

BLACKOUT OBSERVANCE TONITE

To the farmers, fruit and truck raisers, poultrymen and stockmen, their wives, heirs and handmaidens: The Miner has no "yaller" restricted parking line in front of its office, nor have we petitioned the city to erect a glaring red sign to mark a private parking spot on the main stem for our jalopy. It reposes snugly in an alley, leaving an open space on Main street for you and you and you when you visit our friendly little city. Use it whenever in town just as long as you... as the traffic rules will permit.

Last week we welcomed the homecoming of our own Battery B. Tonight Ashland women will rejoice in the return of their reconstructed stew pans.

THIS AND THAT

By OLD TIMER To the Editor: The old question--when is Indian summer?--is to the fore again. Has it already come or will it arrive later? Dr. E. Bates, adviser on Indian extension at Cornell university, says the time is definitely around full moon in November after the first hard frosts. The reason? Well, the answer is in the legend of the Great Spirit who gave the "lazy farmer" a second chance to harvest. Dr. Bates says he found this legend among various Indian tribes.

Probably if "jay walking" was obsolete motorists could focus their entire attention on pedestrians using the safety lanes. Car drivers would fare badly if they attempted to drive their cars down public sidewalks, jeopardizing those walking, yet many pedestrians, while claiming all sidewalk rights, assume they are entitled to the streets as well. Caution when walking or driving is the surest means of avoiding accidents.

And the pride of our top-notch institutions of learning appears to be in their beefy football gladiators.

Maybe the cantonment will emerge from the blackout. Hey, George!

Capacity Crowd at Rotary Luncheon

100 percent attendance of the Rotary club coupled with 14 visitors made a capacity crowd at the Rotary luncheon Thursday noon.

Speakers at the luncheon were the Rev. Victor Phillips, pastor of the Klamath Falls Methodist church, and E. R. Moberly who works with the defense savings department, Washington, D. C. Rev. Phillips spoke on the development of progress in the world, pointing out the progress in science, business and other lines but raised the question of whether such progress is real without the development of man himself. Moberly praised Oregon's support in the defense savings campaign and emphasized that defense savings stamps are a defense measure deserving of everyone's support.

Court Proceedings

Cases appearing before Justice M. T. Burns in the justice court this past week include the following:

- Roscoe Roberts was fined \$1.50 and costs for driving with improper lights. Rube Defoor, guilty of hunting without a license was fined \$25 and costs. Effie Louise Tarbell paid \$1 and costs for driving without a tail light. James Whitting, guilty of violation of the basic rule, was fined \$5.50 and costs. William Curtis Jr. received a fine of \$1 and costs for failure to stop at a highway intersection.

QUARTERBACKS TO HAVE RESERVED SECTION TONITE

Bert Miller, president of the Ashland Quarterback Club reports that the club will occupy a reserved section of the stand at tonight's game and urges all members to be present.

As a special feature, it is reported that Virgil Jackson is getting a Quarterback band in shape for its first appearance.

MRS. O. WINTER and Companion Are Invited to Be Guests of the Southern Oregon Miner To See Their Choice of the Following Varsity Theater Programs: (Friday and Saturday) "MAN HUNT" and "SHADOWS ON THE STAIRS" (Sunday, Monday, Tuesday) "WILD GESE CALLING" Please Call at The Miner Office for Your Guest Tickets

AHS-YREKA TILT AT 8:30 TONIGHT

Because of the practice blackout tonight about 8 o'clock, school officials have postponed the starting time of the Ashland-Yreka game until 8:30 and advise the public not to come to the field until after the blackout.

Martin Herrin, big main string tackle of the Ashland high Grizzlies football team, and Dick Finnerl, reserve end, will both be out of tonight's game with Yreka to be played on Walter Phillips field, beginning at 8 o'clock. Both boys have been sick all week. Herrin's doctor said he would examine the former backfield man's condition today but doubted if he would be able to see action until next week. Head Coach Frank O'Neil said neither will play.

Charley Jandreau, who has been suffering a knee and ankle injury for the past month, will be able to start the game tonight, according to O'Neil. The injury is not entirely healed but he has been pronounced fit to play. All the rest of the squad are in fine condition and are pointing to a win over the undefeated Miners.

Yreka is leading its league, having defeated Weed and Dunsuir twice each and also stepped out of the circuit to trounce the Klamath Falls Wildcats with the use of their second and third string players. According to word drifting up from the county seat the players are looking forward to upsetting the favored Ashland Grizzlies.

The AHS girls' drill team, led by Majorettes Yvonne Christlieb, Shirley Crosby and Margaret Moseley, will perform during the halftime intermission.

NOV. 2-8 SET AS BOOK WEEK

"Forward With Books" is the slogan of Book week, which will be celebrated at the Ashland public library Nov. 2-8. Book week first was observed 23 years ago, with the purpose of dramatizing and intensifying national interest in children's reading. Since then children's books have received increasing attention in magazines, club programs and on the radio.

The Ashland public library will observe Book week in the children's department through special story hours at the library and in the school rooms, and through displays in the library reading room of new books. There will be free lists of books for parents who desire suggestions in the selection of gift books or in guidance of their children's reading. The schools also have been working on plans for a celebration of Book week.

A new feature this year will be Public Library day Thursday, Nov. 6. On this date all the citizens of Ashland are invited to attend open house at their library. Listen for Book week radio programs for both children and adults during the week of Nov. 2-8, as all national networks will give books special attention.

JELLYVIEW NEWS

- Mrs. Lora Carver of Myrtle Point is spending several days with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Holman. Miss Hester Wing of The Dalles arrived Sunday night for a week's visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Heilmeyer. Hester is a graduate of a Medford beauty college and is operating a shop in The Dalles. Mr. and Mrs. William Turner were dinner guests Sunday of friends in Central Point. Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hull were transacting business in Montague Calif. last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Martir were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Kortl in Ashland. Miss Barbara Warren who has been employed the past several weeks in a beauty shop at Coquille, arrived home last week for an indefinite stay with her parents. Mrs. Dale Modeen entertained at dinner one day last week in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Harris Olsen. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Olsen of Medford and Mrs. Meyers of Phoenix. The Bellview grange will give their first dance of the season Saturday night. Mrs. Albert Arnold and Floyd Carter will be on the committee. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bohn and son Mickey have moved from the Henniger place to a place on Nut-

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The Call America Heeds



The Red Cross nurse is the symbol of the 1941 American Red Cross Roll Call poster, appealing to all men and women to join their local Chapters during the annual Roll Call. Bradshaw Crandell, distinguished poster artist, painted the poster and Frances Fedden is the model.

Uniforms Issued to School Safety Patrol

Members of the school safety patrol were issued their uniforms Wednesday afternoon and given instructions regarding their duties in guarding the safety of the school children at the school crosswalks.

The official uniform consists of yellow helmets and Sam Brown belts issued through the police department and white raincoats provided by the Lions club.

Taking part in the presentation of the uniforms were School Supt. Theo J. Norby, Chief of Police C. P. Talent, Officer Parker Hess and members of the Lions safety committee.

Four boys were selected from each of the Lincoln, Washington and junior high schools for patrol duty. The remainder of this week was spent in practice patrol work in preparation for active duty which will commence on Monday morning.

Lions Take Lead in Bowling League

The Lions club nosed into the lead in the bowling league Monday night when their win over the Elks placed them ahead of the Tavern team which was holding top honors. Best series of the evening was rolled by Bob Biscoff of the Tavern team who totaled 500. Single game honors were shared by Hauffe and Mulder both of whom rolled 195.

Next week's competition will find Hill versus Elks and Grevhounds versus Selbys at 7 p. m. and Provosts versus the Lions at 9 p. m.

Table with 3 columns: Team, W, L. Lions 14 7, Greyhound 13 8, Hill 12 8, Elks 11 16, Provosts 7 14, Selbys 6 15

See the Ashland-Yreka football game tonight, 8:30, at the Walter Phillips field.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. R. E. Nickerson, former Ashland resident, Oct. 15 at Fresno, Calif.

State Police Halt Car Stealing Youths

Four youths from Spokane, Wash. had their car-stealing spree cut short Wednesday night about seven miles south of Ashland when the state police caught them in a stolen car belonging to Mrs. Maude Friderger of Ashland.

The boys, Ray Turnbow, 16, Frank J. Buranovitch, 15, Don P. Anderson, 16 and Robert John Cooper, 15, had stolen the Friderger car in Ashland about two hours before they were apprehended. With them at the time of the arrest was another lad, John Thomas Falwell who claimed to be a hitchhiker, but he also is being held for questioning. Prior to their Ashland venture the boys had stolen a Buick in Canyonville and a '36 Ford in Medford.

The group is being held in Medford until action is taken on the case.

MINER ASSISTS NAVY CAMPAIGN

In connection with the current campaign for naval enlistments, Bill Savin will act as navy editor for the Southern Oregon Miner to help the navy in giving ambitious local young men information about the opportunities the "Two-ocean Navy" offers them for technical training and advancement as they serve their country in its emergency.

According to an announcement made public in Washington, a limited number of additional men between the ages of 17 and 50 will be given a chance, by enlistment in the navy or naval reserve, to get to the top, with big pay, in jobs which by their aptitude and as a result of examination they show themselves fitted for among nearly 50 different trades and vocations.

These include such callings as aviation machinist, dental technician, photographer, diesel engineer, radio technician, electrician, welder, storekeeper and baker. Enlisted men may also qualify for commissions as officers.

Beginning this week, the navy plans for a limited time to accept new qualified men for training. These men will be sent to one of four naval training stations and may have a chance to go to a navy trade school even before assignment to the fleet. During this period they will be given regular navy pay and the navy's free schooling is valued at hundreds of dollars.

Among the advantages offered by the navy is the possibility of an increase of pay to as much as \$126 a month during the first enlistment and this includes food and lodging as well as free sports and entertainment.

The Miner navy editor has a supply of free illustrated booklets from Washington for all men interested and he will welcome inquiries from young men who wish to look into the new and greater opportunities the navy now offers for training for future civilian careers as they serve their country now in its emergency.

Study Offered Sunday School Teachers

The extension department of the Southern Oregon College of Education is offering a course in "Pedagogy for Sunday School Teachers" for teachers, officers and others interested. Registration and the first class period will be held at the Methodist church Tuesday evening, Nov. 4 and it is urged that Sunday school teachers and officers of every denomination attend this first class without charge. The classes will be held for six consecutive Tuesday evenings at the Methodist church and an enrollment fee of \$3 will be charged for the course.

The course will consider such subjects as "The Purpose of Christian Education" and "How May Christian Motives be Developed?" rather than discussing doctrinal matters. Prof. Loren Messenger of the psychology department of the college will be the instructor.

BLACKOUT PLANS OUTLINED BY MARTIN

Ed Martin, head of the Jackson county air warning service, emphasized the importance of full public cooperation in the practice blackout in a brief talk at the Lions club Tuesday evening.

He outlined the plans for the mock air invasion and the intricate setup of the air warning service which has been in action this week. He also reviewed details of the blackout plans and answered questions of the members regarding their individual responsibilities.

WARNINGS TO PLUNGE CITY INTO DARKNESS

INSTRUCTIONS TO PUBLIC

- 1. At sound of warning turn off all lights visible from outside. Do not pull main switches. Cover windows where turning off light is impracticable. 2. All outside lights should be extinguished--except those marking radio towers or air obstructions. 3. When outdoors, remain stationary -- do not cross streets. Do not smoke or expose any light. 4. If driving a car, pull over to the curb or roadside and turn off your lights and motor. Do not park in front of fire plug, hospital entrance or at street intersection and do not block center of street which may be required for emergency vehicles. 5. Stores and industrial plants should have someone on duty during blackout to be responsible for extinguishing the lights and the protection of property. 6. Please obey promptly any instructions given by air raid wardens, firemen or policemen.

Two long blasts by the city siren and whistles at the Pine Box company, Sugar Pine company and the Southern Pacific roundhouse will be the "lights out" signal to Ashland residents marking the beginning of the first blackout in this section.

The blackout will form a part of army air corps maneuvers in the northwest and will provide an opportunity to test the local civilian defense units. The blackout will extend throughout most of western Oregon from Ashland to Portland and comes as a climax to the daylight raids which have been staged the last three days testing out the civilian defense aircraft warning system.

The main bomber flight for which the blackout will be held will be over Ashland between 7:30 and 8:30. Ed Martin, head of the Jackson county air warning service has indicated that the blackout will last for only about 10 minutes and urges that the public will cooperate 100 percent in order to give the air forces and civilian defense units a real test. School officials already have cooperated to the extent of postponing the Yreka-Ashland football game to 8:30 in order to avoid the confusion of heavy traffic and crowds during the blackout.

The "all clear" signal following the blackout will be one long blast.

Bible Auditorium Ads Are Criticised

The advertising of the Community Bible auditorium drew the criticism of the Ashland Ministerial association at their regular meeting at the Ashland hotel Wednesday.

In connection with this matter the group passed the following resolution:

"Inasmuch as a movement is in operation in our city under the caption of 'Community' Bible Auditorium, and since there is no indication of its true nature in its advertising, the Ashland Ministerial association wishes to make the following facts known to the citizens of this community:

"First, the movement is purely Seventh Day Adventist, and second, it is not supported by any of the churches represented in the Ashland Ministerial association and is therefore not a 'community' movement."

Other items considered were the union Thanksgiving service scheduled for Nov. 19 with Rev. Earl Downing as speaker and the extension course to be given for Sunday school teachers.

See the Ashland-Yreka football game tonight, 8:30, at the Walter Phillips field.

MRS. ALICE JILLSON

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the J. P. Dodge and Sons funeral parlor for Mrs. Alice Jillson, 72, who passed away Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vern Cary. Dr. George W. Bruce officiated. Mrs. Jillson was active in the Methodist church, American War Mothers and WCTU. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Vern Cary, and three granddaughters, Alice Jane, Barbara and Carmen Cary, all of Ashland.