

Anything to Please Our Customers

By "Bud" Fisher

Mr. Bud Fisher Dear Sir: I have been a reader of your cartoons for several years and have had many good laughs at them but the stuff you are now running about the snake is terrible. There is neither wit nor humor in anything as repulsive as a snake. If you desire to keep your readers, for goodness sake get wise to yourself and get rid of the snake at once. Yours truly, Edward Barrow



HOW DOES THIS STRIKE YOU, EDDY? ANYTHING TO OBLIGE

VATICAN IS FACING STRIKE OF GARDENERS

ROME, Dec. 30.—Pope Pius is today facing another threatened strike within the Vatican. This time it is the gardeners and the museum keepers. Their demands involve the rather unusual alternative of either a raise in pay or the abolition of holidays. All of these employees get 70 cents a day, except on holidays, when they draw nothing. As there are some 79 religious holidays in the year, to say nothing of Sundays, the employees insist they have real grounds for grievance. The fact that the museums and gardens are closed on these days adds also to their financial difficulties. Although not officially allowed to accept tips, they all accept them just the same, but when the public is not admitted some 130 days out of the year their possibilities for making a little on the side are considerably reduced. Recently one of the gardeners went mad and committed suicide by jumping off the Vatican wall. The gardeners and museum keepers insisted that he went mad trying to figure out how to make both ends meet on the 70 cents-a-day holiday pay proposition and petitioned the pope accordingly. They told him they hoped he would take warning from the first fatal result and hoped he'd see to it that an epidemic of suicides at the Vatican might not be rendered inevitable. They also asked him if he figured they did not have to eat on holidays the same as other days. Up to the present time there has been no raise in wages at the Vatican, but Pope Pius is known to be giving the matter serious attention and consideration.

STRANDED TASMAN IS SAFELY FLOATED

BRISBANE, Australia, Dec. 30.—Passengers on the Dutch steamship Tasman, which struck a rock at the entrance to Torres straits Saturday night, had been taken off safely and the ship itself refloated today, according to messages received here from Thursday island. Thursday island is only 120 miles from the scene of the wreck and it was stated that the passengers would be landed there today. From Thursday Island they will be taken to Batavia, Java, by another vessel. News that the Tasman had been refloated came as a surprise here, earlier messages having indicated that it would be a total loss, though it was expected all on board would be rescued. Today's advices were to the effect that the craft was badly damaged, however, and would have to be docked for repairs.

OUTLAWS SECURE NEW YORK GROUNDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Reports still prevailed here today that New York will get a Federal league franchise. National and American league magnates scoffed at the reports, but it was known that the new outlaw league had secured an option on a ground site near Brighton Beach. President Gilmore of the Federal league was en route to New York today. It was reported that he is coming here today to confer with New York financiers regarding more backing for the league.

QUAKE DEVASTATES PROVINCE OF PERU

LIMA, Peru, Dec. 30.—Meagre news was received here today from Ayacucho province, where heavy damage by another earthquake was reported. Reference was made to but a few deaths, but it was feared fuller returns would show many fatalities. Troops were ordered into the stricken territory to extend aid.

Married On Friday, December 26, 1913, at 12:30 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dunn, three miles east of Ashland, occurred the marriage of the daughter, Miss Ada Dunn, to H. M. Shaffer, of Oakland, Cal. Rev. W. T. Van Seoy, officiating. Only relatives are present. The parlor was beautifully decorated with ivy, mistletoe and flowers. A bounteous wedding feast followed after which the couple left for Oakland. The groom is a well-known contractor of Oakland. The bride was married in the house she was born in 22 years ago. She received her education in the Southern Oregon State Normal School and in Mount Angel College.

Catholic Church New Years, a holy day of obligation. Masses, 6:30 and 8:00; devotions, 7:30 p. m.

Weather Forecast Oregon—Rain west, rain or snow east portion tonight and Wednesday; southeasterly winds, brisk along the coast.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

Married—In Jacksonville, December 23, 1913, by Rev. Paul S. Bandy, Verna Mathews and Miss Nora Winkle, and on the 25th the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Winkle, gave a dinner and the following persons were invited and took part in the festivities: Mr. and Mrs. Green Mathews, Miss Mathews, Raleigh Mathews, Miss Marie Mathews, Mrs. Nora Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood, Miss Lotta Wood, Earl Wood, Mrs. Jude Mayham, John Mayham, Mrs. Rachel Mayham, Sherman Wooley, Michael Wooley, Fred Billows, Dora Billows, Jerry and Lann Billows, Mrs. Clara Billows, Mrs. Susan Hart and the whole of the Winkle family. The menu consisted of turkey, chicken, different kinds of meats, pies, cakes, etc., and all hands enjoyed themselves to the utmost. The foregoing was sent to me with the request that it be published in the Weekly Mail Tribune.

Word has just come to me over the phone that the stork has visited the home of William Duprey of Butte Falls, and they have a boy added to the family circle December 27.

Miss Dottie Harush and her brother, Robbie, went to Williamsburg last week to visit their grandparents, J. P. Moomaw and family. Robbie returned the first of the week, but Dottie is still up there.

Miss Mable Scott of Sams Valley, who is engaged teaching school in the upper Trail district, was a passenger on the Eagle Point-Persist stage last Friday.

The people up in the vicinity of Lost Creek gave a masked ball and basket supper on Friday night, and Lem Smith and John Foster went from here, and report that they had one of the times of their lives. They had a basket supper, and I know what that means, for I was at a basket dinner last Fourth of July and had a time that I can never forget. The people up in the Butte creek country know just how to have a good time and the women know how to cook, and somebody provides bountifully for such occasions.

Mr. Howe, who is driving Mr. Ash's team, of Trail, was here last Friday night after supplies for Mr. Ash's store at Trail, and from the amount of goods he hauls up he must be doing quite a business.

Also Mr. Ossman of the fish hatchery was out and spent Saturday night with us. Miss Gouge of Medford, who taught school in the Lake Creek district, came out Sunday and was met at the Sunnyside by Henry Meyers' two boys and went on up home with them to spend a few days in the country. Jasper Miller, the veteran school teacher, and Mr. Good of Derby, who

is teaching in the Lake Creek district, Good came out Friday night and took the car Saturday for home. Rev. L. L. Simmons announced Sunday that he was going to take a layoff and go to Peyton and carry on a meeting for a couple of weeks. Reports are coming in of more weddings, but as the reports cannot be substantiated, I fail to give names.

Card of Thanks. We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our kind neighbors and friends for their deep sympathy and help during our late sorrow. Our beloved one is absent from the body and present with the Lord. MR. AND MRS. A. C. TAYLOR AND FAMILY.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TREASURER. Gus H. Samuels, present incumbent, to be voted on at regular city election January 13. (Paid Adv.)

FOR RECORDER. Of my candidacy for office of city recorder to be voted on at regular city election, January 13th, 1914. JAMES W. ("DAD") DUNLOP. (Paid Adv.)

FOR RECORDER. I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of city recorder, to be voted on at the regular city election, January 13, 1914. MARTIN M. McDONOUGH. (Paid Adv.)

FOR RECORDER. I am a candidate for city recorder subject to the election January 13. J. R. TYRRELL. (Paid Adv.)

FOR RECORDER. Elmer T. Foss, incumbent, seeks re-election Jan. 13, 1914. (Paid Adv.)

FOR RECORDER. Marion A. Rader, candidate for city recorder. (Paid Adv.)

NEW TODAY 20 acres fenced, extra fine land, close to S. P. station stop. Twelve acres of five-year-old apples and pears, eight acres in alfalfa. Price \$5500, \$2000 cash will handle. 240 acres farther out, most all farm land, \$12,000.00. 160 acres well fenced, good buildings, stock, and good fields in cultivation. Both of these places are rented, and both will take some Medford property in exchange.

C. D. HOON Room 12, Jackson County Bank Bldg. Phone 1087-J

WHY? 160 acre Hog and Cattle ranch on Pacific Highway, water for irrigation, 5 acres under ditch. Best of alfalfa land. Finest range for hogs and cattle in Jackson county. 40 acres good oak timber for fine wood, near good market. House, barn, chicken house and family orchard. Must sell at once. Will take part in trade for city property. \$4,000.00. 2 good houses to rent, cheap.

E. J. STEWART Room 204 Fruitgrowers Bank Bldg. Office phone 531. Res. phone 822-J. J. O. BARNES, Phone 120-J. 201 First National Bank Bldg.

all of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting on January 6th, 1914, for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors at retail in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business on South Front street in said city for a period of six months. Dated December 17, 1913. HOTEL NASH.

Merchants' Association Notice. If any one submits you for advertising in a city directory, have them show credentials. JOHN CARKIN, Secretary.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath and heat. 245 N. Grape. * FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, 340 South Riverside. 242

FOR RENT—Large sleeping rooms, and modern housekeeping apartments, prices very reasonable. Phone 247-L. 222 South Holly street.

HELP WANTED—MALE. WANTED—A man who can take charge of a wagon shop and general woodwork repairing. A. B. Saling. 239

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms at the Cottage, 604 W. 10th street. 252

FOR RENT—Modern steam heated rooms in suites or single with or without board. 249 So. Riverside, phone 900-M. 4

FOR RENT—HOUSES. FOR RENT—2 room house furnished, close in. Call 78-R. A. B. Saling. 241

FOR RENT—Five room apartment, modern, range in same. Inquire Col. Sargent. 254

FOR RENT—3 room house, close in. Apply at Smith Tin Shop. *

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS. FOR LEASE—Full equipped placer mine. Gold Ray Realty Co. *

FOR RENT—16 acres, part grain, alfalfa and bearing fruit, close in. Bennett Investment Co. *

FOR SALE—FAIRM LANDS. FOR SALE—160 acres, 3 1/2 miles from railroad station, estimated 1 1/2 to 2 million feet saw timber and 6000 cords hardwood, \$10 per acre. Address Owner, P. O. box 842. *

FOR SALE—HOUSES. FOR SALE—A great big bargain. If taken soon, the residence at 706 S. Oakdale avenue can be bought for \$2900, about half its real value. House has eight rooms, bath above and below, sleeping porch, hot and cold water in all bed rooms, gas throughout the house, 82 gallon hot water boiler with heater, full size tile drained basement, lot 8x8 175 with private drive. For terms see Roy Maule at Farmer's and Fruitgrowers' Bank or Harry H. Tuttle, Central apt. 240*

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS. FOR SALE—One pair of big, young mules. Well broke. 317 Jackson St. 243.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1 Stacy & Clark organ, 1 A. B. Chase organ. In first-class condition. Apply at 23 North Fir St. *

FOR SALE—Good bicycle very cheap. 118 South Tripp St. 240

FOR SALE—A good variety of apples, some extra fancy Spitzenbergs. Also first crop alfalfa hay. Robert Dutton, 1022 10th St. *

FOR SALE—Extra dry tier wood, oak fir and pine. F. Osenburger, 401 Riverside Ave. S. Phone 194. *

FOR SALE—We keep our dry wood under cover at the Valley Fuel company, big shed two blocks north of S. P. depot. 255

FOR SALE—Bees, 15 or 20 colonies. John Sisty, Central Point, Ore., route No. 1. 242

WANTED—SITUATIONS. WANTED—Japanese wants all kinds of house work by the hour. Phone 125 Weimoda. 259

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—Listings of property to exchange for California income and alfalfa lands. Any amount. Clark Realty Co., 206 Phlipp Bldg. *

WANTED—To exchange two-year old Rhode Island Red roosters. Address box J. A. M., care Mail Tribune. *

WANTED—Early Rose potatoes. Schefflin's Grocery, Medford. 239*

WANTED—Cleaning rugs, house cleaning, indoor washing, by experienced man. Leave orders with Tel 558. S. Francis. 243.

WANTED—Four men to board and room, private family, 219 North Central; can accommodate few table boarders also. See J. M. Fleming, Fouts grocery. 242

FOR EXCHANGE. FOR EXCHANGE—\$700 equity in small fruit ranch for good automobile or Medford city property. Address H. E. B., Talent, Ore. 250

FOR TRADE—City lot for horses. Inquire 414 S. Riverside. 239

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for Medford residence property, one acre of land on Sixth street in south Grants Pass, good five-room house, new barn and out buildings, gas, electric, well and tank, some berries and fruit trees on place. For particulars call or address A. M. Bunch, owner, Grants Pass, Ore. R. F. D. 4. 241.

LOST. LOST—Lady's gold watch, somewhere between M. E. church and 829 W. 11th St. Has girl's picture on inside. Finder return to 829 W. 11th St., or Tribune office and receive reward. 241.

MONEY TO LOAN. TO LOAN—Have \$1000 or \$2000 on hand to loan on ranch property. No delay in your security is good. E. S. Tully, 210 Garnett-Corey Bldg. if

MONEY TO LOAN—On city and close in ranch property. C. A. McArthur, room 3, P. O. block, phone 368.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY. Attorneys. B. F. PIATT—Lawyer, 216 Garnett-Corey building. Mortgage loans.

PORTER J. NEFF, WM. P. MEALEY—Attorneys-at-Law, Rooms 8 and 9, Medford National Bank bldg.

A. E. REAMES, LAWYER—Garnett-Corey bldg.

W. J. CANTON—Attorney and Counselor at Law, 123 East Main street, Medford, Ore.

Wm. M. Colvig, George M. Roberts COLVIG & ROBERTS, LAWYERS—Medford National Bank Building.

B. F. MULKEY & GEO. W. CHERRY Attorneys at Law, Jackson County Bank Building.

NEWTON W. BORDEN—Attorney at law, room 7, Sparta building, Medford, Oregon.

Auctioneers. WILLIAM ULRICH—Licensed Auctioneer for the City of Medford, Oregon. Terms reasonable. Residence phone 161-J. Office Jackson County Bank building. *

Auto Supplies. LAHER AUTO SPRING CO.—Our big secret in making springs is the tempering. We are operating the largest, oldest and best equipped plant in the Pacific northwest. Use our springs when others fail. Sold under guarantee. 26 North Fifteenth St., Portland, Ore.

AUTO TOPS—Made like new. Medford Tent and Awning Co., 100 N. Front. If it's canvas, we sell it.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Chiropractors. DR. R. J. LOCKWOOD, Chiropractor, nerve specialist. Rooms 203-204-205 Garnett-Corey Bldg. Vapor baths and scientific massage given; needle spray, head and shoulder shower in connection; advice in dietetics, medical gymnastics, hydrotherapy. Lady attendant. Phone, office 945, residence 511-R

DR. A. R. HEDGES, Dr. Louise E. Hedges Mechano-Therapists, Chiropractors, Spondylotherapists. These systems, including dietetics, curative gymnastics, hydro-therapy, etc. produce results in both acute and chronic diseases. Consultation free. Over Duvel & Co., corner Main and Bartlett. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Other hours by appointment. Phone 170.

DR. W. M. VAN SCOYOC DR. C. VAN SCOYOC Dentists. Garnett-Corey Bldg., suite 310, Medford, Ore. Phone 856.

Garbage. GARBAGE—Get your premises cleaned up for the winter. Call on the city garbage wagons for good service. Phone 626-L. F. Y. Allen.

Hospitals. THE DOW HOSPITAL, Central Point, Oregon. 248

Notary Public. HELEN N. YOCKEY—Notary public. Bring your work to me at the sign of the Mail Tribune.

Printers and Publishers. MEDFORD PRINTING CO. has the best equipped printing office in southern Oregon; book binders, loose leaf ledgers, billing systems, etc. Portland prices. 27 North Fir St.

Physicians and Surgeons. DR. F. G. CARLOW, DR. EVA MAINS CARLOW, Osteopathic physicians, 415-417 Garnett-Corey bldg., phone 1026-L. Residence 26 South Laurel St.

DR. S. A. LOCKWOOD—Physician and surgeon. MYRTLE S. LOCKWOOD, M. D.—Practice limited to diseases of women. Offices 232 E. Main. Phones, residence, 814-J2; office 814.

DR. J. J. EMMENS—Physician and surgeon. Practice limited to eye, ear, nose and throat. Eyes scientifically tested and glasses supplied. Office 228 East Main St. Hours 8:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. Phone.

E. B. PICKEL, M. D.—Office Jackson County Bank bldg. Office phone 43-R; residence phone 58-R.

DR. MARION—Physician and surgeon, Stewart bldg., corner Main and Bartlett sts.; office phone 27, residence phone 27-J-2. 904 West 10th.

DR. MARTIN C. BARBER—Physician and surgeon. Office Palm block, opposite Nash Hotel. Hours 10 to 12, 1 to 4. Phone 110-J.

DR. R. W. CLANCY—Physician and surgeon. Phones, office 36, residence 724-J. Office hours 10 to 12, 2 to 5.

DR. W. W. HOWARD—Osteopathic physician, 303 Garnett-Corey building. Phone 904-M.

R. J. CONROY, M. D.—Physician and Surgeon. Over Hutchison & Lumsden, 215 E. Main St. Phone 77.

DR. MCM. M. DOW, Physician and Surgeon. Central Point, Ore.

DR. LYDIA S. DOW, Osteopathic Physician. Central Point, Ore.

DR. W. H. HICKMAN—Homeopath. Office Rostal building. Central Point. All telephone calls answered night or day.

Stenographers. ELLA M. GAUNYAW—Palm block. Stenographic work done quickly and well.

Tramway. RABD TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.—Office 42 North Front St. Phone 316. Prices right. Service guaranteed.