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It Should Begin at Home

If charity begins at home, so should dog poisoning.

The fellow who has been giving vent to his spleen by poisoning other people's animals lately should sample his own handiwork first, for it is a poor game that won't work both ways.

But there never was a dog poisoner who could play fair. Because a midnight howl might disturb his slumber for a moment, he will make some youthful dog owner cry himself to sleep for a week and put his pet through tortures that end in a writhing death.

It generally is a person with this sort of complex who always believes he can do no wrong, and that the slightest irritabilities justify any course he chooses to pursue. What a shame it is these habitual dog poisoners don't make a mistake and eat some of the bait they place for other living creatures who treasure life, too.



Rubbing in Dillinger

The other day we read a long editorial condemning the way Dillinger has been glorified as a hero by maudlin sympathizers and moronic hero worshippers, when he is nothing more or less than a ruthless murderer and a moral rat.

But, to our notion, we believe the dead past should bury its dead, and it is just such long-winded dissertations on Dillinger in every paper in the land that has kept the spotlight on the Indiana hoodlum. Editorial writers have wolfed him up in their eagerness to have something to say on his death.

Maybe crime doesn't pay in the long run, but it certainly pays well in publicity, both on the front and editorial pages. To us, it is a great relief that Dillinger is dead and soon, we hope, comment on him will be buried too.



The Way of All Gossip

Up here in the Oregon country it may sound as a fanciful Utopia, but there are places in the United States where gossips are prosecuted by law. Malicious, smelly gossip that reeks with scandal and untruths, in many sections, is not tolerated.

It might be a wonderful thing for Jackson county, and Jacksonville, too, if public opinion and the courts would borrow a leaf from the book of rules from

other sections and place a penalty on circulators of unfounded and destructive gossip.

In several instances known of, over-the-fence character assassins were hailed into minor courts and fined small sums for spreading untruths about others. In one case a young couple was married and, like all young couples, jealous talkers started placing shotguns in some of the parents' hands. It cost the gossips \$5 and costs, and the sting of public attention was focused on their loose tongue.

Now there's a wide open field for some politician who would really like to do his neighbors a good turn.



Why No Medford Water

Whenever Jacksonville's water situation is mentioned, about half the townspeople will dismiss conversation with the remark, "There'll never be enough water on that hill back of town to satisfy needs of this city; why don't city councilmen pipe in Medford water and really accomplish something."

But what most such commenters don't seem to understand is that piping of Medford water to Jacksonville is not the all-satisfying solution to local difficulties they imagine, even if it were financially possible. One's pocketbook generally is the strongest persuader, and figures certainly take some of the alluring sparkle away from Medford's million-dollar water.

For instance, a recent investigation by city officials showed that, if Medford water was piped to this city, 5000 gallons could be delivered to each user's home for \$2.50 per month, with an additional charge for each extra 100 gallons. This \$2.50 per month would just pay for the water and pumping expense, and would allow no margin for retirement of bonds necessary for installation of five miles of mains at a cost of somewhere near \$30,000.

At present, Jacksonville water users are allowed 15,000 gallons per month for \$1.75, or three times the amount of water that could be bought from Medford, for 75 cents a month less. Of course, right now the 15,000 gallons aren't available, but with PWA's \$13,000 improvements installed, chances favor a plentiful supply of water in the future. And with water users here paying \$1.75 for three times the amount of water, there still is enough left from water revenue to retire the \$10,000 PWA loan and to practically run the city as well.

Expense to both water users and to the city make piping of Medford water prohibitive, even if Medford could guarantee plenty of water to Jacksonville, which it is understood could not be done. Jacksonville has, and can continue to run, on water revenue, and still pay for improvement and development of her own water, but could no more than break even on water and maintenance alone by adding 75 cents to each user's minimum if Medford water were piped in.

So the howl that "Medford water is the only answer" has little to stand on in the way of reason or good business judgment, when the matter is looked into at all. Jacksonville's best bet, as always, will be to stand on her own feet and work out her own problems.

emergency and rehabilitation programs under Red Cross. Asking your chapter accept quota \$250 please organize fund campaign, reporting results and collections.
"A. L. Schafer, manager Pacific branch, American Red Cross, San Francisco, Calif."

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, in and for the county of Jackson, to me directed and dated on the 23rd day of July, 1934, in a certain action therein, wherein the state of Oregon, represented and acting by the World War Veterans' State Aid Commission as plaintiff and Philip J. Amer, a single person, Ralph Allingham, husband and wife, and George Shaw, a single person, were defendants, in which action the state of Oregon, represented and acting by the World War Veterans' State Aid Commission, recovered judgment against Philip J. Amer, the defendant, for the sum of \$1811.89, together with interest thereon at 4% per annum from December 24, 1932, with costs and disbursements taxed at \$50.80,

A Hundred in the Shade



and the further sum of one hundred fifty and no/100 (\$150.00) dollars, as attorney's fees, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the clerk's office of said court in said county on the 23rd day of July, 1934.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the terms of the said execution, I will on the 24th day of August, 1934, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Medford, in Jackson county, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, to satisfy said judgment, together with the costs of this sale, subject to redemption as provided by law, all of the right, title and interest that the said defendants, Philip J. Amer, a single person, Ralph Allingham, sometimes known as R. Allingham, and Mrs. Ralph Allingham, husband and wife, and George Shaw, a single person, had on the 23rd day of February, 1927, or now have in and to the following described property, situated in the county of Jackson, state of Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning at a point twenty (20) feet west and five hundred thirty-one and five-tenths (531.5) feet north of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼) of section six (6), township thirty-nine (39) south, range one (1) east of the Willamette meridian, Oregon; thence north seventy-two (72) degrees; west one thousand three hundred thirty-four and four-tenths (1334.4) feet; thence north sixteen (16) degrees four (04) minutes west two hundred forty-seven and two-tenths (247.2) feet; thence north fifty-nine (59) degrees forty-eight (48) minutes east fifty (50) feet thence south sixteen (16) degrees four (04) minutes east one hundred (100) feet; thence north fifty-three (53) degrees east seven hundred twenty-two (722) feet; thence north sixty-four (64) degrees twenty-four (24) minutes east eighty-two (82) feet; thence south seventy-eight (78) degrees forty-two (42) minutes east seventy-four and

three-tenths (74.3) feet; thence south sixty (60) degrees fifty (50) minutes east four hundred seven (407) feet; thence south five (5) degrees thirty (30) minutes west one hundred thirteen and seven-tenths (113.7) feet; thence south thirty-two (32) degrees thirty-five (35) minutes west two hundred eighty-nine and five-tenths (289.5) feet; thence south fifty-three (53) degrees thirty-five (35) minutes east fifty-five and four-tenths (55.4) feet; thence north seventy-three (73) degrees thirty-seven (37) minutes east one hundred fifty-seven and five-tenths (157.5) feet; thence north eighty-nine (89) degrees two (02) minutes east one hundred forty-five and three-tenths (145.3) feet; thence south no (0) degrees fifty-four (54) minutes east five hundred ten (510) feet to the place of beginning; containing seventeen and eight-tenths (17.8) acres, more or less, and being situated in section six (6), township thirty-nine (39) south of range one (1) east of the Willamette Meridian in Oregon, and also in section thirty-one (31) township thirty-eight (38) south of range one (1) east of the Willamette Meridian, Jackson county, Oregon.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1934.
WALTER E. OLMSCHIED,
Sheriff of Jackson county, Oregon.
WALTER J. OLMSCHIED,
Deputy.
(July 27, Aug 3, 10, 17)

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson county, Oregon, Administratrix of the estate of Sam Chisholm, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned administratrix at the office of Allison Moulton, 301 Liberty building, Medford, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of this notice.

Dated the 20th day of July, 1934.
JOSEPHINE ROBBINS,
Administratrix of the Estate of Sam Chisholm.
ALLISON MOULTON,
Attorney for Administratrix.
(July 20, 27, Aug 3, 10)

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LETTERS to the Editor

To the Editor:

Just finished reading your most excellent paper, and also the editorial covering the Mail Tribune's subscriptions, advertising, etc.

You evidently do not get the real meaning behind all the high pressure stuff; if you did, I am sure you would be more charitable.

Whenever the M-T starts a hard drive for subscriptions or advertising, it is a sure sign that somewhere down the railroad tracks, shuffling along, a broad grin on his homely face, dead broke, pockets turned inside out, and holding up his pants with his two hands (the suspender buttons having long since gone to help fill out the collection of coins in some poor blind city beggar's hat), coming home, will be the M-T's prodigal son, old Jubilo. DeLuxe country clubs, "with milk and crackers at \$4 per," top flight city hotels, prize fights, shows, side trips, etc., will in course of time cause even a huge bank roll like the M-T's to assume a sickly South Dakota atmosphere. So, old happy-go-lucky

Jubilo is home again. As soon as B. R. Harder reports the M-T's bankroll out of danger, and sufficiently recovered to get up from its sick bed, always welcome but never missed gypsy-footed Jubilo will find a new way to go to town.

In passing, may I use the following lines from the pen of that immortal philanthropist and humanitarian, Ella Barrett Wendell, "Ho, hum; it's a gay life, Mates; live while you can, joyously and well."

HARRY B. PRENTISS,
Route 4, Medford, July 30.

RED CROSS SENDS CALL FOR AID DORRIS BLAZE VICTIMS AND HOMELESS

A call to the Jackson county chapter, American Red Cross, was received this week from A. L. Schafer, manager of the Pacific branch, for aid to the sufferers and victims of the disastrous fire at Dorris, Calif., which wiped out 45 homes a few days ago. Mr. Schafer's telegram follows: "George Fry, Chairman Jackson County Chapter, American Red Cross, Medford: "Serious fire disaster Dorris, Calif., resulting destruction 45 homes with 90 families suffering material loss. Fifteen thousand dollars estimated required finance



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