LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Lucretia Enyart, who has been in Portland for the last month at the bedside of her sick sister, returned to Medford Saturday morning.

William Fancher of Gold Hill spent Sunday in Medford visiting friends and relatives.

"Taxi-333" 15c anywhere in city. Formerly Alco Taxi. New office Nash Hotel, Phone 333. •

George E. Roos, the good roads booster, is here in the interest of the Tri-State Good Roads' meeting at San Francisco in September.

Velvet ice cream at De Voe's.

A busy day was spent fruitlessly Sunday on the river, not a half dozen fish being taken along 40 miles of river. There are no steelhead in the stream and mighty few salmon, the poorest run on record.

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office Mail Tribune Bldg. •

George Simmons of the Blue Ledge district was a business visitor in the city Saturday for a few hours.

County Clerk Gardner spent Saturday afternoon in Medford transacting official business.

Specials—Piqua outing hats at 98c all this week. Miss Lounsberry at M. & M. store. 106•

Miss Flo Thompson of Jacksonville visited friends and relatives in this city Sunday.

Ike Fridigar of this city spent Sunday afternoon in Ashland visiting friends.

Ford seat covers and Hoods' celluloid lights. Tent Factory. 104•

Harry Porter of Gold Hill spent Sunday in Medford.

George Neuber of Beagle spent Sunday in Medford, being one of the many out of town visitors to the ball game.

I take pride in making your watch keep perfect time. I have every facility for doing fine watch repairing. Johnson the Jeweler. •

Kenneth Williams of Grants Pass, bought from the Spokane team of the Northwest league by the Cincinnati National league team is making good in the big brush. He has played since last Friday and to date has secured a hit in every game. He is batting over 300.

All millinery one half price and less. Miss Lounsberry at M. & M. store. 106•

Undismayed by the walloping handed him at Tacoma last Friday when he was knocked out by Billy Weeks, a man he knocked out in one round in 1911, Bud Anderson has signed to meet Bobby Evans in Pendleton during the Roundup.

De Voe carries the best line of five cent cigars in the city.

Ralph McCay left today on a three days' trip to Elk creek on special forestry service work.

M. B. Vinson of Eugene is spending a few days in the city attending to business matters.

Johnson, at the Book Store, an expert watch repairer. •

The regular mid-month meeting of the city council will be held tomorrow night, and promises to be one of the liveliest sessions in months. The matter of granting a franchise to the Rogue River Public Service corporation will be up for second reading, and the question of the Medynski plan for rebonding of the city will be discussed. Considerable local interest is being manifested in the two propositions.

Bring Celro Kola "first for thirst" to at your favorite fountain. 101•

J. H. Cochran and wife, and the Misses Ina and Lucinda Cochran, and Miss Lois Estes left last week for Fish lake for ten days' outing at the Cochran summer cottage.

Chocolates, 30 cents lb. De Voe's.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dirich of Jacksonville spent Sunday in Medford visiting friends.

Take your watch to Johnson, the Jeweler, you will receive unusually good service. •

The funeral services of Vinton Beall, one of the oldest and best known pioneers of the Rogue river valley is being held this afternoon from the family home at Central Point.

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Holmes, the Insurance Man.

E. W. Thompson of Roseburg is among the out of town visitors in the city this week.

Merchants' Lunch, 25c. The Shasta, Siskiyou or Celestin water, 10c per bottle at De Voe's. •

Special trains bearing Shriners from the convention at Seattle, passed through Medford Saturday in rapid succession, some of the trains being but five minutes behind each other. As a result regular service suffered. There has been practically no freight service for the last three days, and a resumption of this branch of traffic is due today. •

Fresh roasted peanuts at De Voe's.

Attorney A. C. Hough of Grants Pass spent Saturday in Medford attending to business matters.

The police have been notified that a Ford car was stolen last week from Tekoa, Wash., and was headed for the south.

Have you tried one of those 5c milk shakes at DeVoe's? •

George Kerr, a former resident of this city, now living in Klamath Falls visited friends and relatives in this city Sunday.

S. B. Holmes of Eagle Point spent Sunday in Medford visiting friends.

Alco Taxi, 15c anywhere in city; prompt calls, careful driver; phone 882-R.

Merle Kellogg left Sunday night for Central Point.

Mrs. Julia Curtis of Grants Pass visited friends and relatives in this city Sunday.

The tennis tourney of the Country club will open next Saturday, July 24, and continue until Saturday, July 31. Theer will be a number of entries from Grants Pass and other southern Oregon points. The play will be in singles, doubles, mixed singles and doubles for both men and women.

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. •

Ed Wallace and son Ted convicted of gaff fishing in the Rogue river, have been served with notice by the justice court that they must perfect and pay the costs of their appeal at once or be remanded to the custody of the sheriff. The father and son have been at libertyon bonds pending the action of the appeal.

A. B. Cornell of Grants Pass spent Saturday in Medford, returning home in a new Dodge car.

Get your butter, eggs, cream, milk dna butter milk at De Voe's.

Walter Weckler of Grants Pass spent Sunday in this city playing with the local team against Grants Pass.

George Dean of Hilts, Cal., spent Saturday in this city attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Hara left Sunday morning on a three weeks' auto trip along the Oregon and California coast.

The Medford high school alumni will give a tennis ball at the Natatorium Thursday evening.

Ed Howie and wife of Klamath Falls visited Sunday with the family of F. J. Pipgras.

The mercury at 2 o'clock this afternoon registered 98 degrees with prospects of another hot spell at hand. Rain is badly needed and would be welcomed by farmer and fruitgrower. The country roads are dusty. The cavation season is at hand, many Medford families leaving this week for an outing in the hills.

Emmett Beeson of Talent and family were visitors in this city Sunday afternoon.

Corbin Edgell of Eagle Point spent Sunday in Medford visiting friends.

Gus Schumpf who sustained a fractured leg in a cavein at the Opp mine near Jacksonville suffered no internal injuries as first feared.

James Richardson, scout for the Portland baseball team in the coast league, spent Sunday in Medford, and watched the work of Al Caster, the big Medford southpaw. Caster, while defeated, pitched one of the best games of his career, and had his teammates hit would have won. For a left hander Caster was remarkably steady Sunday. Richardson was impressed by the work of Caster.

Miss Marie Rambo and Miss Elizabeth Manning of Klamath Falls are paying their aunt, Mrs. James Fay, an extended visit.

MEDFORD COLLEGE NOTES

Two of our bookkeeping studnets, Grace Taylor and Annie Bateman, have been transferred to the office practice department, where they are learning to use the various office appliances.

Ina Akins who enrolled this week in the stenographic course, is making excellent progress.

Vernon O'Brien, one of our shorthand students, who went to San Francisco a short time ago, writes that he has secured a stenographic position.

Gertrude Trautfether and Grace Taylor secured 100 in spelling in the regular weekly test.

A quiz class in bookkeeping was organized this week with the following members: Lelia Clark, Velma Woods, Annie Bateman, Grace Taylor, Flossie Williams and V. W. Flint.

The members of the penmanship class are "working up" their sets of papers to submit for the Palmer Method certificate.

Although the regular hours of the summer session are from 8 a. m. to 12 m., many of the students who are anxious to make the most of their opportunities, may be found hard at work during the afternoons, some not leaving until 6 o'clock.

Miss Beacom was selected to edit this week's notes.

NOTICE

All Pocahontas are requested to be at 1:30 prompt to attend the funeral of Brother George Jackson.

By order of Pocahontas.

Seeing America!

AGED MINER IN FIT OF DESPONDENCY COMMITS SUICIDE

Old and sick and despondent, Romeo D. Strang, age 79 years, a prospector of the hills of Colorado, Idaho and Oregon for years, committed suicide Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Joe Kelly, in the Griffin creek district. Strang sat upon the edge of the bed, put the barrel of a 40-44 rifle against his chest, and discharged the gun by pressing the trigger with his cane. The bullet ploughed its way through the heart, ar the back, imbedding itself in the roof of the house. Death was instantaneous. R. W. Stansbury and Clifford Kelly heard the shot and rushed to the spot, but the old man was beyond human aid.

Strang had worked for Joe Kelly for five years, doing chores but of late he had been in poor health. He made careful preparation for ending his existence. A piece of cloth always kept in the barrel of the gun was found on the edge of the bed. The last three or four days Strang had been downcast. Personal papers inspected by Coroner John A. Perl showed that he was a member of the Masonic lodge of Idaho Springs, Colorado, and that he had filed on mining claims throughout the west.

Nothing is known of any of the relatives of Strang. No inquest will be held. The dead man left no farewell note. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FIGHT FILM LAW CONSTITUTIONAL

NEW YORK, July 19.—Attorneys for L. Lawrence Webber received word from Philadelphia today that the United States circuit court of appeals had given a decision in the case which Webber brought against the deputy customs collector of New York for an injunction restraining him from preventing Webber bringing into the United States the Willard-Johnson fight films. The decision sustained the constitutionality of the law against the importation of fight films.

MINNESOTANS COMING HEADED BY GOVERNOR

The governor of Minnesota and party of fifty people arrive Tuesday at 10:45 a. m. en route to the San Francisco fair. All former residents of Minnesota are urged to be at the train to meet them and autos are wanted to carry the party over the Pacific highway to Ashland. List your auto with the Commercial club at once.

WESTERN GIRL BEAUTY ATTRACTS ATTENTION IN WASHINGTON

Miss Helen McCumber, daughter of United States Senator and Mrs. Porter J. McCumber of North Dakota, whose beauty is greatly admired in Washington. She will spend the summer at the McCumber country place near Walpeton, N. D.

FORTY CRATER LAKE TOURISTS IN PARTY

A party of tourists numbering 40, under the management of J. K. Grimm, all from Lancaster, Pa., arrived this morning, and left this afternoon for Crater Lake in 12 autos of the Crater Lake Auto company. The party is on a 16,000 mile trip, taking 58 days, and visiting the scenic spots of the United States and Canada. The party is on the way to San Francisco to see the exposition. Another Raymond-Whitcomb party will arrive this week to make the trip to Crater Lake. Travel to the wonder spot is now in full swing, and from now until the close of the season there will be a steady stream of sightseers. Many private parties have gone to the lake in the last week.

WEINSCHENK ARRESTED FOR ALLEGED INSANITY

WASHINGTON, July 19.—F. X. Weinschenk of Bellevue, Iowa, arrested beer last week by secret service men after he had written several letters to the white house, was transferred today from the observation ward of the hospital to the government hospital for the insane on the report of two alienists that his mind was affected. He may be released later on a favorable report of the alienists, or may be held for a trial as to his sanity.

Weinschenck conducted the international bureau here and mailed to a list of thousands of names propaganda for the German cause and against the export of war munitions to the allies. The investigators are looking into his statement that he was spending as much as $1000 a month and had no associates.

LEO FRANK SHOT IN GEORGIA PRISON BY FELLOW CONVICT

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., July 19.—An attack was made on Leo M. Frank Saturday night in the dormitory of the state farm by a effolw prisoner armed with a revolver.

So sudden was the attack that no guard had time to interfere. Frank fell to the floor, his cries calling the attention of guards who switched on the lights. Blood was spurting from Frank's wounds and another prisoner was trying to make his way back to bed. A knife made from a file which the convicts had used in killing hogs during the day was found on the dormitory floor.

Dr. George B. Compton, the prison surgeon, was at once called, but before he could reach the prison dormitors, two surgeons who are serving terms in prison were at Frank's side, administering first aid.

"I guess they've got me," Frank is quoted as having said to the doctors when they reached him. He did not lose consciousness. Frank was removed to the operating room in the hospital, where the wound was dressed. The physicians had not succeeded in stopping the flow of blood at last reports. The physicians stated that his condition was very serious.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—32 H. P. automobile engine, good for power, $25; flock of hens, some choice P. R.'s. H. I. Dyer, 1114 N. Central, Medford. 103