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Che Faculty, Student-Body, Board of Regents, and Board of Directors of Northwest Nazarene College invite you to be present at the Commencement Exercises, May twenty-seventh to June third, nineteen hundred and thirty, at Nampa, Idaho.



DR. J. B. CHAPMAN, General Superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, will deliver the Commmencement Address.

THE NAZARENE MESSENGER

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The Missionary Project for the Girls' Home in Africa went gloriously 'over the top' in the Chapel service, May thirteenth. Altogether approximately ten offerings were taken at the Tuesday morning chapel services this semester. The total amount of cash received is over the \$500.00 mark and it is probable that the sum total will reach \$600.00 when the class contributions are included. To God be all the Glory for this great victory.

District Budget

Northwest Nazarene College must rely upon the various districts of the educational zone in order to succeed financially. No religious institution is self-supporting. The difference between the tuition and fees and the institutional expenses must be made up by endowments, gifts, or budget. Northwest Nazarene College relies almost exclusively upon the last. Thus far this year the revenue of the District Budget has not equalled that of last year. If between now and the close of school each district could pay an amount equivalent to that of last year, we should be able to close the school year without a eash deficit. Because of the fact that there will be less than two weeks remaining when you receive this issue of the Messenger, we will request that each pastor take an offering, if your budget is not already paid, and send the offering directly to the college, and we will send receipt to your church. God has wonderfully helped us in a financial way in the past two years.

We must not go into debt again for any amount no matter how small it may be because of current expenses. Please do not fail us, but do your part to continue the good work of Northwest Nazarene College.

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Summer and Fall Prospects

Plans are already being formulated for intensive field work during the summer months. It is probable that Professor Gretzinger's Troubadour Quartet which renders vocal, brass, and reed quartet numbers will be in the field the major part of the summer. Professor Gretzinger will also have his marimba with him. It is also probable that the College Male Quartet will spend eight or ten weeks touring one section of the zone. We have between one hundred fifty and two hundred churches in the zone, and we are desirous that each church may be visited by a party from Northwest Nazarene College. It is probable that President DeLong and the new business manager will be with the quartets at different times during the summer.

The prospects for next fall from the standpoint of students are excellent. The mail from prospective students is already larger than in previous years. The fact that our junior college work is fully accredited will bring many new students our way. If your are desirons of having a room in the dormitory, we would suggest that you send the five dollars room reservation fee as soon as possible. All things being equal, we ought to have the largest and best year 1930-31.

Our Scholastic Standing

Many times we are asked the question, "What scholastic standing does your college have?" We have replied in brief as follows: There are three main agencies by which college work is accredited-(1) by the state board of education in which the college is located and the surrounding state boards; (2) by different colleges and universities; (3) by some association of colleges.

1. At the present time Northwest Nazarene College has recognition for four years of college work by the State Board of Education of Idaho, and students who graduate and meet the required number of hours in education are granted high school teaching certificates. This is also true in several surrounding states.

2. Our credits are recognized in full by several colleges and universities such as Boston University and University of North Dakota.

3. Our college is now a member of the Northwest Association of Colleges, and junior college work is fully accredited.

By a small college, less than twenty years old, we feel that wonderful progress has been made scholastically. We have unusual scholastic recognition for our size and age. The school is progressing and growing, and it will only be a matter of time until our work will be fully accredited everywhere.

Commencement Exercises--May 27 to June 3

PROGRAM

TUESDAY, MAY TWENTY-SEVENTH 8:00 P.M. Junior High Senior Program

WEDNESDAY, MAY TWENTY-EIGHTH 7:30 P.M. Last Prayer Meeting

THURSDAY, MAY TWENTY-NINTH 8:00 P.M. Music and Expression Recital

FRIDAY, MAY THIRTIETH 8:00 P.M. Academy Senior Program

SATURDAY, MAY THIRTY-FIRST 8:00 P.M. Combined Literary Society Program Alpha Delta Phi Sigma Lambda Alpha Olympian

SUNDAY, JUNE FIRST 11:00 A.M. Baccalaureate Service

Processional

Hymn "How Firm a Foundation......Congregation Prayer.*....Rev. E. E. Martin, President of the Board of Directors 'God is Still on the Throne''Edith Potter Offering and Announcements "Victory in Jesus".......Chorus Choir "I Must Find God"......President Russell V. DeLong Pianologue......Margaret Parsons Benediction......Dr. W. C. Nolte, Secretary of the

Board of Directors 7:30 P.M. Commencement Sermon

Rev. Donnell J. Smith, National President of the Nazarene Young People's Society and Pastor of First Church, Portland, Oregon.

MONDAY, JUNE SECOND 1:30 P.M. Field Day Events Competition between the three Literary-Athletic Socie-ties—Rev. Donnell J. Smith in charge. 8:00 P.M. College Senior Exercises

TUESDAY, JUNE THIRD 10:00 A.M. Last Chapel Service

8:00 P.M. Commencement Exercises

Processional Hymn

"I Gave My Life for Thee"

Prayer.

College Quartet Number

GRADUATES

College of Liberal Arts Ann Louise Deiters Kathyren L. Dixon Myrtle F. Golladay Willard Harper Clarence W. Heppell Lydia E. Loeber

Harold H. Nevin Mae H. Parsons **Orpha** Pressnall **Bertrand** Peterson Ellen Mae Standard Bernice O. Taylor Flovd R. Womack

Normal

Zella F. Benton Veryl Burnett Helen A. Case **Josephine Corbett** Louise Deiters Andrew L. Dobbs Thor Gudmonson Ada M. Hilborn Louise Jones Hazel E. Kjonaas Lydia Loeber Vera Yoachum

Lettie Mylander Harold H. Nevin Mae H. Parsons **Margaret** Parsons **Orpha** Pressnall Virena Rinard Donald A. Schwab Harvey B. Snyder Mildred I. Sorenson Ellen Mae Standard J. George Taylorson Mildred Waterman Mary Margaret McIntyre

Academy

Norma A. Barbazat Eugene W. Born Florence Bostrom Howard Craker **Ruth Dewey** Cleta Dobbs **Eunice Dobbs** Leonard Eastly Evelyn Eddy Norma Fischer Leonard Fletcher **Florence** Foat **Orval Gentry** Winnieogene Golding Lorraine Harding Hazel Hunter Harold Inwin Harry King

Floyd Kinzler Esther Lewis Lola Lyon J. Robert Mangum Thomas Mangum, Jr. Venita Maxey LaVerne Nees Lucile Nichols Dora Alice Paylor Ida Mae Sanford Elmer Schmelzenbach Louise Selby Marie Schmidt **Richard Taylor** Faith Wallace Donald Wesseling Harold Wesseling Edward Hall **Ruth Young**

Junior High School

Sherley Jean Arstein Adrienne Davis Andrew Edwards Ilo G. Eastly William D. Hamilton Lydia Haidle Parker Maxey

J. Wesley Mieras Wesley Sanner Abraham Schroeder Garold Albert Schmidt Oren E. Vail Marion L. Vail Harley W. Vail

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Senior Banquet

It is remarkable how God makes up to us when we put His work first. The college senior class unanimously voted to ask the junior class to give the money which would have been spent on the senior banquet to the fund for the Girls' Home in Africa. Mrs. Limbaugh, nee Catherine Finch, a former student of N. N. C., hearing of this, decided that she and Mr. Limbaugh would invite the seniors to their home in Fruitland. This they did, and to the great surprise of the seniors they had prepared a wonderful banquet. It would not be possible to describe the decorations and enumerate the delectable edibles on the menu. But, suffice to say, it was one of the finest ever attended.

Dr. Vincent Visits N. N. C.

On the first day of May we were pleased to welcome to Northwest Nazarene College for the first time Dr. W. D. Vincent, Commissioner of Education of the state of Idaho. A special chapel service was arranged at three o'clock in the afternoon at which time Dr. Vincent brought a very interesting, instructive, and inspiring address. We hope to have Commissioner Vincent visit us often in the future.

Picnic Day

College picnic day was held May second. Great was the commotion at the dormitories from four o'clock on. It was reported that the college freshmen and sophomores left at 4:30 for Arrow Rock Dam. The academy students left shortly after for Curtis Park, Caldwell. The college juniors and seniors followed shortly after, going to Weiser. The junior high students spent the day at Eagle Island. Between eight and nine in the evening the picnickers returned all tired and happy, reporting a very enjoyable day.

As this goes to press, Friday, May 16, God wonderfully visited the chapel service. Between thirty-five and forty who did not have a clear experience sought the Lord. Several students who seemed almost beyond the reach of the services prayed through in the old-time fashion. God answered prayer. We are expecting to close the school year with complete victory. Join with us and pray to that end. Words simply cannot describe the N. N. C. chapel services when God comes upon them. They make our institution distinctive.

1930 Oasis Appears

The 1930 Oasis made its appearance at the chapel service Thursday morning, May first. The editor-in chief, Ellen Mae Standard took charge, made a brief speech, and introduced the faculty sponsors Miss Dooley and Professor Gretzinger and Business Manager Hoffman, each of whom spoke briefly. The dramatic moment of the service arrived when the editor called for the reading of the dedication by Dorothy Harper and presented a copy of the book to Professor Francis Campbell Sutherland, the dedicatee. Professor Sutherland was greatly moved by this expression of the student body and was unable to respond at any length. It was the sentiment of the entire student body and faculty that the staff had done well to dedicate the book to this man who has labored so faithfully as head of the history department. Great was the excitement as the students received their copies of the book. All over the campus groups could be seen almost literally devouring the contents.

There seems to be no question but what the 1930 Oasis is the best that has been published by the student body of N. N. C. The cover is superb. The theme and spirit of the book are represented nicely in the forward:

"In the opening section of the 1930 Oasis we have depicted the landing of the Pilgrims, William Penn talking with the Indians, the Circuit Rider on his horse, and lastly, the Campus of Northwest Nazarene College. It is intended that these scenes shall represent to you Christian Pioneering, the theme of this number of the Oasis.

"And we believe that just as truly as those men and women of the past pioneered for the sake of religious ideals and principles so the founders and early students and alumni of Northwest Nazarene College pioneered to keep inviolate the principles and ideals which they held to be essential. As undergraduates we acknowledge our debt to them, and we pledge them that we' shall hold high the Torch which they have thrown to us, realizing, at least in part, the greatness, the wonder of this legacy which is ours. We propose to keep it in its entirety now and later when we no longer walk this campus, no longer go in and out of these buildings, when college days at N. N. C. are but memories."

The engraving is unusually clear. The art work shows great pains, imagination and skill. The literary work is above that which appears in the average year book. The entire volume is divided into seven books nicely separated by beautiful division pages. If you would like to see Northwest Nazarene College and own a copy of this beautiful volume you may do so by writing to Mr. Willard Hoffman, the business manager, inclosing a check for \$2.50. The total number of books published this year runs close to the thousand mark. The Administration of the institution

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School Notes

The baseball season is in full progress. The S. L. A. boys seem to have the edge over the Olympian and A. D. P. societies. The S. L. A. girls are also holding up their end in their baseball tournament with the other societies.

A great deal of interest is being shown in preparation for the coming track meet which will be held Monday afternoon of Commencement. The competition will be among the three literaryathletic societies. A silver loving cup, given by Rev. Donnell J. Smith, will be presented to the high-point man.

Evangelist Lewis E. Hall spoke at the chapel service Friday morning, May ninth. The message was evangelistic and resulted in a number of souls at the altar.

The last two mid-week prayer meetings have been times of great blessing. One of the prayer meetings reached such a height, as led some to claim that it was one of the best services ever held at N. N. C.

Missionary interest is still high. Over \$400.00 in cash has been received toward the Girls' Home in Africa. This amount has been obtained from offerings taken Tuesday mornings at the chapel service.

The final contest literary program was rendered Friday night by the Olympian Society. It was one of the most intellectual and educational programs ever given at the college. The Alpha Delta Phi Society rendered its contest program two weeks ago, and the Sigma Lambda Alpha Society about a month ago. We are all anxiously awaiting the judges' decision as to the best program.

We were highly favored recently in having as our chapel speaker, Dr. Hutchins, national lecturer of the W. C. T. U. She gave us many helpful, interesting, and pertinent facts concerning the recent wet propaganda.

wishes to express appreciation to the Editor-inchief, Ellen Mae Standard, Business Manager Hoffman and the entire staff for this wonderful production. A great and lasting service has been rendered to the institution.