

## Jeff Evidently Thinks That All Turks Have Feathers

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## HEARD WOMAN'S DYING SCREAMS

**Two Boys Accusers of Richard Holmsburg Tell Their Stories to Authorities—Youths Are Taken to Portland and Lodged in Jail.**

**PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 14.**—Declaring they heard the dying screams of Mrs. William H. Hill, who, with her husband and two children was evidently slain at Ardenwald last June, and waited until the murderer emerged from the house to continue their journey with him, the two boy accusers of Richard Holmsburg told a story that officers investigating the case believe will solve what before seemed unsolvable.

Holmsburg, arrested at The Dalles, was brought to Portland Friday. With him were brought Harry Howard, 17, and Jimmie Hawkins, 16, the two youthful hobos, who tell the story of horror, who are held as witnesses.

Holmsburg, correct, rather short of stature, and ill-dressed, did not present a prepossessing appearance when he stepped from the train in handcuffs, which were not removed until he was placed in jail.

The supreme test of the damaging statements made by the boys will come this afternoon when they will be given an opportunity to verify the affidavits they have made by leading the officers and a chosen party over the route they say they followed when they went with Holmsburg to the scene of the murder, expecting to profit by robbery they lacked nerve to commit in Portland.

The mail order houses of the East would not be so prosperous if the people of this community would insist on having "Made in Oregon" goods from the local merchants. The business of this community would be better conserved if the buying public and the merchants would help along the "Made in Oregon" idea.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council at its meeting to be held on October 24, 1911, at 7:30 p. m. for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vicious liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business on lot 10, block 14, of the town (now city of Medford) for a period of six months.

**HOLLAND HOTEL COMPANY.**

Dated Oct. 12, 1911.

Haskins for Health.

### NOTICE FOR SEALED BIDS FOR SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the trustee in the matter of the estate of Edmades Bros., bankrupts, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of any or all of the following described real property situated in Medford, Oregon, and described as follows:

Lot numbered 2 and the south half of lot numbered 3 in block 1, original town site City of Medford, Oregon, frontage 125 feet and a depth of 108 feet, and having thereon a five room house, ideal property for warehouse purposes, being on South Evergreen street and on proposed siding of S. P. Incumbance about \$1100, interest plus taxes now due, principal runs for about nine months yet.

A bid on Bennett avenue, being 50 by 200 feet, and having fruit trees in bearing. An ideal location for a home. Incumbance about \$450.

Lots 2 and 4 in block 1 and lots 3 and 4 in block numbered 2 of Edmades addition. Good new house on one of these lots. Second street paved past two of lots. Incumbance about \$1100, besides taxes and paving assessments.

It is the intention to offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder the equity of the bankrupts in the above properties. No bid will be received for less than the incumbance shown to \$100. Substantial equity in each property. Will receive bids for ten days from date of this notice. Reserve right to refuse any or all bids. For further details inquire at my office in rooms 20-22 over Jackson County bank.

F. J. NEWMAN, Trustee.

### CITY NOTICES.

#### ORDINANCE NO. 595.

Ordinance declaring the cost of the improvement of Fifth street fronting the north side of the street and the property benefits thereby and declaring such assessment and directing the entry thereof in the docket of city fees. The City of Medford doth ordain as follows:

Section 1. That no protests having been filed against the improvement of Fifth street from Fir street to Grape street, nor any notice of assessment being upon each lot or part thereof adjacent to said improvement and in just proportion to benefits to be the responsibility of benefits to be the responsibility of the owner of each lot or part thereof, and such amounts respectively are hereby declared to be the proportionate share of each lot or part thereof, and in hereby declared to be assessed against said lot or parcels respectively the name appearing above describing being the name of the owner of said lot or parcels.

**ASSESSMENT FOR THE PAVING OF FIFTH STREET FROM FROTHIR STREET TO GRAPE STREET, WIDTH THIRTY-FIVE FEET.**

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