

BAD FOOD FOR DOGS

Canines Fed on Meats Preserved With Benzoin and Borax.

ANIMALS SOON GROW SICK

One Dog Fed on Benzoin, and One on Borax Foods—Both Grow Thin—The Pure Food Dog Grows Fat.

CHICAGO, June 23.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Topeka, Kas., says that even the stomach of a dog rebels when fed on meats preserved with benzoin and borax was demonstrated yesterday by Dr. J. S. Crumline secretary of the board of health in an address before the county and city health officers of the state.

Dr. Crumline told of experiments he had made on dogs, and with the results as his text he urged that the state board of health limit the use of preservatives to food stuffs that are to be shipped long distances during the summer months. Dr. Crumline said that on May 1 he took three dogs of the same age. Every morning he fed each one half a pint of fresh lean meat, at noon each a pint of milk, and at night each dog had another half pint of meat. The meat was fresh, without bones, and was not scraps. The food for one day was treated with a one per cent solution of benzoin. For the second, a one per cent solution of borax was used. The third dog was fed untreated milk and meat.

Within two weeks the benzoin dog became cross and refused to have anything to do with the others. It lost its appetite and in six weeks had gained only three pounds in weight. The borax dog did not become cross, but within ten days its general health declined and it refused to drink the boated milk. In four weeks it had to be coaxed to eat meat even tasteless boracic acid. The dog gained one pound in weight in six weeks but became listless. The dog that had been fed untreated meat, gained in weight an average of one pound a week during the test and at no time did it become listless or lose its appetite.

The steamer Lurline brought down a goodly lot of people yesterday, and returned to the metropolis at 7 p. m. with the following passengers on her register: David Hood, A. Stenger, Mrs. E. Porter, and F. H. Sawyer.

The towing steamer Fannie, of the Oregon Round Lumber Company's service, arrived down from Portland yesterday morning after a big load of clay from the Young's Bay shores, which she will take back to the Portland potteries.

The handsome schooner A. C. Coates with an immense load of lumber for San Pedro, has hauled into the channel, from the Clatsop mill dock, and will leave out as soon as she can get despatch, probably this morning.

SEATTLE GETS TRADE.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 23.—The Cosmos Steamship Company, a German corporation, which has been making a San Francisco its Pacific Coast headquarters will hereafter have Seattle as its chief port of call. The action was caused by the seamen's strike.

DECK AND DOCK NEWS.

Yesterday morning, a pretty kitten belonging to the swarm that has a habitat in the warehouses of Messrs. Fisher Bros., on the waterfront, made a bold play on the dock and being new to things marine, she went over the stringer and landed where most cats do not arrive until after death, in the bay. She was a game little swimmer, however, and made for the piling under the trestle of the A. & C. railroad back of the Carlson building, and taking one of the biggest piles she could find in her "arms," hung on like a good fellow and squaled like a better. In a few moments there were a number of heroes on the spot, with boat hooks, nosed ropes and empty baskets to save her, and one after the other failed, until the basket was lowered on a line, and she lost no time in climbing into its saving depths and was soon on the dock drying her fur in the warm June sun. The feature of the event however was the widespread interest in the catastrophe. There were at least 30 people involved in the rescue, and even one of the engines on the A. & C. stopped as it reached the scene, and the crew were as deeply interested as any others. But it is good sign, all right, this humane interest in helpless animals.

Captain Baxter of the British ship Brablock, which has been in winter quarters way up off Tongue Point for some months, has gotten tired of the secluded regions of his up-river anchorage, and yesterday dropped down to the busy world, and is now at anchor where he can see and hear some of the world's doings around him; in fact he is out of "caventry."

It is expected that the federal fleet, now in Portland, the cruisers Chicago and Boston, the gunboat Princeton, and the torpedo boat destroyers Paul Jones and Preble, will be at this city on Friday morning next for a few days stay in port, after which they will depart for the Sound and Alaska.

The big German trans-Pacific liner, Arabia, 17 days out from Hong Kong, arrived in over the Columbia bar early yesterday morning, after an uneventful, and rather pleasant voyage. She left up for the metropolis in the afternoon under the pilotage of Captain Archie Pease, who came down on the noon express, after her.

The O. R. & N. steamer Harvest arrived down yesterday morning with a lot of merchandise for outward shipment, and in the afternoon buckled on to the British ship Carnedd Llewellyn and the schooner Alvina, and went on up the river to Vancouver and Portland.

The bar tug Wallula took hold of the fine Italian ship, the Caterina Accame, yesterday morning and placed alongside the Simpson mill pier at Knappton, where she will begin taken on her cargo of lumber for Antofagasta, Chili.

The big British steamer Tottenham arrived down from Portland yesterday noon, with 3,600,000 feet of Oregon lumber on board, for the Orient, and sailed almost immediately. She is one of the heaviest carriers out of the Columbia.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore left out for Tillamook City yesterday morning at 6 o'clock with plenty of people and stuff on board.

The lively little Telegraph made her quick stunt from Portland on time yesterday, and went back on time, with a fair group of people on board.



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Current Events In Society Here

Miss Alice Sweeney, formerly of Warrenton, but now a resident of Portland, was this week united in marriage to Mr. William E. Oman, a very promising young engineer of Clatsop county. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sweeney of Portland and is very well known in this city and in Portland having been a pupil of the convent of the Holy Names in this city and of the Portland Academy of Portland. Miss Sweeney is an accomplished musician and an expert horsewoman.

On Friday evening at the home of Mrs. L. Larson, corner of Eleventh and Madison streets, a very pleasant party was given in honor of Miss Lizzie Larson. Refreshments and games served to make the event enjoyable. Those who were fortunate in getting invitations were: Agnes Erickson, Myrtle Hanson, Leona Leabo, Sadie Oleson, Helen Oleson, Hilda Kulunky, Alice Nelson, Annie Johansen, Lillie Kraus, Westley Welch, Frank Johnson, Mattie Seafeldt, and Ralph Dordinger.

The Alumni of the Astoria High School tendered a banquet on Friday evening to the members of the graduating class of the high school in the I. O. O. F. hall. There were a large number in attendance and tiasts were responded to by the different ones present. After the banquet songs were sung until midnight. Those present spent a most delightful evening.

The reception given by the Juniors of the High School in honor of the graduating class on Wednesday was a very successful affair. The decorations were of red and white and blue and red the Junior and Senior colors, sweet Bryar and American flags also formed the decorations. Punch and wafers were served and those present enjoyed an excellent musical program.

On Wednesday afternoon the wedding of Mr. Damon E. Stinson and Miss Maud A. Denver of Warrenton. It took place Thursday, Rev. Father Dielman officiating. Mr. Stinson was formerly an employee of the S. P. R. R. Co. and also of the A. & C. R. R. The bride and groom are well known about here and have many friends who wish them happiness and success.

Mrs. Chas. W. Holmes gave a progressive euchre party to a few of her friends on Friday afternoon. The score cards were decorated with roses and the rooms were daintily decorated with the same flower. Prizes were won by Mrs. Edward H. Streumeyer and Mrs. Robert Carruthers.

Mrs. A. A. Douglass left on Sunday for Grants Pass, Oregon, to attend the state encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Ladies of the G. A. R., which will be in session from June 18 to 23. Mrs. Douglass is the only lady delegate to attend this year.

J. J. Utzinger of this city will be married next Wednesday afternoon to Miss Elizabeth Stephens of Hillsboro. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents in Hillsboro, and Rev. W. S. Short of this city will officiate.

Mrs. Megler entertained the Friday Afternoon Club this week at her home in Brookfield.

The Halderman-Hobson wedding which will take place on the thirtieth will be

the principal society event of the season. Invitations have been issued for the marriage reception to be given by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fulton and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fulton at Senator Fulton's residence.

A surprise party was given Mrs. J. S. McGladry on Monday afternoon by the ladies of the Holy Innocents' Chapel at her home in Alderbrook. Mrs. McGladry will leave on St. Wednesday for Eugene where she will make her home.

Miss Grace McDonald is visiting the Misses Foard. Miss McDonald will soon leave for Massachusetts where she will take a four years' course of study at Wellesly Seminary.

Miss Lou De Yo and her mother are expected to arrive here sometime next week from Redlands, California, to spend the summer here with Mr. and Mrs. Barnes.

Lawrence Rogers, who has been attending school at Corvallis for the past year, returned home on last Sunday evening to spend the summer vacation with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers.

Floyd W. King and Miss Clara Schuster, both of Eugene, Lane county, were quietly married here on Friday afternoon by County Judge Trenchard.

On next Tuesday evening the members of the Epworth League will tender a reception in the First Methodist parlors to Rev. and Mrs. Rarick. All church members and friends of the church are most cordially invited.

Miss Alice Wood entertained the members of the Thursday Afternoon Club this week. Bridge whist was the game of the day, Mrs. R. E. Carruthers being the lucky prize winner.

On Friday Mrs. Martin Foard gave a dinner for the captains and their wives of the ships that are anchored in this harbor.

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IN THE CITY CHURCHES.

Lutheran Church.
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Methodist Church.
Sunday, June 24. Public worship and sermons at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; morning theme, "The Christian's life"; evening theme, "A Camp on the Road to Sodom." Special music. Sunday school at 12:15; Epworth League at 7. We extend to you a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Presbyterian Church.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock; "A dream and its interpretation"; Sunday school, 12:15; Y. P. S. C. E., 7 p. m.; evening worship, 8. "Radicalism and Liberalism." Miss Reba Hobson will sing a solo at both services.

Baptist Church.
All the usual services will be observed at the Baptist Church today. The themes of sermons will be as follows: "The Men That Fail," "The Men That Succeed." Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Grace Episcopal.
Divine service at Grace church on Sunday at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m., it being the festival of the nativity of St. John the Baptist, the Masonic Lodge will attend in a body and the rector will deliver a sermon appropriate to the occasion. Sunday school at 12:30 m. and evening prayer as usual at 7:30.

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FISHING CONFERENCE POSTPONED.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., June 23.—The Dominion Fisheries Commission, says a Vancouver, B. C., special to the Herald, has decided to postpone the conference with the Washington state authorities until after the present fishing season.

SPRECKELS' BRICKLAYERS STRIKE.

SALINAS, Cal., June 23.—The bricklayers employers in making repairs on the Spreckels sugar factory, four miles from here, have struck, owing to the manager reducing their wages from \$7 to \$6 a day. The men claim that they can get \$7 anywhere.

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