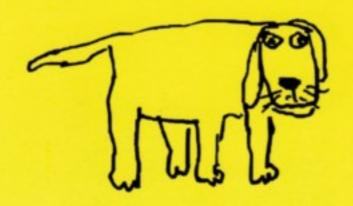
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and the white chickens
and why so much
depends upon
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