evening.

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Nebraska News Notes.

COLUMBIANA—There was a civil service examination held at the high school building here today for carriers and clerks for Postmaster Kramer. There were seven examinations.

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GRAND ISLAND, Neb., May 20.—(Special.)—The Wood River interests, another republican paper in Hall county, seems to be unwilling to endorse fully and unequivocally the candidacy of George L. Thuse for this county for governor. In the issue of this week Editor Quackebush of the Interests says:

"The Hall county central committee met last Saturday and a goodly number of prominent republicans were present. The writer was not present, nor anyone from this vicinity, but we know of it, and we learn from the chairman, Mr. Schuff, and from the Daily Independent that the central committee of the county organized in the interests of Governor Rouse for governor and that a committee was appointed to canvass the county for Rouse. What, if any other business, was transacted we are not informed. We learn that the committee were not consulted or informed as to their appointment, the writer being one such, and the appointing of such a committee is something of a surprise to him. That Mr. Rouse is an able and honorable man and has many friends in Hall county is a question, but there is a goodly number before they would unqualifiedly endorse his candidacy would hereafter be a question of how he stands on certain questions of moment."

Nebraska News Notes.

COLUMBIANA—There was a civil service examination held at the high school building here today for carriers and clerks for Postmaster Kramer. There were seven examinations.

PLATTSBURGH—The grandson of Mr. Fickler, residing south of Plattsburgh, captured a young bear and a young cub, old and brought it to this city Saturday and sold it for 50 cents.

PLATTSBURGH—This afternoon the Plattsburgh High school ball team defeated the Myard team here by a score of 28 to 4. They played the B. & M. team by a score of 5 to 5.

NORTH PLATTE—Our former townsmen, M. C. Harrington, met defeat in his race for alderman in Denver. The vote, however, is strongly republican and he will be elected to the city council.

PLATTSBURGH—There is talk of a ferry being established at South Bend, which will afford the citizens of Cass county an opportunity to visit the state fairs. Some privilege they have not enjoyed for a long time.

WISNER—Fourteen students will graduate from the high school at the close of the term the coming week. Graduating exercises for eighth grade and the high school classes will be held in the opera house on Friday and Saturday nights.

PLATTSBURGH—The First Presbyterian church was filled to its seating capacity this evening, at which time Rev. J. H. Selby, the pastor of the church, delivered the class sermon to twenty girls and four boys, the senior class of the high school.

WEST POINT—Miss Elizabeth Westerman, the only daughter of Anton Westerman, of St. Charles parish, died of a severe attack of pneumonia. Funeral services were held at St. Bonifacius church, Monday, May 21, at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. H. Selby, pastor officiating.

PLATTSBURGH—District court for the Sixth judicial district in and for Plattsburgh will convene at the court house here on Monday, May 22, at 10 o'clock, term of court will be presided over by Judge James G. Reeder. There are seventy-five civil cases and six criminal cases on the docket.

WEST POINT—Mrs. Henry Frickestein, wife of Henry Frickestein, a prominent citizen of Monterey township, died on Thursday at the age of 29 years. She had been a resident of the parish for thirty years and leaves a husband and eight young children. Funeral services were held today at the Monterey church, Rev. Selby officiating.

WISNER—An organization for the protection of farmers and horse owners against horse thieves was effected here Saturday afternoon at the following officers were elected: J. R. Mansfield, president; H. R. Gier, vice president; G. F. Kenower, secretary; R. P. McGuire, treasurer. Membership fee was placed at \$1 minimum, with a limit of \$5 for initiation.