

Lex School Year Coming to Close

By Delpha Jones

Baccalaureate services for the high school seniors and the 8th graders was held at the Lexington Christian church on Sunday night May 20th. The program was as follows: prelude and professional Miss Jewell Boone; invocation Rev. Norman Northrup; hymn, Holy, Holy, Holy, congregation; special music by the church choir, "There Stands A Rock"; scripture reading, Robert Mathews; special number by Leonard Munkers and Donald Hatfield; message, "Meeting the Challenge of Life" Rev. Norman Northrup; hymn "Have Thine Own Way" and dedicatory prayer Rev. Norman Northrup. The seniors graduated are Cherry Kathleen Gray, Donald Doyle Casteel, James Leo Laney, and Larry Ray Henderson. The eighth grade graduates are Dennis Doherty, Robert Davidson, Stanley Schoon, over, Gregory Leyva, Paula Barak, Charlene Jones, Rosetta Laney, Russell Dolven.

The Lexington high school held their election of officers on May 11 for the coming year. Student body officers were the following: president, Donald Hunt, re-elected; vice pres., George Hermann; sec., Beverly Baker; treasurer Joan Patrick; cheerleaders elected were Hugo Leyva, Joan Patrick, and Maureen Groves; annual staff were editor, Inez O'Neal; ass't editor, Karl Beach; business manager, Dexter Miles; annual staff, Beverly Baker, Donald Hunt, Paper staff: editor, Joan Patrick, and ass't. editor, Beverly Baker.

Mrs. Earl Kendall and daughter Janet from Ukiah were Lexington visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Neta Gray and daughter Mickey attended baccalaureate Sunday from Ukiah.

Mrs. A. F. Majesque, Mrs. Jack Mounts and Mrs. George Irvin left Monday for Tillamook where they will be delegates to the state Rebekah convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Waite and

Mrs. Bessie Bristow were visitors at the W. E. McMillan home on Saturday, with Mrs. Bristow remaining for a several days visit.

Mrs. W. I. Miller and Mrs. Merwyn Smith of La Grande motored to Lexington Wednesday bringing Mrs. Howard Hudson of Union who is visiting at the C. C. Jones home.

The Lexington grade school students of the 7th and 8th grades returned Sunday from a few days field trip to camp Sherman on the Metollus river. The children report a fine time, with many interesting places visited, among them Lava Butte, Peterson Rock Gardens, and enjoyed fishing in the Metollus river. They were accompanied by the following parents, Mrs. B. J. Doherty, Mrs. Ken Palmer, Mrs. Wilbur Steagall, Mrs. Ray Dolven, Mrs. Ken Palmer, Cecil Jones and their teacher Mr. Serge Coval.

(Too Late for Last Week.)

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Joseph Smith Clark, step-father of Mrs. W. E. McMillan and grandfather of Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. George Irvin and Mrs. Eugene Sawyer passed away after a lingering illness at Pioneer Memorial hospital late Tuesday night.

Doctor Jackson Minor of Burns visited Sunday and Monday at the Don Hatfield home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin entertained with a Mother's Day dinner Sunday honoring Mr. Martin's mother, Hortense Martin of Heppner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Healy and children of Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Martin of Moro and Mrs. Anna Smouse of Heppner.

Mrs. Robert Mathews entertained with a party honoring her son Bobby's birthday at the Bernard Doherty ranch. Those attending were Terry and Christie Munkers, Johnnie and Jackie Hatfield, Herbert Davidson, David Cooper, the B. J. Doherty children and Kirk Mathews. Refreshments were served on the lawn.

The pre-school mothers' discussion was held at the Hatfield home last Thursday night with Gladys Van Winkle, and Lavonne Bloodsworth serving as co-

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Oleta Farrens and Helen Brown attended the postmaster's meeting in John Day May 5.

Paul Kimmel was a business visitor in John Day Monday.

Mrs. Fred Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. George Sterrett and Henry Durst all drove to John Day Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McWillis, Mrs. Earl Lewis and daughter drove to Redmond Tuesday on business. They returned Wednesday evening.

Martha Matteson drove to Long Creek Monday morning where

hostesses Mrs. Brent spoke on "reading readiness" and Mrs. Glass spoke on "the importance of good health in school children". A gift was presented to the outgoing room mothers, and an election for the coming year was held with Mrs. Theron Adlard, and Mrs. Bob Kilkenny being elected room mothers. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Theron Adlard, George Irvin, Robert Lovgren, Bill B. Marquardt, Leonard Munkers, Gladys Young, Homer Hughes, Kenneth Peck, Serge Coval, Robert Kilkenny, Bernard Doherty, Jim Bloodsworth, Don Hatfield and Mrs. Glass, county nurse of Heppner, and Mrs. Lawrence Brent, 1st and 2nd grade teacher.

Mrs. Ellwynne Peck returned home last week from Springfield, Missouri where she was called by the serious illness of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. James Stroud who are both ill in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Armin Wilton stayed with the Peck children during Mrs. Peck's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and children visited with Mrs. Jones' grandmother, Mrs. Katie Sheedy in Portland on Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marquardt and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughes were visitors at the T. E. Messenger Sr. home on Sunday.

Debbie Winkelman, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Winkelman, is a patient in the Pioneer Memorial hospital.

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she joined Mrs. Jessie Scott and went on to John Day on business.

Moya Gilman drove to Heppner Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Johnson, Judy Johnson and Ansil Martin drove to Portland Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Noland and daughter who are soon to move to California.

The M. M. M. club met Thursday at the McWillis home with Martha Matteson as co-hostess. It was voted to have just one meeting a month next year and new officers were elected. They are: president, Iris Kincaid; vice-president, Doris Capon; secretary, Martha Matteson; treasurer, Helen Brown. The club is seeing that there is gravel hauled to the main lane through the cemetery.

The American Legion and auxiliary both held their meetings Thursday evening at the Grange hall.

Martha Matteson and Doris Kingman drove to Long Creek where they were joined by Jessie Scott then drove to Milton-Freewater where they visited with Elby "Doc" Matteson.

Spike Miller and his sister of California were house guests on Thursday at the Milton Morgan ranch.

The Seventh Day Adventists started evangelistic services Saturday night at the Grange hall with Kenneth J. Mittleider, as speaker, musical numbers and moving pictures of Bible stories. The services will last for two or three weeks and everyone is welcome.

Ben Spain left Friday for Coeur d'Alene, Idaho to visit his wife and daughters.

Sunday dinner guests at the Joe Wheeler home of Cottonwood were Ray, Lloyd, and Lester Geingers, Dale, Elmer and Martha Matteson.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Vestal of Silverton, Oregon came in last Thursday to visit their daughter-in-law Betty Vestal and children. When school is out they will take

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Alton, are visiting relatives in Vancouver, Wash.

The St. Williams Altar society met at the church Thursday evening May 17. After the business meeting Mrs. Hugh Salter and Mrs. Harold Snider served refreshments.

Guests at the Earl McKinney home last week were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole of Wasco. Guests at the McKinney home this week are her mother, Mrs. Allie Ruggles of Grass Valley and her uncle, Starr Ruggles of Stayton.

A potluck dinner was served in the city park in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Wilfred McKay. The McKays are leaving Friday of this week for Orofino, Idaho, where he will be the pastor in the Nazarene church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snider of The Dalles visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Wilfred McKay last week and took Neil McKay

Home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Smith were Portland visitors last week.

Those attending the Nazarene church assembly in Walla Walla last week were Rev. and Mrs. Wilfred McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crum and daughter Bonnie, Louise Botts, Mrs. Ruby Nichols and Mrs. Steuert Aldrich all of Ione and Mrs. Arthur Brownlow of Heppner.

Mrs. Monetta Aldrich was a patient in the Pioneer Memorial hospital the first of the week.

Rev. Alfred Shirley underwent surgery Monday at the hospital in Heppner. Howard Crowell, also underwent surgery Monday at the hospital in Heppner. The Howard Crowells are now living in Ione.

Miss Virginia Jepsen, a nurse in the Emanuel hospital in Portland, is visiting relatives here while on a two weeks vacation.

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