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Police Report Is Given To Council By Chief Talent

173 Arrests and Convictions Made a Total of \$2,513.60 Cash Receipts

Report of Ashland Police Department for the period from January 1st, 1946 to July 1st, 1946 was submitted to the Mayor and councilmen July 1st.

Total cash receipts for this period show 2,513.60 with a total of 173 arrests and convictions made. Thirty-three drunk and disorderly cases were the greatest single category of cases brought into courts.

Chief of Police Talent stated that the first half of 1946 had been about average in so far as police activities were concerned. They had five felony cases, all bringing convictions and prison commitments. One case of insanity committed to the State Hospital. There were 91 cases of overtime and other parking violations where \$1.00 bail was posted and forfeited and there were 82 cases of a more serious nature cited into court with convictions in each case.

Juvenile delinquency does not seem to be on the increase in Ashland, Talent said, "as it is reported to be in most other communities, since we had only 14 juvenile cases during this period, which is about the average number for the same length of time."

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burns and four sons and Janet Campbell spent Sunday at the Lake o' Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and family of Eagle Point, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed Sunday.

Mrs. Dona Caraway of Los Angeles, California is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cannon. She returned home with Mrs. Cannon and Herman D. last Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Hall of McMinville and Mrs. Kit Brice of Salem, sisters, will spend the next ten days or two weeks with Mrs. Henry Newton of 916 Iowa Street Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Brice have many friends here that will be happy to see them. Mrs. Hall was the wife of the late Mr. Sidney Hall, who was the Methodist minister here in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parritt entertained the following guests with a picnic in their backyard one evening this week: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kaegi, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Moser, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Bord, and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Church.

Mrs. B. J. Krug, daughter of Mrs. Nelle Burns, is assisting her mother at the Burns Agency. She plans to work part time there.

Many Eastern Stars Guests at Breakfast

Mrs. Lorena McNair, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Oregon, served breakfast to a hundred guests at her home last Sunday morning. The breakfast was served in the beautiful landscaped backyard of Mrs. McNair's home.

The guests were members of the Eastern Star who had come from Portland and all over the state to attend the reception Saturday evening, July 13, for Mrs. McNair at the college gymnasium.

Mrs. McNair was assisted in serving by her aunt, Mrs. Dorrance, Miss Edna Dougherty and matrons.

Up and Down The Street

CHARLIE WARREN'S prejudice favoring fried chicken legs. . . . EARL SCHILLING living up to a large man's reputation. . . . HERMAN MAYBERRY vacationing. . . . ROD KEATING attesting to the ability of Eastern Oregon cooks. . . . LEO ZUPINE threatening to use the bathtub in lieu of a stove. . . . LYN NEWBRY'S big vicious six weeks old cocker. . . . GEORGE ANDREWS beaming more broadly than usual. . . .

YATES ELECTRIC TO GET NEW BLDG. ON EAST MAIN

Henry G. Enders is building a modern building on his lot between East Main and Hargadine for the use of the Yates Electric Company.

This building is being constructed by John Simpson of the Soda Springs Construction Co., from cement blocks. The building is 30 x 48 feet and will include a modern display room and work shop for the electric company.

Robert Dozier Has Narrow Escape Thurs

Robert J. Dozier, 17, had a narrow escape from death July 11, when he drove his automobile into a flat car on the Southern Pacific tracks that evening.

At the instant of the collision the train began moving, dragging the car with it. Dozier was able to climb out of the wrecked car after the train had dragged the car 130 feet. He was able to halt the train by hailing the engineer.

Dozier was taken to the Community hospital for overnight treatment, suffering from slight abrasions and bruises.

SCHOOL STARTS AGAIN AT SOC THIS MONDAY

The first session of the summer quarter will end on Thursday, July 18th at the Southern Oregon College. The post session will start on Monday, July 22. A wide variety of classes are being offered during the post session and a fair enrollment is expected. Many GI are using the summer quarter to brush up for their work at other institutions in the state this coming fall.

Dr. Borden Will Conduct Vespers

Dr. E. P. Borden, minister of the Congregational church, will present the sermon at next Sunday's Vesper services to be held at 5:00 P. M. in Lithia Park.

The first of this summer's union vesper service was held in Lithia Park at 5 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Earl Downing presided during the service. Rev. Gordon Lindsay read the scripture and Dr. G. W. Bruce lead in the congregational prayer. Rev. Leland Wilkinson of the Baptist Church gave the gospel message on "Life in its fullness as it is offered in the writing of St. John." Miss Phyllis Rae Downing played the organ. Rev. George Shuman pronounced the benediction. Paul Isenhour sang a gospel solo.

These Sunday vesper services will be conducted by the Ashland Ministerial Association each Sunday at 4 o'clock during July and August.

Elmer Graves of Dunsuir transacted business in Ashland Tuesday.

E. F. Cooper of Springfield, Oregon visited friends in Ashland over the week end.

Sherry Ann Stansbury is now employed at McNairs Drug Store. Mrs. D. Speece transacted business in Medford Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Della Olk of Cambridge, Idaho is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rodney Garret.

Floyd Putman from Medford was in Ashland Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce from Anchorage, Alaska are in Ashland looking for a location.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Moore were in Grants Pass Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Leverich 93 Bush St. made a business trip to Klamath Falls, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Meade were visiting in Medford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Meade went to Roseburg last week then on to Coos Bay on down the coast to Crescent City and through the Redwood Forest home.

Mrs. Grace Province of Chico, California is visiting her son on North Main.

Ann Hays is in Ashland Community hospital, where she underwent an appendectomy. Ann is getting along fine. Last weeks patients have returned home or will shortly.

Mrs. Clara Meagher has purchased an unfinished house on Gibson Avenue, from Jack Boatwright. Upon completion of the house, Mrs. Meagher plans to re-open a barber shop here.

Michelson-Chapman Family Monument Honors Pioneers



Michelson-Chapman Monument

Standing before the City Library at the corner of Siskiyou Blvd and Gresham streets is a marble statue of a pioneer woman which surmounts a granite fountain.

New Districts Are Set Up For Legion

Ken Robbins and Phil Stansbury who are attending the American Legion convention in Portland this week have reported that delegates to the convention have created a 10th district, which divided the Oregon department into three areas and made provisions for election of area commanders.

The new district is made up of Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Coos, Curry and Douglas counties, Jackson, Josephine, Klamath and Lake counties will be in District No. 4 with the others making up District No. 10.

Barbers Boost Price of Haircuts to \$1.00

Effective Monday, the price of haircuts in Ashland barber shops was raised to \$1.00 an increase of 25 cents over the previous price. This price is prevalent throughout the Pacific Northwest metropolitan areas.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Basey, moved last week to 227 Granite street. They sold their home on Helman street to Lt. Commander and Mrs. Overand, USN (Ret.).

Mrs. R. H. Wilson, of Ruby's Kitchen, is planning on leaving for California soon where she will spend a few days before returning to Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Healy have bought a home on Clover lane.

Kenneth R. Burns of Dunsuir California spent the weekend with his wife and two daughters, Gloria and Nancy. Burns is employed with the Southern Pacific in Dunsuir and will move his family there when he is able to secure a home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Krug were Medford visitors Saturday.

Mrs. George Knox is planning a trip to Portland and Salem next week where she will visit her family.

Bob Purves is planning a fishing trip during the next few weeks.

ASHLAND BAND PERSONNEL NOW NUMBERS THIRTY-EIGHT

Ashland city band personnel who each Thursday evening entertain residents of the community and out of town guests at the Lithia Park include a large majority of high school band students who continue their music through the summer through the medium of the city band.

Director of the band this year is Jack Francis, high school music director for the 1945-46 season. Included in the 38 musicians who practice several hours weekly in order to give the Thursday night entertainment are:

Clarinets: Bill Walters, Bert Freeman, Paul Aikins, Edythe Turnbull, Jacquie Lowe; bass: J. G. Anderson; trombone: Dick Finnell; Curtis Vail, William Robertson, Rod Merriman, Dick DeMes; alto sax: Elmer Biegel; alto sax: Katherine Grossman, Lois Hays, Shirley Weitzel; bass sax: Bud Kincaid; French horns: M. Bailey, R. Stauffer, D. Elhart; flute: James Rose; bas-

soon: Virginia Lilly; cornet: Fred Haynes, Wayne Myrick, Winifred A. Roberson, Arnitia Black, Ralph Leach, Deway Van Curler, Skip Rush, Harry Kannasto; drums: Joan Van Dewalker, Barbara Williams, Venita Roberson, Jean Clary, Dick Adams; tenor sax: Keith Haines, Barbara Gertson; baritone: Bill Bissell and oboe: Maryen Roberts.

The band this week will play its most ambitious concert of this summer season. The 10 numbers to be heard will include:

Washington Post March, Sousa; Trarillor Overture, Brechtel; Selection from Tannhauser, Wagner; Scepter of Liberty Concert March, Olinadati; Hawaian Overture, Tuffill; Entry of the Gladiators, Fucik; 1st Movement of Schubert's Unfinished Symphony Franz Schubert; In A Persian Market, Ketelberg; Little Rhapsody in Blue, Gershwin; Our Director's March, Bigelow; Star Spangled Banner, Key.

Some forty years ago before her death, Mrs. Victoria Chapman Micelson made a will leaving to the city of Ashland money to build a marble monument to be a "Drinking place for man and beast."

After her will was probated the monument was begun. The granite is from Oregon and the marble, which is a very high grade, was imported from Italy. The life-size figure on top of the monument is a pioneer woman with a torch hanging down from her hand, indicating the "end of the trail had been reached."

Mrs. Victoria Micelson died about fifteen years ago and this Michelson-Chapman Memorial is a monument to both families, hers and her husband's.

The monument cost approximately \$3826.05 which was covered by the will.

MRS. HILLIUS IS BURIED IN ASHLAND ON SATURDAY

Mrs. Grace Darling Hillius, who lived in Ashland for a year and a half, passed away at Rock Springs, Wyoming, July 9.

Funeral services were held at the Litwiller Funeral home on Saturday, July 13, at 1:30 with the Rev. E. P. Borden, minister of First Congregational Church, officiating. Interment was made in the Mountain View Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Snyder of Los Angeles are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cad Ellis. They also plan to spend a few days with Mrs. Snyder's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McReynolds, in Eugene.

Mr. Elmer Brenmark left this week for his home in San Francisco after being in Ashland since the first of the year. He had been living at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herndon of Klamath Falls have been visiting friends and relatives in Ashland this week. Mr. and Mrs. Herndon formerly lived at 363 Beach Street.

Bellevue Grangers are planning a picnic at Jackson Hot Springs for Sunday, July 27.

Shepherd Funeral In K. F. on Tuesday

Grave side services were held Tuesday, July 16 at 2:30 o'clock for the late Walter Shepherd whose funeral was at 11 o'clock at the Christian church of Klamath Falls.

Many relatives and friends of Ashland and Klamath Falls were present for the final rites.

Maynard Culmer left last week by air for Iowa where he will visit with friends and relatives. He plans to return sometime in the next two weeks or sooner if he can get delivery on a new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Carryl Wines and Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Lawrence were Sunday visitors along the Rogue.

WILSON IS NOW LOOKING FOR PHONY CHECK ARTIST

W. S. Wilson is today looking for the individual who paid his \$10.65 bill at the Grange Co-operative association Tuesday with a check for \$65.00. When Wilson went to pay his bill Wednesday and Noel Heard, mgr of the Co-Op discovered that someone had passed a phony check.

The stranger didn't stop with one check; he later Tuesday evening offered Karl Oeser a \$45.00 check using his identification from the Co-op receipt. Wilson, Heard Oeser and state and city police are looking for the check artist.

Roy Abbott's To Manage Coffee Shop

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Abbott took over the operation of the Lithia coffee shop on Wednesday of this week W. R. Cooley announced.

Mrs. Abbott who has had several years of restaurant experience will manage the coffee shop. Her home was originally Michigan.

Mr. Abbott who is a graduate of Ashland High school, attended Southern Oregon college here. For the past few years he and Mrs. Abbott have been at Gatun locks, Panama Canal zone. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Abbott of this city.

Mrs. Abbott stated that the Coffee shop would continue to cater to private parties and civic clubs.

New assortment of hammers, wrenches, pliers, tin snips and other tools at Marshall Wells on the Plaza.

\$800,000 Bonds Favored By Lions

Ashland Lions club went on record last night as favoring \$800,000 proposed water bond and airport bond issue which is coming up before the residents of Ashland in a special election on July 30.

Elmer Biegel, city superintendent, presented the story of the water supply to the members of the club. He mentioned that the proposed plan was to first build a filtration plant which would cost approximately \$250,000. Secondary project will be to put intermediate reservoirs on Ashland creek. This will run about \$100,000.

He also mentioned that the city is presently having a survey made of the area on the south side of Ashland mountain and that preliminary reports indicate that there is enough additional water in that area to supply a city of 10,000 people.

Lloyd Selby, member of the city council, and member of the Chamber of Commerce's committee on aviation presented a plea on behalf of the airport. He pointed out that the airport was a speculative matter and that present indication throughout the nation indicated that chances for a return on an airport were potentially good.

Jack Zittercob was initiated into the Lions. Travis Owen, Lewis E. Ryan, Selby and Biegel were guests at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Billings visited Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Merkle, in Medford Sunday.

Milton Morrison and Don Wolff who are working this summer for the California Division of Forestry at Yreka were in Ashland over the weekend visiting their parents and friends.

Louis E. Ryan, tax expert, of Troy, Kansas is spending several weeks visiting and fishing in Southern Oregon. He is visiting Ted Sommers while in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spalding and family and Mary Pat Healy spent the week end at Lake o' Woods.

Mrs. Lorena McNair, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Green and Mrs. Maude Roberts went to Crater Lake Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Green and Mrs. Roberts took the train to Portland on their return here.

The Greens and Mrs. Roberts had come to Ashland to attend the reception Saturday evening for Mrs. McNair given by the Alpha Chapter No. 1 Order of the Eastern Star. Mr. Green is Worthy Grand Patron and Mrs. Roberts is Grand Treasurer.

J. H. Von Kuhlman spent part of last week in Portland on business.

KWIN All Set To Go On Monday If Tests Are All OK

Testing to Begin Tonight And Will Continue Over A Transitional Period

Present plans call for KWIN, Rogue Valley Broadcasting Co. Inc.'s radio station in Ashland, to begin program broadcasting on Monday, July 22, according to Roy Peck, manager of the station which is located at 1160 Helman Street.

Testing of the station will begin at midnight, Thursday, July 18, and will continue until Monday morning.

Peck pointed out that the station building would not be completed at the time broadcasting began because of the scarcity of building materials, but he said that in view of the present materials situation the contractors had been able to do an amazing job in the short space of time which had elapsed since ground was first broken for the station. John Simpson of the Soda Springs Construction company is general contractor for the building.

An open house will be held when the building is completed, however broadcasting will not be impaired once programs have begun.

The station will operate on a full schedule from 6:30 in the morning until 11:00 at night. Station personnel of eight are already on the job and are getting things in preparation for the Monday programming.

Peck pointed out that the procurement problem for the operation facilities of the station had been immense and that equipment and parts had been brought into Ashland from all over the United States. This has held back the opening of the station which had originally had a target date of July 4th. The station will operate on a regular frequency.

MEDFORD COUPLE ARE MARRIED IN ASHLAND

Robert J. Townsend and Ila Pearl Dillen were married at late afternoon July 2 at the home of Mrs. Nelle Burns, Justice of the Peace.

Mr. and Mrs. Mead Vermillion attended the couple. The bride and groom and attendants were all from Medford.

S/Sgt. Weldon Stauffer, recruiting NCO for the Ashland area announced this week that the recruiting substation which has been open daily at the Ashland Library was being closed and that he or Sgt. Southerland would be in Ashland twice weekly in the future.

Recruiting will take place at the American Legion building each Wednesday and Saturday. The office will be open from 9 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Wednesdays and from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. on Saturdays.

NEWSPAPER EDITOR NAMED TO HEAD 800,000 ELKS



Charles E. Broughton, newspaper editor and civic leader of Sheboygan, Wis., was elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at the convention presently being held in New York City. Howard Oden and Ivor Erwin are now attending the convention from the Ashland Lodge.