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**COUNCIL OKAYS POLICE DRIVE ON TRAFFIC ABUSES**

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ter on which the discussion and favorable action of the council was based:

**Explains Police Needs**  
"In starting the enforcement of our traffic regulations today (Tuesday) it was our idea to take such action because of the opening of school. Before taking the necessary steps to handle the situation, however, I talked over our plans with most of the city officials and, without an exception, met with a hearty response. The only difficulty in taking care of the traffic in a thorough manner was the lack of adequate personnel in the department, and we will be obliged to make some financial arrangement, since the extra outlay was not included in the 1937 budget.

"When the present management of the police department took over the work, there were no activities connected therewith besides regular police work. At the suggestion of Mayor Wiley we decided to take on all activities which might be of benefit to Ashland citizens and the community at large. With this in view, we secured the approval of the secretary of state and the county clerk permitting the department to handle the issuance of temporary automobile licenses as well as dog licenses, both of which not only meet with the approval of many people living for miles around Ashland, saving them a trip to Medford when in need of these licenses, but it also brings to the city an annual revenue of approximately \$750. Many other services also have been added to the work of the department, making it an asset to the whole community.

"In order to properly execute these services it is necessary that someone be in the office at all times. We do not have enough men to maintain regular office hours if one officer checks traffic during an entire daytime shift. We are working our officers not less than 10 hours each day, and many times longer, with only one day off every two weeks, and I do not feel like adding to their already long hours. We have therefore planned a schedule, by adding a half-time man, which will take care of the situation adequately, and we herewith make the suggestion that the revenue derived from the above two activities be transferred from the general fund to a police fund to take care of traffic regulation, at least until January 1, 1938. At that time you may think it advisable to take care of the matter through inclusion in the 1938 budget.

"In conclusion, I want to say that we expect to handle the traffic rules with efficiency and justice to all operators of vehicles. There are two ways we can do this: by making some arrangement to pay for the extra half-time man, or to give up the extra activities of the department such as outlined above and devote our exclusive time to traffic and general police work, the same as they are doing in other cities. The latter alternative, however, would detract from the value of the police department by at least 50 per cent, besides eliminating a nice profit on the license activities after taking care of the expense of the extra half-time officer."

**ARCH BARKSDALES PARENTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Barksdale are the proud parents of a six and three-quarter pound daughter, Beverly Ann, born Monday morning at the Community hospital. Mother and child are getting along splendidly.



**AN ALL-STAR, three-ply mat card is scheduled for Monday night's Medford armory presentation by Promotor Mack Lillard, it was announced yesterday. Toots Estes will face Les Wolfe in the top bout, Marshall Carter and Gorilla Pogi in the middle bout and Bobby Wagner will meet young Zibby Zbysko, pictured above, in the curtain-raiser at 8:30 p. m.**

**Hunting Out Sports**

By LARRY HUNTER

JUST when we had our mouths all shaped to berate Medford, as is the usual procedure at the start of a football season in Ashland, what should appear in the Medford daily but a touching and very true tribute to the probable prowess of Skeet O'Connell's 1937 Grizzlies!

So, even though a flock of rumors flew into town early this week to the effect that the Medford Tiger was suffering from its traditional early autumn attack of growing pains including only three lettermen back to the Bowerman beck and call, and other such football catastrophes, it must be admitted that our vituperative plans had all the wind let out of them.

At any rate, everyone in Ashland is overjoyed that the local high school will be able to help Medford in at least one respect. This year it will not be necessary—a wail over there last year, in the face of a 6-6 tie with the O'Connellmen, was that there was no competition hereabouts—for the Tiger to go clear to Eugene to take a 44-0 shellacking! We hope, we hope, we hope!

O'Connell may not have the best high school football team in the country this year but he will have the makings of as classy a backfield aggregation as is likely to carry any pigskins to market in these parts, plus a better-than-average line built around that chunky Dutchman, Roland Scheidreiter, who spends all fall looking at the world from an upside-down angle as he centers the pill.

Carrying three stripes of experience and about 200 pounds of logging camp hardened avoirdupois into the fray, big Steve Fowler should be the line-plungingest, hardhittingest fullback Ashland has seen in many a year. Even so, he will have to hustle

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every minute to steal starring honors away from two lighter boys, Charlie Warren and Jim McNair.

Young "Chas" has amazed Ashland football fans each season lately under the colors of the junior high school, and last year as a left-handed whirlwind which spun again and again from the Ashland backfield to the intense dismay and almost complete deflation of the Black Tornado of Medford high school. This year he's bigger and better physically.

**Surprise No. 1, however, should be McNair, who has developed from what looked last year like a run-of-the-mill halfback into one of the shiftest broken-field runners one could wish for. Head held level, he's been keeping up a fast swivel-hipped gait in every practice session, getting out into the clear repeatedly without having a hand laid on him and rattling off the few tacklers who manage to get close enough for a good try. And when he's in the clear, look out! His feet just naturally seem to get homesick for the goal line stretch.**

If young Jamie has the midriff contents variously known as fighting spirit, intestinal fortitude and guts, there won't be a linesman in southern Oregon who can stop him consistently without a pole-axe in each hand.

Furman Carter, another wallop-ing big backfield regular, has been so busy scratching poison oak this week that he's called off football temporarily, and freckle-faced Gale Rush also joined the awkward squad when he ventilated the palm of his hand with a 22 the other day, but when that bunch is complete again in a couple or three weeks, why—well, see for yourselves!

And never forget Bob Gregory, a pint-sized speedball from junior high ranks who has been doing some nice practice field blocking in right halfback position; Bruce Schilling, last year's end who is showing his wares at tackle this season; "Tiny" Jones, an end recruited from basketball ranks; big Jim Brady, whose summer spent at pulling off a green chain won't hurt his strength, particularly, and several others.

Considerable red tape strung around the situation of a player who fails to remain in school for the last six weeks of the preceding spring may cost O'Connell the services of 200-pound Bud Etwiler, but loss of the big guard is the only noticeable gloom-cloud on the Ashland horizon.

**HILTS NEWS**

- Mr. and Mrs. W. Gran were in Ashland Saturday.
- Warren Hayllas has gone to Medford, where he will attend high school.
- Jean Harris celebrated her 10th birthday anniversary Friday with a party attended by Babe and Bethel Burnheisel, Lois and June Vieira, Gladys Quamme, Violet Mae Soares, Robert Harris and Gene Gilberg. Mrs. Gilberg assisted Mrs. Harris.
- W. W. Walker and Edward Eckwall spent the week-end at McArthur and Alturas visiting Walker's brother, Marion Walker, and his father, Godfrey Walker.
- Mr. and Mrs. Myron Temple returned to their home in Oakland Tuesday.

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