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ANTICS OF A TAME CROW.

The Thieving Propensities of the Bird—His Shrewdness and Curiosity.

A pair of tame crows, that became almost family pets, have afforded a great deal of amusement to a family in a neighboring town. Taken from the nest before they were able to fly, they learned their first lessons of life in companionship with human beings, and grew to be almost as tame as domestic poultry. They were taken from the nest, probably, about the 10th or 12th of June, and have now attained the size of full grown crows. One marked trait of character, that began to be developed pretty early and has grown with their growth and strengthened with their strength, is a disposition to mischief. One of the two has been, from the first, much more tame and familiar than the other. "Jack," as the family pet is called, has developed the thieving and mischevous traits of all the crow tribe. He will enter at an open window, and steal whatever he can carry off, particularly if it shines or glitters. In this way he got off with a young lady's gold thimble, which has been hidden where it is not likely to be found again; and he came near getting off with a lady's watch, which was rescued just in time, after he had got it out of doors. Warned by experience, the family have to keep the windows shut if they leave any room for the time unguarded. One day recently Jack was caught tearing off the wall paper, of which he had already stripped off nearly a yard. A day or two since he was seen in the act of trying to lift and carry off a rubber door mat, which, however, proved a little too heavy for him.

The tendency of both crows was to hide the things they had stolen. These they would so deftly conceal, and in such queer places, that there seemed little hope of getting back anything after the crows had once made off with it. Jack, having hidden some stolen article very carefully under a heap of leaves at the foot of a tree, flew away, apparently well satisfied with that particular piece of work. He had been watched, and in his absence the stolen property was recovered, and the leaves replaced as he had left them. When he came back he went to that spot and cautiously examined the situation—carefully removing the leaves. Discovering his loss, he exhibited a comical state of astonishment and bewilderment. Cocking his head on one side, he surveyed the scene in a reflective mood; then he re-examined the spot where his stolen property had been hidden; then he went back a rod or two, and took a careful survey of the tree and its surroundings, apparently to make sure that he had got the right tree. Having satisfied himself on this point, and once more assured himself that the plunder was no longer where he had hidden it, he stood for some time, in an apparent state of deep bewilderment, or a kind of brown study—his head had frequently turned in a knowing way on one side. At last he gave it up, made an examination all around the tree, and then left the matter finally, as a conundrum that was evidently too deep for him. He is a knowing fowl, and like his elfin cousin, the raven, celebrated by Edgar Poe, he knows how to come and knock gently on the window pane when he wants to get into the house. He knows, too, just about how much water is to be provided for his bath; for he is very regular and punctual about taking his morning bath, and after his mistress has come out with one pitcher of water and poured it into the pan, Jack always waits for the arrival of the second pitcherful. Then he jumps in and has a jolly time of it, flopping and flapping about in the water till he gets "wet as a drowned rat," when he gets off, a dripping and bedraggled object, to some secure spot where he can dry himself in the sun.

The crows finally becoming, through their thieving propensities, as much of a nuisance as an amusement, and October approching, when the family would get ready to leave their country farm for more than half a year's absence in their city home, it was determined to dispose of the troublesome pets by taking them off to a distant wood and there liberating them and leave them to take care of themselves. Securely fixed in tightly covered baskets, so that they could neither get out nor see the direction that they were being taken, they were driven to a piece of woods distant seven miles from the house. Here they were liberated in the presence of a quantity of food that had been kindly brought for their immediate wants, and there left to themselves. But the next day "Jack" appeared at the house again, as pert and confident as ever. It is needless to add, that from the feminine part of the household at least he received a warm welcome. He soon reappeared at his favorite chamber window, tapping to get in, and on being admitted was duly fed with [illegible], one of his favorite forms of food. With it was given a live wasp, to see what the crow would do with it. He nearly killed the wasp, and, rolling him up with bits of broken candy, swallowed the whole together.

Jack has not been joined by his shyer brother, who seems inclined to make a winter of it, on his own account, in the woods; but his mischievous pranks are not lessened by his loneliness. He hears his name mentioned in convention on the lawn below, and responds with his caw, caw, and comes down from his perch on the roof or tree. Under the roof a family of red squirrels, chattering and frolicsome, have made their homes—three of them growing so tame that they will come down and hop on the head or shoulder of the one who is believed to have nuts for them, and even search his pockets. With these squirrels "Jack" has his sport and tussels, and makes things lively by seizing them by the tail when they would escape. He is still at the house, and there, it seems likely, the family will have to leave him when they go—if, indeed, he does not follow them, as he does when they go to church.

TEACHING A CALF TO DRINK.

Mind Struggling to Triumph, but Finding that Something is the Matter.

[Irish Farmers' Gazette.]

Those who have had the mournful experience know that there is nothing more trying to the temper than the operation of teaching a young calf to drink. The process is familiar to every man who has brought up a calf from infancy.

You seize a pail of warm milk, go into the stable, catch the calf by the ears, back him into a corner, and bestride his neck. The idiot rather likes this, and while you are reaching for the pail he employs his time in slobbering the lower corners of your jacket. You discover what the blockhead is about and box his ears. You can't help it. You feel that way, and let him have it. But the calf can't tell for the life of him why he has been struck, and he gives a sudden and unexpected "flounce." He believes he will go and stay on the other side of the stable, but he doesn't announce this before hand. He starts on the impulse of the moment, and you can't tell just when he arrives there. You ride along with him a little way. But the laws of gravitation are always about the same. Your legs, one on each side of the critter, keep up with the calf for about a second, but your body doesn't. You slide over the calf, and your back kisses the floor. Your head is soaking in the pail of milk. When you get up you are mad—uncommonly so. Milk runs from your hair, and imprecations out of your mouth, and you solemnly declare that you will teach that calf to drink or break his neck. The calf doesn't know of this resolve, and he glares at you in a stupid fright across the stable. He was not aware that he was the cause of your downfall, and wonders ignorantly what is the matter. You don't try to explain it to him, but furiously catch him by the ears, look back over your shoulder at the milk pail, and back up toward it, dragging the calf after you. The calf is out of wind, and you haven't a particle of grace left in your heart. You are astride the calf's neck, and, jamming the fingers of one hand into his mouth, you place the other on the back of his head and shove his nose into the pail, fully resolved to strangle him if he don't drink. The calf holds perfectly still—ominously so—and there is silence for the space of half a minute, at the end of which time the blockhead, who hasn't drank a drop, suddenly makes a splurge, and knocks the pail over; you are again reduced to a horizontal from a perpendicular, and when you rise the excitement is intense. You have been soaked with milk, "slobbered" on and hurt. Not a drop of milk has gone down the brute's throat, and there he stands glaring at you, ready to furnish you with another free ride wherever you want to go. With an affidavit you seize the empty pail and hobble out of the pen, fully resolved to let the four-footed fool starve; and thus endeth the first lesson.

THE FLOOR WALKER.

An Occupation in Which Comparatively Few Succeed.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Of all the creatures of metropolitan commercial life, the most interesting and fascinating is the floor-walker. A walking directory, a street guide and a dictionary of names, he also enjoys the distinction of being considered the leading man of the house, if not one of the principal partners. Polite to rich and poor alike, he is a continual ray of sunshine. He is found most active and most at home in the great business houses of Chicago. He knows the store from cel[illegible]garret, and where a thousand and [illegible] questions are asked daily he is rea[illegible] goods [illegible] and one prompt an[illegible] territory[illegible]men, who are apt to be the principal customers, are the recipients of his most solicitous attentions. The pink of politeness he is regarded by most of them as an authority on all questions of dress and etiquette. He has a faculty for remembering names which would astonish a hotel clerk. Then, he has the advantage of the hotel man in understanding the peculiarities of his customers. He is something more than a dictionary of names, and something less than a fashion-plate. Though scrupulously neat, he is never extravagantly dressed. Diamonds possess no especial attraction for him, except when they are seen upon the person of a customer, and yet he understands as well as anybody that they are not a recommendation in all cases. He has better means of settling questions of financial standing, for he may go to the manager, his superior, who is supposed to know all things knowable.

To explain the exact position of a floor-walker to the outside world, according to one authority, it may be given as that of an assistant manager, the term floor-walker having been gradually applied as being more explanatory of his duties. In most large retail stores the space is divided up into departments, each one of which is under the care of a floor-walker, as for instance the lace department, the silk department, and the hosiery department. Then there are several who are expected to keep a close watch about the front door, whose especial duty is to welcome visitors and direct them to the department where the goods they desire can be found. They are responsible for the behavior of a certain number of clerks and cash boys, to whom they are equally a terror and an object of envy. It is generally admitted that there is as much in the appearance and behavior of a floor-walker as there is in his business tact and powers of observation. To insure success he must be a thorough optimist whose sunny views of life must not be shaken by a cross word from the proprietor, or an insult or a series of insults from the customers. He would make a poor Hamlet, but the best paid member of the craft in Chicago is said to be a fine comedian. He is considered an example unto his fellow-sinners, because his conduct is always the same, and he can tell the most outrageous lie and the most solemn truth in the same melancholy and earnest tones. He works in an establishment owned by two partners, and half the customers know him as one partner and the other half know him as the other. It makes no difference to him, and he never thinks of correcting the mistake. Nor does he fear the wrath of the proprietors, for they regard him as their representative in most of the duties he performs; and as people value most highly little acts of politeness coming direct from the head of a large bazaar, the courtesies extended by the subaltern if received under this illusion are just as valuable.

A Great Russian Air Ship.

[Pall Mall Gazette.]

The centenary of the ascent of the first balloon in England brings us news that the second trial of the æronauts at Mendon has resulted in a failure. The expectations of those who hope to steer balloons must now be turned from France to Russia, where Capt. Kosztowitz, the Russian æronaut, is quite confident that he has solved the problem by a balloon which is at present being constructed at St. Petersburg. It is of the shape of a huge cigar, driven by a screw, but is also provided with sails.

The inventor calculates that his air ship will be able to make 160 miles an hour, with an equipage of 16 men, 10,000 pounds ballast and an engine of 50 horse power. The balloon, with its appurtenances, will be 200 feet long, 80 feet high, and will probably make its first excursion from St. Petersburg at the end of this month. The odds, however, are a thousand to one against Capt. Kosztowitz.

NOTICE.

HAVING RETIRED FROM BUSINESS at the Empire City and Marshfield markets, all parties indebted to me at said markets are requested to forthwith call at the same and square up their accounts, as I am preparing to depart from the county and my business must be settled up before I go; therefore persons indebted to me will save me extra trouble and themselves extra and unnecessary expense by at once complying with this request and making prompt settlement without further notice.

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H. P. WHITNEY.
Marshfield, Or., September 24, 1884.

SAMUEL HILL, 634 Market street, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE FOR FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, Oregon, October 28, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, Oregon,

On Friday, December 12, 1884,

Viz: ISAAC BARRETT, homestead No. 3353, for the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 5, township 25 south, range 12 west, Willamette meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—viz:

George Ney, John Terry, Nelson Lewis and George W. Thomas, all of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon.

no6td Wm. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

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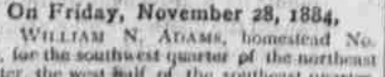

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between Lars Clemmensen, Tehan Evanoff and N. P. Hansen, under the firm name of CLEMMENSEN & CO., has been dissolved by mutual consent, N. P. Hansen retiring, and that a new firm, consisting of Lars Clemmensen and Tehan Evanoff, will continue the business of brewing of malt liquors and dealers in spirituous and malt liquors and cigars at the old stand.

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LARS CLEMMENSEN,
TEHAN EVANOFF.
Marshfield, Oregon, September 17, 1884.

NOTICE FOR FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, Oregon, October 27, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, Oregon,

On Friday, December 12, 1884,

Viz: ERRICK FREELUND, pre-emption declaratory statement No. 4734, for the north half of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the southwest of section 15, and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 22, township 25 south, range 11 west, Willamette meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—viz:

J. S. Smith, Fred Hansen, Charles Johnson and A. Suderlund, all of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon.

oc30td Wm. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

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On Friday, December 12, 1884,

Viz: FRED HANSEN, pre-emption declaratory statement No. 4723, for the south half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 15, and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 22, township 25 south, range 11 west, Willamette meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—viz:

John S. Smith, Andrew Mattson, James Mortimer and George Mortimer, all of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon.

oc30td Wm. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, Oregon, October 21, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, Oregon,

On Saturday, November 29, 1884,

Viz: MARY E. FOX, homestead No. 4287, for the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, the north half of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 14, township 24 south, range 13 west, Willamette meridian.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—viz:

Charles O. Ross, George Chard, John Brown and Thomas Beale, all of Empire City, Coos county, Oregon.

oc30td Wm. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, Oregon, October 14, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, Oregon,

On Friday, November 28, 1884,

Viz: WILLIAM N. ADAMS, homestead No. 4496, for the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, the west half of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 27, township 23 south, range 12 west, Willamette meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—viz:

William Bowron, John Bowron, William McCullough and Charles Liestrum, all of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon.

oc23td Wm. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

TREASURER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all county scrip accepted prior to January 9, 1884, is now payable on presentation. No interest will be allowed on these warrants after the 20th of this month.

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NOTICE FOR FINAL PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, Oregon, November 5, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, Oregon,

On Friday, December 19, 1884,

Viz: JASPER A. YOAKAM, homestead No. 4472, for the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 11, and the east half of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 14, township 25 south, range 11 west, Willamette meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—viz:

John E. Noah, George M. Seely, William Knowlton and Herbert Rogers, all of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon.

no6td Wm. F. BENJAMIN, Register.

Timber Land Notice.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSEBURG, Oregon, October 8, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JOHN S. SMITH has applied to purchase the west half of the southwest quarter of section 12, the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 13, and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 11, township 25 south, of range 11 west, Willamette meridian, under the act of congress of June 3, 1878, for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and in Washington territory.

Any and all persons claiming any of the above-described lands must file their adverse claims with the register of the Roseburg land office during the sixty-days publication hereof, and failing to do so, their claims will be barred by statute.

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