

ELAINE WALKER IS VALEDICTORIAN OF GRADUATING CLASS

David Chirgwin Named Salutatorian for 1945 Class; Ceremonies Thursday.

Elaine Walker is valedictorian and David Chirgwin salutatorian of the 1945 class of Medford senior high school which will be graduated Thursday night of this week during ceremonies at the auditorium. Miss Walker is the daughter of V. G. Walker, Route 2, Box 124, and young Chirgwin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Chirgwin, Route 2, Box 192.

Complete program for the traditional ceremonies were announced today by Lester Harris, high school principal. The program will be opened at 8 o'clock by the bugle trio made up of Lola Daugherty, Jessie Jacobs and Temple Ross, and the Rev. George R. Turney will deliver the invocation. Carl Winklebleck will present a vocal solo, accompanied by Miss Nancy Swem.

Address of the evening will be by Bishop Bruce Baxter, Portland, who will be introduced by E. H. Hedrick, superintendent of schools. Miss Marilyn Wright will present a clarinet solo, accompanied by Miss Phyllis Furry, after which Mr. Harris will make the announcement of special awards. A number will be given by the senior girls' ensemble, of which Donna Dawes, Margaret Drysdale, Jean Farley, Joanne Franklin, Audrey Jarmin, Bonacia Parsons, Glorie Preston, Rosalie Roberts, June Williams, Marilyn Wright are members. Miss Swem is accompanist.

Dr. R. E. Green, chairman of the board of education, will present diplomas. Members of the honor society, Torch, graduating this year are Myria Ball, Pearl Brock, John Bullock, David Chirgwin, Louise Ellis, Lois Hoffman, Loyd Huston, Hortense Jennings, Wanda Johnson, Elmer Kyle, Ferny McKibben, Shirley Pankey, Gerald Pence, Helen Rubenstein, Nancy Swem, Elaine Walker, June Williams, Rhoda Williams and Eileen Young.

TERM EXTENDED
Washington, May 29—(U.P.)—The supreme court today extended its current term for two weeks, setting a tentative new adjournment date as Monday, June 11.

MARY JO KIRTLEY RITES THURSDAY

Mary Jo Kirtley, aged 18 years and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kirtley, 621 Dakota avenue, passed away at a local hospital, Monday afternoon, after a brief illness. Mary Jo was born at Chicago, Ill., on April 17, 1927, and has spent most of her life in Medford. She was a student at Medford Senior High school, and leaves a host of young friends to mourn her departure. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kirtley and sister, Jacquise, of Medford; her grandfather, W. M. Kirtley, of Medford, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Drago of Eugene.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Perl funeral home on Thursday morning at 10:30, with the Rev. Delbert Daniels officiating. Interment will take place in the Siskiyou Memorial park.

OBITUARY

LEWIS A. ASKEW

Lewis A. Askew, 81, Berrydale, passed away unexpectedly Monday morning in Eugene where he was undergoing medical treatment. Arrangements are in care of the Conger-Morris Chapel.

The American merchant seaman is a civilian, serving voluntarily, and though often under action has no military status.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and tomorrow with scattered showers and little change in temperature.
Oregon: Clear tonight and Wednesday except partly cloudy in southern portion with scattered light showers. Warmer except on coast today but cooler in Willamette valley late Wednesday.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today:
Highest 79; Lowest 55.
Total monthly precipitation: 4.44 inches.
Excess for the month: 3.43 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1944: 18.82 inches.
Excess for the season: 3.17 inches.
Relative humidity at 4:30 p. m., yesterday: 47%; 4:30 today: 93%.
Tomorrow

	Sunrise	5:39 a. m.	Sunset	8:38 p. m.
Boise	72	46		
Boston	67	38	31	
Chicago	50			
Denver	50		17	
Eureka	56			
Havre	68	36		
Los Angeles	68	52		
Medford	74	47	42	
New York	67	61	28	
Omaha	74	59	01	
Phoenix	55			
Portland	79	54		
Reno	74	44		
Roseburg	68	52	20	
Salt Lake	78	58		
San Francisco	60	53		
Seattle	74	33		
Spokane	82	50		
Washington, D. C.	81	64		
Yakima	84	50		

DEATH COMES TO JESSIE BUSHONG

Jessie Pearl Bushong, 48, well known resident of the Talent district, passed away at a local hospital early Tuesday morning, after a brief illness. Mrs. Bushong, a native of southern Oregon, was born at Williams on Sept. 10, 1896. She attended school at Klamath Falls and Merrill and the St. Mary's Academy here. She was united in marriage to James B. Bushong at Yreka, July 10, 1933. She leaves a host of friends to mourn her passing.

Besides her widower, James Bushong, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Betty O'Connor of Central Point, two grandchildren, Johnny and Clinton O'Connor; two sisters, Mrs. E. C. Cunningham, Phoenix, Mrs. Tom Melton, Roseburg; two brothers, Jack Ward, Medford, and Clellan Ward, Portland.

CAPACITY CROWD SEES BOND SHOW

After a more than capacity audience filled the Holly theater last night for the Marine band war bond show, latecomers were turned away, gratified committee workers stated this morning. It is thought about 1300 persons crowded into the showhouse, which has a seating capacity of 1100. The show of band and orchestra numbers, specialty acts and a film met with an enthusiastic response.

Ceiling Price on Early Apples, \$3.33
Washington, May 29—(U.P.)—Ceiling prices for the 1945 crop of early apples, for country shipping point, have been increased from \$2.85 to \$3.33 a bushel, the Office of Price Administration has announced. This means retail ceilings for early apples will go up about 1 1/2 cents a pound, OPA said. The increase will be effective from May 29 through June 20. The increase was necessary because of adverse growing conditions, OPA explained.

Harold Breedlove, 42 Granted Discharge

Fort Lewis, Wash., May 29—(U.P.)—Pvt. Harold T. Breedlove, Medford, Ore., was discharged during World War I because he was too young. Today he has been handed his second set of discharge papers for being too old.

Breedlove enlisted in May 1918, at the age of 16 but ran afoul of parental objections that brought his release two months later. Twenty-six years later, the old urge to enlist arose and he signed up with the army in May, 1944. But military officials, learning that Breedlove was over 42, have once more relegated him to civilian life.

Diamond Lake Road, Resort Now Open

Crews completed plowing of the Medford-Diamond Lake road yesterday afternoon and it is now open for travel into the lake resort the Manager, George L. Howard, reported this morning. Roads from the Klamath Falls and Roseburg direction were opened earlier, he reported and the lake is now accessible from all directions.

The fishing season opens at the lake Wednesday and capacity reservations for the first three days were made, the manager declares. The lodge and dining room are now open for the first time in three years, Howard reported.

State police this morning advised motorists making the trip to the lake to carry car chains and a shovel.

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