



THE GRANT COUNTY ABSTRACT and Title Company staff honored Helen Walz, seated left, and Ava Blomquist at a party in the office Monday afternoon. The firm was formerly the Consolidated Abstract Company. It was purchased in 1922 by Fred Walz. His wife, Helen, assisted him with the work in the 1930's and later worked full time. Ava Blomquist began working for the firm in 1958. After the Abstract company was sold to Tait and Gruenwald in 1967, Mrs. Walz and Mrs. Blomquist continued working until 1972. Max Gruenwald is now the owner of the company. His employees are Norma Bracht, center, and Ruth Webb.

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