

ABUSIVE CANINE CATCHER

Chief of Police Gibson Kicked Harmless Little Dog to Death

Salem's chief of police, D. W. Gibson, this morning furnished a shocking illustration of how brutal a man invested with small authority can be, even without provocation. As city dog catcher he had rounded up three pretty respectable looking little canines and had the trio tied to one rope. One black-and-tan little fellow, who no doubt is the member of some respectable household, objected to associating with the officer of the law. He refused to walk along in the manner and according to the rules outlined by that mighty (?) dignitary of the law, when the latter subjected him to a number of hard kicks about the head and body until the poor canine bled profusely from the mouth and nose.

The uncalled for treatment was witnessed by a number of people who denounced it in unmeasured terms. The city ordinance gives the chief of police a perfect right to impound untaxed dogs, but it does not confer on him the right to maltreat and maim them. He led the dog up Ferry street from the Willamette corner, the pitious whines and yelps of the poor animal plainly telling of its sufferings.

They were not to last long, however, for it had hardly walked a block when with a moan and wall it tumbled over on the walk and died. Such conduct deserves a severe reprimand by the council and the Humane society should investigate the uncalled for brutal outrage. The dog is man's best friend under all circumstances and human brutes need punishment when they impose on them without just cause.

Two small children belonging to a family of newcomers were looking for a small black and tan dog this afternoon, but they were unable to find it, although they understood that it had been taken up, but it was not in the city pound.

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OBJECT TO LOCAL OPTION

Prohibitionists Circulate Remonstrances in Stayton and Sublimity

It is learned that a remonstrance is being circulated in Stayton and Sublimity precincts against the petition filed to place the matter of local option before the voters of those precincts. The law provides that if a certain per cent. of the voters of any precinct petition for a vote on this question it shall be the duty of the county clerk to place the matter upon the official ballot. This part of the statute has been complied with by the petitioners and it is difficult to understand what good a remonstrance will do in the premises.

The whole situation up there is a little incongruous to say the least, for it was not the prohibition—it's who petitioned for the matter being put to a vote, but rather the friends of the other side. Now come the Prohibitionists who originated the law and want its operation suppressed. These good people may be of the opinion that Stayton and Sublimity precincts will vote down their pet measure and are taking this step to prevent it, but it will hardly be effective. If the law is what it pretends to be—local option—everybody should be glad to have any precinct vote upon the matter and abide by the results, but this anti-liquor makes it look very much as though they were opposed to the voice of the people in these particular precincts.

Petitions will no doubt be filed from other precincts, and possibly the entire county will be drawn in before election. If this is done it is reasonable to believe that the Prohibitionists will lose, as the law failed to carry in the county by about 300 votes. There are a few temperance precincts in the county which could be carried that way, but the attempt to gerrymander those in such a way as to force prohibition upon precincts that are opposed to it will hardly win out. Of all people those setting themselves up as moral reformers ought not to be a party to such unfair methods, and the attempt will probably not be made.

Notice. We have sold our lime, cement, sand and gravel business, conducted under the firm name of A. M. Patrick & Co., to the Capital Improvement company, who has transferred the stock to their place of business, corner Front and Chemeketa streets. All orders and contracts will be filed by the new firm. All claims against A. M. Patrick & Co. will be paid by A. M. Patrick, to whom all accounts due them must be paid.

A. M. PATRICK, & CO. Wants Hazel Nut Pickers. "Uncle Bill" Anderson wants 300 hazel nut pickers. He expects to be able to secure that number without trouble, although the hop men are not after the same people. Mr. Anderson hazel nut pickers. He expects to be hazel nut pickers. For full particulars call at his office and he will tell you.

Open for Business The Star Bottling Works, corner of Broadway and Market streets, North Salem, are now ready to fill all orders on short notice, in the line of soft drinks. All kinds of sodas at 75c per case. Quart goods at \$1.50 per dozen. Quality guaranteed. Special Rates to Dealers. Phone 235 White.

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STAYTON CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dedicated Las. Sunday With Impressive Ceremonies

The church of the Immaculate Conception was dedicated by the Catholics at Stayton Sunday morning, August 14, at 10 o'clock. Rev. Father Leink of Sublimity assisted by Fathers Sorske of Sublimity and Froben of Mt. Angel conducted the services. High mass was celebrated and a large number attended. The choir rendered excellent music during divine services, while the Stayton band played before and after the dedication.

The church is a fine little structure and a credit to the little city of Stayton. It is 40 by 70 feet and will cost when completed about \$2500. Andrew Ferry is the contractor and gave perfect satisfaction to the committee in charge, consisting of Messrs. Fred Rock, Dr. Brewer and J. P. Funk.

The parish at this time is small and is supplied from Sublimity, but a number of new members will soon be added and a regular priest stationed to care for the flock.

PERSONALS

Lee George is home from a visit at Newport.

Mrs. A. B. Gillis went to Portland this morning.

Henry J. Ottenheimer is spending the day in Portland.

Attorney J. A. Carson is spending the day in Portland.

Commission Merchant J. M. Kyle is in Portland today.

Holly Shaw, of Portland, was a Salem visitor yesterday.

Governor Chamberlain returned to Portland this morning.

Miss Hattie Hargrove is home from a month's outing at Newport.

J. H. Bigger was a Portland visitor yesterday, returning home today.

Ex-Governor Moody was a passenger to The Dalles this morning.

Miss Lena Brandt returned last evening from a visit at Butteville.

Otho Ragan was among those returning from Newport last evening.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith, returned last evening from an outing at Newport.

Mrs. J. Olmstead and daughter, Hazel, went to Portland last evening for a visit.

Miss Adah Ward, of Albany, arrived in the city last evening and will remain here.

David Eyre and sister, Miss Eyre, are home from an outing of several weeks at Newport.

Miss Winona Savage went to Brooks last evening, where she will visit Miss Marguerite Eagan.

Mr. Ross, head trimmer at Mrs. Frazer's store, is home from her vacation spent at Newport.

Ed De Keater, of Portland, returned home last evening, after a visit at Shady Lane near Salem.

Mrs. Wm. Stanton and daughter, Nellie, returned last night from a two weeks' outing at Newport.

Mrs. A. M. Humphreys, of Portland, who has been visiting in this city, left last evening for her home.

Mrs. Clyde Bellinger returned to her home in Portland last evening, after a visit with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Meyer and daughter Alice went to Portland last evening for a visit with friends.

Meyer Hirsch, of Portland, who has been spending a few days with his parents in this city, left last evening for his home.

Miss Annora Welch, proprietor of the Variety Store of this city, left last evening for a week's visit in Portland and Oregon City.

Austin Fishburn and Fred Miller returned last evening from a successful hunting and fishing trip at Breitenbach Springs and the surrounding country.

Miss Florence Blechinger returned to Portland last evening, after a visit with Miss Edna Burton, of this city.

Rev. J. H. Sweeney, of Brooks, was a Salem visitor yesterday.

Hurt at Yoncalla. Dr. R. P. Mortensen, of Yoncalla was in Salem a few hours yesterday. He has just returned from Portland where he went to take Wm. Gardner of Yoncalla to the hospital. Mr. Gardner was run over by a freight car and was quite seriously hurt.

Appointed Administrator. J. M. W. Bonney was today appointed administrator of the estate of Bradford S. Bonney. The estate consists of personal property and is valued at \$200, which will just about pay indebtedness and expenses.

Expressed An Opinion. Savannah, Ga., Aug. 17.—It is learned that Handy Bill was caught and lynched near Register, Albert Robertson, a 17 year old boy was taken from his home near Register and shot because of too free an expression regarding the burning of Cato and Aed.

Woman Goes Over Falls. Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 17.—At 10 o'clock this morning an unknown woman committed suicide by going over the American falls. Hundreds of people witnessed the act for she leaped into the rapids 100 feet from the precipice.

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SUMMER RESORT MEALS

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THE LAST WEEK



This is to be the last week of our boys' suit sale. If your boy is in need of a suit to last out the summer or one to wear to school now is the best time to buy it for him. We have boys' suits from the ages of 3 to 15 years that were selling from \$2.00 to \$7.00, reduced to

\$1.15 to \$3.35

This week will also end our shirt sale. Never have you seen such desirable patterns and such excellent materials on sale at such pleasing prices. Shirts such as the

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Notice

To Consumers of Light and Power

The light and power will be shut off Saturday night at 12 o'clock August 20, until Sunday Morning at 12 o'clock, August 21, for the purpose of installing new machinery at power station.

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Geo. Stahley, of Portland, is visiting his home folks.
 M. J. Spaniol and Judge W. H. Queener of Stayton are in the city today.
 Mrs. George U. Ashby, of Weiser, Idaho, is in the city to attend the Fuller-Coshow wedding in this city today, and is the guest of Mrs. E. C. Patton.
 J. S. Wyant, A. J. Fisher, L. C. Fisher and George Melson returned last evening from a two weeks' hunting and fishing trip in the Cascades above Detroit. They brought back a large catch of fine trout from the lakes.
 Miss Bertha Allen came up from Silverton today, where she has been visiting for several days.
 Trueman Campbell of Albany, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Lydia Campbell on South Commercial street, for the past six weeks, returned home today.
 Hon. J. G. Graham came up from Aurora this morning, where he has been on business.
 Mrs. A. N. Moores went to Newport today where she will spend the remainder of the summer.
 Fred Waters went over to the Bay this morning for a short vacation.
 Mrs. Max Buren and children, went to Newport today for a few weeks outing.
 Mrs. Wm. H. Cook and daughter, Miss Lola went to Newport today, for a few weeks outing.
 Mrs. W. P. Campbell and daughter, Miss Campbell of Chemawa, are Salem visitors today.
 Mrs. M. C. Prior and daughter, Miss Minnie, mother and sister of Mrs. J. W. Baker, left for Dallas, where they will visit the former's mother, Mrs. Shelton, one of the pioneers of Polk county.
 Miss Anna Flubacher has gone to Jefferson for a two weeks visit with relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Latourette returned yesterday from a several weeks outing at Newport.

Coshow-Fuller Wedding. This evening at 8 o'clock at the Congregational church, will be solemnized the marriage of Miss Lois Coshow to Mr. Chas. E. Fuller, Rev. Heppie performing the ceremony. Miss Eva Coshow will act as bride's maid, while Mr. E. F. Douglas, business partner of the groom will act as best man. After the ceremony, a reception will be given at the future home of the bride and groom, 383 Liberty street. The contracting parties will leave on the 11 o'clock overland, for Cascadia, where they will spend a short honeymoon. They will be at home to their friends after September 1st.

Another Pardon. Governor Chamberlain today pardoned an Indian named Roger Williams, who was sentenced from Klamath county to three years for larceny. He had served about one-half his term and was pardoned for the reason that he is going blind. He has lost one eye and will not long be able to see. His friends promised to take care of him.

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SHAW SPEAKS IN SALEM

Secretary of the Treasury Will Make Western Tour

Washington, D. C., Aug. 17.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw will make a number of speeches in Oregon and Washington on his western tour. He will leave for Chicago the latter part of the week, where he will receive his itinerary. There has been great demand for the secretary from California and the fact that he bears the reputation of being the best stump speaker in the Cabinet, will probably increase the calls for his services after his tour commences.

Secretary Shaw does not know at what points in Oregon and Washington he will speak, but expects to speak at Portland and Salem, at least, and Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane, and probably a number of small towns in Washington.

Shaw Leaves Washington. Washington, Aug. 17.—Secretary Shaw left Washington yesterday for Boston and from there he will go to Squirrel Island, on the Maine coast, for a brief visit with his family. Later in the week he will start on a tour of the Pacific coast, and will make speeches in Montana, Washington, Oregon, California and probably in Utah and Colorado.

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ENGLAND PROTECTS STEAMERS

Has Notified Russia That If Necessary Warships Will Accompany Them

London, Aug. 17.—It is learned that the British note to Russia relative to the sinking of neutral ships declared that unless Russia renounced every claim to the right to sink such vessels a warship would be employed to convoy British merchantmen and protect them.

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