

# ODD TRICKS OF STRANGE ENEMY

Police Put Guard Around the Home of New York Woman.

NEW YORK, July 16.—As a result of a series of extraordinary persecutions to which Mrs. Mary L. White, a widow, has been subjected for several months, policemen from the Bronx Detective Bureau are guarding day and night the Belvedere apartment house, at No. 1,199 Boston road, the Bronx, in consequence of a threat to dynamite the building with dynamite if Mrs. White is not forced to move.

Only a few weeks ago Mrs. White moved from her place of residence because of similar annoyance, but it did not take long for her pursuer to find out where she had gone. Then followed the threat to dynamite the building, but that was only one of many annoyances to which she was subjected.

Hundreds of packages of merchandise of all kinds which Mrs. White never ordered have poured in upon her from store keepers in different parts of the city, the orders invariably having been given by telephone or mail.

At all hours of the night and day she and her children have been aroused by physicians, who said they had come in answer to hurry calls, but the climax came when an undertaker's wagon drove up to the door of the Belvedere and two men announced that they had come to bury Mrs. White.

## Neighbors Are Alarmed.

There are fifteen families in the Belvedere and much agitation prevailing among them lest the mysterious enemy of the woman should carry out his threatened purpose. Among those who live there are Joseph J. Hart, formerly a representative in congress, Dr. William O'Brien, Edward Cole, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Gaston. They and the other tenants have sent a petition to the owner of the building, Joseph White of Phelan Heights, who is not a relative of Mrs. White, and he has reported the matter to the police.

From anonymous letters received it is apparent that the man who is pursuing Mrs. White has a real or fancied grievance against her because of a feud which he believed existed between her husband and his father, and he has asserted that he will "hound" her until he gets what he considers his rights.

## Neighbors Force Removal.

The first letter was received last February when Mrs. White and her two children, a boy and a girl nine and ten years old, was living in a two-story frame dwelling at No. 1,236 Tinton avenue, one of a row of six buildings of uniform structure. It was addressed to Joseph Earle, a clerk in the supreme court, who lived at No. 1,238, adjoining Mrs. White's home, and was in printed characters. This communication informed Mr. Earle that he had been appointed a committee of one to notify the owner of the row of buildings, Edward J. Williams of No. 1,264 Boston road, that unless the widow be compelled to move the "entire house and neighborhood" would be blown up with dynamite. It then made vague allusion to the grievance of the writer.

This incident threw the residents of the neighborhood into such a state of excitement that Mr. Williams, against his will, was obliged to ask Mrs. White to vacate. She did so, moving to the Belvedere on April 1. She had lived there only two weeks, when John Witke, the janitor of the building, received a letter of the same purport, and it was then action was taken which resulted in an appeal to the police.

## NORTH BEND NEWS

Mrs. J. F. Bode and daughter arrived here from Portland last evening to spend a few weeks visiting on the Bay before their removal from Portland to Spokane where Mr. Bode has taken a position. Mr. Bode was formerly manager of the North Bend Sash and Door factory.

A chunk of coal weighing 2,700 pounds is an exhibit in the Mines Building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. It is from a Washington state mine.

Try a Times' want ad.

# LOCAL OVERFLOW

Will Return Here.—Wm. Candlin, of Coquille, received a letter from C. E. Bland saying that Mr. Bland and wife will make a trip to Seattle where Mr. Bland will meet his father and mother, after which he will come to Coos Bay. Mrs. Bland has been in Eureka for the past month. Mr. Bland is well known here in connection with the Bland-Hicks Lumber Co., having been located here and at Coquille several months.

McCutcheon Gets Hat.—George McCutcheon last evening secured the Stetson hat which the Hub Clothing and Shoe company hung up as a prize for three base hits on the local diamond. George touched it up for a three bagger the first time up last Sunday and today is sporting his new headgear. Whether anyone will pull down any more hats or the suit of clothes which the firm hangs up for three baggers and homers remains to be seen.

May Move Body.—Mrs. R. D. Hume, who arrived here yesterday from Wedderburn to consult her attorney, John D. Goss, is planning to move Mr. Hume's body to San Francisco this fall. Mr. Hume was buried on the point overlooking the Rogue river bar in accordance with a wish expressed shortly before his death, but in his papers was found a statement saying that his body could be removed to San Francisco if Mrs. Hume so desired.

Wed in North.—Earl M. Berry, tallyman at the Smith Mill, returned yesterday with his wife from the north. When Mr. Berry left here about a month ago, on a vacation, it was generally understood he was to be married. Mrs. Berry's maiden name was Miss Maud Siddell and the couple first became acquainted at Olympia, Wash., where both resided at the time. The young couple are having a house built for them in Bunker Hill, where they will reside. Their many friends on Coos Bay extend to them the wishes of a radiant future and that they live long and happily.

## ADVERTISED LIST.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Marshfield, Oregon post-office July 15, 1909. Persons calling for the same will please say advertised and pay one cent for each advertised letter called for:

Mabel Adams, Miss Ailie Brown, J. J. Brown, H. W. Bigelow, Miss Jennie Bossen, Mrs. Mabel Curtis, Payson Dietz, Milton Dunn, C. C. Foster, Mrs. Helen Gray, Mrs. W. F. Gordon, Gustav Gulofsen, Dave Holden, William McCahey, J. P. Hunt, Miss Anne Johnson, Myron Knuppenburg, Jaacop Kestli, Gust Lindahl, Arthur Miller, E. F. Morrissey, Miss Annie Raney, Jim Shaver, Jerry Stone, H. A. Sully, B. B. Sulton, Lars Thompson, James Taylor, Jennie Ward, Emery Whitworth, Lewis Wyant, Alace Wilson.

W. B. CURTIS, P.M.

Do not confuse the many cheap paints on the market with Sherwin-Williams at MILNER'S.

"CASTLEWOOD" at the P. K.

Stick your head into a Thoroughbred Hat

And you will feel like the name. We have them in the latest fall styles in all shapes and colors and sell them for only \$3.00

There is no better hat made at any price.

THE BAZAR HOUSE OF QUALITY. Phone 32-J Central Avenue

FOR FINE BREAD DELICIOUS CAKES AND COOKIES GOOD PIES —Try—

Hunter's City Bakery 172 Broadway, Opposite Coos Bay Times Office. Wedding Cakes to Order a Specialty.

## AT THE HOTELS.

The Blanco—A. M. Signalness, Coquille; James Sheehan, Bandon; I. F. Cirralah, Portland; N. E. Best, Thornwood; M. Rohrer, Coquille; T. H. Barry, Empire; Lee S. Morrill, Aberdeen; H. E. Morrill and wife, Aberdeen; W. G. McPherson, Portland; Lee Cox, Bandon; G. Sagur, Bandon; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tipton, Portland; Miss Minnie Lam, Portland; M. Cooper, Seattle; D. Y. Shell, Portland; Ben Sensney, Portland; Jno. Webster, Berkeley Springs; Mrs. W. H. Webster, Berkeley Springs; V. Saxton, Portland; C. C. Carter, Myrtle Point; Ole Paulson, Myrtle Point; Hans Gishalt, Myrtle Point; James Landrith, Coos River; Roy Landrith, Coos River; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahaffy, Coos River; U. Bryant, Portland; J. C. Bryant, Portland; S. R. Buntten, Beaver Hill; J. M. Buntten, Beaver Hill; C. R. Bennett, Portland; R. N. Snyder, Portland.

The Chandler.—W. H. Cleaver, Portland; W. J. McPhee, San Francisco; Roy Shurtleff, Berkeley; J. Webber, Portland; Ed. Lamport, Salem; Mrs. Charles Levine, Coquille; C. F. Byrne, Seattle; T. B. Wheeler, Bandon; I. H. Young, Portland; H. P. Hildreth, Seattle; W. Webster, Globe, Ariz.; D. James, Globe; W. McPherson, Portland; R. M. Prusey, Bandon; Jas. Murphy, Roseburg; C. I. Ban and wife, Portland.

FRESH SALMON at the SANITARY Meat Market.

ALCOHOL STOVES at MILNER'S "CASTLEWOOD" at the P. K.

# Here's the Proof

In proof of my statement in The Coos Bay Times of July 12, that groceries may be purchased in Marshfield as cheap as from the catalogue houses, I submit the following prices on groceries by the case:

|                                 | Per Case |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Macaroni, 6 pound box.....      | 50c      |
| Postum Cereal.....              | \$2.60   |
| Standard Corn, a dozen.....     | \$1.05   |
| Standard Tomatoes, a dozen..... | .90      |
| Standard Peaches, a dozen.....  | \$1.90   |
| Standard Pears, a dozen.....    | \$1.35   |
| Sugar, per sack.....            | \$5.85   |

All other groceries at similar figures. Haven't space or time to quote them all, but call and see.

The Penny Grocery NEXT DOOR TO BREAKWATER OFFICE. MARSHFIELD, ORE.

# A Square Deal on a Round Steak

Or any other piece of meat is what you always get at

# Hobson's Market

Have you tried HOBSON yet? It is a case of HOBSON'S Choice, but HOBSON'S Choice this time is good meat always. Nice, juicy, tender steaks and roasts. If he hasn't good meat he will tell you. HOBSON wants more than to sell meat. HOBSON is a friendly sort of fellow and he likes friends. He wants his customers to be his friends and he makes friends by his meats and his methods.

Drop around at 168 Central Avenue opposite the Chandler and see Hobson or call up Phone 248J and give him your order.

## GET YOUR MOUTH READY.

# "High Life"

Steam beer will be on the market next week.

It will taste good.

COOS BAY EAGLE BREWING CO., FERDALE, ORE.

# Come in and make yourself At Home

Everyone who takes pride in the Furnishings of their home will enjoy a tour through Our Store.

We have Furniture, Floor Coverings and Draperies to suit every income and every purse.

Not that alone, but we can serve you better, and make your home look better and,

# it will cost you less

GET OUR TERMS AND PRICES

PERRY, MONTGOMERY & CO. OF THE FIRST CLASS

# OUR MARKET BASKET

GOOD THINGS TO EAT FOR YOUR SUNDAY DINNER AND WHERE TO GET THEM.

## Saturday Specials

CABBAGES  
ASPARAGUS  
TURNIPS  
BEETS  
PEAS  
RHUBARB  
CUCUMBERS  
BEANS  
TOMATOES  
LOGANBERRIES  
STRAWBERRIES  
RASPBERRIES  
CALIFORNIA FRUITS  
FRIEDS AND STEW CHICKENS

Chas. Stauff

## Your Sunday Dinner

Should Have a Little Touch of

DAINTY DESSERT

We have some

FINE CAKES,

COOKIES,

PIES,

and

THE BEST BREAD

ALWAYS.

COOS BAY BAKERY

TELEPHONE 111-L

# DIAMONDS, WATCHES and JEWELRY

Watch our window for the next few days and see a beautiful election of diamonds, which are going to be sold at a price so cheap and payments so easy that every person can afford to wear a diamond.

Elgin and Waltham watches in solid gold, gold filled, solid silver and nickel cases. We will furnish you in the next few days at a price so reasonable that it will surprise you.

You surely will need a stop watch before going to the races. We have them all styles and prices.

Our line of Howard watches is always complete, and anything you or your friends want in a nice, neat and up-to-date piece of jewelry where quality and price talk, come or send them to the

# Carleton Jewelry Company

WATCHES AND JEWELRY—REPAIRING A SPECIALTY. FIRST TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK BLDG., MARSHFIELD, ORE.

GET YOUR Whipping Cream AT

Cortbell's Delicatessen

Phone 169-L.

We have a Large Scow for Hire at \$2.50 PER DAY.

Coos Bay Oil & Supply Co.

Marshfield, Ore., Phone 33

## PRICE OF PREFERRED STOCK OF THE UNITED WIRELESS TELEGRAPH COMPANY:

Note the steady and rapid advance in the price of stock since the organization of the company:

|                        | per share |
|------------------------|-----------|
| February 23, 1907..... | \$10.00   |
| September 1, 1907..... | 11.00     |
| October 1, 1907.....   | 12.50     |
| November 10, 1907..... | 14.00     |
| January 1, 1908.....   | 15.00     |
| March 1, 1908.....     | 16.50     |
| June 1, 1908.....      | 17.50     |
| August 1, 1908.....    | 18.50     |
| October 1, 1908.....   | 20.00     |
| December 15, 1908..... | 22.50     |
| February 15, 1909..... | 25.00     |
| May 1, 1909.....       | 30.00     |

The price will remain at \$30.00 for a short time only. It's a chance of a lifetime to make a safe investment and large profits.

O. L. HOPSON, Fiscal Agent, Coos and Curry Counties, Box 323, Marshfield.

Office in The "Chandler"

# NOTICE To Telephone Subscribers

Commencing with August 1, 1909, the following schedule of rates for rental of telephones in the city of Marshfield, Ore., will go into effect:

One party residence phones, \$2.50; if paid at office on or before the 15th of each month, \$2.35.

Two party residence phones, \$2.00; if paid at office on or before the 15th of each month, \$1.90.

Four party residence phones, \$1.75; if paid at office on or before the 15th of each month, \$1.65.

One party business phones, \$3.00; if paid at office on or before the 15th of each month, \$2.85.

Two party business phones, \$2.50; if paid at office on or before the 15th of each month, \$2.35.

Four party business phones, \$2.25; if paid at office on or before the 15th of each month, \$2.10.

If these rentals are not paid on or before the 15th of each month no reduction will be made, and no collector will call for the amount due on bills, but if paid by that time said discount will be allowed. Any patron wishing to be changed from the present service to a one, two or four party line, will please notify the company at once, or phone No. 121, so that the change can be made and the new number corrected in the directory.

# COOS BAY HOME TELEPHONE CO.

"ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH YOUR LAUNDRY WORK?" IF NOT TRY THE

Marshfield Hand & Steam Laundry

OUR SPECIALTY: HIGH GRADE WORK AND PROMPT SERVICE. PHONE 229-J.

# NOTICE!

Any person cutting Timber or Bark of any description on the lands of the Southern Oregon Company, or removing same, or other property, from said lands, without being duly authorized in writing, will be prosecuted according to law.

Any person furnishing sufficient evidence for the recovery of property so taken and conviction of the parties concerned, will be given one-half of the property recovered.

SOUTHERN OREGON COMPANY

# Here are some Table Suggestions

CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS Peaches, Grapes, Wax String Beans, Plums, Tomatoes.

COOS BAY PRODUCTS. Logan Berries, Strawberries, Cauliflower, Peas, Carrots, Onions, Lettuce Beets, Turnips.

C. W. Wolcott FAMILY GROCER PHONE 97-J

# DERBY

The Metropolitan Standard