

DOING THE TOWN

Now that election day is drawing near, this will be your inquiring reporter's last poll for City Council. Fifty people were polled. Each person was asked to name three of the ten candidates for City Councilman and his choice for the three vacancies. Here are the results.

Phil Stansbury	12	2/3%
Homer Billings	10	2/3%
Harold Merrill	10	
Walter Redford	8	2/3%
Fred Homes	5	1/3%
Henry Gerdes	2	2/3%
Phillip Wendt	2	2/3%
William Bracker	2	
Owen Gragg	1	1/3%
William Stewart	1	1/3%
No Choice for three candidates	40%	
No Choice for two	1	1/3%
No Choice for one	1	1/3%

How dry is our valley? As a matter of public interest, your inquiring reporter also investigated the public opinion on the sale of liquor by the glass here in Ashland. There has been some controversy on this subject and your reporter asked, "How will you vote for the State bill legalizing liquor by the glass." The outcome was, to say the least, very interesting. Twenty-eight per cent, the poll indicates, are in favor of legalizing liquor by the glass. The large majority, fifty-six per cent to be exact, are against liquor by the glass. The rest, sixteen per cent, simply don't care. I have no doubt how this valley will vote, but let us remember, it will be the upper end of the state which tells the tale.

Now, here I come with my weekly gripe. Out of fifty people polled, some three, all women, answered they didn't know how to vote, their husbands hadn't told them yet. The responsibility of our democracy rests with such people as this. Three other people were registered voters but simply "couldn't be bothered" to vote in the coming election. Another man, an Oregon resident for two years said, "I don't know, I'm a Californian." These answers were received both on the liquor questions and the city election. Again I repeat, the responsibility of our democracy rests with such people as this.

L. J. Knox Releases City Audit Report

Leland J. Knox, certified Public Accountant, Medford, released his audit on finances of the city of Ashland this week. Mr. Knox's statement is being published in this issue of the News Review.

Certain changes in the accounting system which the city uses were recommended by Mr. Knox but in the main he stated that the city was in a sound financial position.

CANDIDATES TO SPEAK

Members of Sigma Alpha Sigma have invited the candidates for Mayor of the City of Ashland to speak Wednesday at the college at an open forum.

Ed Barnett has been hunting for deer during the early morning hours during the first of the week.

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Readers Digest Carries Story

"By romancing their agricultural exploits, Harry and David Holmes of Medford, boomed a struggling pear orchard into a \$4,000,000 business and brought unexampled prosperity to the once-busted Rogue River Valley." So writes Frank J. Taylor in the November Reader's Digest, hailing the Holmes "Fruit of the Month" enterprise. Condensed from Advertising and Selling, the article says that last year's business totaled 947,009 packages of fruit—enough to fill 32 refrigerator express trains of 15 cars each.

Graduating from Cornell's agriculture college, Harry and David took over their father's Bear Creek orchard just before the depression. The lean years brought disaster to Oregon's pear growers, and in desperation the brothers hit on the idea of gift boxes of jumbo peaches as Christmas presents.

In New York, an advertising man sampled one of Harry's peaches and suggested sending a box of them "with a chatty note" to the "ten biggest men" in the city. Result: in 24 hours Harry had orders for 467 gift packages—from Walter Chrysler, Owen D. Young, Alfred P. Sloan and others.

Peaches, apples and other fruits, added since, have become the basis of the Fruit of the month club.

Multnomah College Prexy To Speak Here

Dr. Edward L. Clark, president of Multnomah college in Portland, will address the Ashland Rotary club members Thursday, October 22. He will speak on the subject "Service Above Self."

SOC Enrollment At All Time High

The final enrollment figure for the fall term at Southern Oregon college has broken all previous records. Mrs. Mabel Winston, Registrar, revealed the final figures this week. Six hundred fifty-two students registered to exceed last year's high of 601 by 8 per cent.

A breakdown of statistics shows the following facts: Teacher Education curriculum is on the upgrade with 268 students enrolled, a 43 per cent increase over last year. New students represented a 2 per cent increase in this division.

There are 432 men, 219 women, increases of 3.5 per cent and 19 per cent respectively. Two hundred thirty-nine of the students are veterans. Of the new students, 74 are out of state enrollees. This year, for the first time, SOC has grown to be the largest of the States colleges of education. Its veteran enrollment is also greater than that of the other schools.

The record breaking registration has crowded facilities to the utmost. Classes are overflowing, walls are bulging, and instructors are hard pressed for equipment.

Health Association Has New Offices

Medford, Oct. 20—A new office has been opened by the Jackson County Public Health association, at 305 Leverette building in Medford. The group formerly had space in the Brophy building. Miss June Bosworth has been employed as office secretary and will be in the office Monday through Friday from 9 to 12, and from 1 to 5.

Information regarding the work being done by the association may be secured here, it was stated. Also, material on social hygiene education will be distributed from this office, and other pamphlets and articles on public health. Details of the chest X-ray survey, which will be held in Jackson county November 15 to 23, will be handled from this office, and it will also be headquarters for the Christmas Seal Sale, conducted annually by the public health association.

Fraternal Group Formed In Ashland

Degree of Honor Protective association, a national fraternal life insurance society, instituted a new lodge in Ashland, October 18th with the following officers installed:

President, Mrs. Marge Faske; vice president, Mrs. Hortense Peterson; vice president, Mrs. Yvonne Campbell; second vice president, Mrs. Georgia Ram; financial secretary, Mrs. Ellen Parker; treasurer, Mrs. Nadine Coffman; usher, Mrs. Judy Stoll; assistant usher, Mrs. Emerance Norris; color bearer, Mrs. Cora Klinger; inner watch, Carl Peterson; outer watch Howard Peterson; pianist, Mrs. Francis Michelson.

Officers and members from Klamath Falls, Medford and Grants Pass assisted in the installation ceremonies.

KIWANIS - YMCA Plan Boxing Bout

Four boxing shows are planned for the Kiwanis - YMCA boxing club during the year. Instruction periods will begin Tuesday November 2 at the Senior High school gymnasium. John Cherny is instructor. Older boys will receive two instruction periods each week and younger boys one.

Mrs. R. W. McNeal has given a rowing machine to the club. Members of the Kiwanis - YMCA. Boxing Committee include: Phil Bryant, Col. P. B. Waterbury, Larry Butler, Joe Fader, R. N. Fletcher and Jack Rouhier, President of the Boxing Club is the Rev. Earl F. Downing.

Hi Y Club to Induct 17 New Members

Induction ceremonies for the Ashland Junior Hi Y club will be held early in November. Seventeen members have applied. They include:

Jim Robison, Ronald Walker, Kenneth Rogers, Wayne South, Jerry Ward, Dave Shaffer, Richard Varney, Glen Ingle, Richard Reynen, Dick McNeerney, Richard Taylor Paul Yates, Philip Selby, Jason Wilson, Bob Willoughby, Roy Wiltse, and Dale King.

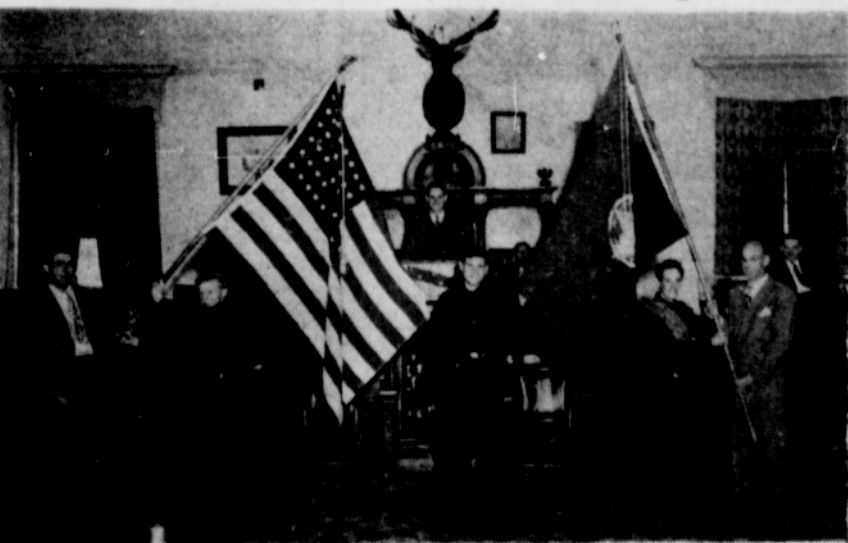
The club will meet bi-weekly at the Y.M.C.A. on the second and fourth Thursday of the month. The program of activities for the first semester of the school year will be up for discussion at the next meeting of the group.

Raiders Down San Francisco State

From The Siskiyou
The SOC Red Raiders made it two conference wins in a row as it rambled over San Francisco State 26 to 7 Saturday night on the Ashland high school field.

Chuck Jandreau started the Raiders rolling by scoring on a line plunge early in the second quarter. Gionvanetti picked up another touchdown when he recovered a San Francisco fumble in the end zone. Limpy Jones kicked both extra points. In the second half a pass from Jandreau to Edwards was good for another SOC touchdown and Ventje added the last one on an end run. Jones failed to add the extra point.

Elks Place Local Picture in Magazine



National recognition came to the brothers of B.P.O.E. 944, Ashland Elks this month when the October issue of the Elks magazine displayed a picture of Don McWhirter and Lyn Newbury presenting a set of flags to the Senior Scout troop of Ashland. McWhirter and Newbury are troop organizer and leader respectively. Shown receiving the flags are Jerry Langer, Dean Boyer, and Frank Hill, members of the troop.

Local Candidates Get Questionnaire From The Ministerial Association

SOC Homecoming November 5th

Southern Oregon College set its homecoming date as November 5th and 6th and a committee consisting of Alumni President, Bud Silver of Ashland, Alumni Secretary Eisal Beck of Phoenix, Bob Beach, SOC Student Body President; Hollis Hill, student yell king; Margaret Bolton, SOC dormitory director; Professor Loren Messenger, Dr. Arthur Taylor, Professor Jeanette Smith, Coach Ted Schopf and Professor Elliott MacCracken are busy working out the details for the event.

Festivities will begin with a banquet at Susanne Homes hall. A hundred and fifty alumni and guests are expected to attend the diversified activities ending with a football game at Grants Pass between SOC's Red Raiders and Pacific University on November 6th.

Tentative plans for the week end are as follows: A banquet for alumni and guests and invitational to students at Susanne Homes hall, Friday, November 5; a bonfire in Fuller Field immediately following the banquet; and a dance after the bonfire, open to all students and alumni, and featuring a well-known dance band. The football game Saturday, November 6, at Grants Pass will conclude the week end.

Invitations will be sent to alumni, and dance tickets will be placed on sale for students in the near future.

Alumni president, and former SOC student body president, Bud Silver, will organize plans for the banquet.

Epperson To Be Buried Saturday

Phoenix, Oct. 21—Dwight Epperson, 17, who was killed Sunday while hunting in the Missouri flats section on the Missouri flats section on the Applegate will be buried Saturday at 2:00 p.m. Services will be held at the Conger Morris chapel in Medford with interment at Siskiyou Memorial park.

Epperson, Ray Ayers, Medford; and Stanley Ferns, Phoenix, were hunting together when Epperson was struck in the forehead with a bullet. Elzie Ervin Stantberry, Grants Pass, who was hunting in the area without a license, was arraigned Tuesday on an involuntary manslaughter charge. Hearing was set for October 29.

This was the 21st hunting death reported in Oregon this year.

The pallbearers for the funeral will be members of the Letterman's club of Phoenix high school. Epperson was a tackle on the Phoenix football team.

He was born March 11, 1931, at Gaylord, Oregon and had lived in Phoenix for the past six years. He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton A. Epperson; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Montgomery and Mrs. May Keene; a brother, Charles; a grandmother, Mrs. Mary Duffield, and several uncles and aunts, all of Phoenix.

Raiders vs. Wolves Friday Night

From The Siskiyou
Southern Oregon Red Raiders travel to Monmouth this coming Friday night to play the Eastern Oregon College of Education.

Johnson, quarterback, will be sparkplugging the "Wolves." In 1947 he played for the University of Oregon as second to Van Brocklin. Robin Lee, who proved his ability last year, will be playing left-half. The "Wolves" boast a fast backfield, but their line is quite a little lighter than Southern Oregon's.

The "Raiders" will probably be at full strength. Eastern Oregon has defeated Oregon Vocational School and College of the Pacific, but lost a conference game to Chico State.

YMCA Open House Fri. October 22

Friday night, October 22, the Parent's Night and Open House program of the Ashland YMCA will be held at the Y building. Time of the affair is set for 7:30 p.m.

Feature of the evenings program will be the showing of colored pictures of the scenic beauty of the West by Carl Moline of Oregon City. The general public is cordially invited to attend the Open House program. Committee in charge of the Parents Night program consists of Rev. E. P. Borden, Mrs. Hugh McKeever and Iles S. Green.

Legion Ladies Hear Two State Speakers

By Lottie Ransdell
Mrs. Richard Berninghausen, Scenic Drive, was hostess Monday evening to the members of the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 14. Mrs. Joy Badden, President of District 4 and Mrs. Marlon Marks, Department Publicity Chairman, were honored guests.

Mrs. Badden, of Kerby, Oregon is now working in Klamath Falls where her blind husband is enrolled at the Klamath Falls Vocational School. She gave an account of the school and the benefits available there.

She gave instructions to local chairmen and members in their work and stressed their responsibility in acquainting young veterans, their families and newcomers to the community with the many benefits offered them by the American Legion and its Auxiliary.

Mrs. Marks reported on her two day visit to the veterans at the Roseburg hospital. Both officials urged the local group to broaden their activities in sponsoring various projects and inviting other groups to join them in this work, which becomes greater each year.

Mrs. Kathleen Silver, local president, presided over a short business meeting. Evelyn Kreisman was appointed membership chairman.

Other guests at the home of Mrs. Berninghausen were Kathleen Silver, Ruby Holmes, Stella Corchell, Margaret Wolf, Ethel Link, Pauline Finnell, Ruth Cushing, Jessie Silver, Henrietta Silver, Ruth Jordan, Lottie Ransdell, Neva Wood, Betty Adams, Evelyn Kreisman and Celia Berninghausen.

Earl Johnson and Bob Jones have joined the Ashland Lions club. Lee Murphy District governor of the Lions, whose home is in Portland, visited the group Tuesday evening.

Leane Brownlee, Lovette Swift, Ruth Mitchell LaVonne Olson, Fawn Phelps, Ellen Brower, Ann Fullerton, and Dolores Childers have joined the Tri Y club. Emmett Witham got his buck.

Ed Singmaster and Tom Williams were deer hunting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dodge spent the weekend at Lake O' The Woods.

Dr. G. W. Bruce, former Methodist minister in Ashland, was first place winner in a garden contest held recently in Grasham, Oregon, where Dr. and Mrs. Bruce now live.

Candidates for public office in the city of Ashland this week received a series of questions from the Ashland ministerial association. According to the Rev. George Shuman, the candidates answers to the questions will be made public this coming week.

The complete list of questions is as follows.

1. Recreation. A. What program of city sponsored recreation for young people do you have?

B. Do you favor the purchase (or building) of a swimming pool to be municipally owned?

2. Crime Comics. Would you favor ordinance eliminating the sale of "Crime Comics" to Ashland children?

3. Liquor Control. Do you favor or are you opposed to the "liquor-by-the-glass" measure on the November ballot, particularly for Ashland?

4. Sunday Observance. Would you, if elected, encourage or discourage the scheduling of events to take place at church hours, and would you encourage or discourage the use of city facilities for such events at hours normally set aside for public worship?

5. Religious Liberty. A. Will you do all in your power to preserve the American ideal of religious liberty for all people of whatever shade of religious belief and protect them in their right to assemble and to teach?

B. Will you see to it that no special privileges are granted to any church which cannot be granted equally to all churches in Ashland?

6. Protection of Worship. Trucks going through Ashland are so noisy that at times worship cannot be carried on in churches located on the highway. Will you work for the establishment of a permanent truck route, to do away with this public nuisance? Until such a route is created, will you vote to extend to the churches during worship hours the same courtesy as was extended to the Shakespearean Festival, namely special officers to direct traffic to side streets away from the churches holding worship?

7. Personal Habits. At Pearl Harbor it was found that the personal habits of responsible officers had much to do with our unreadiness to repel the attack. We believe that such habits are still a matter of public concern. Please indicate, if you will, your own estimate as regards your use of alcoholic beverages:

Abstainer Occasional user
Moderate user Heavy user

8. Will you protect the right of any loyal American citizen to settle in Ashland, regardless of race or national origin?

9. Would you take greater pride in having the "lowest tax rate" in this area, or in having the finest schools, hospital, public buildings, and recreational opportunities for young people?

10. Would you be willing to appear on a public forum with other candidates with an impartial moderator, to answer these and other questions from the floor, such forum to take place during the week before election?

YMCA Officers To Attend Conference

Twenty five Officers and Adult Advisors from the five Hi Y and Tri Hi Y Clubs of the city will leave early Sunday morning, October 24th, for Klamath Falls to attend the Southern Oregon Hi Y and Tri Hi Y Officers Training Conference.

Attending the Conference will be representatives from the Hi Y and Tri Hi Y Clubs from four Southern Oregon cities including Grants Pass, Medford, Ashland and Klamath Falls.

Ashland Clubs to be represented at this Conference are: Senior Hi Y Club, Junior Hi Y Club, Senior Tri Hi Y Club, the New Tri Hi Y Club just organized in the Senior High school, the Junior Tri Hi Y Club. Adult advisors attending the conference will be Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Glenn Crisp, Mrs. A. M. Miller, M. D. Yoder and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Fletcher.

Richard Joy, of Bellview and son, Alden have gone on a couple of hunting trips recently, to the Dead Indian country, but, so far, have had no luck.