LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Douglas Wood of Grants Pass was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. R. W. Clarke and Miss Helen Clarke of Grants Pass are Medford visitors.

Peanut candy, 15c a pound. Get it at DeVoe's. •

J. Klippel arrived from Medford this morning and left immediately by automobile for the Klippel mines near Holland. He was accompanied by John Smith, who arrived a few days ago from Klamath Falls. Mr. Smith will be employed on the property.—Grants Pass Courier.

Secure fire insurance upon your fruit while in a packing house. Low rates. Special short term policies. Guaranteed insurance with E. S. Tumy, 210 Garnett-Corey Bldg. •

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Von der Hellen and son Donald of Eagle Point spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nunan.

Kodak finishing the best, at Weston's Camera Shop. Over Isis Theater. •

Roger Bennett is spending the week in the northern part of the state attending to business matters.

Joe Rader of Talent is a business visitor in the city today.

DeVoe is selling gum drops at ten cents per pound today. •

The Talent Dancing club will hold a dancing party at Talent Friday evening. A number of Medford people will attend.

E. F. Weston has returned from a three weeks visit in northern California.

Make your winter home at Colonial Flats, 217 South Riverside. •

Mrs. Fannie McNulty, arrested at Boise, Idaho, on a charge of defrauding the Jackson county bank through false representations, will be returned to this city Friday. Sheriff Singler left the first of the week to bring her back. The preliminary hearing will be held the first of next week.

The finest equipment in Oregon for printing fruit labels. Medford Printing Co. •

The Wage Earners and Tax Payers League will hold an informal meeting at the Medford Hotel Tuesday night, and name precinctmen for the coming election.

See R. H. McCurdy for Aetna Fidelity and Surety Bonds. •

Prohibition forces are active in the country districts lining up voters for the fall election. Some of the workers are getting over the ground on wheels, making a house to house canvass. Tom Nichols of Eagle Point, prohibition candidate for the state senate is making an active campaign. Most of the candidates for county offices on all the tickets will bring out their heavy artillery the first of the month for a whirlwind finish.

The oldest exclusive agency in Medford, reliable protection, our only business. Holmes, the Insurance Man. •

If Bud Anderson, former pride of Medford, appeared in an exhibition bout at Pendleton Friday night, the press of the northwest did not consider it worth mentioning. Ben Chavez, a featherweight, and former camp attendant of Anderson's was knocked out in half a minute. Dick Donald at one time had him under his managerial wing.

Kodak finishing and supplies at Weston's Camera Shop. Over Isis Theater. •

The railroad yards are full of wanderers beating their way south for the winter. Train crews on the S. P. have been instructed to keep them off, and have special agents out to see that the rule is obeyed. On some railroads in this country trainmen make more money than the directors charging a "dollar a division" for box car travelers.

Authentic war news received by Mail Tribune leased wire will be posted during the day at Hotel Medford. •

E. V. Coffin left Tuesday for San Francisco to visit friends and relatives.

Get it at DeVoe's. •

The next term of the grand jury will open October 19, and the petit jury wil open a week later.

E. S. Tumy writes all forms of insurance. Excellent companies, good local service, 210 Garnett-Corey Bldg. •

Game Warden A. S. Hubbard spent Tuesday in Medford attending to official business.

Automatic base ball, that brand new out door game, has arrived in Medford. See it at DeVoes tonight, just west of Hotel Medford. •

The quail season will open tomorrow, and the lowlands and meadows will be full of hunters. Owing to depredations of past seasons a number of land owners in the Table Rock district, which is a favorite quail section, trespass warnings have been issued.

Hemstitching and pleating done and models made at Mrs. Haney's dressmaking parlors, Moe's store. 159

Alex Budge of San Francisco, who has been visiting his parents in this city, has returned to California.

The best road attraction at the Page theater will be Kitty MacKaye, a musical production next Monday, October 7, followed by DeWolf Hopper, Wednesday, October 10. There will be a change of vaudevile tonight with an extra good run of pictures

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 228 Main St. Phone 320-J.

Chief of Police Hittson has returned from a campaign trip to the Flounce Rock district.

Arthur Furry of Phoenix spent Tuesday afternoon in Medford on business.

Wanted sound, young black horse between 1300 and 1400 lbs. Communicate with J. H. Murphy, Nash Hotel immediately. 164

Miss Helen Purucker will leave for the east shortly where she will spend the winter.

Medford Poultry and Egg Co. have fine laying hens for sale.

The High school and Alumni football teams will play a game at the Jackson school grounds next Saturday afternoon. Following Saturdays until Thanksgiving will see games with Klamath Falls, Ashland, Grants Pass, and northern California teams.

Now is the time to buy your winter laying hens. We have some choice ones for sale. Medford Poultry and Egg Co.

Sid Brown, Court Hall, W. A. Stewart, William Bates, Charles Palm and William Miller are among Medford hunters spending a few days on the Klamath county lakes after ducks. The duck season opens tomorrow.

Big bargains in millinery commencing Friday at Rundlett Sisters, 103 North Central. 165*

Probation Officer Charles Gay left Tuesday night to place the four Cowan children of Ashland in charge of the Boys and Girls society at Portland.

Fire sale of millinery begins Friday at Rundlett's, 103 North Central. 165*

Frank Newell of Rogue River spent the first of the week in Medford attending to business matters.

A public reception on Wednesday evening, Sept. 30, at 8 o'clock the members of the M. E. church will give Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Eldridge a farewell reception at the church. All members and friends of the church cordially invited. A good program will be given consisting of songs, recitations and speeches. Everybody welcome. 164*

Apple cider of local production for this season is making its appearance at local thirst emporiums.

R. A. Holmes, the Insurance Man, has $1500 to loan. •

Walter Merrick, Mrs. L. E. Enyart, and Miss Opal Lang will return Friday from a week spent bear hunting on Wood ruff Meadows.

Henry Walters of Prospect is in the city on business this week.

Councilman George Porter left this morning for Klamath county to spend the rest of the week duck hunting.

The Elks lodge will hold a smoker after the regular session of the lodge tomorrow night. A feast, music, and speech making will make up the evening's program.

Miss Nell Storm will leave in a few days for a visit with friends and relatives in Portland.

Judge J. R. Neil of Jacksonville spent Monday in Medford visiting friends.

Section hands at Steinman have complained that an officer of the law deprived them of their rifle last week and were under the impression that they could secure redress. The confiscation was made upon the law prohibiting an unnaturalized resident having firearms, without a special license. It was suspected that section workers were killing game and birds.

Mose Barkdull and B. G. Worthington will leave tomorrow on a quail hunting trip.

E. J. Vining of Ashland was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

A 46 pound watermelon raised by D. H. Hamscom of the Table Rock district is on exhibition at the Commercial club. A cucumber grown by Pat Mego in his kitchen garden is also shown.

J. H. McNeil of Grand Forks, B. C., is among the out of town visitors in the city this week.

M. F. Sanders and wife and children of San Jacinto, Cal., are in the city.

Do it Today

Resolve to smoke Gov. Johnson cigars, the best, and thereby patronize home industry. tf*

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council at its meeting to be held October 6, 1914, for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business, 13 South Front street, city of Medford, for a period of six months.

Dated September 21, 1914. •

O. M. SELSBY,
Trustee.

JAPANESE TREATY WITH BRITISH IS OFFICIALLY DENIED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Official and diplomatic quarters united today in discrediting a published report of a secret Anglo-Japanese agreement under which Japan was to have a free hand in China, which to be permitted to send Japanese emigrants to all parts of the British Empire, which would include Canada and Australia, and was to have a British loan of $200,000,000 while Japanese troops were to assist in putting down disaffection in British India.

At the British embassy it was stated that official warning had been sent from London some time ago to be on the watch for such a report. British officials in China having advised the home government that the report would be set in circulation for the purpose of arousing antagonisms. Nothing is known of the alleged loan, but it is said that if any funds have been raised through the London market it would be in the natural course of financial transactions and without the slightest bearing on the alleged agreement as to Japan's activity in China.

As to Japan having a free hand in China, state department officials recall the statements coming from London at the time of Japan's ultimatum that Japan's field of activity in China would be restricted to the China Sea and the German possession of Kiao Chow and would not extend to the mainland of China.

INDIAN JAILED FOR VISITING A SALOON

An order was issued by the police this morning to the effect that an Indian found in a saloon would be arrested and subject to the full penalty of the federal law. The order applies to full and fractional breeds of red men.

The first arrest was that of Joe Got a Klamath Falls aborigne who arrived this morning from the Holland round-up. Joe was highly indignant because no one would sell him liquor, and with every refusal would start an argument. He was put in jail by Officer Cingcade pending further investigation.

Crater Lake Special Trips.

Parties wishing to go to Crater Lake during this fine weather, can make special arrangements with the Hall Taxi company. Seven passengers, round trip, $10 each; six passengers, round trip, $11 each; five passengers, round trip, $12; four passengers, round trip, $13.50.

For particulars phone Seeley Hall, manager Hall Taxi company. 164*

HELMS' INDIAN RELICS AT FAIR

The best of the relics in the Ed Helms' collection, now in the pioneer bar at Jacksonville, will be sent to the 1915 fair, as a feature of the southern Oregon exhibit acording to plans under way. Among the collection is a bow and arrow said to have been used by Captain Jack of the Modocs in his early day raids, and a piece of the rope with which the first lynching in this section was negotiated. Many other interesting curios comprise the collection, including a dozen or so freak growths of wood. A mastodon tusk found on the Applegate years ago is another relic. Steps will be taken to interest the proper authorities in the proposed display.

BIG LEAGUERS WILL PLAY IN MEDFORD

Blaine Klum is considering assuming the management of the appearance in this city of the All-Star teams of the American and National league teams in this city, Monday, November 2. The ball players ask a guarantee of $500. Klum will wire them tonight that he will guarantee them this amount on the gate receipts. Should the offer be accepted, preparations for the coming of the teams will be launched, and an effort made to bring baseball fans from as far north as Roseburg and south to Redding. The personnel of the two teams include Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics, and the pick of the two major leagues. The biggest star listed is Frank Baker, the home-run maker.

TOM FREKAS LOSES TEAM THROUGH FRIEND

Tom Frekas, star witness in the Mike Spanos trial, lent a team of horses to an Italian friend, and now alleges he is shy both friend and team. Frekas asserts his friend took the horses to Eugene on the pretext of having grading work to do, and there sold his property for $50 and kept the money. The local and Lane county authorities are investigating the case.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, close in. Phone 372-J. •

FOR RENT—Two room furnished house. Large closet and pantry, electric lights and city water. 317 West 2nd St., phone 530-M. •

BELGIAN BATTLE IS FINAL EFFORT

LONDON, Sept. 30, 3:20 p. m.—The correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle with the Belgians, writing under yesterday's date, estimates that nearly 150,000 troops are engaged in a desperate battle along a line extending from Termonde to Aerschot.

"This battle," the correspondent says, "appears to be the last effort on both sides. Belgian resistance in the face of the superior German artillery is really magnificent.

"As regards Antwerp, it is not easy to make any definite statement until the result of today's (Tuesday) battle is known. In any case the town is well provisioned and defended. The German losses in the last few days must have been enormous. Certainly many thousands have fallen."

GREAT GALE PROSTRATES CABLE LINES TO SWEDEN

LONDON, Sept. 30, 6:43 p. m.—A Central News dispatch from Copenhagen says that all cable connections between Sweden and Germany have been interrupted since yesterday as a consequence, it is stated, of the great gale prevailing.

HOLLAND REGULATES FOOD STUFF PRICES

THE HAGUE, via London, Sept. 30, 6:20 p. m.—The government of the Netherlands is about to make an inventory of the stocks of wheat and flour in all of the mills of the country. The mills that are ready to comply with the conditions of the government will be furnished with the necessary supplies of wheat. The government also soon will fix maximum prices for wheat, flour and bread.