

FEES ARE JUST

Room for Improvement in the Office of County Clerk.

PROPOSED CHANGE IN CHARGES

Other Fees Appear to Be Reasonable in the County Recorder's Office.

PROSPEROUS ASHLAND.

Oregon's Southernmost City Going Ahead With Rapid Strides.

ASHLAND, Nov. 21.—(To the Editor.)—This city, most pleasantly situated on the western foothills of the famous Siskiyou Mountains, at the head of Rogue River Valley, in Jackson County, has been growing rapidly during the past year. Its present population is conservatively estimated at 3,800, the exact figures not having been reported by the census taker.

The bulk of the fees are collected in probate cases under a blanket system of \$10 for each estate whether valued at \$100 or \$100,000.

The fees exacted in the County Clerk's office, except for the \$200 fee on estates, are as follows: A marriage license, \$2.25; articles of incorporation are charged for per folio, and other papers are charged for at reasonable legal rates.

County Clerk's Duties. Clerk Holmes says that the only way to make the office self-supporting is to require every person having business in the office to pay a reasonable fee for every transaction.

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