A GRAFTED

By ELIZABETH WEED

Farmer Perks was very proud of an

apple tree that grew beside the front

door of his house. The apples it bore

were greenings, and there was usual-

ly a bountiful crop. Perks' son, Abel,

was engaged to Amanda Squeers, who

was a very thrifty and a very shrewd

girl. The old man was a widower,

with no other children except Abel, and

when the father died the son would

inherit all his property. But Perks

wouldn't either die or give Abel enough

One day the farmer brought home a

bough of an apple tree and grafted it

on to a limb of his favorite apple tree

Not long after this a man named

Schmitt came to settle an account with

the farmer that had been of long

standing. The man had put in a cul-

vert for Perks which had been washed

away, and Perks, who had been obliged

to have the work done over by another

mason, refused to pay the bill present-

ed arguing with and threatening Perks

was not well, and the controversy oc-

curred in his bedroom on the second

story. Abel was in the house, but at

10 o'clock he went to bed in another

part of the house and was soon sound

When in the morning he went into

his father's room the old man was

dend. There was evidence that he had

been struck on the head wib some

hard instrument like a poker, Abel

called in the neighbors and told them

the facts. Schmitt was arrested. But he had evidently prepared himself for

the ordeal awaiting him, for he denied

having been at Perks' house at all.

Indeed, he said he had spent the even-

ing with a man ten miles from Perks

talking about some work both were to

was never known. But it was sup-

posed that Schmitt made a confidant

Suspicion then fell on Abel, who in-

herited his father's estate. He was

scrap of evidence against him, except

that he and his father were the only two persons known to be in the house

on the night of the murder, the jury

his neighbors believed him guilty and

Amanda Squeers alone believed in

her lover's innocence and that Schmitt

had committed the murder. She had

been at the house to collect his bill

and that Abel had left him with his fa-

ther when he went to bed. But she

knew, apart from her lover's state-

ment, by a woman's intuition, that

window of the old man's former bed-

room The weather being warm, she

propped up the sash, and the bough,

covered with blossoms, extended a

vard or more into the room. One day in midsummer she passed Schmitt's

"Mr. Schmitt, it has been revealed

to me who killed my husband's father.

That has always been a mystery, and I confess I have always believed you

did the deed. Now I know who did it.

Schmitt kept a steady face, but with-

in he trembled. He did not wish to go

to her house, and he dare not stay

away. Above all, he felt that he must know if Mrs Perks had any clew. He did not say to her whether or no he

would accept her invitation, but the

next afternoon, bracing himself with a strong potation, he started for the

Amanda welcomed him at the door,

and so cordially that he was persuad-

ed to believe that she had got on to a

wrong track and had become con-

vinced of his innocence. He saw no

one in the house, and that gave him

courage. At any rate, there were no

witnesses to what would occur. Aman-

da chatted with him for a time on

"Now, if you will follow me I will

enable you to prove your innocence of

She led the way up the staircase

and into the room in which the mur-

der had been committed. The window

sash was up, and the end of a branch

of the apple tree extended into the

room. On it were several ripe apples.

"The other night," said Amanda,

"Mr. Perks appeared to me in a dream.

I saw him as vivid and distinct as I

see you now. And he said: 'I have

caused a bough of my greening apple

tree to grow into my bedroom win-

dow. If the man who murdered me

eats of one of the apples it will show

within stains of my blood.' Pluck an

Schmitt turned pale, but plucked an

apple, though his hand trembled as he

The graft Farmer Perks had made

was from a tree which produced fruit containing streaks similar to those of

Yeast-I see a man has patented a

head rest to be fastened to the arm

of a car seat to aid the comfort of

coaches. Crimsonbeak-What is most

needed in day coaches is a chin rest

"Why is it that you wish to be ex-

cused?" asked the judge of the unwill-

I really don't believe I could hear

more than one side of the case."-

to you.-Yonkers Statesman.

a blood orange.

ing juror.

Cleveland Leader.

did so, Biting into it, he looked at

apple, Mr. Schmitt, and prove your in-

ordinary matters, then said:

the murder."

house and said to him:

of bim and either worked on his feel-

on which to be married.

- TREE



The Accused-Why, your honor, I raised them chickens myself. His Honor-Just so. The complaint says you lifted them. I see no conflict in the evidence.-New York Globe.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Sam Wilson, of Canby, was in the Joseph Armstrong, of Sunset, was

in the city Tuesday W. Matton, of Estacada, was in the coun seat Tuesday.

A. Dimick made a business trip to Woodburn Tuesday. B. Franks, of Albany, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Stevens is visiting friends in Dayton, Ore.

Wm. Shear, of Twilight, was in Oregon City Tuesday. Tom Evany, of Canby, was a visit-

or in the city Tuesday. W. R. Dallas, of Damascus, made a trip to this city Tuesday.

Thomas F. Lerre, of Portland, was in the county seat Tuesday. W. Williamson, of Salem, county seat visitor Tuesday. Mitcheal Storey will leave Columbia river Wednesday.

Wm. McCord, of Twilight, visited in the county seat Tuesday. H. Smith, of Portland, was a visitor in the county seat Tuesday.

H. Van Dyje, of Salem, was a visit or in the county seat Tuesday. E. H. Bailey, of Oakland, Cal., was inty seat visitor Tuesday.

H. Richards, of Eugene, was in the county seat on business Tuesday. G. Larsen, of Portland, was in the county seat on business Tuesday. -Wm. Karlman, of Manitorvue, Wis.,

was a visitor in this city Tuesday. iting friends in this city Tuesday. John McCullock, of Eugene, was in Oregon City on business Tuesday.

A. B. Pollard, of Portland, was a visitor in the county seat Tuesday. H.Dugham, of Mulino, made a business trip to the county seat Tuesday. Albert Vierhaus, of Twilight, was a visitor in the county seat Tuesday. Geo. Liska, of Manitorvue, Wis., was in the city on business Tuesday. A. A. Baldwin, of Molalla, was in

the county seat on business Tuesday, William Sawyer, of Portland, was

W. H. Bottermiller, of Clarks, was in the county seat on business Tues-Mr. and Mrs. Ray Welch are attend-

ing the teachers' institute at Glad-G. E. Graves, of Mulino, was in Oregon City the early part of the

John Dorcus, of Portland, made a business trip to the county seat

Clarence Hescuit, of Mt. Pleasant, Miss Ada Hulbert is spending sev-

eral days with Miss Lillie Miller of Toledo, Ore. Carson McReynolds, of Portland,

made a business trip to the county Wm. Follonsberg, of Corvallis, was

a visitor in the county seat on busi- Mary Waespe, 10 acres in Sec. 16, T. ness Tuesday. Mrs. C. H. Caufield made a trip to

friends this week. Clarence L. Eaton, a prominent at

torney of this city, made a business trip to Salem Tuesday. Mrs. Edward Schmicit, of Glenorma, Wn., was in the county seat visiting friends over Sunday.

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Booth's HYOMEI is balsamic air: it contains no opium, cocaine or other harmful drug and is sold on money back plan for Catarrh, Croup, Bronchitis and Coughs. Complete outfit dians. The Americans, although output and the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the British force and designed to the country of the country o it contains no opium, cocaine or other harmful drug and is sold on money (includes inhaler) \$1.00—extra bottle if later needed, 50 cents at Huntley feated and surrendered. Bros., and druggists everywhere. Simple instructions for us in every package—you can't fall. Just breathe

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JONES DRUG COMPANY The classified ad columns of The

Fellowship in Advertisement

Merchants and manufacturers have certain articles they wish to sell. In order to sell them

"That is their business," you say; "they are doing it to bene-

True, they are advertising primarily for their own profit. But there is more to present-day advertising than that. It has created a spirit of confidence and friendliness between the seller and the buyer that has become so much a part of our daily lives that we hardly realize it unless we stop to think,

Have you ever made a pur-chase in the Orient? If so, you remember how you have enter-ed a shop and after poking through confused heaps of articles you have found something that struck your fancy. asked the price and were told it was worth, perhaps, the equivalent of a dollar. Then ensued haggling, haranguing, threats, imprecation, until finally at the end of half and hour you trlumphantly emerged from the shop, the article in your hand and 50 When you looked again at your purchase your good common sense told you it was worth about 10 cents.

Contrast such an experience with shopping here to-day. You will appreciate as never before the value of THE ENTERPRISE advertisements, which laed you to firms known for their bonest goods and their fair dealings.

Wm. Jones, a prominent merchant of Beaver Creek, was in the county seat on business Tuesday. Miss Helen E. Bollinger, of Port-

and Mrs. Charles Bollinger. Mortimer Sumner has returned to this city from McMinnville, where he

has been attending school. Charles Phillips, of Chicago, who is visiting with friends in this city, made a trip to Forest Grove Sunday.

L. L. Reist, of Boston, Mass., was in the city looking over real estate in A. Williams and wife were vis- this vicinity the early part of the

Rev. Walter A. Duff, of International Falls, Minn., a graduate of the Glascow Bible college, is visiting in surprising values. this city with the Rev. Dr. Milliken. street improvement in the Columbia river city. He will leave this week

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

John H. Gibson and wife to Ferrol Jackson, west half of the south half of lot 17, Gibson's subdivision of tracts 19, 11, 12 and 13; and the west 480 feet of tracts 1 and 2, Logus tracts; \$500.

Geo. D. Ely and wife, John K. Ely and wife, Frank Walter and wife and Istalina Bauernfeind to Mille Wilson, 4.61 acres in George Currin D. L. C. No. 41; \$7 (to correct). Franklin Taylor and wife to G. A.

John W. Roppel and wife to Wm. D. Martin and wife, S. E. 14, Sec. 14, T. 5 S., R. 3 E.; \$1.

David C. Williams and wife to F. R. Boardman, lots 5 and 6, block 5, West Gladstone; \$400.

2. H. Caufield made a trip to Grove where she visited Bell, lot 10, Gibson's subdivision of tracts 10 to 13, inclusive, and west 480 feet in tracts 1 and 2, Logus tracts;

> Peter Nauertz to Laura Moshberger N. E. ¼ of S. E. ¼ of S. E. ¼, Sec. 36, T. 4 S., R. 1 E.; \$10. Adam D. McKinley and wife to Ada M. Cummin, five acres in northwest corner of Abel Matton and wie D. L.

B. L. Oberstaller and wife to Adam . McKinley, same as above; \$1. W. L. Scales to Nell Irrasel Stweam .999 acres in Secs. 6 and 7, T. 2 S., 2 E.: \$1.

Phil T. Oatfield to same, same: \$10 Wm. L. Borthwick and wife to Port and Trust Co., S. W.¼ of S. E. ¼ Sec. 30, T. 2 S., R. 7 E.; \$10. May Kent Smith and Chas. Emmett Smith to Charles Gantzer, 10.4 acres in T. 3 S., R. 1 E.; \$1.

Hibbard, lot A, block 1, Parker Hill add to Oregon City; \$10.

EXAMINATION IN JULY FOR POSTMASTERSHIP

An examination for fourth class postmastership, to fill a vacancy at Jennings Lodge, will be held in Oregon City on Saturday, July 26. The examination will be open to men and women above the age of 21, and all appilcants must reside in the territory served by the office. The salary paid at present for the office is \$220 per

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from and the local secretary at Oregon City, Oregon, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the commission at Washington at least 7 days here postmaster at Jennings Lodge sion at Washington at least 7 days before the date of the examination.

Beaver Dams' Centennial

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., June 24 .numbering the British force, were de-

Becomes Bishop of Kingston.

KINGSTON, Ont., June 24.-With all the solemnity and ceremonial attached to the sacred office, Dean E. J. Bidwell was consecrated as bishop of the Anglican diocese of Kingston in St. George's Cathedral tals morning, in the presence of a large congregation of clergy and laity.

"RED ROUND-UP" IS BIG SUCCESS

The last meeting of the Congrega-tion Brotherhood, which took the form of a "Red Round-up," given in the church parlors Tuesday evening, was one of the most enjoyable gatherings held this year by the organization. Ladies of the church were the guests of the brotherhood at a supper served before the meeting, and took a prominent part in the later program. Decoration were in red and scarlet. and were exceptionally attractive. In keeping with this scheme the dinner itself was a sort of sanguinary affair, the chief dishes being grillled salmon, cold ham, tomato salad and strawberries. There were about 115 present to enjoy the meal, and the service, by members of the brotherhood was

above reproach Col. Robert A. Miller, the first president of the brotherhood, was the that pointed directly toward his house chief speaker of the evening. G. B. Moores, of Portland, and Field Secretary Goodell, of the industrial Y. M. C. A. work in the Northwest, were also among the speakers. Aside from this a number of interesting talks were made by the women guests. To-wards the close of the evening City Engineer Noble urged that the ladies of the church interest themselves in ed by the first. The creditor came aftobtaining a public playground, and er supper in the evening and remain-Mrs. David Caufield, Mrs. C. H. Dye, Mrs. L. Adams, Mrs. W. A. White and with a lawsuit till 10 o'clock. Perks Mrs. C. D. Latourette were appointed a committee of five to take the mater up with the council.

As a token of their appreciation of the attendance of the ladies, members of the brotherhood presented the guests of the evening with nine dozen silver knives and forks. The presentation of these also served to solve the souvenir question.

NEW FIRM OPENS STORE UPON HILL

Elliott Brothers, who for years have do together. The man corroborated een conducting special sales through- Schmitt's statement. Why he did so out the Northwest, and who have been particularly forunate in building up reputation for fair dealing, have purchased the building, ground and stock of bin and either worked on of D. C. Ely, on Seventh street, and ings or paid him to save him. will close out the present stock at

Wilson, the son of Coroner to locate permanently in Oregon City, Wilson, has accepted a position as and to maintain a modern and high time-keeper at Goldendale, Washington, for Jeffries & Bufton, Portland contractors who will have charge of street improvement in the Columbia Following this it is their intention arrested, but since there was not a conduct a store where the aim to please will be the chief and only brought in a verdict of acquittal. But

Their intention to locate in Oregon | refused thereafter to have anything to City speaks particularly well for the do with him. trade standing of the community; and their intention to continue permanent quarters on the hill shows that they have a lasting confidence in the future of the new business section of only Abel's word for Schmitt's having

Police Chiefs in Session.

GALVESTON, Texas, June 24.-Galveston is well policed today. Hundreds of city marshals and police married Abel and accepted the stigma chiefs are here for an annual conven- that rested upon him. Benedict, 10 acres in Sec. 33, T. 2 S., tion of their state organization "How Three years passed. One summer R. 4 E.; \$100.

W. N. Rinehart and wife to George to control the wealthy and influence.

W. N. Rinehart and wife to George tial law breaker" was the leading had grafted to his apple tree would be a second of the control of discussion at today's session. Was in the county seat on business K. Hall, lots 9 to 14, inclusive, block topic of discussion at today's session.

Tuesday.

Hay Dealers Confer.

PEORIA, Ill., June 24.-The twentieth annual convention of the Na-tional Hay Association began in this city this morning, and will continue Victor Brunell to Fred, Henry and until Tuursday night. Over 500 delegates from all parts of the United States are present.

Canadian Physicians Meet,

LONDON, Ont., June 24.—The Candian Medical Association, with a and I will convince you." membership embracing prominent physicians and surgeons throughout the dominion, met in annual convention here today for a four days' ses-

A CITY IN A GORGE.

The First View of La Paz Is Startling to the Tourist.

James Bryce in his book "South America" gives a picturesque description of the approach to La Paz, Bolivia. He tells how the traveler who nears La Paz has a surprise in front of him if he is coming from Lake Titicaca. Albert E. White and wife to C. R. the usual route from the coast. At a point 13,000 feet above sea level the railway from Guayaquil meets the railway from Antofagasta, 400 miles away to the south. "From this point, called Viacha, the route turns eastward toward the Cordillera, the line climbing slowly in wide sweeps over the dusty and shrubless plateau on whose thin grass sheep are browsing. There is not a house visible, and the smooth slope seems to rue right up against the mountain wall beyond. Where can La Paz be? asks the traveler.

"Presently, however, he perceives strings of Hamas and donkeys and wayfarers on foot moving along the slope toward a point where they all suddenly vanish and are no more seen. Then a spot is reached where the railway itself seems to end between a few sheds. He gets out and walks a few yards to the east and then suddenly pulls up, with a start, on the edge of a yawning abyss.

"Right beneath him, 1,500 feet below, a gray, red roofed city fills the the gap he had left and fell in a swoon bottom of the gorge and climbs up its on the floor. There were blood red sides on both banks of the torrent that streaks in it. faintly up through the thin air."

Scotchman's Sad Loss.

"As the waiter laid down my fivepence change," writes C. M. in the passengers obliged to sleep in day Glasgow News, "I noticed that the topmost coin was not of British currency. It was, in fact, a French penny. I at- for the man who happens to sit next tracted his attention, therefore, with a motion of my forefinger and indicated the pile of coins with a wave of my hand, which was meant to say 'What is this you have given me? The waiter bent gracefully forward, scooped up my change with a practiced hand and with a polite 'I thank you, sir,' moved swiftly away. Next time I'll give the language of signs a miss."

HONOR MEMORY OF BEECHER

NEW YORK, June 24 .- The universal regard in which the memory of Henry Ward Beecher is held was giv-en expression broughout this section of the country today by exercises commemorating the one hundredth anniversary of the famous preacher's nome of the Beecher family, and in Brooklyn, where Mr. Beecher spent so

his life, the principal public observ-ances were held, but there was scarce-ly a Congregational church or society in this section which did not devote best of condition and little damage is some time to the memory of the man expected from floods. Grea t head-whose sermons and writings touched way is being made by the lumbermen the common heart of humanity.

Heavy Rains in Guatemala.

GUATEMALA CITY, June 24 .- Unusually heavy downpours have markmany of the most important years of ed the opening of the rainy season

who are taking full advantage of the swollen streams to get mahogany and other logs on their way to the ports. The cut of precious woods this year is very heavy.

Enterprise classified ads pay.

Watch for Big Double Page Circular Mailed

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to the charred, or brittle, or soggy kind made in the tedious old-fashioned way, is relatively the same as the superiority of grilled steak to fried steak.

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