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City to Actively Back Trailways Council Decides

Mayor Thornton Wiley will appear before the Public Utilities commission in Salem, September 16, on behalf of the Trailways Bus company, and will urge the commission to approve the addition of intra state passenger service to the Trailways present service.

This was decided at the regular meeting of the city council after Walter Redford had made a motion that the city council support Trailways. Council members voted to support the motion and Mayor Wiley suggested that he help present Trailway's case. Representatives of Trailways met with the council and presented their case, explaining why intra state service would aid both Trailways and the community.

Elks Annual Picnic To Be Held Aug. 14

Elks and their families will picnic August 14 at Jackson Hot Springs. The picnic will begin at 6:00 p.m. according to Ken Robbins, secretary.

According to Robbins the program will include free swimming, a baseball game with Earl Schilling captaining a team composed of single men and non fathers and Al Simpson fielding a team composed of fathers.

Ivor Erwin will supervise a spike driving contest for women, and Hap Gillette will supervise a rolling pin throwing contest for the gentler sex.

Les Grant will supervise a sack race for children in the first eight grades, and will also be in charge of a pie eating contest for the children.

Past Exalted rulers will race each other in a special relay which will be conducted by Howard Oden.

A fried chicken picnic supper will complete the evenings entertainment.

Reynolds Leases Hotel Coffee Shop

S. M. Reynolds, San Antonio, Texas has leased the Ashland Hotel coffee shop from Mrs. Nina Courtney. The transfer was effective Monday. Mr. Reynolds is presently operating the cafe and coffee shop.

Reynolds who has just been released from the army is a World War I and II veteran. He has spent the major portion of his life in the restaurant business. For 15 years he was supervising chef of National hotels which consists of 15 different hotels. He was also with the Sir Francis Drake in San Francisco for six years.

Zoning of Fringe Area Soon Needed

Wm. A. Bowes, Oregon commissioner of Public Works stated at a meeting at the Lithia Hotel Wednesday night that Ashland had no problem at present of uncontrolled residential and industrial development on the borders of the city.

Bowes who represents the governor on rural planning was in this area making a survey. Recommendations will be made to the state legislature this fall concerning county zoning which will prevent unregulated fringe development on the edges of communities.

Mrs. Marion Reilly, formerly of Ashland, was among the party of five who met with Mayor Thornton Wiley, State Senator Earl Newberry, and other interested parties Wednesday.

According to the Chamber of Commerce if Ashland increases to 10,000 people in the next few years, fringe control will be necessary. On this the City Council and commissioner Bowes agreed.

Mrs. Howard New Manager Depot Cafe

Mrs. Olive Howard, formerly of Portland, began operating the Depot cafe 552 A Street, Monday, August 6. Mrs. Howard has had several years experience in the restaurant field. Previous to coming here she was head chef for Jack Cody's and also Ralphs on Broadway.

Mrs. Howard stated that the Depot cafe would be open from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., seven days a week. Sunday specialty will be chicken dinners. She is planning on adding fountain service.

The owner of the building is Ed Ritter. The staff will comprise six employees including Mrs. Howard's sister, Betty Reynolds.

BELLVIEW BIRTHDAY CLUB CELEBRATES WITH WALTER DAVIS

Bellview Birthday Club celebrated the birthday of Mr. Walter Davis Sunday at the summer home of Henry Enders at Lake o Woods.

Following members were present: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis and daughter Lida, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pankey, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kincaid, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stenrud, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gowland, Mrs. C. M. Haynes and Mr. Earl Accorne, Mr. and Mrs. Parks of Central Point, Mrs. Stanley, Mrs. Thomas and daughter of Oklahoma were all guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis. Miss Marie Walker of San Francisco who is a former member of the club was also present.

IDA WILLARS ENTERTAINS METHODIST YOUTH FRIDAY

The Methodist Youth Fellowship group attended a party at the home of Miss Ida Willars last Friday. The evening was spent in playing games. Discussion about the association of youth and the higher trails of life held the attention of many of the group throughout much of the evening.

One Hundred Attend Methodist Picnic

Nearly one hundred people attended the Methodist annual Fellowship dinner at the Jackson Hot Springs picnic grounds last Sunday afternoon. Following the dinner the afternoon was spent in discussion and fellowship. According to Dr. George Bruce, pastor of the Methodist church, this occasion seems to become more popular each year.

Roseburg To Play Elks Here Sunday

Southern Ore. League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
Roseburg	9	1	.900
Crescent City	9	2	.810
Ashland	7	4	.630
Grants Pass	7	4	.630
Medford	6	4	.600
Tri-City	2	9	.180
Gold Hill	2	9	.180
Central oint	1	10	.090

Roseburg, the league leading team in the Southern Oregon baseball league will play the Ashland Elks on Walter Phillips field in the last scheduled home game of the season.

The Roseburg club has suffered but one loss during the season and that when the Crescent City club took them into camp. In a game played at Roseburg during the earlier part of the season the Elks took a loss of 6 to 0. If the Roseburg club wins this Sunday it will practically mean curtains for the Elks chances to enter the league play offs.

A win for the Elks will, however, mean a reprieve, and a probable chance to compete in league play offs for the championship.

Bert Miller, president of the Elks ball club, urged all who could make it out to the ball game Sunday to come as the local club will be playing their last game on home territory.

Provost on Resorts Board of Directors

Dom Provost, Ashland was among the directors reappointed to the Lake of the Woods home owners association at a well attended meeting of the association held last week at the Lake of the Woods lodge. All the officers and directors of the year 1945 were re-elected.

The members of the association approved an increase in the dues from \$5.00 to \$15.00 annually. Road improvement into the lake was discussed and the state highway commission and the Klamath county court were tendered votes of thanks for the road improvements that have been made.

The fish and game commissions report on the potential stocking of the lake was presented and a committee was appointed to work with the state fish and game commission to make the lake a fishing resort.

Regulations concerning the use of high powered speed boats, water towed boards, and skis was also considered, and will be studied by a special committee.

Rath Will Discuss Inflation Monday

Bob Dodge, Roger Rath, Lyn Newberry, Doyle Seely and Clarence Williams met in regular session of Toastmaster's club Monday evening. Discussion was held concerning future meetings of the organization.

Next Monday's meeting will be held at the Lithia coffee shop and will feature Roger Rath who will lead a discussion on the subject "Inflation".

Fig Leaf Shortage Causes Cupid To Leave Fountain

Near the Thompson Memorial statue of Lincoln in the Lithia Park is a pleasant fountain. At one time the centerpiece of the fountain was a little male cupid. He stood airily atop the fountain, winter, summer, and fall, dressed only in Cupid's traditional attire of a birthday suit.

The fountain and the cupid were donated to the city and the park by the D. Peruzzi family and G. S. Butler, who were instrumental in getting the statue of Lincoln in the park. Like the Thompson Memorial statue of Lincoln the carving of the cupid and the fountain was done in Italy. The cost at that time amounted to \$3200.

For several years the cupid danced merrily atop the fountain but then one year, according to a pamphlet called "Statuary," and issued by the Ashland Junior High dramatics club, he was removed by a group of townspeople. The pamphlet states, "Owing to a shortage of fig leaves, the townspeople decided that the statue was entirely too realistic."

Whether the fountain looks barer without him than it did with him is a point for discussion.

According to George Dunn, 65 Granite Street, some hoodlum kids several years ago, disfigured the cupid so badly that it was found necessary to remove it.



Although Cupid no longer stands atop the fountain there are rumors that he still frequents the park.

APPLEWHITES TALK WITH SON WHO IS IN GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Applewhite had a ten minute talk by overseas telephone communications from their son Sgt. Warren Applewhite from Stuttgart, Germany early Monday morning.

He extended birthday greetings to his mother and said he was living in the former residence of a Stuttgart brewer, which was a wonderful place to live.

Sgt Applewhite re-enlisted in the army for three years and has been assigned to the finance division of the army of occupation in Germany.

65 Children Enrolled in Bible School

Sixty-five children enrolled in the Daily Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ the first two days of the school. The school at the Church of Christ the first two days of the school. The school, which began Monday, will continue until Friday, August 10. On that night the school will have open house to demonstrate some of the work done.

Mrs. Royal Gardner is superintendent of the kindergarten department, Miss Etna Davis of the primary, Mrs. Jack Young of the junior, and Mrs. John Schoenwald of the intermediate. Assistants in the school are Mrs. May Russell, Mrs. Myron Miles, Patsy Downing, Nancy Belle Holloway, Mrs. Jack McNeerney, Mrs. Lame South, and Mrs. Ivan Daly. Earl F. Downing, minister of the church, is director and boys hand work supervisor.

The school is still open for enrollment to all between the ages of four and fourteen.

Picture Contest to Publicize Ashland

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce announced this week that the Chamber was sponsoring a camera contest for Ashland shutter bugs. Purpose of the contest according to secretary William Healy is to find photos which can be used in publicity material about Ashland and the surrounding area.

Judges will be Wilbur Bushnell, Dr. Elmo Stevenson, and Mrs. Jacob Weitzel. Photos will be judged on the basis of camera technique, suitability of the photo for engraving and printing and eye interest.

First prize will be \$15.00; second prize \$7.50, and third prize \$5.00. Ten prizes of \$1.00 each will be given for the ten next best pictures.

According to Mr. Bushnell if arrangements can be made a salon display will be given at the conclusion of the contest.

Pictures may be entered in the contest by leaving them at the office of the Chamber of Commerce. It is preferable that they be at least four by seven inches, though this is not mandatory if the negative is available.

Palace Cafe Closes Will Reopen Aug. 15

Roy McClary, and daughter, Barbara, left Wednesday for Green River, Wyoming, where Mr. McClary will attend the funeral of his father, who died in Green River Tuesday.

During the time Mr. McClary will be gone the Palace Cafe will be closed. It will reopen for business August 15.

Last chance to see the Elks in action, Roseburg plays here Sunday at 2:30p.m. Don't miss this last home game.

AVC Requests Justice in Georgia

F. Cyril Sander, chairman of the American Veterans Club Inc. in Ashland announced that the club had written to Governor Arnall of Georgia this week requesting that the individuals responsible for the murder of four negroes in Georgia be brought to trial.

Sanders stated that "We realize that these murders are perhaps the result of the irresponsible election of such nationally disgraceful figures as Rankin, Bilbo and Talmadge, but it remains the responsibility of every citizen to forcefully express himself on any matter that may soon develop into a direct threat to each of us. This is such a threat and we appeal to the other citizens of this community to write the attorney-general, Governor Arnall or the president expressing their outrage at this disregard of law and order."

Dr. Elmo Stevenson Speaks at Luncheon

Dr. Elmo Stevenson, president of Southern Oregon college of Education spoke at the regular session of Soroptimist International Wednesday noon at the Lithia coffee shop.

"Scholarships are needed for worthy college students," Stevenson said, in telling of the need for aid in assisting students to complete college. He pointed out that two thirds of the expense of going to college was borne by the state and one third by the student. It is this one third that often keeps worthy individuals from going to college.

In many cases, he stated, a \$74 tuition scholarship is a great help in getting a student started in college.

Dr. Stevenson remarked that there was a serious shortage of elementary teachers and that the scholarships would aid in alleviating this shortage.

Concluding his remarks he stated that Ashland could help the school by offering whole hearted support. He cited figures to show that the college was Ashland's number 1 business. Estimating that each student spends \$3.00 a day in Ashland for board, room, and incidentals, and that there are a potential 1000 students coming here over a period of one year some \$300,000 dollars would be spent here. Salary budget for teachers is approximately \$100,000 and this too, is spent in Ashland. That means that better than 400,000 in revenue is brought to Ashland yearly by the college.

Twenty members of the club were present at the noon meeting.

Garden hose, sprinklers, RFD mail boxes at Marshall Wells on the plaza.

Up and Down The Street

Ex-Officer JOHN BELL renewing old friendships.

MRS BERTHA HEER recounting sights recently seen in Yellowstone.

THURMAN SMITH injuring his knee in a peculiar way.

GEORGE KING with the fishermen proverbial luck.

JACK YOUNG more rushed than ever, if possible.

C. M. FRAZIER propositioning prospects.

DOWNING TO SPEAK SUNDAY AT VESPER

Reverend Earl Downing of the Church of Christ will give the sermon at the vesper services at Lithia Park Sunday at five o'clock.

Dr. G. W. Bruce, pastor of the Methodist church, gave the sermon last Sunday. He used as his topic "I Believe".

Reverend George Shuman, Presbyterian minister, lead the song service with Rev. Gordon Lindsay reading the scripture from St. Marks gospel after which Reverend Earl Downing lead the congregation in prayer.

4-H Club Local Fair Coming August 15th

Local 4H club fair will be held August 15 at the J. F. Engel ranch in Bellview where it was also held last year. Bellview and Valleyview 4H club members will show stock and compete for entry prizes.

According to Mr. Engel who is director of Bellview 4H club activities the purpose of the local fairs is to encourage showing of stock and farm products at the fall fairs throughout the country. The local fairs give the 4H members a chance to practice handling stock for showing and aid in getting the stock ready for the bigger shows.

Members of the Bellview 4H club are planning on attending the local fair at Antelope this Thursday. Thirty members will attend the fair which will be held at the Albert Bigham ranch.

Bellview Grange Favors Trailways

At the regular meeting of the Bellview Grange Tuesday evening the Grange discussed the Franchise for the Trailways Bus Co. and they went on record to give the Trailway a franchise.

At the social hour the Grange was entertained by Heston Greeves who showed several rolls of colored film that he had taken in Southern Oregon. Greeves owns a resort in Prospect, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter were appointed on the hospitality committee for the next meeting to be held August 20.

WM. DODGE REPORTS ON ROTARY CONFERENCE MON.

Ashland Rotary Club Assembly met at the home of John Daugherty on Gresham street Monday evening. President Wm. Dodge reported on the recent Rotary district conference and other Rotary projects and policies were discussed.

Light refreshments were served to the Assembly by Mrs. John Daugherty after the meeting.

VERNE ATHANAS PLACES STORY IN NATIONAL MAG

Verne Athanas, Ashland freelance writer, has placed a story with Science and Mechanics, which appeared in the August issue. The story is titled "Wood-carving Is Fun," and is illustrated with two photographs taken by Wilbur Bushnell.

Athanas, who is manager of The Mart's music department, has also written several fillers and other articles for various newspapers and magazines.

LOCAL GIRLS LEAVE FOR SUMMER CAMP

Camp fire girls from Ashland left Thursday morning for Camp La-O-Wa at Lake of the Woods. The camp which is sponsored yearly by the Ashland Campfire Council is being held from August 8 to 15.

Mrs. Bert Davis, secretary of the Ashland Council, announced that the following girls were included among this years campers: Dorothy Rey, Bette Davis, Nancy Dunkerson, Pat Bailey, Peggy Taylor, Pauline Davis, Baine Davis, Norma Davis, Marion Thornberry, Lavonne Heckert, Norma Balfour, Helen Beare, Audrey Schuster, Mary Margaret White, Marvel Gage, Christine Heavilin, Collette Perrine, Norma Yorton, Donna Redmond, Sandra Clary, Fay Hess, Jeannette Kinney, Jessie Mackie, Paula Mackie, Janice Carter, Donna Nunckson, and Patsy Lou Lane.

Marilyn Christlieb will be camp director again this year. Mrs. Doug Guiberson, Portland, Ethelmae Kanclier, Ashland, Beverly Whitaker, North Hollywood, Betty DeLisle and Mrs. F. G. Helm are included among the other camp personnel.

Henry Enders, member of the Council is chairman of the summer camp, Roland Parks, president, Gerald Wenner, vice president, and Mrs. Davis have been assisting him in getting the camp project underway.

Re-Opening Golf Course Is Okeyed By City Council

Recreational Committee
Of Chamber of Commerce
Meets With Association.

The city council Tuesday evening approved the plans presented to them by the Recreational Committee of the Chamber of Commerce to reopen the Ashland golf course. The council's action was taken on condition, however, that the former Golf Association, which controlled the course at the time of its closing, give its approval to the plan.

The golf association, which is headed by John Daugherty, closed the golf course at the beginning of the war because of lack of play.

John Collins, who heads the Chamber of Commerce's recreational committee, will meet with Daugherty and other officials of the golf club Friday noon at the Lithia coffee shop to make arrangements for the transfer.

The arrangement which is sought by the recreational committee will permit the Chamber of Commerce to rent the course for \$1.00 per year. Ben Lombard is to meet with Wm. Briggs, city attorney to prepare a lease.

Robbers Get \$25.00 From Gas Station

Beach and Retter's Mobilgas station at 388 East Main street was burglarized Friday night, August 2. Twenty-five dollars in small change was taken.

Entrance was made through a back window which had been left open. City police have taken fingerprints and have forwarded them to the Oregon state police laboratory for study and comparison.

Standard Cleaners Gets New Generator

Standard Cleaners at 163 East Main installed a new steam generator this week in order to do away with the outmoded use of sawdust in the boiler which had previously been furnishing the heat for the plant.

According to Arch Barksdale, manager the installing was completed Wednesday. A 550 gallon oil tank will furnish the fuel. The unit is known as a Clayton steam generator. It will aid in the operations of the cleaning establishment as it is more efficient and practical.

Lugars Will Open New Machine Shop

G. D. and R. O. Lugar, father and son, announced this week that they were organizing the Ashland Automotive Machine Co and that they would be located at 83 North Main in the same building as that occupied by O. Sabins's Ashland Auto Parts company.

G. D. Lugar, who has been in the automotive machine industry for several years is well known in Ashland having worked in this region previously. R. O. Lugar, who has been associated with Continental Air lines as traffic dispatcher in the Denver office is also known here.

The Machine company will open as soon as all equipment has been received and installed. Floor space is presently being allocated for proper installation of operational equipment.

McCoy Sentenced on A Burglary Count

Jack D. McCoy, Klamath Falls was fined \$200.00 and \$2.50 costs and given 30 days in the city jail by Judge Pressnall when he was brought before the city Police court on charges of petty larceny. The jail sentence was suspended on good behavior, provided the fine and costs be paid, and that the stolen money be returned.

McCoy was arrested Saturday night after he entered a woman's room at the Columbia Hotel from a window and attempted to leave the room with the ladies purse. The lady was awakened and started screaming at which time he struck her on the head with a heavy mirror, and escaped through the window.

Before the local police arrived McCoy tried to flush twenty dollars of the money down the drain. McCoy used to live in Ashland and has a long record of convictions in City court over the past three years.

Mrs. Laura Addeson from Santa Barbara, California is visiting her cousins Lillian and Grace Lamb.