

# DOING THE TOWN

By Ed McLain

This week, covering a virtually unexplored field, the News Review poll delved deeper into the opinions of the man on the street.

On the issue of the coming election for City Recorder there are two main points of view. One, "Mr. Adams has had it long enough, let's have a change." The other, "Mr. Hardy has his pile, why does he want to take the job from a man who needs it?" Just how predominant each view is can be seen from the results of this week's poll. Out of fifty votes J. Q. Adams, the incumbent, polled twenty-four per cent or twelve votes. J. H. Hardy ran up a tidy sum of twenty-five votes, or fifty per cent. The remaining twenty-six per cent were undecided as to which of the political aspirants to choose.

J. H. Hardy, 25 votes or 50%  
J. Q. Adams, 12 votes or 24%  
Undecided, 13 votes or 26%

It seems that many of the citizens of Ashland are not aware that we have such a thing as a Park Board. These people were even more surprised to hear that on November 2, they will have the opportunity to vote for three of the four men running for the positions on the Board. In spite of this, the respondent was asked to name only the one man he would rather see on the Board. Noel "Dusty" Heard, who is running for re-election, seems to be leading the pack with a rousing thirty per cent or fifteen votes out of the fifty. Bob Dodge, also an incumbent, came in a close second with ten votes or twenty per cent. The two newcomers to the field, Frank Barnhouse and Bill Snider, polled twelve and ten per cent respectively.

Noel Heard, 15 votes or 30%  
Bob Dodge, 10 votes or 20%  
Frank Barnhouse, 6 votes, 12%  
Bill Snider, 5 votes or 10%  
Undecided, 14 votes or 28%

I have been asked by many people if I thought that fifty people out of eight thousand was enough to get a good consensus of opinion. In reply to this query, I have this to say. The Gallup Poll, which calls its shots pretty close, takes some forty thousand opinions on each of its questions. Out of the one hundred forty million people of the United States, this gives them a percentage of .0003%. Since we cover fifty people out of Ashland's approximate eight thousand, we have a much better percentage, .03%.

Others want to know what kind of a cross section is taken. We question a few people from the new Bellview addition, and a representative number from all sections except the business district. The business district is excluded for several reasons. It is a fairly small section of the population and because the business men or their wives are questioned in their homes. Since the closing of registration, only registered voters are polled.

In closing, may I add again that anyone and everyone is welcome to accompany us on any of the polls.

Remember, next week the mayor again.

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## Senior Tri-Hi-Y Club Organized

The Ashland Senior Tri Hi Y Club tops the list of Y.M.C.A. Clubs this fall in being the first group to complete its membership roster and affiliate with the National Hi Y movement. At a Pot Luck Dinner held in the Social Room of the Y.M.C.A. Monday evening, October 4, the Club took into membership 18 new members bringing the Club membership up to a total of 36 members.

The Senior Tri Hi Y Club is one of the oldest Y.M.C.A. groups in the city. For many years it operated in the High School under the leadership of Mrs. Edith Good and has a fine record of achievement. This year the group will be under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Crisp who will serve as the adult advisor.

New members taken into the Club at the meeting Monday evening include: Barbara Berg, Donna Fader, Lois Friley, Jo Ann Heller, Darlene Hickman, Mary Hillberry, Rosemary Knott, Virginia Lilly, Doris Litwiler, Cecilia McCarley, Nancy Money Penny, Virginia Prichard, Leanne Rollins, Carla Sears, Ruth Seitz, Zelma Lee Stone, Jacky Wolcott, Mildred Zittercob.

Officers of the Club for this school year are: President Margaret Wagner, Recording secretary, Dorothy Brabham; Corresponding secretary, Sally Yates; treasurer, Carol Meeks; Chaplain Rosemary Ring.

## City-Wide Hi-Y Council Organized

Officers elected to serve for 1948-49 for the City-wide Hi-Y council include: Bill Wines, president; Dorothy Brabham, vice-president; Bill Miles, secretary. Wines and Miss Brabham are members of the Senior Y groups and Miles is a member of the Junior Hi-Y club.

Purpose of the city wide council is to correlate the activities of the Tri-Hi-Y and Hi Y clubs in the city and to plan for special events during the year.

One of the first events planned by the newly organized council is a city-wide induction ceremony for new members in which all of the Ashland Clubs will participate and the parents of club members and the general public invited to attend.

Plans were also made at the meeting for the Officers of Ashland Clubs to attend the Southern Oregon Hi Y Officers Training Conference which is to be held in Klamath Falls this fall.

A report on club pledges to the Y.M.C.A. World Youth Fund showed that the Ashland Clubs were at the top of the list in the Pacific Northwest Area in over-subscribing their goal of \$300.00 by \$75.00.

The Camera Club met with Dr. and Mrs. Borden Tuesday night. Beautiful kodachrome slides were shown by Carl Moline, Homer Billings and Carryl Wines. Eighteen members and friends were present.

## SOC RED RAIDERS PLAY CAL AGGIES HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

Southern Oregon college's Red Raiders will make their first home appearance of the season when they meet the California Aggies from Davis, California, Saturday night. The game will be played at 8:00 p.m. on Walter Phillips field.

The Raiders have been under fire three times this season and have won from Oregon Vocational school, and lost to Eastern Washington College of Education 23-0 and to Humboldt State College, 6-0.

Given a dry field the fast, scrappy SOC club is expected to make a better showing.

**High School to Albany**  
Ashland high school Grizzlies who have yet to see the black side of the ledger, travel to Albany Friday to meet the Albany high school club.

The Grizzlies, fielding a light inexperienced team, should have a better chance against the Albany club than they had against the Klamath invaders last week. Klamath club won, 56-0.

## Several Attend 99 Highway Dedication

Ed Singmaster, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McGee, secretary of the Chamber; Colonel Preston B. Waterbury, candidate for Mayor; Thornton S. Wiley, Mayor of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Koozer, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndel Newbry, Roger Rath, and O. W. Green were among the Ashland people who attended the dedication at Wolf Creek last Friday of the new stretch of Highway 99.

Earl Newbry, Ashland, who is secretary of state, and Wm. Healy, Ashland, who is assistant secretary of state, were among the dignitaries who helped with the ceremony.

## Six Man Schedule Given For Schools

Talent, Oct. 6 — Six man football in the Jackson county class "B" loop goes into its second week this week with the following schedule prevailing for this week and the remainder of the season:

October 8, Gold Hill at St. Mary's; Talent, bye; Prospect at Jacksonville; and Butte Falls at Rogue River.

October 15, Gold Hill bye; Jacksonville at St. Mary's; Talent at Butte Falls; and Rogue River at Prospect.

October 22, Jacksonville at Gold Hill; Butte Falls, bye; Rogue River at St. Mary's; Prospect at Talent.

October 29, Gold Hill at Butte Falls; Jacksonville at Rogue River; Prospect bye; and St. Mary's at Talent.

November 5, Rogue River at Gold Hill; Butte Falls at Prospect; Talent at Jacksonville; and St. Mary's bye.

## Fellowship Dinner To Be Held Friday

College students who are members of the Church of Christ, or Christian Church, and those who have expressed a preference for this church are invited to be the guests of the congregation Friday night, according to the Rev. Earl Downing. The occasion is the first Fellowship supper of the fall program of the church. The gathering will be held in Fellowship hall of the new building at 7:00 p.m.

Following the dinner Carl Moline of Oregon City will show his scenic slides of western scenery, "Unto the Hills." These pictures were shown at the Congregational church Sunday night and elicited much favorable comment. The only difference in presentation will be that the pictures will be explained instead of presented as illustrations, without comment, of the first verse of Psalm 121.

The pictures will be shown in the main sanctuary of the church at 8:00 o'clock. Any who may not care to come to the supper and those who are not members of the church may come at that time for the pictures.

Edna Hartwell of Beach St. returned from a hunting trip with a deer.

## "Great Books" Group To Meet October 11

The "Great Books" discussion group sponsored by the Ashland Public Library will hold its first session of the fall, October 11.

All who plan to join are asked to register at the Library and leave an order for the books that are to be studied in this year's course. This is requested in order that everyone may have an opportunity to read the books before each session. There will be 18 books in the course; they may be had in the special 60c edition, making a total cost of \$7.50 for the course. Or, several may purchase a set jointly if desired.

Those taking part last year are eager to continue and new members are welcome. Membership up to 30 is permitted; lively discussions result from wide variation in viewpoint represented in a fairly large group.

## Candidates for City Office to Get Third Degree from Ministers

### Nations Papers Observe "Week"

This week is National News paper week, and the management of the Southern Oregon News Review, C. H. Wines and Wendell Lawrence are extending an open invitation to all subscribers and friends to visit the plant where they will be shown methods of producing a newspaper and various other printed matter.

The slogan adopted for the year is, "Your right to know is the key to all your liberties." It is pointed out that freedom of the press also exacts a responsibility from the citizen who enjoys it, to think for themselves about the important question about our times.

Newspaper readers obviously vary. Some take their papers lightly as they would a movie or a detective story, but skilled, conscientious readers, on the other hand, learn from and evaluate their newspapers to get the most out of them.

"Like it or not, the world we live in is inescapably our business. Today, as through all history, there are forces which will take over when we as a nation have lost the knack of weighing facts and thinking for ourselves," is a statement made by the committee in charge of the nationwide observance.

"Largely by use of newspapers can we arm ourselves with the truth, and it is truth plus the desire of free men for the truth, which will fortify the human race."

### EIMSTAD IN TRAINING IN SO. CALIFORNIA

Lt. Henry A. Eimstad, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eimstad, of 207 Vista ave., Ashland, Oregon is serving aboard the destroyer USS Turner, which is participating in the amphibious training exercises in Southern California under the command of Rear Admiral B. J. Rodgers.

### Coming to Ashland For Special Service



A Christian European news correspondent and world traveler Rev. Dewey Blomgren will be in Ashland for a return engagement on Friday night at 7:45 p.m. Mr. Blomgren spent four years during the war in service among our boys in the army camps and has much first hand information to relate.

He is a member of the National Committee for Christian Leadership Inc., and is serving the committee in the capacity of executive secretary.

Mr. Blomgren is also a prophetic speaker linking present day events in the light of the prophetic word. Mr. R. G. LeTourneau, president of a large corporation manufacturing farming and road building equipment with immense factories in the U. S. and elsewhere, has this to say about Mr. Blomgren who returned for the seventh time to lecture in one of his great factories when about 1000 men gathered to hear him. Quote: "We believe his material to be of the greatest importance to all our people in all the land to such an extent that we gave our employes an extra half hour each noon to avail themselves of the valuable information Mr. Blomgren brings."

He will be speaking at one service only on Friday night at 7:45 p.m. at the Assembly of God church, located at 485 Siskiyou boulevard, on the subject, "I saw Hell let Loose on the Border."

Candidates for city office in the forthcoming Ashland elections will each receive a set of questions on matters pertaining to public interest members of the Ashland Ministerial Association decided at their meeting Monday.

Answers to the questions will be made available for publication and distribution. The Rev. George Shuman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who is secretary of the organization, stated that the questions would probably include some about the liquor by the drink measure, protection of religious liberties, elimination of crime comics, a truck route, etc. A committee will be appointed to make up the actual list and see that the questions are presented to the councilmen.

### YMCA CHURCH ATHLETIC LEAGUE MAKES PLANS

Representatives from the Ashland Churches and the Friends Church in Talent met at the Y.M.C.A. Monday evening, October 4th, to plan for activities in the Y.M.C.A. Church Athletic League for this season.

One of the activities to be considered at the meeting will be the possibility of a six Man Touch Foot Ball League for boys of the Sunday Schools this fall. Also in the agenda of the meeting will be plans for the Church League Basketball season.

Churches to be represented at the meeting Monday evening include: the Baptist Church, Presbyterian church, Methodist, Church of Christ, Nazarene and the Congregational church of Ashland and the Friends Church of Talent.

### McKay and Gordon Appear Locally

Doug McKay, republican candidate for governor, met Thursday at the Lithia Hotel with local Republican leaders and interested voters to discuss his campaign. Lloyd Selby, Ashland Chevrolet dealer, was in charge of the meeting.

McKay's arrival here Thursday followed closely on the heels of the appearance of United States Senator Guy Gordon, who spoke to the Kiwanis club and the members of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting held on Tuesday.

### W. Lawrence Elected Printer's President

Wendell Lawrence, associated with C. H. Wines in the publishing of the Southern Oregon News Review, has been elected president of the Siskiyou Chapter, Master Printers of Oregon, Printer's International Association.

Election of officers and official formation of the organization took place Friday night at a meeting held in Medford. Other officers include James Grigsby, of Klockner Printers, Medford, vice president; and Ed Goetzl, Grants Pass Bulletin, secretary-treasurer.

The association includes printing plant operators in Southern Oregon and Northern California. Represented at the meeting were officials from the Mt. Shasta Herald, the Southern Oregon News Review, the Grants Pass Bulletin, Bowdoin Printing Company, Commercial Printers of Medford, Yreka Commercial Printers, Harry Morse, the Printer, Klockner Printers and Ferracarril Press.

### Church To Hold Rally Day Sunday

Annual Rally Day of the First Church of Christ Bible School will be held Sunday. A short impressive special number by Primary department will be the feature of the opening service of the school.

The purpose of the day is to rally all the old pupils who may have taken a vacation during the summer, months and to enlist new pupils who are not enrolled in Sunday school. The school opens at 9:45 a.m., and is located at Second and B Streets. Erl F. Downing is minister of the church; Mrs. L. U. Gresham is superintendent of the school.

### Stansbury Back From Trip East

Phil Stansbury, captain of infantry, who is assigned to the Adjutant General's department, Oregon National Guard, has returned from a week in St. Louis, Missouri, where he met with other National Guard officers to discuss the present situation in regard to the country's defense.

The Rev. E. P. Borden, pastor of the Congregational church, was elected as president of the Ashland Ministerial Association, on Monday, October 4. Rev. Leland Wilkinson of the Baptist church was named vice president, and the Rev. George M. Shuman of the Presbyterian church was selected as secretary-treasurer. Dr. Borden announced that during his incumbency he hopes to deal with routine business matters with dispatch and devote much of the time of the association's meetings to devotionals and to scholarly papers.

Several actions were taken by the group. After hearing Mrs. Jim Busch, approval was given to the Jackson County Public Health Associations Social Hygiene visitation program. Full endorsement and cooperation was also voted to the Jackson County Community Chest. Several suggestions were made looking toward better public relations for the churches of the community. Dr. Borden was appointed to preach at the annual Thanksgiving service to be held at the Church of Christ at 10 a.m.

The Association voted unanimously to oppose the "liquor by the glass" measure on the November ballot, and ordered material for public distribution, and voted to campaign against the measure by every available means.

Several new members were introduced: Rev. O. W. Klingsheim, of the Assembly of God and Rev. J. C. Green of the Free Methodist church.

### MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS WITH MRS. THOMAS

Membership Committee of the Y.M.C.A. met at the home of the Committee Chairman, Mrs. Harold A. Thomas, Monday evening, October 4th to revise the membership policy of the Ashland Association. Members on the committee include: Mrs. Harold A. Thomas, Elliott McCracken, Allan O. McGee, Ralph Billings and Bert Freeman.

### Legion to Play Host To Hilt & Medford

Members of Ashland Post No. 14 of the American Legion, and Auxiliary members will be hosts and hostesses to twenty-five members of the Hilt, California post and their wives, and the entire membership of Post 13 of Medford at a meeting Tuesday, October 12.

Art Kellart, District Commander of Cave City, will be the principal speaker.

### Local Man Stands Alone Against 600

From his position on the lawn at SOC, George A. Smith, Custodian of Grounds, could see the opposing force, 600 strong, charging up Siskiyou Boulevard. With no time for gaining help, Smith quickly decided upon a plan to meet the marauders single-handedly, the body of the plan being that of making a sincere plea for cooperation.

The gardeners job is a one-man deal providing students do a few simple things to help:

1. Use the trash cans placed at all entrances for papers and cigarette butts.
2. Walk on the walks, and use the door mats.
3. Pick bouquets and greenery only with permission.

With limited funds for the campus, Smith is forced to ask for donations of flowering perennials and shrubs for use in the flower beds. Any similar gifts will be gratefully accepted.

To the women at Susanne Homes hall, George (Smitty) says "All the lawn on the west side of the dorm has been planted and will be green in a week or two."