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**STORIES OF THE CAT.**

Legends and Facts About the Still but Half Tamed Animal.

"There are few tales of cat fidelity and many of dog, yet one thinks no worse of the cat for this," says an observer. "His very independence compels respect. He walks by his wild lone, waving his wild tail, through the wild woods," as an inspired modern writer has set forth. All the generations have not served to tame him, and the most domestic of the race will revert sooner to a wild life at "the call of the blood" than any other friend of man. It is thus scarcely surprising to find that the most famous cat lovers have been drawn from the ranks of politicians and poets, those whose reasons of state or a sensitive temperament have rendered averse from trusting their fellow creatures and who consequently bestow all their affections upon the "freside sphinx." We are invited to believe that the most famous of all cats, he who brought fame and fortune to his master, Dick Whittington, was no four legged animal at all, but merely the French word "chat"—to buy and sell at profit—and that the great merchant made a pet only of his merchandise from the very beginning. Thus in later years do the idols of our youth topple about our heads.

"But other legends—nay, facts—are left us. Cardinal Wolsey, for instance, when acting in his official capacity as lord chancellor is said to have had his favorite cat always seated beside him, and another prince of the church, Richelieu, found his only relaxation in keeping a number of kittens in his private cabinet and watching their gambols during his spare moments. We cannot really reckon Richelieu as a true lover of the race, however, for directly the kittens grew to three months he had them sent away and replaced by others. Lord Chesterfield left in his will life pensions to his favorite cats and their kittens. Victor Hugo's great cat Chanoine always sat on a large red ottoman in the center of his salon and received his guests in state, showing marked displeasure if any one failed to caress or praise her.

"Tasso wrote a sonnet to his favorite cat, and Petrarch had one he loved as dearly, we are told, as Laura. No doubt she was the confidant of many of his trials and consoled him for much of the fair lady's disdain, and when pussy died the poet had her embalmed in the Egyptian fashion and carried her mummy about with him everywhere. Baudelaire, the French poet, a very shy man, was always ill at ease in any new house he entered until the family cat was brought up and introduced to him, after which, with the cat on his knee, he was perfectly happy in his silent poet fashion.

"Traditions respecting cats are, of course, legion. From time immemorial they have been regarded as somewhat uncanny, omens of weal or woe, beings to be either conciliated or crushed. The cat worship of ancient Egypt and, later, the Roman creed that the cat was sacred to Diana speak of the one; the wild charges of witchcraft—or concern in it—rife during the dark ages of Europe will attest the latter. But there is another popular belief deserving also of mention, that which sets forth the old maid as the cat's only friend, a legend arising in the mediaeval nunneries overrun with mice, where one or more cats were always kept and were no doubt much petted by the good nuns."—Chicago News.

**A Hard Burial.**

Some few winters ago a gang of carriage washers was engaged washing carriages on one of our northern railroads when one of them remarked to his mate, an old soldier who was famous as a long bowist, "It's awful cold this morning, David."

"Cold! This is nothing," said David. "I remember when I was in Canada in 186— one of our mates died, poor chap. And you will have some idea what sort of frost it was when I tell you it was so hard that we had to get hammer and chisel, make a nick in the ground and then drive him in with a pile driver. That was the only way we could give the poor chap decent burial."—London Answers.

**Using the Eyes.**

A scientific writer quotes Helmholtz as saying that in his work he could only liken himself to the mountaineer, painfully and slowly climbing, often obliged to turn backward, lighting later on new traces leading forward, and finally reaching the goal, only to find to his confusion that a plain road led thither, if he had only had the eyes to see. Darwin said he thought he was superior to the common run of men in noticing things which easily escape attention and in observing them carefully.

**Her Reasoning.**

Wife (at the costumer's)—Which shall I have—this coat at 40 marks or that one at 70? Husband—I have only 40 marks with me. Wife—Oh, well, then, we'll buy the seventy mark coat on credit, and then you can buy me a hat with the 40 marks.—Lustige Blätter.

**Crushed.**

"If I could only die and leave you well off," he said after they had had their first quarrel, "I would be glad to go."  
"How," she cruelly asked, "could you die and leave me otherwise than well off?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Notice**

Commencing January 1, 1907, the Klamath Falls Jersey Dairy will charge the following prices for milk delivered: Per quart, 8 cents; pint 5 cents; per gallon 30 cents. Bird S. Loosley.

**GOING TO KENO?**

If so, get a rig from the Mammoth Stables. Fine, gentle horses, good buggies, reasonable prices.

**SOCIETIES OF KLAMATH FALLS**

A. O. U. W.—Linkville Lodge No. 110 meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every Tuesday evening. Visiting Brothers always welcome. John Yaden, M. W. J. W. Siemens, Recorder.

Evangeline Lodge No. 88 Degree of Honor Lodge meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every second and fourth Thursdays in the month. Nancy N. White, C. of H. Jesse Marple, Recorder.

W. O. W. Ewauna Camp, No. 799, W. O. W., meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Sanderson's hall. All neighbors cordially invited. C. K. Brandenburg, Clerk.

A. F. & A. M.—Klamath Lodge No. 77. Meets Saturday evening on or before the full moon of each month in the Masonic Hall. W. T. Shive, W. M. W. E. Bowdoin, Secretary.

O. E. S.—Aloha Chapter No. 61, meets in the Masonic hall every second and fourth Tuesday evenings in each month. Christine Murlach, W. M. Jennie E. Reames, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.—Klamath Lodge No. 137 meets every Saturday evening in the A. O. U. W. hall. W. H. North, N. G. Geo. L. Humphrey, Secretary.

Ewauna Encampment No. 46, I. O. O. F. Encampment meets second and fourth Saturdays in the month in the A. O. U. W. hall. C. C. Brower, C. P. Geo. L. Humphrey, Scribe.

Prosperity Rebekah Lodge No. 104 I. O. O. F. meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every first and third Thursdays in the month. Francis E. Boyd, N. G. Frankie Hammond, Secretary.

K. of P.—Klamath Lodge No. 99 meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every Monday evening. Bert Bamber, C. C. John Hamilton, K. of R. and S.

M. W. of A.—Lodge meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every first and third Wednesday in the month. W. B. McLaughlin, Consul W. A. Phelps, Clerk.

Foresters of America—Ewauna Camp, No. 61, meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every second and fourth Fridays in the month. C. D. Wilson, C. R. E. E. Jamison, Rec. Sec.

Women of Woodcraft, Ewauna Circle No. 647, meets every second and fourth Friday in Sanderson's hall. Mrs. Dollie Virgil, G. N.

**KLAMATH COUNTY BANK**

KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON

ALEX MARTIN, President E. R. REAMES, Vice-President ALEX MARLIN, Jr. Cashier

**The Pioneer Bank of Klamath County**

—STATEMENT DEC. 31, 1906—

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 274,343.96
Overdrafts	6,329.72
Bonds and Warrants	59,252.58
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	13,824.39
Real Estate	6,166.99
Due from Banks	256,966.66
Cash in Bank	31,191.63
	\$648,075.63
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock, fully paid	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided profits	13,213.01
Individual Deposits, subject to check	514,361.63
Cashier's Checks outstanding	1,034.50
Demand Certificates of Deposit	19,466.49
	\$648,075.63

I, Alex Martin, Jr., Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
ALEX MARTIN, JR., Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1907.  
D. V. KUYKENDALL,  
Notary Public for Oregon.

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