

## CHANGES ARE MADE IN STATE GAME LAW

### Deer Season Opens On September 10 and Closes The Twentieth of Oct.

#### MUST HAVE HORNS

#### Bag Limit of Two Deer to Each Individual Is Allowed. State Divided

At the request of Game Warden Roy Parr, the Register is reprinting the synopsis of the state game laws, due to the fact that there are a few changes that are of special interest to sportsmen.

#### Open Hunting Seasons—Game District No. 1

Deer with horns, from September 10 to October 20 of each year. Bag limit, two such deer during any one season.

Silver gray squirrels, from September 15 to October 15 of each year. Bag limit, five such squirrels in any seven consecutive days; provided that there shall be no closed season on silver gray squirrels in Multnomah, Clackamas, Marion, Yamhill, Washington, Benton, Polk, Linn, Lane, Douglas and Josephine counties.

Ducks, except wood and eider ducks, geese, rails, coots, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, and greater and lesser yellowlegs, open season from October 1 to January 15 of the following year, both days inclusive. Bag limit, twenty-five of such birds in any one day and not to exceed thirty of such birds in any seven consecutive days, except that bag limit on geese shall be eight in any one day and not to exceed thirty in any seven consecutive days.

Chinese pheasants, sooty or blue grouse, ruffed grouse or native pheasants, open season from October 15 to October 31 of each year, both dates inclusive. Bag limits, four of any such birds in any one day, or eight during any seven consecutive days; provided, that not more than one female Chinese pheasant may be killed in any seven consecutive days; provided further, that there shall be no open season on Chinese pheasants in Lincoln, Tillamook, Clatsop and Curry counties in game district No. one (1) in the state of Oregon.

There shall be no open season for mountain or plumed and California or valley quail, except that in Jackson, Josephine, Coos and (Continued on Page 5)

## San Francisco Banker Likes Oregon Scenery

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kennedy and daughter Jean of San Francisco stopped over night in Ashland Tuesday. Mr. Kennedy is vice-president of the Crocker First National Bank of San Francisco, and he spent some time visiting with J. W. McCoy of the First National Bank, the two men being friends for a number of years.

The California banker has made numerous trips through Southern Oregon, and each time he becomes more impressed with the beautiful scenery he declared Wednesday morning. "We in California think we have some wonderful scenery, and we do, but I have yet to see anything that surpasses the beauties of Southern Oregon."

J. P. Fayle and George Noble left Ashland Saturday for Corvallis where they attended a picnic held in the city for former Nebraska residents. They returned to Ashland the first of the week.

Astoria—Salmon worth \$230,000 shipped out in two days.

## CONDITIONS HERE FAVORABLE AS NORTH

### Local Tire Man Visits North And Brings Home Interesting Information

"Conditions in Ashland and Southern Oregon are in just as good or better a condition than those in the north," L. L. Leedom, local tire man said today. Mr. Leedom returned Wednesday evening from a trip to the north, after visiting such cities as Seattle, Portland and Longview.

"To the average observer, the cities in the north would appear to be very active," Mr. Leedom said, "but after talking with many business people in those places, it is evident that the conditions there are below normal."

Mr. Leedom believes that the early harvest of grain in northern Oregon and Washington have livened up those sections somewhat, but he is convinced that as soon as the Southern Oregon pear crop begins to move, there will be a business stimulus here.

Of further interest is Mr. Leedom's observation of the great possibilities ahead for both the states to the north of California. As he explains it, the latter state is booming hard, and is not looking so much toward its future growth, while Oregon and Washington, with their unlimited resources, natural assets and forthcoming growth, are building slowly, but surely a future of prosperity.

## MEDICAL MISSIONARY VISITS IN ASHLAND

Dr. Royal J. Dye a medical missionary from Africa spoke Monday night at the Medford Christian Church to a very interested audience. Dr. Dye visited old friends in Ashland Tuesday morning going to Klamath Falls for the evening service.

About 20 years ago Dr. Dye raised money in Oregon to build a steamship that is used by the missionaries on the Congo river and now in order to have the boat better equipped with life savers as the law requires Dr. Dye is again visiting Oregon churches and he says that the response by the churches has been very fine.

Hattie Mitchell, a former Ashland girl, whose grandmother gave the first 50 dollars for this steam ship "Oregon," in years gone by is now located at Monodome, an out station from Bolongo, that is reached only by a water way.

Dr. Dye reported that 51 native churches in the Congo Free State are now self supporting asking no out side aid and are sending out missionaries to their own people.

Over 3000 converts were reported last year from the Congo churches in this district.

Twenty eight years ago when Dr. Dye and his family first went to Bolongo there were no hospitals and the Dr. found it very difficult to render the proper medical assistance that was required. Now there are 4 hospitals and a Dr. in charge of each one and nurses to assist. Dr. Dye was the pioneer missionary in Africa for the Christian church and found no written language, no churches no schools, no banks, and natives wearing no clothing to speak of.

The native women were very hard to reach at first but when a white baby arrived in the Dr.'s home their curiosity got the better of their fear and they had to come and see the white baby, having never seen one before.

The Dr. stated that himself and wife worked for 4 years before they ever had a convert, but were so busy that they found no time for discouragement.

It is said that at Bolongo the largest Christian Endeavor Society in the world now convenes for men, 889 being in attendance at their meetings, many times at evening service.

Mrs. S. A. Carlton on Union street, who has been spending a two weeks vacation in Northern California is expected to return the first of the week.

## First Bank in Ashland Was Established in 1885

This is the final installment of the early history of Ashland run in the Register through the courtesy of Chief of Police McNabb. This history takes Ashland up to the year 1884.

The Ashland bank was incorporated February 9, 1884, with a capital stock of \$50,000, divided into 500 shares of \$100 each. The incorporators were J. M. McCall, W. H. Atkinson and H. B. Carter.

The business of Ashland, always considerable, has increased largely of late, and the place wears a characteristic air of commercial enterprise and activity. There are four stores of general merchandise, two groceries, two hardware stores, two drug stores, one factory, one furniture store, three of millinery, two jewelry, one confectionery, and one dealer in second hand articles. Total, nineteen business houses. Then there are the woolen mills, the flour mill, the planing mills, saw mill, two cabinet shops, two carpenter shops, one marble works, two blacksmith shops, three shoe shops, one wagon making and repair shop, gunsmith, three barber shops, two watch makers, one bakery, one meat market and two paint shops, making a total of 25 establishments of the industrial order. There are four doctors, two dentists, and four lawyers. There is the common school, taught by four teachers, and the academy, taught by five. There are four real estate and a large number of fire and life insurance agencies,

with others doing business in musical instruments, sewing machines, agricultural implements, wagons, etc., aggregating thirty-eight. There is a newspaper of excellent standing. The Tidings, published weekly by W. H. Leeds, editor and proprietor. Four hotels and restaurants, a bank, two photographic galleries, two notaries public, a livery stable, two laundries, a shooting gallery, and five saloons, make up the remainder of the active institutions of the town. The population of the town was in 1854, twenty-five; in 1864, fifty; in 1874, 300; and in 1884 approximately, 1,000. The present board of trustees consists of H. C. Hill, chairman; M. L. McCall, Jacob Thompson, James Thornton, and J. W. Burris. Recorder, A. V. Gillette (deceased February, 1884); Marshal, S. D. Taylor; Treasurer, C. K. Klum, street commissioner, P. Littleton; Postmaster, A. P. Hammond. The aggregate amount of capital invested in the several departments of trade, with the value of necessary real estate, aggregates \$332,600, as ascertained by a careful canvass. The aggregate of sales for the six months preceding February 12, 1883, was \$134,714. The corresponding aggregate for the half year ending February 12, 1884, was \$267,991; showing an increase of almost exactly one hundred per cent.

Ashland has been visited in the past by several fires, more or less destructive, occurring as follows: In 1859, the post office, Kentnor's (Continued on Page 2)

## ROSENBAUM DENIES RAILROAD RUMOR

Rumors that Ashland was to lose the division point on the Southern Pacific, were characterized as being without foundation by A. S. Rosenbaum, General Agent for the Southern Pacific who was in Ashland Wednesday. "That is a matter that is not in my department," Mr. Rosenbaum stated, in discussing the matter. "I do not think that the railroad officials are planning now nor will they in the future plan on such a change. If people would but stop and think that there would be nothing gained by making such a change, such rumors would never be started."

## REGISTER WINDOW ATTRACTING MANY

An attractive window display of Oronite products was completed in the Register window this morning by Mr. Edwards, special representative of the Standard Oil Co., manufacturers of this product. The window contains, Oronite cleaning fluid, fly spray and furniture polish and is attractively arranged with a background of the Standard Oil Companies official colors, Red White, and Blue.

## McGees To Have a Special Demonstrator

Miss Ella Dahlberg, formerly at Rhodes Bros. department store in Tacoma, is at McGees dry goods store, conducting a series of demonstrations of cutting, fitting, designing and trimming ladies' dresses.

Miss Dahlberg has had wide experience with dressmaking, and is highly qualified for the work she is conducting in this city. Many women of the vicinity, have taken advantage of the offer, it is reported.

Miss Dahlberg will be here the remainder of this week and until the closing of business next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wood and daughter, Viola, from Wood's store left Ashland Saturday night for a couple of week's vacation, which will be spent near the coast, in the towns of Marshfield, Bandon. They expect to take a good rest and will do their share on filling up on clams and crabs. They will return by way of Crescent City and the Josephine Caves.

## PENNY COMPANY NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

The J. C. Penny Company opened its doors in Ashland Thursday after a three-day invoicing period. Although the store had been doing business here for over a month, its formal opening, together with its advertising and displays was not begun until this date.

The branch of the large chain store here was established recently, with the purchases of the Golden Rule store in this city, Medford and Klamath Falls.

A lease on the rooms in the Elks building, where the store is located, has been secured, and the company is now ready for business, according to Mr. Fortmiller, manager of the local branch.

## Championship Series Will Start Sunday

The first of a three game series to decide the championship of the Southern Oregon baseball league will be played Sunday at Klamath Falls between the fast Klamath aggregation and the Boas. The Klamath Falls batsmen, won the first half of the race and the Boas by defeating the same team Sunday emerged at the head of the win column for the second half.

The Boas will present a slightly changed lineup for Sundays game when McShane of Medford and Warren of Grants Pass will be seen wearing a Boas uniform. Second base and Catcher are the two positions the new men will hold down.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Bates, who left a week ago for Oakland to visit Mr. Bates brother, who has been quite ill, will return to Ashland the first of next week. Mr. Bates' brother is reported better, having been removed from the hospital on Tuesday.

President and Mrs. J. A. Churchill, and daughter, Miss Marie, departed early this morning for Crescent City. They will occupy a cottage at Pebble Beach, and will spend a three weeks vacation there.

Baker—Graveled streets in city are being oiled.

## FACTORY ADDS NEW EQUIPMENT FOR BOXES

### Sorter and Sizer, three Hundred Feet long Is Addition To Industry

#### PAYROLL IS LARGE

#### Company Is Now Employing Eighty Five Men, Overtime On Orders

A transfer chain three hundred feet long, operated by electricity and capable of sorting and sizing lumber, is the latest improvement to the box factory according to an announcement made by manager Arthur L. Coggins. This is a mammoth affair, and enables the local concern to save considerable time. The factory has been working over time, every night recently trying to catch up with the orders that are coming in for grape boxes. These are shipped to California, and according to Manager Coggins fully ninety per cent of the total output of the factory is absorbed by the California market.

#### Twenty Five Employed

The factory employs twenty-five men, while the three camps owned by the company, employ sufficient more during the summer months to bring the total up to eighty-five. This means a monthly payroll locally of \$15,000 during the season, while during the winter months the factory payroll will average \$3000 a month.

Timber used in the manufacture of boxes consists of pine, and white fir and is secured mostly from the Green Springs, Dead Indian and Siskiyou country, while a large amount is purchased from the Owens-Oregon mill at Medford.

#### Wide Demand

The boxes are sold all over the United States the greatest distance being Georgia, while the local Cannery and Fruit Association secure their entire supply from the local enterprise. Orange, Berry, Cantaloupe and Grape Boxes constitute the main output, yet the factory turns out Sash and Doors, and all kinds of finished lumber, as well as operating a retail yard.

This industry in but two years time has reached large proportions and a visit there impresses the visitor with the fact that this is one of the busiest places in Southern Oregon. The total output for the year averages five million feet of boxes, and the average car shipment is three a week. The plant is equipped with individual motors and it requires seventeen to handle the great amount of machinery used in producing the finished product.

Miss Ella Dahlberg, representative and state organizer for the Terry Dressmaking College, who is now at McGees store giving demonstrations and lessons in dressmaking, spent part of Thursday at Klamath Falls on business. Her demonstrations at McGees store are being well attended.

Mrs. Harvey Clift, who has been on a three weeks vacation from McGees store, has returned to her duties there, after having accompanied her two sisters, Misses Mae and Mable Smith, to Modesto, Calif., where they visited their brother. They also visited other points in California, and Mrs. Clift's sisters, journeyed on to Southern California, thence to their home in Broken Bow, Nebraska. Mrs. Clift returned to Ashland on Sunday.

## LITHIANS PLAN FOR MIDSUMMER FESTIVAL

### H. L. Claycomb Outlines Committee Plans For Signs On Highway

At a special meeting of the Lithians held Wednesday evening in the Chamber of Commerce, plans were completed for the staging of the Mid-summer Festival, at the Junior High school grounds, starting next Monday. The Abner K. Kline shows will be the chief attraction and Lithians were appointed to take tickets and handle other details in connection with the shows.

This attraction comes to Ashland highly recommended for its cleanliness and consists of seven different shows and other unusual features.

H. L. Claycomb chairman of a committee on signs made a report of the progress being made by his committee. With the completion of the activities outlined by Mr. Claycomb last night Ashland for the first time will have sufficient signs extending into California to really call attention to the fact that this is a delightful place to live, and has many opportunities.

The members assessed upon the appropriation of ten dollars for the slogan contest and chairman of the Slogan Committee Earl Crow reported that between 75 and 100 slogans had been received.

## CHICO MAN INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

"Bill England, of Chico, Calif. was badly bruised Wednesday night when the roadster he was in failed to make one of the sharp curves in the Siskiyou, and went over an embankment, landing on the three occupants. England was the only one injured and he was brought to Ashland, where Dr. Haines examined him, and pronounced him not seriously hurt.

## EMPTY CAR GOES OFF SISKIYOU GRADE

An empty car, the property of Mrs. F. M. Stevens of San Francisco, slid off of the Siskiyou about twelve miles out this morning and dropped three hundred feet, completely demolishing the car. The accident occurred while the occupants were on the outside changing a tire. The brakes failed to hold and the car slid down the steep embankment. Chief of Police McNabb and Traffic Officer Talent investigated the accident.

#### Cars Collide

The occupants of two cars escaped injury Wednesday morning when the machines in which they were riding crashed together at the intersection of East Main and Granite streets.

M. J. Jones, Jr., of San Francisco, was driving south, when struck by the other car, which was driven by James Locke.

Neither car was badly damaged and an agreeable settlement was made out of court.

## THIEVES BREAK INTO STANDARD OIL PLANT

Early Thursday morning thieves pried off the lock on the gates of the Standard oil bulk plant, and made a way with ten gallons of lubricating oil, and a quantity of gasoline according to local agent Earl Crow. The theft was discovered at six o'clock this morning, when employees reported for work.

Due to the fact that tire marks showed plainly on the dirt road local authorities have secured a definite clue as to the perpetrators of the crime, and their early arrest is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens departed last night for San Francisco, upon a combined business and pleasure trip. They will be gone about a week or ten days.

Mrs. Sarah Briscoe of Mendocino visited friends on B street Wednesday afternoon.

## DIRECTORS ADOPT THE BUDGET FOR CHAMBER

### Directors In Special Meeting Approve Action By Committee

#### WILL RAISE \$5835

#### Half of This Amount Will Be Taken Care of By Memberships Is Plan

Approval of a budget calling for a total of \$5835.00 to run the Chamber of Commerce for the next fiscal year was adopted at a meeting of the Board of directors Wednesday evening. This budget is about the same size as the one raised last year, and will finance such projects as advertising support of the band, and the many miscellaneous items that the organizations is called upon to handle.

The budget committee consisting of G. G. Eubanks, H. A. McNair, J. W. McCoy, Fred Engle, and W. H. Poley met recently and drew up the budget, and last night official action places it in shape for committees to start their collection.

Of the amount to be raised, \$2458.85 was taken care of last year by memberships and it is assumed that a similar amount will be subscribed in the same manner this year, leaving about half the total budget to be raised by budget subscriptions. It is expected that active work will be started immediately to raise the required fund.

## GAME WARDEN HAILS NEPHEW INTO COURT

A nephew has no more right to fish in Oregon without a license than anyone else, in the opinion of Roy Parr, Deputy State Game warden. Recently Wayne Ramsey, the state officials nephew was angling for a member of the elusive finney tribe, without first going through the formality of securing the necessary permit to do so. "Uncle" Roy in this case happened along, and hailed him into Justice Roberts court, where this morning the young man pled guilty and contributed \$25.00 to the fund that is being collected from those who would evade the fish and game laws.

## YOUTH HELD FOR THEFT OF RADIO

Miles Conley, sixteen year old Ashland youth was arrested Tuesday by Chief of Police McNabb on the charge of taking a radio set belonging to Carl Brower, 143 Van Ness Avenue. He appeared before Judge Hartwell of the Juvenile court, Thursday morning.

This is not the first difficulty the young man has gotten into according to the Chief, last fall he was connected up with a bicycle theft, but due to his youthfulness was given a severe lecture and released.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester High were in Ashland yesterday, enroute from a six weeks trip which took them to the Olympian Peninsula, Vancouver Island, and as far north as Alaska. They were on their way home to Oakland, Calif., and visited here at the home of their parents, and other relatives. Upon their departure for California, they were accompanied by Albert McCune, son of Mrs. Elsie McCune, who will go to Napa, California, where he make his home with his aunt, Miss Neva Gearhart.