

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

R. S. Moore and two sons left Sunday for Waco, Ore., to spend the summer.

Frank Fenwick returned to Portland Sunday night after visiting friends for a few days.

Judge W. S. Crowell, one of the directors of the Medford National bank, was a Monday visitor in the city.

Miss Bessie Farmer of Ashland is in the city canvassing for the subscription book, "Past, Present and Future."

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stewart of Medford came to Grants Pass Sunday and will visit for several days with A. A. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Kesterson returned to Dorris Sunday after having spent a week at their home in this city.

Mrs. Emma C. Dixon left Sunday for her home at San Diego, after spending five weeks with her son, E. C. Dixon.

Mrs. G. E. Root, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Hogue, at Kerby, left Monday for her home at Yreka. Mrs. Hogue accompanied her for a visit.

W. J. Wimer has just come in from the Takilma district where he has been looking after mining interests for some weeks. Mr. Wimer reports great activity in the mining business, not only in the sale of properties, but also in actual development, and believes that the time is not far distant when there will be a great awakening in the Grants Pass mining industry.

J. F. Bohl Jr. returned Monday from Seattle, where he had been to look for a location, but found nothing that suited him. He has left for his home on the Applegate.

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Fred Roper is in Portland.

A. B. Cornell went to Leland this morning.

Mrs. S. Loughridge went to Ashland this morning.

Miss Dora Fisher of Rogueriver started Tuesday morning for Arlington, Colo.

G. H. Karner and son started on Monday for an automobile trip to Yreka, Cal.

Mrs. R. H. Toft of Medford and Mrs. Lamant of Alameda were visiting Mrs. Alex Brown and Mrs. Luella Tryer Sunday.

R. U. McNutt went to Sacramento Tuesday to spend a week or 10 days on mining business.

Mrs. Elmer Shank and two little daughters went to Portland Monday to spend some time with Mr. Shank. Mrs. Hazel Marks and baby returned Monday to her home at Eugene after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodgkinson.

A. S. D. Puter, who has been in the limelight at various times, has been in Josephine county for several days, where he has a number of men cruising timber. He returned Monday night to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holland returned Monday to their home at Newport, B. C., after spending a few days with Mrs. Holland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Disbrow. Mrs. Holland was formerly Miss Vesta Disbrow and went to Vancouver, B. C., four years ago.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Boyce left Monday night for Portland and will later go to British Columbia, expecting to be absent the two weeks of Mr. Boyce's vacation. They were accompanied by Evelyn Boyce of Portland, a niece who has been visiting them for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Strong of Eastern Oregon spent Monday in the city with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cornell. They left The Dalles by auto and went to Medford, but on Monday night went to Portland by train, and after the Elks convention will return to Medford and with their machine return home by the way of Crater Lake.

Three Births on the Applegate—

The population of the Applegate valley was increased last week by three births, two boys and one girl, there being born Sunday, June 30, to Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Fuller of Williams, a son; on July 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lutken of Provolt, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson of Provolt an 11 1/2 pound daughter.

Lost Watch Sunday—

Mrs. H. C. Perkins wore her gold watch Sunday night when she went down town to hear the band concert, and on her way home discovered that her watch was missing. Mrs. Perkins believes that the heavy bead chain may have been cut and the watch taken from her belt while in the dense crowd.

From Coast to City in Ten Hours—

Melbourne Dunn has made a good record in a recent run from Crescent City to this city, covering the distance between the hours of eight in the morning and six in the evening with his little Brush runabout. The distance is 98 miles, and considering that the roads are more or less muddy always at this season of the year through the heavy timber, the time was excellent. Mr. Dunn is now on another trip to the coast city.

J. M. O'Grady's Son is Killed—

C. L. Mangum is in receipt of a letter from J. M. O'Grady, of Chicago, general manager of the Oregon Gold Mines company, owners of the Granite Hill mine near here, which they had intended to start up in the near future, that his arrival will be delayed by the death of his only son. The young man, who was but eighteen years of age, was accidentally shot by a chum with whom he was rumping out for the summer.

Good Copper Ore—

E. H. Watt of Galice was in the city Monday and displayed some copper which he had secured from some mining property in the Silver creek country. The smelting was done in a small hand forge and was necessarily not a perfect test, but he secured one pound of copper from 200 pounds of ore, and the one pound of copper carried 110 in gold. He has ore which he states runs 90 per cent copper and carrying good gold values. Mr. Watt has parties interested in the proposition.

An hour's study of the store ad will educate a shopper as to buying opportunities offered to her by the city's stores for that day. And she will not pay too much for anything—not unless she has skipped a whole lot of important ads in her reading.

Medford Attorney here—

W. F. Scheumeyer, an attorney from Medford, was in the city today attending the circuit court, having appeared in the Old Channel case. Mr. Scheumeyer is now associated with Mr. A. E. Reames and recently came to Oregon from Oklahoma.

Some Handsome Photos—

A. T. Lewis of the Grants Pass Art Studio has just finished handsome sets of photographs of the Southern Pacific wreck, which occurred Monday, a complete set of pictures of the Fourth of July celebration at the Leonard orchard and pictures of the Cornell & Eismann ranch near the town of Rogueriver.

TACOMA WILL ENTERTAIN ELKS.

TACOMA, July 9.—Tacoma Elks are making arrangements to give the Portland Elk convention a royal welcome here Saturday night when it is expected 10,000 Elks returning east will stop here to witness a big carnival in the stadium gotten up especially for their benefit.

ARMY DESERTER CHARGED WITH MURDER ARRESTED.

PORTLAND, July 9.—Wilfred O. Thonges, alias W. Tanner, today is under arrest here charged with the murder of Ray W. Wallace several weeks ago in a Portland rooming house. He was arrested at Vancouver Barracks, Wash., where he had given up as a deserter from the army.

JUDGE HANFORD MORALIZES.

TACOMA, July 9.—Judge C. H. Hanford swore in Judge E. E. Cushman as a federal judge here yesterday afternoon, admonishing him "I hope you will have no difficulties, but no matter how truthfully and impartially you act, you will always be subject to criticism of maligners and the vituperation of those whom you are called upon to decide against."

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SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—While New York, the east and the middle west sweltered today in the most severe heat wave of the season, the whole Pacific coast region rejoiced in pleasant weather. Nowhere was there oppressively high temperatures. Following were the thermometer marks in the different coast cities up to noon: San Francisco, 60 degrees. Portland, 66 degrees. Medford, 71 degrees. Grants Pass, 69 degrees. Bellingham, 62 degrees. Seattle, 60 degrees. Salem, 62 degrees. Vancouver, B. C., 60 degrees. Sacramento, 71 degrees. Stockton, 76 degrees. San Diego, 65 degrees. Los Angeles, 73 degrees. Pasadena, 71 degrees.

MOTOR CRAFT TO RACE.

PORTLAND, July 9.—With a number of the fastest craft on the Pacific coast entered, the regatta of the Portland Motor Boat club to be held this afternoon in the Willamette river promised to provide plenty of thrills and possibly some record breaking performances.

The Wild Wolf, built by John E. Wolff, constructor of the Oregon Wolf, which broke the world's record in February, is entered in the "free-for-all."

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