

BOARDMAN

The haste, the rush, the picnics, the parties, the many preparations that go to make up one of the momentous of life's epochs, is now ended in the lives of seven seniors of the class of 1929. The gorgeous bouquets are withered and only the gifts, the pretty gowns and the diplomas are the tangible things left along with the memories which will grow dearer with the passing of the years are reminders of the great occasion. The graduating exercises were held Wednesday night. The stage was beautiful with its background of wisteria and the pretty arch in the center through which the members of the class, the high school teachers, Rev. Miller, Mr. Calkins and Mr. Hewitt passed as they took their places on the stage. The following program was given: Prelude, Miss Henry; invocation, Rev. W. O. Miller; salutation, Sophia Barlow; saxophone solo Eldon Wilson; commencement address, Dean Ro A. Hewitt; piano solo, Miss Ellen Henry; valedictory, Lillian Brice; presentation of diplomas, C. S. Calkins; vocal solo, Mrs. Royal Rands; benediction, Rev. Miller.

The address by Dean Hewitt was an able and inspiring one and entirely different from the usual commencement address, and has caused much discussion, pro and con, in the community. He spoke of the five enemies of mankind, ignorance, waste, poverty, disease and inhumanity. He based most of his talk on the horrors of war and the education of this generation so that another war which would in all probability destroy civilization, might be avoided. Mr. Hewitt, who was in the service, painted war in all its actualities, its hideousness, its wanton waste and slaughter, its frightfulness, tearing away all the glamorous side, the humorous phase, and depicted it in its gruesome and horrible details.

Graduates were Lillian Brice, Sophia Barlow, Noel Klitz, Buster Rands, Mildred Messenger, Gladys Wilson and Alex Ayers. Mrs. Ed. Kuntze has been under the weather the past week. Mrs. Albert Macomber and two children of Condon spent the past week visiting relatives. On Sunday Mr. Macomber came down and they with the Roots, and Mrs. Ed Barlow were all present at the Mefford home for the day.

About 75 attended the charivari Friday night at the Wicklander home.

Mrs. Wetherill at Messner was ill last week. The doctor from Arlington was called.

Boardman friends are glad to know that Mrs. Guy Lee is convalescing from her recent operation for appendicitis. She returned to her home at Pilot Rock last week from the hospital in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hale came Friday morning from Jefferson, Ore. Just below Arlington as Mr. Hale started to slow down for a curve he stepped on the gas instead of the brake and crashed into the railing. Through some kindness of fate the engine stopped so the car did not go over the embankment, but a light was wrecked, the front bumper demolished and the occupants shaken up. On Friday night the Calkins family stayed overnight at the Allen home and left for Jefferson early Saturday morning.

Geo. Agee is here from Pendleton for a time. Miss Henry left on Friday for

her home at Athena. Mr. and Mrs. Spike of Echo motored down on Thursday for their daughter, Miss Frances. The latter may have to undergo an operation for goitre during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Heater of Thompson Falls, Mont., were Boardman visitors last week. They were at Delane Bros. to see about their property. Heaters have a 40 adjoining Delanes.

Tuesday, May 14, was class and honor day. Miss Lillian Brice gave the welcoming address, Noel Klitz the class history, Buster Rands the class poem, Mildred Messenger the class will, Gladys Wilson the class prophecy and Sophia Barlow the class pledges. On behalf of the class of 1929 Alex Ayers, class president, presented the school a beautiful silk flag mounted on a standard as the class gift.

Since this was also honor day, the certificates of attendance were given to those who were neither absent nor tardy, these being given for both last year and this as the certificates did not arrive last year. Those receiving them were Maxine Mackan, Mildred Ayers (2), Janet Gorham, Cecil Ellis (2), Wilma Myers, James Farley, Maxine Balenger, Fred and Carroll Gross, A. T. Hereim, Jr., Pearl Nickerson, Warren Brice, Mitchell Ellis, Paul Mead, Francienne King and Mildred Allen.

The club pins for last year were to have been given. County Superintendent Lucy Rodgers, County Agent C. W. Smith and Miss Helen Cowgill of O. S. A. C. were present. Because of the great demand for club pins, 11,000 being required in the state of Oregon, the pins failed to arrive in time. Those entitled to pins are Lois Messenger, Gloria Wicklander (2), Helen Mead, Paul Mead, Betty Muller, Albert Mackan, Kenneth Duggan, Roscoe Broyles, Mary Chaffee, Allan Chaffee, Edward Skobo, James Farley, Elsie Wilson, Geo. Wicklander and Warren Brice. Palmer writing awards were made to all but two of the members of the primary department.

The basketball letters were to have been awarded on this occasion but they too failed to arrive. Mr. King, the coach, gave the names of the successful athletes who qualified. They were Alvie Mefford, captain; Buster Rands, f; Dallas Wilson, f; Carl Wicklander, c; Vernon Rood, g; and Walter Denson, g. The latter left school to return to his former home in Meacham before the close of the school year.

Miss Henry, 3rd and 4th grade teacher, made an award to her room for the one most perfect in deportment. This was given to Francienne King, and was a book.

The pupils of Miss Henry and Mrs. Marschatt picnicked at the W. A. Price ranch the last day of school.

Boardman friends of Mrs. E. A. Poe were grieved to hear of her sudden death Tuesday, April 30, at her home in Mess, Wn. The Poes formerly lived on a wheat ranch out in the Sands and had a number of friends here. Not long ago they spent the day at the Geo. Gross home.

Of her death the Pasco Herald says: "Effie Winifred Myers Poe passed away here Tuesday, April 30 after an illness of a few hours duration. Her death came as a great shock to her friends. They made their home at Ione six years and moved back to Sunnyside in March, 1924. In 1928 they moved to Mesa. She leaves to mourn her sad departure her husband, E. A. Poe, and four children, Mary Ellen, Edward, Harold, and Calvin and

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Myers, and four brothers, Ray, D. H. Thomas F. and Mark W.

Many improvements have been made at the Boardman cemetery. Mr. Root and Mr. Olson have given generously of their time this spring in building a reservoir and flumes so that water might be available at all times. The rye which was seeded is growing nicely. A few of the graves were sunken and neglected. Since relatives of most of those who repose in "God's Acres" are still living on the project it is hoped that they will make an effort to fill the sunken graves that they may be in harmony with the fine appearance of the rest of the cemetery.

Imogene Wilson spent the week end at Arlington visiting her cousins.

Macambers motored to Pilot Rock Saturday evening and returned Sunday night.

Jesse Klages is here from Hermiston visiting her sister, Mrs. Harvey Huff.

Mrs. Peter Farley received 100 baby chicks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mefford have returned from a wonderful motor trip up to Everett, Seattle, Portland where they visited Geo. Meffords, down to Corvallis to see Russell at O. S. C., Salem where they visited Albrecht and were also dinner guests at the Boardman home.

Ed Barlow has gone to Kiona, Wash., where he is employed by F. L. Brown at the road camp.

Miss Alice Calkins was the honor guest at a farewell party on Thursday evening given by the younger set at the Mefford home. Twenty-six were present and enjoyed a delightful evening followed by refreshments.

A marvelous turkey dinner was given Sunday evening at the Chas. Wicklander home. This was a no-host affair with 29 present. Guests were Meads, Rands, Dillaboughs, Geo. Wicklander, R. C. Mitchells and Mr. Carson of Hermiston.

Mrs. Frank Brice of Vancouver and Mrs. Walter Davis of Ridgefield were guests at the John Brice home coming up for commencement.

C. W. Smith county agent, held meetings at the Dillon ranch and Skobo ranch and demonstrated the method of tattooing turkeys. For a small sum a farmer may have his own number and tattooing outfit, marking the small turkeys so that he may know his own in case of flocks mixing together or in case of theft.

Warren A. Peck and family of California were unexpected visitors at the L. G. Smith home. Mr. Peck is a brother of Mrs. Smith and 27 years has elapsed since they had met so the reunion was indeed a pleasant one.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Johnson of Wasco accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Johnson came Sunday for a visit at the Johnson home, the two first named remaining only one day. Mother Johnson will stay for a week or so.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH. Rev. Thomas J. Brady, Pastor. Next Sunday, May 26, will be Trinity Sunday, the closing day of the Easter season. There will be two masses on that day, the first at 8 o'clock in the Sands and the second in Heppner at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach at both masses and hear confessions and give holy communion.

On the first Sunday of June, June 2, there will be a first mass in Heppner at 8:30 with a second in Lena at 11 o'clock at the home of John Bronsan.

On Memorial Day, May 30, there will be a special memorial service in Heppner church at 8:30, followed by blessing and prayers at the cemetery for the dead. The pastor will preach at the 8:30 mass and he invites all to assist at this service, regardless of church affiliations.

Good summer range for 30 or 40 head of cattle. Inquire of Frank Wilkinson, Heppner. 9-10.

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T. C. TROGE, Administrator of the Estate of Lydia Ritchie, deceased.

"Tad" Dies



T. A. Dorgan, known as "Tad" one of the most famous sports illustrators and writers in the world, died after an illness of many years. Tad was a man beloved of fellow scribes and members of the sporting fraternity.

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