

WILL USE MORAL SUASION

In the Matter of Protecting Animals From Cruelty.

But Law Will Be Invoked if Necessary—Will Ask That Dog Pound Be Reopened.

From Saturday's Daily. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, by its executive committee, and the independent efforts of its officers is splendidly getting through with much work of a very desirable and necessary sort.

A scheme has been evolved, and there is every reason to believe it will result in an ordinance in the near future which will solve what has been a problem for some time.

The fact that Dawson is becoming like Oriental cities in respect to homeless, uncared for dogs, many of whom are in a starving or diseased condition, and that it is next to impossible to fix responsibility in many cases, has led to the conviction that it is a matter which should receive the attention of the council. Not only does this statement apply to dogs, but in a somewhat lesser degree, to horses and mules. There are numbers of these animals straying about the streets, and for the most part their condition is but little better than that of the dogs, as they are unfed and unhoused. There are owners who work stock during the season when feed is cheapest and derive a good round profit from the work; and then when cold weather commences, the river freezes and feed goes up they are unprincipled enough to turn them upon the streets to starve and become a public nuisance.

For these reasons it has been decided by the society to ask the council to re-establish the pound, though on some what different lines from its last establishment. It is suggested that tags, bearing numbers shall be issued to all owners of animals which are allowed to run loose within the city limits, and that, within a certain number of days after the issuance of these tags any animal found upon the streets not wearing such a tag shall be impounded.

A time shall be specified for the retention of these animals, at the expiration of which, if they are not called for by the owner and the bill of costs paid, they shall be sold to the highest bidder, and if no purchaser appears, then such animals shall be killed.

The expense that this scheme would entail upon owners would be nominal and it is believed that the sales would go a long way toward defraying the expense. Besides, it would be a very effective measure in the prevention of dog stealing of which there has been much in times past. If a dog were stolen wearing one of the marks suggested it could be easily identified and returned to the owner, and, on the contrary, if the mark had been removed the animal would at once become subject to the pound, so that in any case it would be unsafe in one case and useless in the other to steal dogs.

The adoption of this plan, it is believed, will solve the problem, and result in the speedy decimation of the half starved and wholly miserable horde of animals overrunning the town, and has as a precedent the successful fulfillment of a like plan carried out in nearly every civilized city in the world. At all events it will be laid before the council at an early date and approval is hoped for.

At the meeting of the executive committee last evening a constitution was framed, and a very simple pledge adopted which members will be required to sign.

It is the general tendency of the society to work more by moral example and suasion than by force of law, although there will be no hesitation in invoking the aid of the law whenever necessary to accomplish the objects desired. The members are required by their pledge to report all cases of flagrant cruelty coming under their notice to a member of the executive committee, whose duty it is to investigate the matter fully, and if, in his judgment the matter is of such a nature as to warrant prosecution, he shall see that all the evidence obtainable is forthcoming at the proper time, that the information is properly laid before the police court.

Another meeting will be held in the Board of Trade rooms next Friday evening at 8:30.

Season's Importations Some figures have been gleaned from the books in the custom office showing the number of tons of freight which have been brought to Dawson by river

steamers during the past season of navigation, which will be of interest to many both in the Klondike and out of it.

The first steamer to arrive from up the river with freight after the opening of navigation last spring was the Flora, which arrived here May 16 with 63 tons of merchandise. She made 14 trips during the season and landed here a total of 882 tons.

The Ora made 13 trips with a total of 877 tons.

The Nora made 10 trips and handled 670 tons.

The ill-fated Florence S. made a trip to the Koyukuk country in the early part of the season, and later made two round trips to Whitehorse, bringing a total of 10 tons of freight. On her third trip she was lost.

The steamer Clossett made two round trips and closed the season after bringing 180 tons to be added to Dawson's stores.

The popular passenger boat Sybil made 12 full trips between here and Whitehorse and brought each time upwards of 360 tons, making a total of 4369 tons.

The Gold Star made nine trips and brought a total of 871 tons.

The Emma Nott made five trips, by dint of hard work and perseverance, and landed 186 tons.

The Clara, after five trips has a credit of 545 tons, and is followed on the list by the Yukoner which landed, after 12 trips, 5350 tons.

The Victoran made 11 round trips and never brought less than 455 tons, and closed the year's work after having unladen 5047 tons.

The Canadian made 13 trips and delivered 5915 tons, and the Bailey made 12 trips and landed 132 tons each trip, which foots up to her credit 1584 tons.

The Eldorado brought in seven trips 1820 tons, and the Zealandian brought 141 tons on each of her 11 trips, making a total of 1551 tons.

The Lightning made 10 trips and brought 3550 tons, and the Bonanza King brought 1846 tons. The Anglian made six round trips and carried 884 tons.

The Clifford Sifton made eight trips and brought down 1064 tons, and the J. P. Light landed 2043 tons, and the Quik brought 183 tons. The Monarch brought 269 tons, while the carrying of the Tyrrell is represented by 3264 tons.

The grand total of freight brought by steamers from above shows that 42011 tons of freight were landed in Dawson, as against 12481 tons brought from St. Michael.

"How did Mr. Holdover get the reputation of being such a deep, intellectual person?"

"Well," answered Farmer Courtassel, "we all listened to his speeches, an we judged by his actions that he understood every word he was saying. We concluded from that that he must be a most extraordinary smart man, so we didn't have no more words about it, but sent him right along to congress."

—Washington Star.

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COMING AND GOING.

Get ready to take out a license for your dogs before the pound yard re-opens.

He warns people against traveling that way with anything heavier than an empty sleigh.

Horse travel between here and Moosehide has opened and teams are busy hauling wood.

There is a large space of open water in the Yukon directly between Dawson and West Dawson.

It is rumored that Dr. La Chapelle is to be offered employment at the Forks by the council.

A. McIntosh and wife are stopping at the Regina during their present visit to the city from Bonanza.

Charles Lamb and wife, of Bonanza, are down from their claim to take in the Eagles' entertainment tomorrow evening.

As an educational matter it is proposed to take the children into the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Gaston Honore has broken a trail from the Aurora dock to his cabin on the opposite side of the river, and this morning he broke through the ice.

It is a matter of considerable speculation among people who buy fire wood how their neighbors who do not, manage to keep a good fire on at all times.

Brigham Young, formerly of Salt Lake City, Utah, who journeyed to the Klondike vale without a family, is down from No. 6 lower Doimnion. Mr. Young is not delivering lectures or making converts to any religious faith.

Last evening all the members of the Yukon council present assembled at the courthouse for the postponed meeting, but as Commissioner Ogilvie complained of illness, the meeting was again postponed. It will be held this afternoon at 2:30.

Thirty pieces new cretons at McLenan's.

Notice.

Take notice that, at the expiration of four (4) weeks from this date the persons whose names are hereunder mentioned, intend to apply to the commissioner of the Yukon Territory in council, for letters of incorporation, under the name of The Dawson Transfer & Storage Company, Limited.

The object for which incorporation is sought is for the carrying on of the business of storage and general warehousing, buying and selling merchandise, and general brok-rage business, freighting and operating stage lines, livery and sales stables of live stock, and dealing in carriages and general equipment.

The chief place of business of the company will be in Dawson.

The company intends to incorporate with a capital of thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars in 300 shares of \$100 each.

The applicants for incorporation of the said company are Hein To Role, merchant, Dawson, Frank Wilson Arnold, merchant, Dawson, and Truman Hanbury Heath, merchant, Dawson, and the said applicants are to be the provisional directors of the company.

Dated at Dawson in the Yukon Territory, the 25th day of October, 1900.

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