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**A. B. C. LAUNDRY**  
TELEPHONE MAIN 7

## AN ARRAY OF GOODIES

that will please anyone with a palate—young or old; male or female—is here displayed, not only on special occasions, but every day in the year our shop's open. A taste for candy is not confined to children and women only. Men we all like them.

**E. D. SELDER**

## WHERE FLEET IS ANCHORED

City of Mexico, March 12.—When the American battleship fleet under Admiral Evans arrived at Magdalena Bay yesterday to begin its target practice, the officers and sailors found awaiting them a city that has almost literally sprung up in a night. By declaration of the Mexican government, Magdalena Bay is now a port of entry and Senor N. Rafael Castro Montano has been made captain of the port and administrator of the customs house.

Until recently only a few scattered hovels comprised the "town" of Magdalena Bay. With the news that 15,000 men of the American fleet would make a stay of three weeks there, the Mexican commercial houses scented an opportunity for trade and barter that would likely be immensely profitable. Temporary structures went up by the scores and a few permanent buildings have been erected. Salesmen and stocks of goods of all kinds have been sent to the new city and are now in readiness to supply Jack with anything he may desire, and, incidentally to separate him from his coin.

In the wake of legitimate business enterprises, many of the outcasts, gamblers and dive-keepers of this and other Mexican cities have flocked to Magdalena City, and the men and women who prey upon humanity for subsistence will be there in large numbers to greet the sailors.

In the character of its buildings and business enterprises, Magdalena City now bears a close resemblance to Coney Island, remodeled along Spanish-American lines. Tamale stands, dance halls, chile con carne "parlors" and saloons Jack will find in abundance, as well as the inevitable arena for bull fights. The new municipality lies in a valley of the coast range of Baja California, where the mountains come down to the sea. The bay is large enough to anchor a whole navy, being in reality an inland sea formed by Magdalena, Santa Margarita, Crecient and other islands.

The American navy department has made arrangements to ship large food supplies to the fleet at Magdalena Bay. As Magdalena City is now a port of entry it will not be necessary for vessels to clear for Ensenada and have their cargoes thence sent to Magdalena Bay. The contracts include 350,000 pounds of flour, 200,000 pounds of fresh beef, 15,000 pounds of frankfurters and 3000 pounds of condensed milk.

The many sharks of the bay take almost any kind of bait, and it is rarely that a warship is at anchor without from one to a half dozen lines dangling over its stern. Watching a shark line is a tedious business, but it is strictly necessary in order for the fisherman to know when the monster is hooked, as his frantic rushes, if allowed to go unchecked, are pretty sure to cause some part of the line, leader, or even some of his own anatomy to give way and result in his escape. The old scheme of tying the line around the big toe and going to sleep would probably work all right as far as rousing the fisherman is concerned, but the sequel might not leave him in a condition to give the shark the im-

mediate attention necessary. To this end the officers and sailors have hit on an ingenious plan. Instead of taking in their lines when the dinner gong sounds, or when for any other reason they are on duty elsewhere, they run a stout piece of marlin twine from the shark line up to the steam whistle, leaving it for the man eater himself to announce the event of his being hooked by sounding a toot.

The Indians of this district are of a physique considerably superior to those of the mainland of Mexico and the Colorado river delta country, but still far inferior to the magnificent Seri of Tiburon Island, whom they resemble slightly. Unlike most of their brethren of Lower California, they live largely by hunting and fishing, and pay little attention to agricultural pursuits. Their original weapon was the bow, which they still handle with great proficiency, but in the last decade or two a number of old rifles have fallen into their hands, and upon these they now place most of their dependence in hunting. They are poor shots, but wonderful stalkers, and an Indian with ammunition never goes hungry.

WANTED—To rent, Smith-Premier typewriter; must be in good condition. This office.

## PAINT AND WALL PAPER STORE

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**PROF. DAY, Principal**

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IN

## Our Want Ad Column

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### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms. Inquire of Mrs. C. S. Zuber. Phone Red 1781.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire of Mrs. E. C. Moore, corner 4th and Q Sts.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished east room; all modern conveniences. Inquire at J. M. Berry's store. 2-5tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room with bath and privilege of using piano. Phone Red 1381. 2-12tf

FOR RENT—Large store building, with shelving and counters; used a number of years for hardware and furniture. Also housekeeping rooms. 1817 Washington Ave. 2-19-1m

FOR RENT—Building on Fir St., adjoining Ronde Valley house, suitable for store purposes; 9 furnished living rooms upstairs. Phone to Black 461.

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire of Mrs. Edna Swartz.

FOR RENT—Four-room house. Telephone Black 1532. m16

FOR RENT—Well improved 4-acre tract near Palmer mill; 5-room house, good orchard, good land. Inquire of B. F. Wade, Owl saloon. 2-9tf

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—\$600 buys two choice lots, corner Cedar and Jefferson, one block from Adams Ave., 85x104; young fruit and shade trees. Will be \$750 after March 15. Inquire at Collection Dept., of La Grande National Bank.

FOR SALE—Five-room house, partly furnished; 2 lots, stable and woodshed; 1 block west of White school house. Inquire at 504 K St. 5-2tf

FOUND—Ladies' small open-face watch. Owner call at this office.

### WANTED.

WANTED—To trade hay for wood. Stoddard Lumber Co. 2-14tf

WANTED—To buy six or eight Plymouth Rock hens and a rooster. Need not be pure bred. F. J. Wox, Meacham.

WANTED—A six or seven-room modern cottage with small barn. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Any competent lady desiring work and have a good home with good salary, should inquire of Mrs. J. M. Berry.

WANTED—Boy to strip tobacco. Inquire at factory, 1409 Adams Ave.

LOST—Ladies' handbag containing purse, glasses and pass book. Finder please return to this office.

LOST—In this city, an Elks' tooth with monogram, M. E. G., and engraved with 12-25, '06. Finder leave at the light office.

### HERE TO STAY

Although the present electric light famine has temporarily placed us out of business, we are not out of business by any means. When the lights are on again the public will find that we will still be here with the very best electric show in Eastern Oregon. We are taking advantage of the condition of affairs to make many improvements as the public will readily see when we again open to the public.

**ELECTRIC THEATRE CO.**  
E. M. Sherwood, Mgr

## FOR THE LENTEN SEASON

The following list of seasonable eatables may help you to select your menu during this season, when careful housewives sometimes find it difficult to arrange a satisfactory meal.

Bestor Beauty Mackerel; Dainty Brand Cod Fish, two pound bricks; Keg Herring; Boneless Lunch Herring in glass; Norway Mackerel Sardines; French Sardines in oil; Mustard Sardines; Broiled Mackerel.

### CANNED GOODS

Salmon, Lobster, Shrimp, Clams, Oysters, P. S. Stock Clam Chowder.

### CHEESE

Full Cream Cheese, Swiss Cheese, Jersey Cream Cheese, Fine Limberger Cheese, McLaren's Roquefort Cheese.

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