

Klamath Woman Visits—Mrs. James Clark of Klamath Falls spent several days here the latter part of last week visiting friends, returning to her home in Klamath on Sunday.

Former Residents Here—Mr. and F. J. Shinn of Lynden, Washington, arrived Saturday night to spend a week at the home of their son, Dr. C. E. Shinn and their daughter, Mrs. Howard Barrett of Oak street. Mr. and Mrs. Shinn are well known here in Ashland having lived here for a great many years before moving to Washington about six years ago. Mr. Shinn was secretary of the local chamber of commerce about ten years ago.

Visits Mother—Miss Minnie Barnum of Klamath Falls spent the week-end in this city visiting her mother, Mrs. Cora Barnum on Palm avenue.

Former Student Here—Miss Patricia LaPlante of Lakeview, spent several days here last week visiting friends on her way to Los Angeles. Miss LaPlante attended the Southern Oregon Normal school last year.

To Attend to Business—Jerry O'Neal is in Ashland attending to his local trade. Though Mr. O'Neal maintains a plumbing shop in Medford he is in Ashland several days a week to attend to the wants of Ashland customers.

Called Away—Miss Nell Carter teacher in junior high received a telegram Sunday stating that her father was very ill at his home in Ontario, Oregon. She left Monday morning to be in attendance at his bedside. Mrs. H. C. Galey will act as her substitute, possibly until the end of the term.

Fort Klamath Man Here—Jerry Sisemore of Fort Klamath was a week-end visitor in Ashland.

Spent Week-end—John Enders spent the week-end in Klamath Falls, visiting his wife and young daughter.

Visited Friends Here—Will Weeden of Klamath Falls visited his daughter, Miss Lois Weeden, who is a house guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Sams, of Third street.

Sunday in Medford—Mrs. Elsie Churchman and Mrs. E. C. Thompson spent Sunday in Medford, visiting friends. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ferguson.

Looking After Business—O. F. Carson was looking after business interests down the valley during the past week.

Returned Home—Mrs. Henry Shaver of Seventh street, has returned home after several months' visit in the East.

Visits Mother—Miss Hazel Shaver, who is teaching at Shale City, spent the week-end in Ashland with her mother. Miss Shaver has one more week to teach.

Return from Conference—Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Wiley of Walnut street returned recently from the Nazarene conference at Portland.

Bellview School Closes—The Bellview school closed last Friday with a picnic. Mrs. Bertha McKinny was one of the instructors in this school.

Leave for Summer Home—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Peachey of Lincoln street left last week for Lookout Station, out from Applegate, where they expect to spend the summer.

MAYORS PLAN OF PARKING DEFEATED

Council Votes to Keep Present Arrangement On Main Streets ENFORCE ORDINANCE

One Hour Parking Limit Will be Enforced, Starting Today, Says Mayor

"Hereafter one hour parking will be enforced. If it takes one policeman, all right, if it takes two, all right, or it takes more, this section of the parking ordinance will be strictly enforced hereafter," Mayor J. H. Thornton told members of the city council last night at a special meeting called to consider the changing of the present plan of parking to a parallel plan. The parallel plan will not go into effect, it was decided at this meeting after the council had voted on the matter and after a general statement by the mayor in favor of the proposition had been answered by several prominent business men.

Takes All Blame
Mayor Thornton in his opening remarks on the matter asserted that he did not want to blame the Chief of Police, City Engineer Malone or the council for making the proposal to change the plan, that it was his idea, and if there was any criticism it should be directed to him. He then declared that ninety per cent of the towns he had investigated had parallel parking, and that in view of the fact that every effort was being made to attract tourists to Ashland, he thought that the city should be made as convenient and as good looking as possible.

Businessmen of the town were called to task for circulating a petition against the proposed change without first consulting the city officials and looking over the plan that the mayor wanted to establish.

Lack Confidence.
"I do not believe some of the business men have much confidence in the mayor and council or they would have consulted us before circulating the petition," Mayor Thornton said. He further stated that the issue was largely a personal one, in that the individuals interested feared their business would be affected and he brought out the question of trucks unloading in front of business houses, affecting the parking of cars. He closed his talk by referring to an accident in which a little boy was accidentally killed, and declared that he felt that the city was responsible for the boy's death because of diagonal parking.

Hardy Opens Argument
J. H. Hardy fired the first gun for the business interests that

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ONE RURAL ROUTE USED FOR ASHLAND

Hubert Bentley to have a Route About Fifty-one Miles Long

The two rural routes operating from the Ashland postoffice will be combined into one, beginning June 1st, and the consolidated route, which will be nearly fifty one miles long, will be handled as Route No. 1 by Hubert Bentley as carrier. Frank Beswick, present carrier on Route No. 2, will be assigned to the rural route out of Talent postoffice, in which a vacancy has existed by reason of the death of the regular carrier several months ago. Postmaster Wagner received instructions on Monday to put the above order into effect and states that it seems to be in line with a general policy of the Postoffice Department to consolidate and lengthen rural routes wherever practicable when vacancies exist in carrier service.

Twelve applications to take a civil service examination to fill the Talent vacancy had been filed and the examination had been called for Saturday, May 26th.

MANY LEAVE FOR GRAND LODGE MEET

I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs to Hold State Gathering at Roseburg.

Among local people who left last night and this morning for Roseburg to attend the grand lodge of the I. O. O. F. order and the Rebekah assembly were: Messdames Anna Myer, Fern Randles, E. C. Payne, Hazel Fern, George Eib, Bess Crouch, Bell Schwein, Lena Nelson Nellie Madden and Louise Perozzi. Men from here who will attend the grand lodge sessions are: D. Perozzi, Charles Hooper, George Trefren, John Murphy, Milton Nichols, Guy Randles and L. S. Brown.

Mrs. D. Perozzi will act in the capacity of vice-president at the sessions and during the last day will be inducted into the office of president of the Rebekah assembly for the state of Oregon. Not only is this a great honor to Mrs. Perozzi, but to Ashland as well as this is the first time Ashland has been recognized with one of her citizens at the head of the state order. Following her initiation into the high office she will travel throughout the state making official calls upon the many different lodges and advising them in matters of doubt concerning important questions that arise in the lodges.

Bankers' Association Meets at Klamath

The Bankers' association of Southern Oregon, comprising the counties of Jackson, Josephine and Klamath, held their last meeting of the season last Saturday at Klamath Falls, with J. W. McCoy of Ashland, president of the association, presiding. Elwood Hedberg, also of Ashland, is secretary and Vernon Vawter of Medford is vice-president.

John P. Duge of the Oregon Bond and Trust company in Klamath Falls, gave a talk on banking; R. C. Grosbeck, Klamath attorney spoke on legal trade phases in the banking business. Music was furnished throughout the banquet which was served in the chamber of commerce rooms.

Members of the association from Ashland were: J. W. McCoy, Fred Engle, V. O. N. Smith, Chas. Robertson, Hal Emory, S. A. Peters, Jr., and Elwood Hedberg.

This meeting concluded this season's activities. The fall meeting will convene in Ashland on the fourth Tuesday in September.

Seriously Ill
Mrs. C. E. Dudley who has been a patient at the Southern Oregon Sanitarium for several days is reported considerably improved. Mrs. Dudley has been quite seriously ill.

Baccalaureate Services Were Held Last Sunday Evening

The local high school students of the graduating class of 1928 were honored last Sunday with Baccalaureate services held for them in the Methodist Episcopal church, approximately 75 students being in attendance.

Local ministers assisting in the union services were: Rev. Mitchelmore of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Dunham of the Baptist church; Rev. Murphey of the Bible Standard church, Rev. Gaffney of the Congregational church, Rev. Barney of the Christian church and Rev. Pemberton of the M. E. church.

As the students marched in to the center section which had been reserved for them and members of the faculty, and marked with the class colors of green and gold the entire congregation arose. Ushers for the occasion were the juniors, Floy Young, Audrey Brown, Mary Adamson and Irma May.

Rev. Mitchelmore presided at the opening of the services; Rev. Dunham offered the prayer for the occasion; Rev. Gaffney had charge of the responsive scripture lesson; Rev. Barry read the

scripture lesson; Rev. Pemberton delivered the main address and Rev. Murphey pronounced the benediction.

During his especially fine address, Rev. Pemberton urged the members of the graduating class to take the Bible for their guide through life, and Christ for their leader. He also stressed that knowledge is far more precious than money, pointing out that to be great one must also be able and willing to serve, acting at times in the capacity of slave and servant. Rev. Pemberton mentioned that all great men were believers in Christ. His discourse was a sermon on the refining and uplifting influences of religion on education, the two essentials combined providing the harmonious combination that makes for success and happiness.

Special music for the occasion included: an anthem by the Methodist choir under the direction of G. H. Yeo; vocal solo by Miss Beulah Hussey and mixed quartette by Jean Anderson, Regina Johnson, G. H. Yeo, and George Mason with Mrs. Frank Davis at the piano.

Local Bankers Have Close Call

A serious accident was miraculously escaped last Saturday night, when the lights suddenly went out on Fred Engle's car, the car luckily running into the bank and turning over, spilling out its occupants, S. A. Peters, Jr., and Charles Robertson, who were in company with Mr. Engle and were returning from Klamath Falls from a bankers' meeting.

The accident occurred a short distance this side of Keno. Mr. Engle was driving slowly when suddenly without warning the lights went out, but before the car could be stopped it ran into the hillside and overturned. The car fortunately overturned on the curve toward the hillside on the other side of the road, the precipitous banks led to Klamath River. Though the car was overturned, none of the party was seriously injured, all being able to resume their work in the Citizens' bank Monday. Mr. Engle is suffering with a stiff neck, Mr. Robertson with minor bruises and S. A. Peters, Jr., is somewhat weakened due to loss of blood from a severed artery in one finger, as a consequence of the accident.

J. W. McCoy was following the party, as was also John Enders, who was returning to Ashland from Klamath. They gave aid to the injured men, bringing them to Ashland where local physicians gave them attention.

The overturned car was towed back to Keno and though it was slightly damaged, Mr. Engle was able to drive it home, Sunday.

To Move to Vallejo

Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Tomlinson, who have been spending a few weeks' vacation visiting in California cities, have decided to locate in Vallejo, where Mr. Tomlinson has accepted a position with the Vallejo Ice and Storage company. Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson will probably sell their property on Oak street. Mr. Tomlinson was formerly connected with the Ashland Ice plant, previous to the illness that forced him to resign his position and seek a different climate in the effort to rebuild his health. The Tomlinsons have made many friends in Ashland during their several years' residence, and they will be missed in social and civic activities where they enjoyed prominent places.

Picnic Planned

The Junior Church members and the Junior department of the local M. E. Church will participate in a picnic on Saturday afternoon in Lithia Park.

Following the supper baseball and other games will be indulged in. Miss Bertha Pease, deaconess of the church and Mrs. Van Fossen head of the Junior department, have the affair in charge.

EXCELLENT SHRINE PICTURES RECEIVED

J. M. Watkins Receives Splendid Collection from Florida Friends

J. M. Watkins of Laurel street has a splendid collection of pictures of the various Shrine activities at the recent convention held in Miami, Florida, depicting the different patrols in the parade and the magnificent archways and buildings especially erected for the affair. The pictures were sent Mr. Watkins by a Florida friend, and are wonderful specimens of photography. Mr. Watkins, who is an amateur photographer of much ability, has also a number of beautiful pictures of Oregon scenery, especially of local fruit orchards that show much skill and artistry on the part of the photographer. He has an especial equipment that he applies to his camera for the taking of flowers which brings them out with exceptional clearness and beauty. He has also purchased a motion picture machine for his own use and will take pictures of his kiddies to preserve through the years. He will also take pictures of local interest and embracing educational value which will probably be shown in the churches in connection with the young folks' work.

More Than Hundred Soldiers Visit Here

Soldiers numbering 110 passed through Ashland last Saturday, enroute from Fort Worden, Washington, to San Francisco, where they were called in accordance with the extensive troop movement to the Orient for the protection of American lives and properties in the war zone.

The boys were occupying three coaches on the south bound train and are part of the 14th Coast Artillery, which includes the members of Battery A. While in the Lithia City the boys took advantage of the hour's stay to visit the park.

Tulip Bed Attractive

A large tulip bed about 12 by 18 feet on the old Tozier lot on Laurel street has been attracting considerable attention this spring. The flower bed, which was under the care of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watkins, who purchased the lot from Mr. Tozier last year, has been unusually beautiful with its riot of vivid coloring, dark red tulips shaded to pure white, orange blent with pale yellow, and softer shades of saffron, lavender, coral, peach, purple and scarlet, swaying gracefully in the breeze and flaunting their loveliness not only upon the eye of the passerby, but lending their brightness to the sickroom. Mrs. Watkins has generously given to shut-ins and to friends, and yet the bed remains a glory.

Mr. Tozier planted the bulbs which were the best procurable and took great pleasure in experimenting with the different varieties, producing new specimens. The Watkins plan on improving and adding to the bed next spring for the sheer joy of the thing.

AGAIN CIRCULATION WINS

Three successful sales, and the Register was the choice of all three advertisers, to carry the majority of their sale advertising.

Miller's Toggery, McGee's and Isaacs' just recently completed the best sales in the history of their stores. In every sale the Register was the choice for a double page opening advertisement, and in every case follow up advertising, including quarter, half and full page advertisements were used in the Register.

The foundation of newspaper advertising in circulation, and the Register, reaching 95 per cent of the farm homes in Southern Oregon and Northern California, and 75 per cent of the homes in Ashland, played an important part in the success of these sales.

Another significant fact regarding these three sales was that in every case it was not a question of price. The advertisers did not know until after the sale what the bill would be. Yet they bought not only advertising space, but other printed matter as well and they bought it freely with a sense of security.

From past experience they knew they would not be overcharged, gouged or advised to use useless space, simply to see the profit side of the newspaper mount up, and in every case these merchants expressed complete satisfaction with the Register's part in their sale.

TRADE ON TIMBER TO REACT ON COUNTY TAX

Recent Laws Passed by Congress to Remove Much from Tax Roll AFFECT THIS COUNTY

Jackson County Stands to Lose Thousands of Dollars as Result of Act

What many people believe will prove to be a very serious thing for Jackson county is the recent law passed by Congress whereby owners of timber located within six miles of government owned forests may be exchanged for timber withing the reserve thereby taking off of the tax rolls many thousands of acres of lands which are now bringing in revenue to the county and state.

Very little publicity was given to this act while it was before the federal congress and its passage is not generally known even today. Experienced people connected with timber operations expect the owners of cut over land to begin soon to make application for an exchange of their lands for the government owned timber. While the forest reserves already constitute a large share of the lands in Southern Oregon the new law virtually enlarges these domains and includes all lands within six miles of the present forest boundaries.

Local business interests wired our representatives in Congress advising against hurried action and asked for more time to consider the ramifications of this act. The measure, however, went through both houses and was signed by President Coolidge.

It is understood that local county officers have not as yet complete information on this bill, but those desirous of securing additional information may do so by communicating with Oregon representatives in Congress.

Special Notice

To Stockholders of the Lithia Springs Hotel:

A meeting of the stockholders will be held Thursday evening, May 24th for the purpose of discussing matters of vital importance to the hotel company. Stockholders are urged to attend this meeting, rather than send proxies.

S. A. PETERS, Secretary.

D. A. R. Meeting

The D. A. R. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. P. Dodge on the Boulevard at two thirty o'clock Thursday afternoon, May 24th. The afternoon will be taken up with the regular business of the chapter.

THE REGISTER'S EXTRA

The Register was the only Southern Oregon newspaper to give the complete Ashland unofficial election returns on Saturday morning. Only two voting precincts were missing in the Register's tabulation of the voting in this vicinity and they were outside the city limits. At four o'clock the final precinct reported in, and but a short time later the Register was on the street and in the mail, giving a complete report of Ashland's part in the primary election.

To render this service required working all night, many trips to the various polling places and a careful tabulation of the votes in this office. The many expressions of appreciation received amply repaid us for the extra service rendered. The Register is being built on a foundation of service, and we firmly believe in the service club's slogan:

"He who serves best, profits most."