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DOGS.

The Astorian is not too narrow-minded to speak on the subject of dogs. In an article on the subject a few days ago, an intimation might have been given that the paper was against dogs. This is not the case. As a voice of honest sentiment the paper admits good dogs, but like a good citizen it condemns useless fleas and curs.

In the City of Astoria it has been frequently reported within the past few weeks that worthless dogs have been holding sway and disgracing the streets; this, too, follows the recent revival of the dog subject made under the auspices of the Portland dog show.

But since the dog show is over it seems that every owner of the most common breed has turned a fancier and imagines his canine a peach, prize-winner and thoroughbred, whether he professes a pedigree or not.

This wholesale admiration of the dog

Don't Mappy.

Almost everybody remembers the celebrated advice of the London *Lancet*, "To those about to marry, *Don't!*" There is in that advice the expression of the feeling of many a mother who says, "I hope my daughter will never marry and suffer as I have."

In ninety-eight cases in every hundred there is no need for this suffering. Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the womanly diseases which cause misery. It dries encrusted drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It invigorates the womanly organism, tranquilizes the nerves and gives the mother strength to give her children.

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"I am so pleased with your instructions, I hardly know what thanks to give you for your kind advice," writes Mrs. Miss Bryant, of Lida, St. Thomas Co., Ga. "You can publish my few statements to the world, hoping all suffering women will know and be healed. I suffered so much with great pains in my back and the lower part of my stomach and palpitation of the heart, that at times I could hardly lie down, and could hardly get up in the morning, but after using three bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, I feel like a new woman."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure sick headache.

and the permission of his running at large has led to trouble.

Dogs have "congregated" in the streets and, as is usual with brutes, most disgraceful sights have been enacted. The public, under righteous indignation has kicked loud and long. The dog catcher has no place provided by the city to keep dogs and is not allowed sufficient price to encourage him to take up dogs and impound and kill them, as required by law and the surplus has been growing all of the time until the town has become a howling rendezvous of dogs.

The results have proved serious. Men have gone gunning and as is usual they have killed or wounded the wrong dog. While it would be well if half or two-thirds of the dogs of the city were killed, yet it would be a catastrophe to kill off the valuable ones.

Under the idea that there are too many dogs, or under the malicious intent of designing persons several dogs have been killed or wounded, as stated in the foregoing. In the effort to exterminate them good dogs have been hit as far as reported.

In this, a lesson is taught. A law should be passed whereby such restrictions should be made that the good dogs should be protected and the worthless ones exterminated.

The man who would deliberately or wotonly kill or cripple a good dog is a murderer at heart and should be handed down as such, while the man who would harbor and protect a worthless dog is not much better than the object of his protection.

Away with the worthless dogs of the city, but stand by the good ones as if they were human.

A Chicago woman recently applied for a divorce on the grounds of desertion. In the course of the trial the facts were brought out that she had been married seven years and had borne her husband 14 children. There were one set of twins, one of triplets and one set of quadruples. On the occasion of the last presentation, the husband fled and she presumed he would never come back. Hence the suit.

And still the San Francisco police fail to get any trace of C. B. Hadley, suspected of having had something to do with the murder of Nora Fuller. He seems to have literally disappeared.

The delay in congress over the Isthmian canal bill is regarded by practical business men as being entirely inexcusable. There seems to be no valid reason for holding this important matter in abeyance.

It is said that Governor Odell of New York has the presidential bee buzzing in his hat. Well there is hardly any man but would like to be president, but it is very doubtful if the governor will ever be able to knock the persimmon.

With Great Britain paying a high price for bread and the United States way up on the beef question, an Anglo-Saxon alliance will most likely resolve itself into a gruel diet.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness. For sale by Frank Hart.

THE VICE OF NAGGING.

Clouds of the happiness of home, but a nagging woman often needs help. She may be so nervous and run down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleeplessness, constipation or fatigues and dizzy spells, she needs Electric Bitters, the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used it, become healthy and happy. Try it. Only 50c. Chas. Rogers guarantees satisfaction.

An eastern exchange emits the following mournful wail which will probably be echoed from the Atlantic to the Pacific: "With butter at forty cents a pound and beef at twenty-five, and the oyster going out of business next week, the poor man must turn to terrapin and mushroom, for a while until the luxuries of life get cheaper."

A REVELATION.
 If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. For sale by Frank Hart.

Col Smith Russell, the great comedian is dead. His place on the stage will be difficult to fill from the fact that he was a natural born actor. He delighted thousands of people during his active career.

Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and can safely be given to children. For sale by Frank Hart.

TRADES THAT KILL

Stonecutters who work on sandstone seldom live to be more than fifty years of age and nearly all of them die of lung disease due to the inhalation of mineral dust. Another class of workers who succumb to lung troubles are those who prepare feathers for trimmings and ornaments. They inhale the floating, feathery particles, and in three years disease has a firm hold on them. The grinders and polishers of cut-glass rarely live beyond the age of forty. They too die of lung trouble. The average death rate for consumption is reckoned at about sixteen per cent. of the total mortality from disease. But among flint-workers that percentage leaps from sixteen to eighty per cent.; among needle-polishers to seventy per cent.; and among file-cutters to sixty-two per cent. These are some of the trades that kill.

These facts and figures force upon our attention the delicacy of the lungs and the other organs of respiration. It is impossible to be too careful of the lungs, and the very first symptoms of weakness in these organs should be at once met and overcome by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

"Four years ago I had a bad spell of sickness," writes Mrs. Mollie Jacobs, of Felton, Kent Co., Del. "Was taken with a terrible cough; coughed and spit blood until I grew weaker every day; had chills and night-sweats; not much appetite; bread tasted like dry wood or no taste at all. I had three doctors in during the time I was sick; they all told me I had consumption. I am of a consumptive family—my father and one brother having already died with it—so I thought I must go the same way. I was in a terrible state of health, and my mind was worked up considerably. I thought I must die soon, but I did not want to—I wanted to live to care for my little children until they were able to take care of themselves. About that time a friend of mine advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and so I did. The first bottle did me good so I kept on taking it. Took sixteen bottles altogether, and I believe that God and Dr. Pierce's medicine saved my life. When I commenced to take the medicine I could not pump a bucket of water and could only carry half a bucketful. Was so weak I could not sweep a floor with a carpet on it; in fact, could hardly walk. Since taking Dr. Pierce's medicines I have done the washing and all the work for five in family, picked berries and worked in a canning factory. Any invalid wishing to know about my case may send a stamp for return reply and I will answer."

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The death of the Hon. J. Sterling Morton, Ex-Secretary of Agriculture, under Cleveland's administration, removes from earth one of Nebraska's most famous citizens. Mr. Morton was an ideal secretary from the fact that he was a practical farmer and always knew what he was talking about.

WHAT IS FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE? Answer: It is made from a prescription of a leading Chicago physician, and one of the most eminent of the country. The ingredients are the purest that money can buy, and are scientifically combined to get their utmost value. For sale by Frank Hart.

The committee on selecting a site for the Lewis and Clark Exposition, are "up astree" so to speak. The members of the committee have been shown so many (advantageous?) locations that they don't know where they are at.

LOCKJAW FROM COBWETES.

Cobwets put on a cut lately gave a woman lockjaw. Millions know that the best thing to put on a cut is Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the infallible healer of Wounds, Ulcers, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Burns, Scalds and Piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c at Chas. Rogers' drug store.

Drastic measures for the suppression of the Philippines would seem to be still in order. Soldiers were ambushed yesterday and five of them killed by these renegades. General Smith should be called to the front.

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