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A CRUELTY TO ANIMALS CHARGE

AN IMPORTANT TRIAL IN PROGRESS TODAY.

J. J. McCloskey, E. P. McKissick and G. L. Osborne before Justice Frank Carter, on Charges Preferred by the S. P. C. A.

The City Hall court room was filled this morning by persons interested in the hearing before Justice Frank Carter of the charges brought against J. J. McCloskey, E. P. McKissick and G. L. Osborne by President A. M. Ballard of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The gentlemen were arrested on warrants charging cruelty to animals, the specific charges being that defendants did "overdrive, overload, injure, torture and torment and cause to be overdriven, overloaded, injured, tortured and tormented a certain useful beast or animal, to wit: a horse, as affiant is informed and believes."

There were four witnesses named on Mr. McCloskey's warrant, 14 on Mr. McKissick's and 10 on Mr. Osborne's. The case for the society was prosecuted by Attorneys G. A. Shuford, E. D. Carter and Locke Craig. Defendants were represented by Chas. M. Stedman and Duff Merrick.

The case of G. L. Osborne was the first one called. Major Stedman was Mr. Osborne's counsel. J. K. Cowan testified: "Am a liverman on Lexington avenue. Hired horse to Mr. Osborne last Saturday evening. I understood he wanted to ride in the hunt. The horse had a slight cough. Horse seemed fagged when brought in. Next morning had swollen legs, knots all over them and in a bad condition. Mr. Osborne told me to have the horse well blanketed and rubbed down when it was brought in. Don't know that by the ordinary wear and tear horses in Asheville are injured as was this one. Mr. Osborne seemed to be a particularly kind man in the care of horses and had hired the horse before. I consider the horse in bad condition. Think he was strong enough to go on an ordinary chase. I said when the horse came in that night that I would not hire any more horses to fox chases. Sent other horses out that day, one to Mr. Hickey, Mr. Sevier ordered one, Mr. Lyons, Mr. Norton and Mr. Park. Mr. Hickey and Mr. Norton said they wanted the horses to go on the hunt. Am not sure whether I hired one to Ram Rumbough."

Dr. J. W. Rollings testified: "Am a practicing veterinary surgeon. I examined the mare spoken of by Mr. Cowan on Sunday morning. Found the muscles rigid and swollen, the pulse 40 beats above normal, and the animal in a bad way. I concluded that the horse had been overheated, and had had a sudden cooling and that the horse had produced the injury, but it was not the sudden chill. I have no hope for the animal's life, but she may be saved. The trouble with this horse is purpura—blood trouble—from influenza. I never knew or heard of such a trouble before, unless it had had influenza. I believe the animal had had influenza. The animal must have had a severe ride after the fox hunt. If she had been in sound condition she would have pupura now. A strain would have produced the stiffness. Purpura never comes on unless a horse has had influenza. There is no disease that debilitates a horse so much as influenza."

Mr. Cowan recalled: "Got the horse February, 1895. Never heard the horse cough before last Wednesday. The cough may have been the beginning of influenza, which begins with a cough. Horse has a slight discharge from nose and a slight cough, and they are symptoms of influenza. It is quite possible that purpura might develop in a very short time after influenza began. If it was influenza last week it is purpura now. I don't think present condition would have occurred without violent exercise."

Dr. A. M. Ballard: "I have only a general knowledge of veterinary surgery. I saw the horse in question. It had an abrasion on its nose, which was swollen and the animal seemed greatly distressed. Have seen the animal every day and her condition is perhaps more comfortable now. I don't consider myself an expert. Have treated most everything, including dogs and cats. I think the condition of the horse was due to overdriving or overloading. I was not on the fox chase. I went for doctor a horse I would say, as I have when I was attending other animals, that I wasn't that kind of a doctor."

Marvin Hayden, colored, testified: "I know Mr. Osborne; I was at the fox chase, and he was confined in an enclosure the fox loose 30 or 45 minutes before they mounted the horses and began to chase it. I work for Mr. Cowan. Mr. Osborne was riding Mr. Cowan's horse on the fox chase. I was with him when I know the fact that the horse was there. Mr. Osborne was there. Mr. Osborne is kind to horses—seems to have right spirit sympathy for them. All horses are kind to him. When coming in from fox chases, and he was swollen and the animal seemed greatly distressed. The State rested here, and Mr. Osborne, the defendant, testified: "My home is in Boston. I have been in Asheville four or five weeks. Came on a pleasure visit. Have done some riding. Have hired the same horse to ride, this one talked of. The horse had a slight cough when I used her on Saturday at the hunt. I did not ride the horse any harder than I did in previous hunts. She was hot when taken to the stable. I own four or five horses; they're my hobby. Rode the mare at three hunts. Rode her home slowly to cool her off. On the hunt, in the woods, we had to go slowly. I did not know that the mare had influenza."

By E. D. Carter: "Was the fox wild or tame?"
Major Stedman: "I object."
E. D. Carter: "We expect to get warrants for every man on the chase. These people violated a law of the State that says there shall be no cruelty practiced on any living creature, not even a flea."
Major Stedman asked the witness down, contending that the charge was for cruelty to a horse and not toward a fox or a flea.

The question of final jurisdiction by the court was then discussed and the justice ruled that he did not have final jurisdiction.

SHOULD THINK THERE WERE 20 RIDERS IN THE CHASE.

Mr. Carter: "Who were they?"
Mr. Osborne: "I mention names?"
Counsel on both sides: "Yes."
Mr. Osborne: "Mr. Churchill was there; Mr. Rumbough and Mr. Cheesborough. They are all that I remember. Am not a member of the Spaulding Country club. My being with the chase was a matter of courtesy from the club."
Lee Hall, a driver, testified: "I saw Mr. Osborne come back from the hunt last Saturday. He rode slowly all the way back."
J. S. Churchill testified: "I saw Osborne in the field at the chase on Saturday. We left the Club house at 4:23 and gave up hunt at 5:35. The chase was through much woods; we were fairly slow, jumped ditches, fences and climbed embankments. When the race was about half over Mr. Osborne asked the way home, and I did not see him afterwards."
E. D. Carter: "Who else was on the chase?"
Mr. Churchill: "The paper stated who were there and perhaps it would be a better list than I could give you."
E. D. Carter: "Who gave the list to the paper?"
Mr. Churchill: "I don't know."
Mr. Carter: "Was the list given by a member of the club?"
Mr. Churchill: "I don't know."
Major Stedman: "That's the case of the defendant."
Judge Lytle: "Was called by the State and testified: Was at the fox chase last Saturday. The crowd went off in a bunch, except one man, Tom Cowan, who was holding back his horse. Cowan said he was holding back because he had no bits. The fox was a lively one, what I call a wild fox. The dogs were 75 or 100 yards away when the people were to disperse. A military court has already begun an inquiry into the affair."

Justice Carter said that he presumed the State would make a test case on the question of running foxes; that he did not think the case against Mr. Osborne should be the test case; and, further, that he would determine the Osborne case on the warrant charging cruelty to the horse.

After consultation between the attorneys, the issue of the hearing was adjourned till 4:30 today for argument of the Osborne case. The cases against Mr. McKissick and Mr. McCloskey were continued until Tuesday morning next at 9:30 o'clock.

FINE HIDDENITES.

A Pair of Them, Valued at \$600, at A. M. Field's.

Among the numerous specimens of North Carolina gems of rare value that have recently been added to the collection of A. M. Field of this city is a pair of magnificent Hiddenites that are pronounced to be the finest in the world. The stones are valued at \$600.

Another rare gem in the collection is a large garnet known as almandine or precious garnet, a stone with the color of the ruby. This variety of the garnets was formerly used as crowns, and the supply was obtained from the Ural mountains in Europe. The vein in the Ural gave out and the stones disappeared from the markets of the world until in recent years discoveries of the almandine in North Carolina brought them again to notice and demand. Large specimens are rare.

A blue emerald weighing 4 1/2 carats in the possession of A. M. Field is a gem of rare beauty and in fitting company with the stones already described.

WILL NOT DISBAND.

All But Two Members of the A. L. L. Vote to Stick Together.

There was a fair-sized turnout of the Asheville Light Infantry last evening to hear Maj. White G. Smith discuss the recent action of the legislature in regard to the State militia. Maj. Smith advised the men to hold the company together, and told them it was probable they would get a greater appropriation for the opening of the exposition. It is probable that they will go there next fall.

Maj. Davis entered the army as Maj. Smith was concluding, and was called upon to speak. He responded with a short address in which he said that he would inquire what inducements would be given this company to be in attendance upon the opening of the exposition. It is probable that they will go there next fall.

TRIP TO HAYWOOD.

Prospectors Looking Over the Love Speculation Lands.

Vice-Mayor Fred A. Hull has been out beyond Waynesville for several days with a party composed of A. S. Pierson, Thos. Cray, T. B. Cray, J. C. Young and Warner E. Sprague, to whom he was showing the Love speculation lands in that section. The Courier says the prospectors will likely purchase land and build a large steam tannery and put in a lumber plant. Of the quietest two members of the United States Leather company, one is a hotel man and merchant, and the other two are in the furniture and lumber business.

Mr. Hull says he saw on some of the peaks of these mountains a very deep, and he took an enforced slight ride on his horse down the side of one of the mountains, fetching up away below by mounting the animal against a tree.

Cotton Going Up.

New York, March 16.—The pit on the New York cotton exchange this morning presented a wild scene. Prices started up with a rush, with the bears frightened and trying to cover their short contracts.

Receipts of very bullish cable advices from the English markets started the advance. In the first half hour the transactions aggregated 65,000 bales.

Goodman Acquitted.

CHARLOTTEVILLE, Va., March 16.—At 9:15 this morning the jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the Goodman case. There was tremendous shouting in the court room, and an affecting scene between the members of the family.

Conductor Goodman was retried for the murder of Col. Parsons of the Natural Bridge.

Took His Medicine.

LYNCHBURG, March 16.—Walker C. Hamner, defaulting teller of the First National bank of this city who embezzled \$25,000 of the funds of the bank, pleaded guilty in the United States district court this morning and was sentenced to confinement in the Albany penitentiary for seven years.

SACKED A NEWSPAPER OFFICE

LIVELY TIMES FOR CRITICAL EDITORS.

Officers of the Spanish Army Sensitive When Their Bravery is Called into Account, And They Immediately Become Lawless—One Office Resists Encroachment.

MADRID, March 16.—The Resumen (newspaper), in an article on the Cuban insurrection, charged the junior officers of the army with a lack of enthusiasm and an indisposition to go to Cuba because of the danger there.

Resenting this imputation, a party of 35 officers raided the office of that paper last evening, smashing the desks and otherwise damaging the premises. The Globe commented severely upon the action of the officers and protested against their conduct, whereupon 60 officers visited the office of the Globe last night and made an attack upon the staff of that paper. In the melee the editor and two subordinates were injured and the office completely wrecked. The crowd of officers and their sympathizers increased every minute until it reached the number of 400, and all attempts to prevent their sacking the office were futile.

The officers and their followers then went to the office of the Herald, but were unable to gain entrance, and finally withdrew. Later, they made another visit to the office of the Resumen, but the captain general, who had in the meantime been summoned, persuaded them to disperse. A military court has already begun an inquiry into the affair.

PULPIT NOTES.

French Broad Baptist Revival to Close Tomorrow.

Rev. Mr. Neighbour, who has been conducting the revival at the French Broad Baptist church, will deliver his last sermon at this church tomorrow afternoon. No service was held this afternoon, but there will be services this evening and tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. The meeting is regarded as one of the best held in Asheville, with under the earnest and powerful preaching of the young minister there have been more than 60 conversions.

Tomorrow evening Pastor J. T. Betts and Mr. N. Ighour will begin a revival at Fern Hill church, Biltmore, services being held all next week at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. The meeting is in charge of the glad to see many friends from the city at this church, which is only two miles from the square.

Rev. R. D. Sherrill will preach at Bethel M. E. church, South, Sunday evening, and Rev. R. V. Miller at College street chapel at the same hour.

At Central M. E. church, South, Rev. Chas. W. Byrd, D. D., will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. tomorrow. Second quarterly meeting of the current year. A cordial welcome to all.

Rev. R. F. Campbell will fill his pulpit at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning. Subject: "A Notable Sinner Saved." Young people's meeting in the basement room at 7 o'clock p. m. Strangers cordially invited to attend all services.

Rev. Henry A. Westall, pastor of the Unitarian church, will preach in Hilliard Hall, 35 South Main street, at 11 a. m. Subject: "Working and Waiting."

Rev. Dr. H. F. Christberg will preach and administer the sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 a. m. at the Haywood street M. E. church, South. Pastor W. H. Willis will preach in the evening.

Dr. J. S. Felix will preach at the First Baptist church, morning and evening. At the evening service Miss Page of Kentucky and Miss Smith of Skyland institute will render a duet.

Adopting Our Machinery.

LONDON, March 16.—The bootmakers strike has been extending throughout the week until today there are 200,000 idle operatives in that chain of industry. The strike affects all the factories in England except those in Stafford, Norwich and Bristol. The employers are not anxious, declaring that they have enormous stocks yet unsold. Nevertheless they are preparing to protect themselves by the employment of American labor saving machinery.

Failed.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The failure of I. B. Newcombe has been announced on the stock exchange. He was admitted to membership May, 1869.

Newcombe says: "My failure is the result of dry rot."

Harrison Sits Up.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 16.—Ex-President Harrison has so far recovered as to be able to sit up. His improvement has been steady ever since his daughter and grandchildren arrived.

Ten Buildings Burned.

DEVINE, Tex., March 16.—Ten buildings in the business portion of this town were burned yesterday. Loss, \$50,000.

A Fine Compliment.

LONDON, March 16.—The American loan opened today at six per cent. premium.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Laffan of New York arrived in Tampa, Fla., from Cuba Thursday night. Mr. Laffan would not be interviewed in respect to his indictment jointly with C. A. Dana of the New York Sun for criminal libel.

The sentence of ex-Queen Liliuokalani has been fixed at five years imprisonment and a fine of \$5000. She is still confined to a room in the palace at Honolulu.

The membership of the American Protective association in Michigan is 125,000 according to the official report to the State court.

It is stated that the health of Associate Justice Jackson of the United States Supreme court shows no signs of improvement.

John L. Sullivan says he has decided to challenge the winner of the Steve O'Donnell-Kilrain match Monday night.

A blizzard raged in Iowa Wednesday. The thermometer was 10° below zero and the snow was heavy.

Rev. Dr. Broadus, a noted divine and scholar died this morning at Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Henry B. Payne, wife of the ex-Senator, died Wednesday in Cleveland, O.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Asheville Can Have a Good Team if There are Any Clubs to Play.

The preliminary correspondence is encouraging to the Asheville Baseball club, and it is believed certain Asheville will have a crack team. Of course much depends upon the action of the meeting for the consideration of South Atlantic League matters, to be held on the 25th at Augusta. If the league is formed it will take away several of the teams that Asheville could otherwise play. Ball through.

Bingham and the Picked Nine at Allendale Monday at 3:30 p. m. The admission is to be 25 cents.

The Atlanta Constitution, speaking of the town's team says: "Green, who is considered one of the winning pitchers, is a Charlotte, N. C., boy. He has been playing three years and has done some mighty good work. Can it be that Asheville's 'Picked Nine' has gotten away down to Atlanta?"

The Asheville Baseball club will have a meeting at the Hotel Berkeley this evening at 8 o'clock.

QUOTE THE RAVEN.

"The Citizen" Receives Real Live News From Mayor Patton.

Ex-Alderman James M. Westall brought to THE CITIZEN office today a bit of positive news—news that will be mighty interesting to all Asheville people.

Mr. Westall came from Mayor Patton with a message. The Mayor asked him to say to THE CITIZEN that he did not want the paper to lose a wink of sleep over the fear that he will be a candidate for the Mayorality in the May municipal election. He said further that he announced last year that he would not be a candidate, and he will stick to it.

More than this, the Mayor said he had some kind feelings toward the paper and desired that its sleep should be undisturbed.

Thanks to the Mayor, THE CITIZEN'S sleep tonight and hereafter will be as calm and peaceful as that of a healthy babe.

And now the question becomes pertinent: Who will be Mayor next?

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE MARCH 29.

The Mayor's Idea About Funds Will Not Hold.

The city school committee has been notified by Chairman Redwood, of the finance committee of the Board of Aldermen, that there are no available funds in the city treasury with which to carry on the schools beyond March 29, the time set for their closing by the school committee.

The action of the finance committee is based on an opinion given by City Attorney F. A. Sondley in which Mr. Sondley stated that the Board of Aldermen had no right to use city monies, except those specifically collected for the purpose of the schools, and to divert the funds would be illegal.

The City Attorney's opinion was given in reply to the finance committee's request for information on the subject.

How Many Ducks?

WASHINGTON, March 16.—A telephone message received from the naval proving ground at Indian Head, Md., 30 miles below Washington, says the lighthouse tender Violet with the President on board passed there at 10:35 a. m. Cleveland is expected to arrive in Washington at 1:30 p. m.

IN THE OLD NORTH STATE.

—At a meeting of the trustees of the State University the reports were extremely satisfactory. They showed 463 students on the rolls, representing 121 states. Thirty maintain themselves by their own labor, and over 100 on money previously earned. One hundred and twenty-six have scholarships. During the past year the bequests aggregated \$21,000. The trustees elected as the executive committee A. B. Andrews, H. Battle, Marion Butler, Julian S. Carr, J. C. Graham, R. H. Lewis, V. S. Lusk, J. W. Wilson. James H. T. Hanson of Salem performed an operation, but was unable to get the corn. The child is in a very critical condition.

—The Lexington Dispatch says that Mrs. Luther Simmerson, widow of freeman Simmerson, who was killed in a wreck on the Western N. C. railroad a month or so ago, was in town Thursday. She has entered suit against the railroad for \$20,000. We understand the railroad has offered a compromise.

—The present boom of agriculture and trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical college cannot, it is said, be displaced by the men that are elected, as the act under which the change was made was not ratified, until after the election was held.

—Cleveland Star: The mossy business is still booming. The shipment continues heavy. The price of good monazite is nine cents per pound. The favorite is more work at monazite than raise five-cent cotton.

—Lee B. Wyatt, a grocer, dealer in farm machinery, and owner of a lan dry at Raleigh, assigned yesterday. Assets, \$30,000; liabilities, \$17,000. The failure is due to his partner's insolvency.

—Bryson City Times: Lee Chin, who has the appetite of a steam furnace and the capacity of a freight car, devoured a one gallon can of tomatoes and a pound of soda crackers at one sitting.

—The Fugonists made no attempt to grab the Labor-Statistics bureau. There was a bill to abolish it, also to abolish the Geological Survey, but neither passed.

—The bill to require railroads to redeem unused tickets was stolen four times, and never did become a law. It was stolen for the last time Wednesday morning.

—B. B. Winbans of Hertford, having resigned as member of the legislature, Governor Carr has commissioned him as judge of Hertford interior court.

—The number of acts the late legislature ratified was 822.

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