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TIM BURLIN'S EXPERIENCE.

It was quite by accident, too, that I strolled around to Tim's lodgings on Sunday morning.
'Mr. Burlin is out, sir,' said the spruce door-maid; 'gone to church, I believe, sir.'
'When?' thought I, 'this is Miss Chapman's doing, for to my certain knowledge Tim Burlin hasn't been to church within six years.'

Monday morning Tim wore a highly satisfied appearance.
'Prospects bright?' said I.
'Couldn't be brighter, Morris, couldn't be brighter. I can never be too thankful for having inserted that advertisement.'

distinctly that she wore a seal skin sack, and when she was ready to go, Tim and I accompanied her in the carriage. He helped her in, and as we turned to go back, a gentleman standing near stepped up and said:
'Mr. Burlin, I believe. Was that lady your wife?'
'Ah, Dunster is that you?' said Tim. 'Yes, that is Mrs. Burlin,' and a smile of satisfaction crossed his face as he held out his hand to the gentleman, whom we both recognized as the junior member of the great fur house of Dunster & Son.

could not conjecture, but it was clear that Tim was in the worst kind of trouble, and that it was almost impossible for his friends to help him. In fact I did not even dare to look at him the next morning when he came in, and he worked on in silence until about the middle of the forenoon. Then the office boy brought in two cards. I saw Tim start with surprise as he read the names, and said, 'Show them in.'
An old gentleman, of highly respectable appearance, entered with a pleasant-faced, modestly attired young lady.

'Curse you!' said he, giving her a savage jerk, and then, almost in a twinkling, he produced a pair of handcuffs and snapped them on her wrists. Grasping her shoulder with his wounded hand, from which the blood was trickling, he fiercely exclaimed:
'Will you go now, quietly, or be dragged?'
'Oh, I'll go,' she said suddenly and faintly. 'Good-bye, Tim, dear Tim! I hope we shall meet again in a better world. Don't forget to go to church regularly.'

AN INTRICATE PROPOSITION.
WITH WHICH MAJOR MAX GREATLY PUZ- ZLED HIS WIFE.
'Did it ever occur to you, my dear, that a person going overland would have to mail two letters a day from the train in order to have one letter a day return to San Francisco?' asked Major Max the other evening, after the cloth was removed from the table and his wife was pouring his glass of two-thirds benedictine and one-third curacao, which the Major contended was the only civilized drink with which to prepare for the after dinner cigar.

MURDER! MURDER! MURDER!

HORRIBLE TO CONTEMPLATE!
Assassins still at large, but their retreat and place of rendezvous well known to the citizens of Polk and vicinity. The unfortunate victim, fine, large, fresh and desirable, knocked down in its prime (just what everybody wants), will be laid out in the store of

McGrew & Waller,

For the public inspection and profit, on the first day of September next. We will positively commence our Clearance Sales on the above stated date, to continue up to October first, and as all goods will be sold without profit to ourselves, we have the consoling thought that the ill wind is doing our appreciative patrons a pecuniary good.
Now, friends, while it is not business to buy what you do not need, just because it is cheap, it is real business to buy cheap of what you do need.
Our stock is very large and complete, and promising to keep up an assortment for your benefit, we shall expect your patronage for all that you may need in our line.
McGREW & WALLER.
Perrydale, Oregon, August 4, 1882.

Notice of Assignment.
Be Warned in Time!
I have been appointed Receiver and Collector of the business of McGrew & Johnson, late of Perrydale. All persons owing the firm will save themselves trouble and expense by calling on me at Dallas and settling at once.
M. M. ELLIS, Receiver.
DALLAS, Oregon, July 7, 1882.
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A week to your own home. 25 Cents per week. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. They are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business of which you can make good pay all the time you work, write for particulars to J. H. HANLEY & Co., Portland, Maine.

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