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TO TRADE--Stock general merchandise, 7 room modern house, warehouses at \$22,000, for stock ranch, L. A. Launer. 824

COMING EVENTS

Sept. 11, Monday--School opens. Sept. 13, Monday--Courier Bargain day. Aug. 19, Saturday--M. E. church Ladies Aid will have a cooked food sale at the Public market commencing at 9 a. m. 827 Sept. 19-20-21, Tuesday, Wednesday-Thursday--Josephine county fair and celebration.

INDUSTRIAL CLUBS

To Industrial Club members of Josephine county: The state agent for Boys' and Girls' Industrial Clubs, H. C. Seymour will be here August 15, 16 and 17. We want to see as many of you and as much of your project work as possible, so please be on the lookout for us and tell us where to come. LINCOLN SAVAGE, County Superintendent.

NEW CREW FOR THE MUTINY SHIP CALLAO

San Francisco, Aug. 15.--When the "mutiny ship" Callao starts again on her long journey to Europe, which will probably be Saturday, she will not have any names among her crew of men from any of the warring nations of Europe. "I'm going to have Americans, Scandinavians or other neutrals in my crew this time," said Captain Tobin, as he prepared to sign men to take the places of the crew who refused to proceed with the ship and forced the master to return to port yesterday. Tobin said he would bring formally before United States Shipping Commissioner MacArthur today the trouble he had with his first crew. The commissioner will determine whether action should be taken by the federal authorities under the statute against "mutiny on the high seas."

A Baser Motive. "Yes, he played the last two acts with a broken wrist." "Heroism, eh?" "Not at all. He was afraid to give his understudy a chance."--Cleveland Plain Dealer

IF YOU-- had married the most beautiful girl that you ever had seen --in all your life, after a romantic courtship in which you never even stopped to ask her who she was, or where she came from, and --if, after you had been married only a short time, every bit of --evidence that you could find pointed to the fact that she had betrayed you and stolen for a foreign spy war plans with which you had been entrusted, --would you believe her guilty? --See Marie Dore, in the Paramount picture of Sardou's celebrated drama on international intrigue, "Diplomacy," at the --STAR theatre tonight.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Mrs. A. A. Flynn left this afternoon for a brief visit in Medford. Miss Fay Stinebaugh left last night for Seattle where she will visit for some time. Miss Carol Steel left this morning for Berkeley to attend college during the winter. George Young, of Kerby, went to Bray, California, this morning to spend the summer. Ladies' trimmed hats at \$1. Mrs. E. Rehkopf. 8187 Mrs. C. Crane went to Cottage Grove this morning for a two weeks visit at that place. Don Jolly left this morning for Montague to spend a week attending to business matters. Mrs. A. Bowers and son, Jennings, left this morning for Albany after visiting here for some time. Children's trimmed hats at 50c. Mrs. E. Rehkopf. 8187 Rev. W. F. Gibeckner returned last night from the upper Applegate where he spent several days. R. B. Miller left last night for Portland and will spend several days in that city on business matters. Mrs. C. R. Fifield and daughter, Elizabeth, went to Ashland this morning and will visit in that city for a week. Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Reiffert, of Quincy, Illinois, spent a day in the city, leaving this morning for the south. Mrs. Ernest Smith arrived here from Medford this morning and will spend a week visiting relatives in this city. Clinton Sturgis left for Medford this afternoon after visiting here for several days. He will later go to Sacramento. Mrs. F. S. Herman and mother and Miss Dora Herman left Monday evening for Minnesota and Dakota to visit relatives for a few weeks. Dr. Ed Swater and F. W. Crockett, of Los Angeles, left Monday evening for the upper Applegate river to spend a couple of days fishing. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fick arrived here from Jacksonville last evening and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams. They returned home this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clark and children left this morning for their home at Portland. Mrs. Clark visited her parents at Deer creek, and they also visited with the J. D. Deake family.

O. E. S. Picnic at Ashland-- Members of Josephine chapter and their families are invited by Alpha chapter to attend a basket picnic in Lithia Park, Ashland, on Wednesday, August 23. Those desiring to attend please notify the secretary not later than Monday. Englewood Dairy. Phone 222-- The pure milk dairy. 6927t. Returns to Grants Pass-- Mrs. J. D. Thorpe returned Monday evening from a trip to Texas, Colorado and Oklahoma, where she had been visiting with friends for the past six weeks. The weather in the middle west was sultry and hot, says Mrs. Thorpe, and she appreciates again Rogue valley climate. W. C. T. U. Will Meet-- The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon for a rally and social at the home of Mrs. J. L. Calvert on the corner of Fourth and A streets. There will be a short program, in which Mrs. Jenny Kemp state president will speak. Everybody is cordially invited. Touring Through Oregon-- A party traveling by three automobiles camped in the Riverside auto park Monday night on its return from a tour of Oregon. In the party were Senator W. A. Demmick and family of Oregon City, Senator Vinton and family, J. E. Stedert and family, Mrs. Frank Stout and Dr. E. E. Cummins, all of McMinnville. They left their homes August 1st, going over the Columbia highway into eastern Oregon, and were now returning by way of Crater lake, Grants Pass and the Pacific highway. Chetco Cove Carnival-- "In the country God made and man forgot." September 2, 3, and 4. Brookings, Curry county, Ore. 8187t Visit Josephine Caves-- Professors T. D. Beckwith and G. V. Copson, members of the O. A. C. faculty, were visitors in the city Tuesday morning en route to Corvallis after an automobile tour of Oregon. They had been through central Oregon, had visited Crater lake, and were just now returning from a visit to the Josephine caves. They were enthusiastic over the beauty of the Grayback caverns and with the natural attractiveness of the entire district. They went from the Cave camp on Williams creek, getting saddle horses there for the ride up the mountain. Medford Pears to Cannery-- The cannery at Sutherlin has purchased some 10 car loads of pears that were blown from the trees in the heavy wind that hit the Medford district last Saturday. Many of the pears blown from the trees in that region were not bruised, and could be packed for shipment, but the bulk of the fallen fruit was sold to the cannery. While it will not bring anything like the price for the larger sized pears, it saves the orchardist from what looked like a clear loss at first. Estimates are that five or 10 percent of the pears were blown from the trees.

Cowboy Preacher-- Rev. S. G. Bettes, cowboy preacher, will preach on statewide prohibition at the Free Methodist church at 8 o'clock tonight. Free.

Specials for Wednesday-- Pork shoulder 11c. Spareribs 8c. Phone 12 for quick delivery. City Market. 824

Miss Wisner to Teach-- Miss Margaret Wisner has been appointed to teach in the high school this winter. Miss Wisner will have charge of the latin and english departments. She has had several years experience in teaching.

Now Time to Plan for Next Year-- There is going to be good money made raising sugar beets on good irrigated land. If you want to raise beets next year and have any financial problems see the Josephine County Bank's Officers and they will help you solve them. 824

Returns From the Caves-- Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Evans returned last night from a weeks outing at the caves. Mr. Evans will again take charge of the Wells Fargo office. The position has been filled for the last two weeks by J. E. Dent, relief agent, who will now leave for Medford to take charge at that place.

Purchase New Truck-- The Grants Pass and Crescent City Mail company have purchased a new 40 horse power Reo truck, which it will place in operation between the two cities. This is the second truck to be placed in operation during the last month, by this company.

Fishing Good at Gold Beach-- The run of salmon in the Rogue river this year is the greatest ever known in the history of the place. R. L. Macleay who was here yesterday from Wedderburn says that his concern, the Wedderburn trading company will have its record pack. The company has raised the price of fish. The fishermen now get \$1.25 each for salmon when they used the company's nets and \$1.50 each when they furnished their own nets. The fishing season closes August 25 and opens again on September 16.

Many Go to the Caves-- Frank South is in from Cave camp on the upper Williams creek. He says that a great many people are now going to the caves every day, while many others are coming to the resort for an outing. An auto camp, as well as a camp ground for horse drawn vehicles, has been provided near the cave camp, and the picnic ground is largely patronized.

Big Game Tonight-- The last game of the Twilight series will be played tonight to determine the pennant winner for the season. The Baptists and Christians are tied for first place and each has an equal chance to pull down the pennant. The Christians have been putting forth strong teams every year but they have not an equal with the Baptists. A large amount of interest has been shown between the opposing sides and a large crowd is expected to be at the game this evening. In order to get the game over before dark, it will be started at either six or shortly after. The players who have been working will be permitted to stay work a little early for this game.

BASEBALL TO BE SPORT FOR FANS

New York, Aug. 15.--The turning point in the conduct of baseball on the playing field has come. The game is to be played from now on for the benefit of the fans, not to satisfy some player desiring to work his temper off on the umpire or an opposing fielder.

This was the statement of Governor Tener, president of the National league in an interview today with the United Press. His declaration follows the action of National league magnates, who, in their meeting last week in New York, agreed to prevent belligerent scenes on the field.

National league umpires hereafter are to be treated with more respect and their decisions are to be final. Also there will be no more verbal attacks on visiting players by the white-clad players, nor will the home guard have to listen to sallies from the visitors bench.

"This is a day of alibi," Tener said. "The baseball player is much like the average mother. When a boy is hard to control the mother blames his companions; when a baseball player looks bad on a play he does not like to take all the blame, so he looks around for some one to take it. And the umpire usually is the handiest. Often he says things he should not, and then he is put out of the game and fined. We have certain laws which are meant to control the actions of players and managers in the field and heretofore we have been forced to do all the disciplining."

Hereafter the club owners are going to take a hand, with a view to stopping all wrangling before it starts.

"To this end, every club has agreed to keep bad talk down. No player will be allowed to yell from the bench at opposing players, nor to make the same kind of an attack on the field."

Tener is a firm believer in baseball for the fan. The fan pays for the game, he declared, and should be given what he pays for. He believes the fan gets weary when he sees and hears a wrangle on the field and does not believe the fans pay for a newspaper to read statements regarding a fracas in a ball game. Boxing exhibitions, Tener is convinced are provided in suitable places and the National league is in competition with the gentlemen who are promoting them.

These new rulings do not mean there will be any lack of enthusiasm according to Tener. On the contrary there is expected to be just as much as ever, with a little more cleanliness. Coaching will be more encouraged than ever, he said, but players in the National league will have to confine their conversational abilities to players wearing uniform like their own.

Speed in playing the game and the elimination of dissatisfaction for the fans is expected by the National league head to prove the chief benefit from the new order.

A Good Time Was Had. He--How did you come out financially with your entertainment for the Old Ladies' home? She--The old ladies were in \$30--Boston Evening Transcript.

JOHN PHILIP SOUSA praises "Wake Up, America" the new peace and preparedness song. Mr. Sousa says, "Wake up America," the new patriotic song, will convert more men and women to "peace and preparedness" than all the brilliant rhetoric and sound logic ever written on the subject. Don't fail to hear it. Also the great anti-hyphen song, "Don't Bite the Hand That's Feeding You." 15c a copy. Music and Photo House Stanton Howell, Prop.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT Bijou God's Country and the Woman Star Paramount Photoplay.

ELECTRIC LINES TO CARE FOR TRAFFIC

Chicago, Aug. 15.--The electric interurban lines of the United States are mobilizing today to meet any conditions that may result in a nationwide railroad strike. Traction men said today that the rapid growth of traction lines connecting centers of population would produce a condition that had never before figured in railroad strike troubles, and would enable centers of population to be fed in spite of any railroad tie-up.

MOTHESS OBJECT TO LABOR DAY SCHOOL

Portland, Aug. 15.--Mothers of Portland children may keep their youngsters from school when the session opens Labor day, to express their disapproval of starting the term on Labor's holiday. This sentiment was discussed at a meeting called by the Women's Civic Welfare league. The idea is to make the Labor day opening a complete fiasco, so the registration and class assignment work must all be done over again later.

Mining blanks at the Courier office. Location notices, Courier office.

COMING next Wednesday and Thursday, Frankie Ward, in the great Paramount drama, "For the Defense." Frankie Ward's work in "The Chase" and in "Tommy's Partner" was a revelation. Star Theatre

We Sell and Guarantee KEEN KUTTER TOOLS and CUTLERY ROGUE RIVER HARDWARE The Big Red Front