

JACKASS HAS RIGHT TO BRAY.

A Kansas Judge Finds in Favor of Assine Neighbor.

Topeka, Kan., July 24.—"No power on earth can prevent a jackass from braying. This court is powerless to afford relief in this case and the injunction is dissolved," said Judge Dana in dismissing a suit brought by the postmistress of Richland, Kansas, against the owners of a number of jackasses to prevent their braying.

Tibbetts & Hotz own a livery stable in Richland and it is the next door neighbor to the postoffice. The postmistress resides in the apartments over the postoffice and she has been sorely annoyed during the night by the rancorous braying of the discontented jacks in the livery barn. Whenever she sought to while away the tedious hours by singing softly to herself, the jacks would break in and agitate the atmosphere with their distracting noise. At night, when she raised her windows to get a breath of fresh air, her ears would be benumbed by the hee-haw of the jacks.

She appealed to the owners of the stable to suppress the animals, but they politely informed her that to bray was the chief delight and function of a jackass and they could not prevent it. Furthermore the nature of their business precluded sending the offending animals away for the night.

Finally she appealed to the court and secured from a judge in Shawnee County a temporary injunction against Tibbetts & Hotz. Then she gave final warning to them that the noise must cease. They immediately took the case before Judge Dana and it was argued today. It was one of the most unique hearings in the history of Kansas even, which is the author and scene of many unique things. In their reply to the injunction Tibbetts & Hotz set up that the courts, and, in fact, all human machinery, stood absolutely powerless to prevent the braying of a jackass. They cited instances where various expedients had been tried, such as dynamite, muszling, solitary confinement, etc., but all efforts proved futile. It was argued before the court that the Missouri and Kansas jack or mule was a unique feature in the eyes of the world and entitled to consideration. It was shown that pages of comic weeklies are devoted to this peculiar animal and his predilection for braying and kicking. These had been peculiarities of the jackass from the beginning of the world and would be so to the end thereof.

While they regretted that any of their property should prove annoying to the postmistress of Richland, for which lady they had profound esteem, they could not prevent their jacks hee-hawing, nor could they cripple their own business by disposing of the animals—and your petitioners will ever pray, etc."

Judge Dana pondered at some length over the case and finally announced that he would dissolve the injunction.

"It is apparent to any student of animal nature," he said, "that human agencies are helpless to prevent braying of a jackass. It is his nature and the courts can afford no relief. Let the order dismissing this case be entered."

FRIGHTFUL NAVAL DISASTER.

The U. S. Gunboat "Bennington" by

ing in the peaceful harbor of San Diego, California, under orders to sail in a few hours for Port Harford as a convoy, blew up, Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and 40 to 50 of the complement of 197 officers and men carried by the ship, met instant death. Few escaped injuries of a more or less serious nature.

The explosion came from one of the boilers of the "Bennington," and spread death and destruction on every side. So terrific was the force of it that buildings in the city were shaken and the quiet waters of the bay where the ship lay, were sent into the air in great columns. The disaster is one of the most frightful in the naval history of the United States.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses! Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by Geo. A. Harding.

THE EXHIBITS.

The demand for exhibit space at the Lewis and Clark Exposition exhausted every available square foot of space in the buildings devoted to liberal arts and foreign exhibits, and several hundred prospective exhibitors could not be accommodated. It was thought for a time that room might be made for all; but when it was learned that 2,000,000 square feet of space was asked for could not be supplied without the erection of additional buildings, 249 applicants were turned away.

As the result of this survival of the fittest policy, the exhibits at the Western World's Fair, while not so numerous as those at St. Louis and Chicago exhibitions, are to the general public more interesting, and there are enough of them to satisfy the average visitor who does not expect to spend the summer at the Fair.

The large oriental and European exhibits buildings at the Western Centennial have been found entirely adequate, as regards space, in complying with the demands of the various commissioners, and more than one country was forced to be satisfied with space far below its desires. Among the countries represented are: Italy, France, Germany, Great Britain, Holland, Norway, Sweden, Russia, Austria, Hungary, Switzerland, Turkey, Persia, Algeria, Egypt, Japan, China, India and Ceylon.

France ranks second to Italy, sending a very large and valuable exhibit to the Centennial. A French drawing-room of about Louis XIV is reproduced and forms an interesting part of the exhibit. In this are displayed gowns of fabulous value, some of them worth thousands of dollars.

The domestic exhibits are drawing the largest crowds. These are very complete in all the various departments. A majority of the manufacturers make live exhibits, their displays showing the methods of manufacture rather than mere collections of finished products, thus making the exhibits of real educational value. Especial attention has been given to the developments in electricity and machinery. The Mining Building is attracting large crowds, the exhibits there being of unusual excellence. Many hours may well be spent in these magnificent palaces studying the progress of events.—From The Pacific Monthly for July.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Clackamas county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at Oregon City, as follows:

For State Papers. Commencing Wednesday, August 2, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, August 12, at four o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, readin, school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

For County Papers. Commencing Wednesday, August 9, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, August 11, at four o'clock p. m. First, Second, and Third Grade Certificates.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

Primary Certificates. Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, reading.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, physiology.

Oregon City, July 27, 1905. J. C. ZINSER, Superintendent of Schools.

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CAPTAIN APPERSON'S TRIP.

How He Journeyed Mid Towns and Cities Not Down on His Itinerary.

Captain Apperson arrived Monday to be on hand for the board meeting this Wednesday afternoon. He is one of the most loyal of all the loyal friends of the college and is always promptly and faithfully on hand when there is to be a board meeting. He is chairman of the finance committee and has been busy since arrival in checking up the accounts of the institution.

It was not so much in the fact that he came early that Captain Apperson avoided the rush. As it was in the fact that he came a peculiar route. Coming in the ordinary way it is something like 80 miles from Captain Apperson's home near Oregon City to Corvallis. As Captain Apperson traveled it in his latest trip he journeyed over 200 miles. It happened this way:

Captain Apperson Sunday evening attempted to take the ten o'clock train for Corvallis. Two locomotives and two trains were puffing about the C. & E. track at the Albany depot. The Captain boarded one of them which seemed headed for the county seat of Benton. A brakeman soon told him to move into the coach at the rear of the train, which instructions, he and other passengers obeyed. On the way back the conductor told them to sit down where they were, and then passed on. Of course they obeyed the conductor.

Meantime the train started. Indeed, it was started full on its journey when Captain Apperson noticed that he was going in an easterly direction, instead of south-west, toward Corvallis.

It took him a long time to find a train hand. The train had gone miles before one was finally started from cover. "Where are you taking me to," ejaculated the well known agent. "Where are you going?" demanded the railroader. Then Captain Apperson learned what he had already surmised, that instead of being headed for Corvallis he was on board the Sunday evening excursion train bound for the heart of the Cascades.

He traveled all night. Detroit was reached after one o'clock a. m. The trip back to Albany occupied the rest of the night up to five o'clock in the morning. The Corvallis stage left at 8:30 and the Captain was a passenger.

What makes the incident understandable to his many Corvallis friends is that the old steamboater is a man of known temperate principles and that he was further fortified against untoward accident by the fact that he was, in theory at least, headed for a dry town—Corvallis Times.

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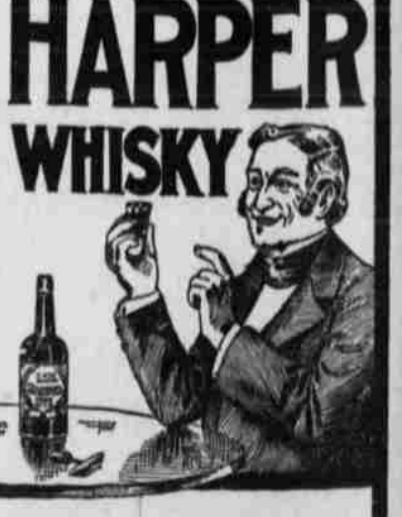
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