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# VHS seniors graduate tonight at ceremony

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*Awards Were Given to Athletes and Scholars at Assembly Tuesday*

Forty-nine high school students and four veterans will receive diplomas from Vienna High School this term. Commencement exercises will be held at VHS tonight with J. Milt Shockley the speaker; Miss Darlene Tackett, Valedictorian and Miss Mary Redel, Salutatorian. The Girls' Chorus is also on the program.

The following are members of the graduating class:

Billy Abbett, Bobbie Adkins, Ruby Barnhart Roberds, Mary Ann Breeden, Raymond Brune, Noel Bullock, Lois Burd, Jessie Carroll, Dolores Chambers, Hazel Copeland, Mary Lou Crum, Viola Duffin, Delmar Feeler, Geneva Giesler, Ruth Gillispie, Helen Henderson, James Hodge, Loretta Hollis,

Florence Howser, Verne Jones, Bernadine Keaton, Joan Koerber, Frances Laubert, Robert Lawson, Agnes Luebbert.

Rosella Mathews, Arthur McCommis, Bonnie McEwen, John McKeever, Anna Mae McKeown, Dolores Miller, Jean Moeckli, Joy Parker, Ralph Parker, Betty Picker, Mozella Poor, Wayne Ragan, Mary Agnes Redel, Naomi Renkemeyer, Anna Ripka, Harold Rowden, Clarence Sandbothe, Gene Schwartze, Lois Smith, Tom Swarouth, Darlene Tackett, Elsie Wagner, Arthur Wenzel, Anna Mae Weidinger.

Awards Made Tuesday

At a general assembly, Tuesday, awards for the year were made to students. Heading the list was Miss Darlene Tackett, a scholarship medal. Miss Mary Redel received a medal for English; Miss Naomi Renkemeyer, commercial subjects; Jesse Carroll, agriculture; Arthur McCommis, music, Boy Athlete, Pat Feeler; Girl

Athlete, Miss Dolores Miller. Lloyd Murphy was chosen as the boy to represent VHS at Boys' State, Miss Bernice Viessman at Girls'.

Letters were awarded on the basis of points credited on service, athletic participation, scholarship and attendance. Those in this group were Misses Dolores Jett, Darlene Tackett, Deloris Chambers, Mozella Poor, Ruth Gillispie and Lois Jean Smith; Wayne Ragan, Von Sowers, and Lloyd Murphy. Bars, a device given to qualifiers who already had received a letter, were received by Misses Bernice Viessman, Loretta Hayes, Geneva Giesler, Mary Redel and Marcella Glenn; Larry Brennan, Delmar Feeler, Jim Hodge, Neil Snodgrass and Julius Feeler.

## High Speed Internet access for 16<sup>th</sup> District communities

In order to continue efforts to promote technology access to rural Missourians, Sen. Frank Barnitz (D-Lake. Spring) today announced that high speed internet services are scheduled to be available to residents in the 16<sup>th</sup> Senate District. Residents in Argyle, Meta, Freeburg, and Vienna are expected to have access