

Wasco Postoffice To Move To Barnett Building

After the first of June headquarters for the Wasco Post office will be established in the old Barnett building which is now being renovated for the new business to provide an entrance for the mail carrier.

Members of the senior class motored to Stiles Saturday evening where they had supper together followed by a show in The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Yocum are now using a new Willys.

Ted Everett left Thursday for Grass Valley where he is employed in the restaurant.

Mrs. F. S. Lamborn won the high score Wednesday when the two table contract club met at the home of Mrs. Sidney Johnson.

Mrs. Wm. Nesbit returned from The Dalles hospital Saturday after remaining there for several days for medical attention.

Miss Frances Gorsline, primary grade teacher, of the Wasco schools left for her home at Independence Monday.

Miss Glenna Hiltbrand, former Wasco teacher, arrived in Wasco from Independence to spend the week end at the home of Mrs. Augusta Hückin.

Mrs. John Neece of Portland left Friday following a visit of a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller. She will visit at Klamath Falls with her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Robinson before her return home.

The 27th annual commencement of the Wasco high school was held Thursday evening May 13th at the high school auditorium. Mary Thomas was valedictorian and Dessie Haring was salutatorian. W. C. Jones of Willamette University was the speaker of the evening. The remainder of the program was as follows: Clarinet solo, Evelyn Scott; Vocal solo, Lois Hiltbrand; presentation of class, Homer Dixon; awarding of diplomas, Mrs. S. L. Richelderfer, Benediction Rev. Carey. Wm. Clothier was pianist for the evening.

Mrs. J. R. Yocum and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Brock spent Sunday visiting at Mosier with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Yocum. Beverly Yocum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Yocum is a visitor with the J. M. Yocums.

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class met Wednesday with Rev. and Mrs. Carey. A short program followed the regular business session and refreshments were served. Sunday Mrs. Guy Pound and son Marshall accompanied by Mrs. Ella Hislop visited in Wasco with friends.

The eighth annual Pythian Sisters convention was held in Bend Saturday and was attended by several members from here. Mrs. Eliza Dingle attended from Camp Sherman and on her return to that place was accompanied by eight members who spent the night with her.

Mrs. Pearl Butler and Mrs. T. L. Fields visited in Colfax last week with their respective daughters.

Andy Barnett of Ontario visited over the week end with his sister, Mrs. Clifton Fridley.

The Tuesday Afternoon Study Club has completed its year's work. The last meeting was held this week at the home of Mrs. Hugh Herin and twenty one members responded to the roll call. Interesting reports were read by the presiding officers of the club which was followed by a short program. A no-host dinner was served.

Rufus Notes

History may repeat itself but a repetition of a recent situation at Rufus isn't liable to happen again—at least not there.

Fourteen seniors, the largest graduating class in the history of Rufus, received their diplomas last Friday, May fourteenth. The first unusual feature of the exercise was that two valedictorians appeared before the assembled parents and friends, and stranger, still, they were sisters, Georgiana and Norma Blackburne. It became known that the difference in their grades was so small, one thirty-third of one point to be exact, that in all fairness neither should receive the honor alone.

The choosing of the salutatorian was no small matter itself. There were three students whose grades were comparatively close—Anna Coats, who received the honor, Marie Mathieson, next in line, and Lawrence Henderson, the only boy honor-roll student of the year. In former years it has been the custom to place the honor student with the best all-around student of the four years of high school on an attractive plaque. Further, this year a cup has been provided for the purpose of engraving thereon the names of the best boy and girl athletes in the Senior class. Finally, there were three awards, a scholastic, an activities, and an athletic award to be presented to the students holding the coveted positions. The plaque will bear Norma Blackburne's name as the honor student and Joe Morris as the best all-around student. The cup will bear the same names. Of the awards the scholastic and activities were received by Norma and the athletic award by Joe Morris.

In the wake of such a surprising graduation came two one-year scholarships to the Oregon State college in Corvallis—to Georgiana and Norma Blackburne. That's an oddity for seldom has a college given two scholarships to a school of thirty-five high school students and it's almost a certainty that this is the first time they have been given to two children of the same family in the same year.

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Dinner Party Given In Grass Valley

Velma Bibby and Clara Peters were hostesses to a dinner party in honor of Lillian Coon at the Bibby home in Grass Valley Thursday night. Mrs. C. L. Poley, Mrs. Theodore Johnston and Mrs. W. W. Knighten of Moro were guests.

The Rainbow girls of The Dalles will give the work of that order at Grass Valley Friday night and all chapters and Masonic lodges are invited to attend. Madeline chapter of Antelope and Sherman chapter of Grass Valley will be the hosts to the 45 girls in the evening.

Ted Everett of Wasco is in charge of the restaurant in the Pool Hall owned by Gus Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Vinton and family of Goldendale were here Saturday to attend the Senior play.

Beryl Sheets and June Wilde of Wasco spent the week end with the Fortner girls.

Mrs. Alfred Payne accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McLachlan were in The Dalles Wednesday Mr. McLachlan going down for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Eakin are the parents of a son born Friday, May 14, at The Dalles hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stradley and daughter Doris and Mrs. D. E. Morris were visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schilling

and son Robert and Doris Newcomb were The Dalles visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stradley of Portland spent the week end here visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blagg and Gerald Blagg of The Dalles spent the week end visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blagg. They were here to attend the Senior play.

Among the shoppers in The Dalles Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lemley, Mrs. R. J. Baker, Mrs. Grover Young, son Clarence and daughter Mrs. Chester Clark, Mrs. Herman Peters and Mrs. Art Bibby.

Mrs. Florin Coon spent Sunday visiting at Zig Zag.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bibby were Condon visitors Sunday.

The Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 23, at the Baptist church.

Commencement exercises will be held Wednesday May 26, at the Civic Auditorium.

Margaret Smith of The Dalles was visiting Mrs. Ben Leghorn on Tuesday.

Vivian Eubanks of Portland was a dinner guest at the Wayne Spoor home Monday. He is a cousin of Mrs. Spoor.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Patjen and son Ernest of Shaniko, George Witter of Kent and Carl Melzer of Moro attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roth and son Henry spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lillard of Miller.

Mrs. Wayne Spoor and children were visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Alley Leonard was taken to The Dalles Sunday where he was admitted to the Mid-Columbia hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Bibby and children spent Sunday at Maupin visiting relatives.

Tom Garrett and daughter Norma were Portland visitors Thursday and Friday.

Among those attending the ball Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barnett, Mrs. Buck Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alley, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett and daughter Norma, and Louise Roth.

Wayne Spoor is driving a new Buick Sedan.

Dr. George Simon of Eugene was an overnight guest Thursday at the R. J. Baker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lemley were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Amidon.

Mrs. Art Bibby accompanied by Miss Anna Schwartz were Moro visitors Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Alley spent the week end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith and Henry Roth were business visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Blaylock and daughter Marjorie of Hood River returned home Sunday after a week's visit at the Ernest Blaylock home.

Bob Essinger returned Sunday from a visit in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Estel Hartley and children and John Reckman drove to Yakima, Wn., on a business trip last Sunday.

C. P. Rowe gave a banquet at the Moro Hotel Wednesday in honor of the Senior class.

Charles Baker is driving a new Studebaker Sedan.

John Rolfe, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. T. M. Rolfe, went to Portland Sunday as delegates to I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge held there this week.

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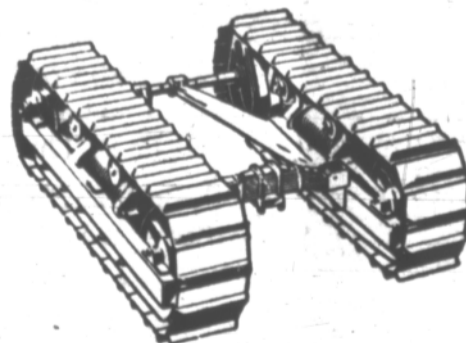
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