

DOG IS DR. JEKYL AND A MR. HYDE

Canine Watched, and in Gentleness Drives Chickens About Lot—But When Alone He Attacks Them With Aboriginal Fierocity.

Ded, the much beloved collie of J. W. Bonar, the well known Griffin Creek farmer has developed of beginning of the wiles of which the Bonars have not yet begun to fathom.

Coaxed, pomped and petted by Mrs. Bonar, the dog in the gentlest of manner will tease the chickens from the house yard, when they would eat of forbidden fruit, now and then zapping skyward as much as to say "shew!" But once behind the barn, "the chiekie, chiekie" affectation is changed with Jekyl's swiftness to aboriginal fierceness and rapacity that is awful to behold. Without a growl the treacherous pet will pounce upon some unwily pullet and leave it dead on the ground. But the dog's cunning does not stop here, for his is a waiting game. After Mrs. Bonar has made an autopsy of the dead chicken and has wondered in vain why one of her flock flies to the other shore so frequently, dog Ted has his feast.

A discussion has arisen among the neighbors whether all this scheming as to evasion of guilt is figured out each time by the dog or whether with ghoul tastes he desires the meat to ripen until it has reached the proper sweetness and tenderness and can accordingly be the more lastly plucked and quickly digested.

Mr. Harper, a fruit expert who blew into the country recently from the Palsade fruit belt in Colorado was the first to discover the dog in his trickery, observing him from across the road where he was at work pruning in the Bruce Wilson Orchard. Mr. Harper, however not desiring to have a veracily brought into question by testing its weight against the Bonar's trust in Ted has held a discreet silence upon topic when in the presence of members of the Bonar family. It is certain however that his testimony and that of all the residents of Griffin Creek together with numerous newspaper articles could not shake Mrs. Bonar's implicit reliance in the gentle trustful disposition of Theodore.

NUDE MAN RUNS ABOUT STREETS; KILLED BY TRAIN

COLTON, Cal., April 29.—Seized with a sudden attack of insanity, Pedro Rodriguez, aged 26, today stripped off his clothing, and ran through the principal street of Colton shouting "vivi La Revolution."

A crowd pursued him. He plunged under the wheels of a moving freight train and was decapitated.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following list of letters remain unclaimed for at the postoffice at Medford, Or., Wednesday, April 26, 1911:

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| Adelphia, Prof Del Lindall, T. L. | Looney, Ralph |
| Brown, J. S. | Madison, Elsie |
| Bevens, Roy | McDaniel, Willie |
| Benningham, Ewald | Moss, Charley |
| Bonner, Dr. E. P. | Myers, Chas |
| Boyer, Mrs. E. E. M. | McGray, Mrs |
| Bowers, Edward L. | Beckey |
| Brown, W. A. | McMahon, Mrs |
| Brown, J. B. | Pearl G. |
| Broman, Harry | Nelson, Fred S. |
| Bret, Con. | Nytle, S. H. |
| Burgess, F. C. | Powell, M. F. |
| Butt, G. A. | Rice, John B. |
| Capt. Salvation | Ritter, Frank |
| Captain Salvation | Robinson, E. R. |
| Army | Scudder, Mrs. C. |
| Childs, Mrs. H. M. | Shibley, Ed. |
| Chapman, Charley | Smith, William |
| Clark, H. M. | So. Oreg. Mercantile |
| Clark, J. D. (2) | Association (2) |
| Crawfield, F. S. | Sorenson, Bert P. |
| Deiring, Len | Snider, Mrs. C. |
| Duffy, Mrs. Elsie | Springer, J. H. |
| Fauk, Oscar | Stevenson, Dr. E. |
| Garcia, R. L. | R. (2) |
| Graves, W. H. | Steward, Frank |
| Griene, F. H. | Swan, M. J. |
| Greenwood, Thos. | Van Wazem, J. C. |
| Hall, Otha M. | Utzinger, B. F. (2) |
| Hall, Mr. | Watson, J. Carl |
| Hawk, C. F. | Wakefield, A. E. |
| Henry, C. | Waltermire, Wm. |
| Hedges, Chas. T. | Waterman, Robert |
| Hibdon, Hoover | Webb, Geo. R. |
| Hoffman, Mike | White, Alvin |
| Kertz, J. F. | Williams, L. P. |
| Kertelo, Ode | Wright, Mrs. J. A. |
| King, Bert | Yant, W. D. |
| Kimberk, Ed. | Young, Mrs. H. M. |
| Klem, Vince | |
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A. M. WOODFORD, P. M.

Taft to New York.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—President Taft started for New York today at 11 o'clock. He will stay two days in the Metropolis and attend six banquets. His headquarters while in New York will be at the home of his brother, Henry Taft.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the board of directors of school district No. 36, of Jackson county, state of Oregon, until Wednesday, May 17, 1911, for the erection of a one story frame school building in said district. Plans and specifications for the same may be seen at the office of the county school superintendent in Jacksonville, or in the case of his absence from the office, they may be seen at the office of the county clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for a sum which shall equal five per cent of the amount of the bid, as a guarantee of good faith, and the successful bidder will be required to give bonds in the sum of seventy-five per cent of the amount of the bid. The board of directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Send bids to J. M. Stevens, Beagle, Or.

D. W. STURGESS,
Chairman School Board.

Looking for a Bargain?

\$150 will buy lot on pavement; sewer and water in. Best buy in Medford. Address Box 27, care of this office. 27

Haskins for Health.

DEATH THREAT IS SENT BURNS

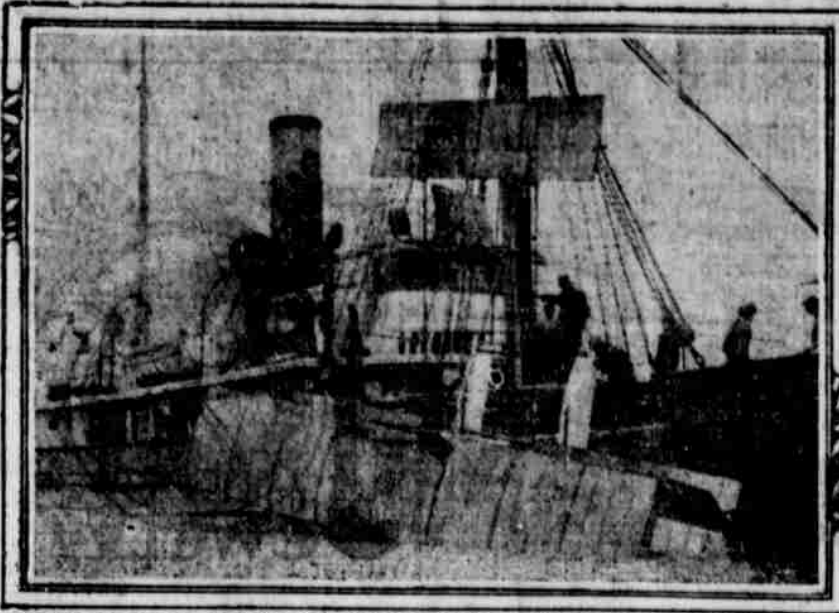
Anonymous Letter is Received by Detective—Alleged to Have Been Sent by M. J. Schmidt, Alleged Accomplice of James B. Bryce.

CHICAGO, April 29.—A death threat alleged to have been written by M. J. Schmidt, alleged accomplice of James B. Bryce, indicted in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building, was received this afternoon by Detective William J. Burns. The letter was received at the New York office and forwarded to Chicago.

"You arrested the McNamaras illegally," the letter said. "Those men are innocent. I am guilty. You and your clique think you are smart, don't you? You have been searching for me all through the west while I have been here in New York all the time. I have met you and your men here face to face.

"Tomorrow I shall sail for Europe. If the McNamaras are convicted I shall return and shoot you and your son Raymond down like a dog. Everybody connected with the prosecution will also be dealt with as they deserve. I know you and you know that you were paid an enormous sum by capitalists to convict innocent men."

Aeroplane Fished From the Sea



THE REK SMITH AEROPLANE, BEING HAULED OUT OF THE POTOMAC RIVER BY THE GOVERNMENT TUG BOAT, MAPLE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 28.—Anthony James, whose biplane got the better of him in the Potomac river recently and did its best to drown him, is game. He will again attempt to rise from the water, using pontoons, and hopes that he will be more successful. He is none the worse for his wading and is not treating it seriously.

It was rather a sudden transition from sailing over the grounds back of the White House with a timid society but to a position of undignified discomfort in the Potomac river, but Mr. James is unconquered. The machine was not seriously damaged, but will require some time to dry out.

EAGLE POINT TO GET BANK SOON

J. V. McIntyre of This City Will be Cashier—Building to be Erected at Once—Capital Stock is \$15,000—Will be a Great Improvement.

Jackson County is to have another bank, the First State Bank of Eagle Point having been incorporated and will open its doors about July 1st. The capital stock is \$15,000 and has all been subscribed. A number of Medford business men are interested in the new enterprise. J. V. McIntyre, at present connected with the Farmers & Fruit-growers bank of this city will be cashier. A fine two story brick building is to be erected, and will be made of the best possible material and be completely equipped and furnished. Material is already on the spot and building operations, will commence in the immediate future.

NOTICE.

Dr. Barber is now located in rooms 297 and 298 Farmers and Fruit-growers bank building and will be pleased to meet his friends and patrons in the new location.

little house-maid says whether you move or not you need some new things for the house.



the new house you've moved into needs some new things don't you find? your home is where you all stay most of the time and should not your home be the loveliest of all places? we have many, many things to make homes lovely, why not let it be your home? our furnishings are moving too, because we sell them right, come to see us.

Removal Sale

if you are looking for anything in the line of

Wall Paper, Bedding, Carpets, Rugs, Furnishings, Furniture Etc.,

that you wish to save money on don't fail to come and see us.

you will find that our styles are the latest; that our assortments are the largest; that our prices are the lowest.

You can verify the above by visiting the **BIG REMOVAL SALE** this week

Medford Furniture & Hardware Co.

Business Chances

No. 1.

A first-class rooming and boarding house; now running smoothly, with 14 boarders and roomers; good location and very reasonable rent. Furniture, bedding, silverware and all kitchen utensils included. Price only \$750, on good terms.

No. 2

A first-class Cafe, on Main street, in the heart of the city, that has cleared \$900 in the past sixty days. A good lease. Reasonable rent.

No. 3

Five good lots, 70x150 each, in Medford's most popular residence district. If sold in ten days, owner will take \$3000 for the bunch. Good terms.

NO. 4.

A special price has been given us on a 6-room furnished house, one that is furnished throughout, nothing lacking. The house is on South Laurel, only six blocks from this office, is modern in every detail, electric lights, city water, sewer, etc.; lot 50x120 with a dandy little garden. The price is only \$2500, with good terms.

Cornitius-Garner Realty Comp'y

133 West Main Street Medford, Ore.

MONEY RAISING BARGAINS

Continued at Meecker's

(These prices remain in force the next 6 days unless sold out sooner)

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| Big Attractions in | 25yds. Cotton Toweling \$1 |
| Summer Woolens | This is the biggest value ever offered to any people in any place. (Limited amount only). |
| 65c changeable blue Mohair | 39c |
| 75c Bedford cord white | 39c |
| 50c red fancy Mohair | 39c |
| 50c fancy Serge | 39c |
| | Summer Shirt Waists 99c |
| | These are regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 values; dandies for the money. |

Attractive values in ready to wear dresses and "Printzess Suits", buying this line assures you of "Distinction in Dress". 1-4 to 1-2 regular prices, Seeing is believing

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT—A NEW FEATURE AT THIS STORE. "THE SAVING YOU WILL FIND HERE WILL SURPRISE YOU. IF WE HAVEN'T WHAT YOU WANT, WE WILL MAKE IT FOR YOU AT ANY PRICE. CALL AND SEE WHAT WE HAVE. WE WILL NOT ASK YOU TO BUY. WE HAVE THE LATEST

28 So. Central Avenue (The Busy Street)

W. H. Meecker & Co.
We Sell GILBERT'S CELEBRATED Dress Making



McCall Patterns No. 3631—Waist No. 3799—Ski A CHARMING FROCK



EXCURSION on Pacific & Eastern R. R. to BUTTE FALLS Sunday April 30

Round Trip Only \$2

TRAIN LEAVES MEDFORD AT 8:14 A. M. RETURNING, REACHES MEDFORD AT 7 P. M.

You will find this the most delightful trip you ever made. Enjoy the beautiful scenery along the way—the beautiful picnic grounds at Butte Falls—the waterfall—the river, etc., etc. Take this trip Sunday sure.