

### ALLEGED AUTO THIEF FACES MANY CHARGES

Willis E. Carter, the alleged Los Angeles auto thief, burglar and movie actor was held to the grand jury in bail of \$1,000 Wednesday afternoon in Justice Taylor's court on the charge of being one of the two men who broke into the Medford Service station a week ago Wednesday night, stealing \$200 worth of property," says the Medford Tribune.

"There was strong circumstantial evidence against Carter, but the most damaging was the fact that the keys to the underground tanks of the station were found in his possession after his arrest in Roseburg last Thursday. Carter acted as his own attorney at the hearing and exhibited considerable shrewdness and knowledge of his rights and the criminal laws.

"He claims to be innocent both of the theft of the Cadillac sedan car from Los Angeles in which he and a man named Butcher arrived in Medford from the south Wednesday night and stopped long enough to commit the service station burglary.

"The Los Angeles officers have not yet arrived in the city to claim Carter and take him back to that city for trial on five serious charges. County Prosecutor Roberts said yesterday that he had about made up his mind to turn Carter over to the Los Angeles authorities as the prisoner could be sent to the penitentiary for a longer time on the charges there than on the charge pending here."

### JOSEPHINE CO. PICNIC IN SEATTLE LABOR DAY

An impromptu, but none the less enjoyable affair, was the Grants Pass picnic held in Seattle on Labor day, at Woodlawn park. About 35 former residents of Grants Pass, or visitors from that city, gathered at the park and enjoyed a few hours of renewing acquaintance and a bountiful picnic dinner at 6 o'clock. A number of former residents were unable to attend, having made previous arrangements for the holiday, but are expecting to be there at the next meeting. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fitzgerald, Nettie, Zatha, Vida and Herman Fitzgerald, Miss Inez Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Terwilliger, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott, Phillip Scott, Barney Scott and little Cynthia May Scott, Mrs. G. A. Shepard, Mrs. J. A. Pittenger, Mrs. F. O. Youngblood, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Patterson, Mrs. S. Patterson, Chas. Patterson, Mrs. E. J. McNamara, Miss Caroline Siebert, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peach and their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Rundle, Mr. Rundle, and two children, W. E. Beckwith, W. H. Moore, Alice McFarland, Mrs. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bobzien, Ralph Bobzien, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Underwood.

#### Band Concert Postponed—

On account of the inclemency of the weather, Bandmaster John H. Williams has postponed the band concerts indefinitely.

#### Shark Meat is Tasty.

Shark meat is delicate in flavor and texture, and sharks are plentiful in certain parts of Florida, but the fishermen do not catch them because they are not salable.

The home demonstration agent of Monroe county, Florida, decided last winter on an effort to establish in favor this fish now under the ban. At her request a fisherman caught one, but warned her that no one would eat it. Undismayed, she invited a large company of women to a home economics luncheon, at which was served a fish salad.

When all had tasted the salad she asked for a vote as to how many liked and wanted the recipe. Without exception the women voted their hearty approval, and thus proved to themselves that the prejudice was without foundation.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### Plea for Dogs.

The first week that Representative Venable of Mississippi was in congress a couple of years ago he made a hundred-and-fifty-word speech about a dog he used to own, and he still is getting letters telling him what a fine speech it was. The speech was a plea for preparedness, in which he pointed out that little dogs always are in hot water, but that mastiffs have only a minimum of difficulties and can enjoy afternoon naps and such.

"Agents Authority to Sell"—book of 50 blanks, 5c, Courier office.

Mining blanks at Courier office.

### WILL PATTERN AFTER AMERICAN FARMERS

Berkeley, Cal., Sept. 5.—One hundred soldiers, nearly all of them land owners or farmers in Australia, are being sent by the government of Australia to the University of California for training in hog raising, irrigation and alfalfa growing, it was announced today by Dean Thomas Forsyth Hunt of the College of Agriculture.

### ONLY ONE U. S. VESSEL AT BRAZILIAN PORT

Para, Brazil, Sept. 5.—There were 12 steamers today at the docks of the Port of Para, the "gateway of the Amazons." Commenting upon this unprecedented activity the Estado says it is a long time since such movement of commerce has been seen in this harbor. Brazilians have been looking forward to an increase in trade with the United States and it was a matter of keen

regret that only one of the 12 steamers was American. Four were British, and seven Brazilian. The American vessel will be here a long time. She is the disabled shipping board steamer "Topocaxi."

#### MAN WITH BROKEN NECK LIVES

Bend, Ore., Sept. 5.—Four weeks after his neck was broken in a fall from a horse, Percy Drinkwater of Summer Lake was pronounced cured here today when an X-ray picture showed that a fracture of the third cervical vertebra had been completely reduced without pressure on the spinal cord.

Mining blanks—Courier office.

### FERRYDALE

Mrs. Whitfield, of Grants Pass, was in the neighborhood Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer were in Grants Pass Tuesday.

Mrs. Solon and son, Otis, who is home from the Mexican border on a furlough, were visiting at M. L. Griffins Sunday.

Miss Hazel Merriman, of Chicago, and Miss Gertrude Merriman, of Oakgrove, are visiting their mother, Mrs. L. H. Kornbrodt and picking hops at the Robertson hop yard.

Miss Beulah Humsey, of Grants

Pass spent the past week visiting at her brother's, A. I. Humsey.

Mrs. A. C. Ford was in Grants Pass Thursday on business.

Mrs. Uleda Croaner and Miss Cook left for their home in Eugene Sunday, after visiting the former's brother, Lester Briggs.

Mrs. Stella Stephenson returned to her home Thursday from Ashland where she has been for several days. Carrol Humsey killed a coyote Wednesday with a rock. The dog bayed it for him.

John Hunting and mother left for San Francisco Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson and son, Lloyd, of Grants Pass, are picking hops in the Robertson hop yard.

# FOREMOST IN THE FIELD



This sturdy toiler of the fields is the symbol by which you will know OLYMPIC Flour—it is a symbol of trustworthiness.

The wheat from which this all-purpose Flour is made is the first choice of all that is grown in the great, clean fields of the Northwest. Wheat from every section is tested in actual baking; only the highest grades are bought and used for OLYMPIC Flour.

Every cupful must be the same before the trademark stamps it OLYMPIC Flour. Uniform high quality makes it "foremost in the field."

Say "OLYMPIC" to your nearest grocer when you order flour and ask him to mail you the illustrated OLYMPIC recipe cards each month.

