

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Rev. E. R. Martin, superintendent of the Upper Coast district, with the American Sunday School union, will give a stereopticon lecture on Home Missions. Theme, "The Rural Northwest," at the Methodist Episcopal church on Wednesday evening, Sept. 15. All are cordially invited. No admission fee.

Ripe tomatoes wanted at Rogne River Valley Cannery.

Dr. Clancy and wife have returned from a ten days' trip to San Francisco.

Removal sale of everything in shell goods, hair goods, toilet articles, at half price for a few days. New York Beauty Parlor, 154.

Fred Alton Haight has just returned from a vacation spent at Eugene. Mrs. Haight will teach at the university at Eugene and will not return until February.

Boiled ham and bacon at De Voe's.

Elmer Cox, president of the Weed Lumber Co., and wife are visiting J. E. Morrill and making an auto trip to Crater Lake.

Paper hanger and painter, tinting, etc. Phone 544-M to R. Sanders, 123. See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office Mail Tribune Bldg.

The police arrested one citizen Monday for being loud and unruly on Front street. He was released with the promise that he would err no more.

For flour or feed phone Medford Roller Mills. Phone 507.

George Mannfield of the Prospect district spent Monday in Medford attending to business matters.

More new Crepe De Chine Waists, New Taffeta Petticoats, just in. Ahrens, 150.

M. L. King of Grants Pass spent Monday in this city attending to business matters.

Mose Parkdull left Monday afternoon on a short business trip to Klamath Falls.

Weston Camera Shop for first class Kodak finishing and Kodak supplies.

E. T. Young of Riddle in visiting friends and relatives in this city for a few days.

Drs. A. R. and Louise E. Hedges, chiropractors, have moved to the Stewart building, 235 East Main st.

Miss Doela Clay of San Francisco is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

See that beautiful showing of millinery at Ahrens, 150.

James Allison of Corvallis is among the out of town visitors in the city this week.

Phone R. Sanders for paper hanging, tint, painting, 172.

Ray Campbell of Montague, Cal., is spending a few days in the city attending to business matters.

Hergettschling done, 10c per yard. Mrs. Hancey, at Moe's store, 172.

Work on the federal building at Sixth and Holly street is progressing rapidly, and the bricklaying on the third floor has begun. It is expected to have the building under cover, and ready for the interior work by the time the rainy weather sets in.

The showing of Style Craft Coats and Suits is now at its best. More new novelty suits just in by express. Ahrens, 150.

James Kelly, telegraph operator on the Portland Journal, and well known in this city, will arrive the end of the week for a visit with old friends. Get it at De Voe's.

D. M. Lowe of Ashland spent Monday in Medford attending to business matters preparing an exhibit for the state fair.

Loganberry sherbet, The Shasta, Frank Casey of Yreka, Cal., is attending to business matters.

De Voe delivers the Oregonian to you every day for 75 cents per month.

Erick Anderson has returned to his home in the Blue Ridge district after a short stay in this city on business.

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

There has been a decided falling off in tourist travel the last week.

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

Hope that the drizzle of Monday afternoon was the forerunner of heavy September rains, that would put the ground in excellent shape for fall plowing were dispelled this morning by a bright sun and a sky as clear as Crater Lake.

When better insurance is sold Holmes The Insurance Man will sell it.

Attorney G. M. Roberts attended to legal matters in the county seal Monday afternoon.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

STRAY TAKEN UP—One 2-year old heifer, muley, red and white ear mark, slit in each year, brand T on diamond on left hip. Come and get animal and pay for ad and keep. Mrs. Arthur Walsh, Ross Lane, 146.

Joe Deeman of Gold Hill spent Monday in this city and Ashland arranging for a large crowd from the two cities to attend the Industrial fair and salmon bake at Gold Hill next Saturday. Gold Hill boosters will make their annual auto tour of the valley advertising their fair this week. One of the features of the fair will be "Roaring Camp," a pioneer day attraction.

Until October 1st Dr. Myrtle S. Lockwood will limit her office hours to Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 2 to 4:30 p. m. Other hours by appointment only.

Andrew Jeldness has moved his family to the city from the Blue Ledge district for the winter.

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.

Coach Klum of the high school held his first football practice Monday afternoon, in ad rizzle. Candidates for the team were given suits. This is the first time in the history of the high school that a football team was sent out in a rain. The squad will begin active practice today. One of the regulations to be adopted will be the abolition of tobacco in any form during the football season. There are several husky freshmen on the team, and one of the prospects for the line is a 180 pound Jap.

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

Bert Anderson of this city spent a few hours in Jacksonville Monday attending to business matters.

Ashland lithia, Celestin or Skak-yon, 10c per bottle at De Voe's.

Bert Greer and family of Ashland spent Sunday and Monday in this city visiting friends.

Read the Portland Oregonian.

Fred Cowles of this city is well acquainted with the district in London recently visited by German Zeppelins.

Merchants' Lunch, 25c, The Shasta.

C. M. Thomas of Talent spent this morning in Medford attending to business matters.

Remember you can get most any old thing at De Voe's, most any old time.

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OLD SOLDIERS IN ENCAMPMENT

Old soldiers began to arrive this morning from Grants Pass, Eagle Point, Central Point, Ashland, and other southern Oregon points for the annual reunion of the soldiers and sailors of the Civil war. Tents of the number of 75 are pitched in the Third Grove in the southern part of the city. Ideal weather after the drizzle of Monday greeted the veterans and assured pleasant conditions for their meeting. Up to noon today the registration showed 75, and will be increased during the day.

Monday night Attorney B. F. Mulkey representing Mayor Emerick, addressed the old soldiers, and a campfire period was held when the "boys" told of the Civil war. Most of the delegates are old men with grey hair and they walk with canes. Today and tonight there will be a program with music and a big campfire. There are two big days in the year for old soldiers—Memorial day and Reunion day.

Many from this city visited the camp Tuesday. Most of the stores of the city display the Stars and Stripes in honor of the veterans.

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SCHOOL FACULTIES TO MEET TONIGHT

The first lessons of the year were given this morning in the schools of the city, with slight increases in the grade and high school from the opening day enrollment. It is expected that total attendance will exceed that of last year, when the full quota is registered. The state and county authorities will take steps at once to secure the attendance at school of all children within the school age, in accordance with the state law. This applies to a number of young men in the city, who will neither work or go to school despite pleadings of parents. The faculty of the high school, grade teachers, and the school board will hold a meeting this evening.

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