

"OWNEY."

The Noted Canine Traveler Pays a Visit to Maysville.

And Has His Photo Taken—Something About a Most Remarkable Dog.

"Owney" visited Maysville Sunday. He came in over the Kentucky Central division of the L. and N late Saturday night. He didn't have a ticket or a free pass, but that wasn't necessary as "Owney" is an honored guest in all railway mail coaches. Mail clerk M. H. Owen saw that he came through all o. k. Saturday evening from Cincinnati.

"Owney" was a guest at the postoffice and his dogship was most hospitably treated. He received many visits and whenever he started out for a stroll with Charlie Davis he was the observed of observers.

"Owney" breakfasted with Charley Davis, dined with Albert Huff, had his photo taken by Brosee, was presented with a medal by Ballenger, the jeweler, and then took his departure on the C. and O.'s westbound F. F. V. for Cincinnati.

"Owney" is the most noted canine traveler in the world. He is an overgrown, shaggy-looking terrier of the Scotch-Irish breed. He has been pretty much all over the United States, has visited Canada, and it is said has made one trip to Europe. The postal clerks throughout the land are his special guardians and guides. Very few of them there are who have not heard of "Owney."

"Owney" first made his appearance in postal circles at the Albany (N. Y.) postoffice one cold day in January eight years ago. He was then, to all appearances, a homeless canine, friendless and alone. He had entered the postoffice rotunda, and spying an open door out of which floated delightfully warm air, he dropped in, and found a snug, warm bed upon a large heap of mail sacks. There a clerk espied him. The first thought was to drive the dog out, but having seen a twinkle of the bright, shaggy eyes and an appealing look for sympathy and friendship, the clerk relented, and straightway fed the dog from his lunch basket. That was a memorable day for "Owney."

One of the railway mail clerks registering out, espied "Owney," and induced the Albany clerk to let him take the dog out on the road with him. This was the beginning of the dog's career as a traveler. From that cold winter day eight years ago, when the clerk in the Albany postoffice befriended him, "Owney" has been tenderly cared for by the postal men of the United States up to the present time, and will doubtless be watched over until his death.

His first trip to the Pacific Coast was made four years ago. That time he returned by way of Texas and Mexico. He then had on a plain dog collar, which on that trip was fairly loaded down with medals, checks and tags, bearing inscriptions from railway, mail and postal officials along the route. When he came out of Mexico a bright new Mexican silver dollar had been added to his collection. On this trip he returned by way of Washington, and naturally he visited the Postal Department of the Government, paying a visit to Postmaster-General John Wanamaker. With an eye to the improvement of the service, Mr. Wanamaker had a harness made for Owney, so that he might carry his trophies about with greater ease than when attached to a dog collar. His first harness now rests in a cabinet at the Albany postoffice, along with several strings of trophies gathered in the first year of his travels.

Owney has attended many of the great gatherings of note in the country. He was in New Orleans at the time of the Corbett-Sullivan fight, and he has a Corbett medal to commemorate that event. His history has often been written, and in Marshall Cushing's "History of the United States Postal Service," Owney gets two pages.

Medals and tags attached to his collar and suit of leather harness bearing dates indicate his routes of travel. Owney has traveled so extensively and has been the recipient of so many favors that he could not begin to carry about with him all the medals and tags he has received, so a box has been especially made for him to contain them all, and wherever he goes this box accompanies him. Among other things he now carries a money-bag containing coins, thimble, spoons and buttons. The Maysville letter-carriers presented him with a gold medal yesterday. Here are some of the inscriptions on the medals and tags he now carries:

Albany, N. Y., silver dollar.
Highest real postoffice on earth, Leadville, Colorado, August 18th, 1894.
Tricker, Wichita.
Seattle, Washington, postoffice, October 15th, 1893. "I guess I am Innocence abroad, for I travel through thick and thin, but I meet with kindly treatment and like to be taken in."

J. R. Mill, August 30th, 1894, St. Louis, Mo., 8 a. m.
Colorado Springs, New Almo Hotel.
John Cohen to Owney, souvenir spoon, Leadville, August 20th, 1894.
Johnson Hotel, Nashville, Tenn., No. 57.
Kansas City, Mo., postoffice, August 24th, 1894.
Jacksonville, Fla., July 27th, 1894.
Birmingham, Ala., postoffice, W. B. Copeland, Postmaster, August 4th, 1894.
Bristol, Tenn., July 20th, 1894.
E. H. Luckey, Letter Carrier No. 45, Kansas City, Mo.
Evansville, Ind., postoffice, August 20th, 1894.
Free Coinage, Owney, 15 to 1, Denver, Col., August 15th, 1894.
Madisonville, O., August 31st, 1894.
Spokane, Washington, where bonds sell above par, October 27th, 1893.
Pittsburg, 166, 1892.
Charles R. Havens, Matting Clerk, Wellington, Kas.
W. F. Herwick, 4311 East Seventh street, Kansas City, Mo.
First Attendant R. M. C. Convention, Cincinnati, O., August 31st, 1894.
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, Richard A. McCurdy, President. Largest and best insurance company in the world.
Good for 12½ cents in trade, Vendome Bar Hotel, Leadville, Col.
Acme Hotel, Evansville, Ind.
In God we trust—on silver plate—J. J. Long, Southern Express Company, Knoxville, Tenn. Kansas City dog tax, 1894, No. 2347.
Campbell, August 10th, 1894, K. C. & Kiowa R. P. O.
G. W. Oswald, Dublin, Va.
Dog tax, 1892, 183, LaFayette, Ind.
Tammany badge by people of Maysville, September 2nd, 1894.

TORNADO policies—W. R. Warder, agt.
FRESH spices and vinegar—Calhoun's.
SEE P. S. KEMPER—fire, life and tornado insurance.

CABINETS \$1.50 per dozen at Parker's gallery until September 10.

A FULL line of children's school hats and caps at Mrs. M. Archdeacon's.

AS BREAD is the staff of life it should be made pure by using Chenoweth's Baking Powder; 35 cents a pound.

CHARLES FLEMING, of Augusta, committed suicide Friday at Carlisle by taking morphine. It was his third attempt.

It is now reported that work on the Manchester and West Union electric railroad will be commenced within three weeks.

The steamer M. P. Wells enters the Maysville and Cincinnati trade to-day. She will tow a barge to accommodate the freight traffic.

WHEN your watch needs repairing, take it to Ballenger, the jeweler. He has every facility for such work, and guarantees a satisfactory job in every case.

H. G. CUNNINGHAM has bought the barber shop lately operated by J. Beutler, adjoining Kackley's store, and will be glad to have his friends call. Everything new and clean.

THE Norwood Amusement Club, of Norwood, O., will run an excursion to Oligonunk Sept 8th. The club is composed of Norwood's best citizens and everyone is asked to join them on the excursion.

MR. G. W. HERGER has disposed of his interest in the Globe laundry, and the business will hereafter be conducted by Messrs. Sproemberg & Son. Success to the new firm, is the wish of their many friends.

THE eleventh annual session of the Adams County Pioneer Association was held at West Union Friday. Over 1,000 persons were in attendance. The roll was called and it was found that nine had died since their last meeting.

ON account of the G. A. R. and Naval Veterans Association at Pittsburg September 8th to 15th the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets to Pittsburg at \$8.50. Tickets on sale September 1st to 10th. Return limit September 25th.

ON account of the meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at Paducah, September 16th, the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets to Paducah at \$11.85. Tickets on sale September 16th, 17th and 18th. Return limited to September 23rd.

THE OLD TIME DISTILLERY.

It Was Sold Saturday For \$44,000 to the H. E. Pogue Distillery Company.

Messrs. Jno. N. Thomas & Co's "Old Time" Distillery in the West End was sold Saturday at public auction to the H. E. Pogue Distillery Company for \$44,000.

The property consists of the distillery, the distillery premises, bonded warehouses and other buildings, together with tools, machinery, and appliances and the brands and good will of the firm of Jno. N. Thomas & Co.

The new company is composed of Messrs. H. E. Pogue, J. F. Pogue, Province M. Pogue, Thomas Pogue, (sons of the late H. E. Pogue) and Mr. Charles H. Law of Cincinnati, Mr. W. L. Pogue and Mr. H. C. Sharp of this city. The capital stock of the new company is \$20,000.

ALMOST BLEED TO DEATH.

Mr. Frank Easom Accidentally Cuts an Artery and Has a Narrow Escape.

Mr. Frank Easom had a very narrow escape from death last Saturday afternoon.

While fixing a lock on a table or stand the knife he was using slipped and the point of the blade penetrated the right femoral artery. The artery was not severed, but was cut open lengthwise, the hole being not quite half an inch long.

The accident occurred in the work room in the rear of the office at Mr. Henry Ort's furniture store. Mr. Easom was the only one in the building at the time, but fortunately a customer, Mr. Hiram Earnshaw, walked in shortly afterwards. Mr. Earnshaw found no one in the office and was on the point of leaving when he heard some one groan and fall in the back room. He stepped back and seeing Mr. Easom's condition hurried out for a physician.

Chief of Police Ort was found near the door and hurrying back succeeded in staunching the flow of blood until Dr. Owens arrived and dressed the wound.

Had it not been for the timely assistance of Mr. Ort, the unfortunate man would no doubt have bled to death in a few minutes.

After the cut was dressed, Mr. Easom was removed to his home. He was still in a very critical condition this morning, having spent a very restless night.

GRAZED HIS JUGULAR.

A Cutting Affray at Rectorville—T. F. Goodwin Has a Narrow Escape.

A cutting affray that almost proved fatal to one of the participants occurred at Rectorville about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mr. T. F. Goodwin, the well known agent for the Kentucky Tobacco Fertilizer, and Mr. H. A. Showan, one of his neighbors, got into a dispute over a small crop of tobacco. The lie was finally exchanged, and Mr. Goodwin, according to reports, knocked Mr. Showan off of his horse. Showan got up and went at Goodwin with a knife, slashing him in the side of the neck and stabbing him in the shoulder. The parties were separated before any further harm was done.

The wound in Mr. Goodwin's throat barely missed the jugular.

Constable Dawson arrested Showan and took him before Squire Grant, who set the examining trial for next Wednesday at 10 a. m. Showan was released on \$300 bond.

CAPTAIN THOMAS HALL has about completed repairing and painting his steamer Gate City and his fleet of barges. They present a handsome appearance, and are now ready for business as soon as the river rises.

MR. S. M. WORTHINGTON and family, of Fern Leaf, are moving to Bowling Green, where they will reside hereafter. Mason loses one of her estimable families. Their friends regret their departure, and wish them prosperity and happiness in their new home.

THE Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will give an open session this evening at the church, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. An interesting programme has been prepared. Miss Bruce, who has recently returned from Brazil, S. A., will be present. All are invited.

LOW PRICES that are unprecedented. This can be truly said of the low prices at which I have marked my mammoth stock of ladies' and gentlemen's gold and silver watches. Murphy, the jeweler, is and has always been the leader of low prices, without sacrificing quality. Successor to Hopper & Murphy.

MISS KATE BLATTERMAN will receive pupils for instruction in piano and theory at her home on West Fourth street. Miss Blatterman has received a certificate from the College of Music of Cincinnati. She has had long experience as a teacher, and during two years was assistant teacher in the College of Music.

THE Louisville Evening Post prints special reports from a great number of counties in Kentucky, showing the status of the gubernatorial race between the Honorables Cassius M. Clay, Jr., and P. Wat Hardin. The consensus of opinion seems to be that General Hardin will be the party nominee, and carry the Democratic banner to victory in November, 1895.

A PERSON who saw the upper Ohio recently said it looked so low in many places above Parkersburg, that one could walk across without getting over shoe top, and in some places rocks were piled across the bed of the stream, so that one could actually cross dry shod. The Wheeling Register says that the river is so low in some places that grass wouldn't grow in its bed without being sprinkled.

NEW DRESS GOODS!

Our first invoice of FALL DRESS GOODS is now in stock. It embraces some entirely new things in Covert Cloths, Serges and Novelties; also a full line of Black Wool and Silk and Wool Dress Goods for early Fall.

Fifty Pieces Satteen, in New Dark Styles, at 8½ Cents, Usual Price 12½ Cents.

Browning & Co.,

51 WEST SECOND ST.

MR. ED. PARKER, of the First National Bank, is on the sick list.

COLONEL CHARLES MARSHALL is very sick at his home in Washington.

THE Maysville Shoe Company will put in a dynamo at its plant and furnish its own electric light.

MR. F. B. MILLER, by his agent, Mr. F. Devine, has sold a house and lot on the north side of Third street, Fifth Ward, to Mr. Paul Tierney for \$1,025.

THE ferry boat Laurance has laid up on account of the low water. She grounded several times yesterday, and had to be pulled off by the M. P. Wells.

The Modern Mother.
Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy, than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

Notice.
On all school books charged, 10 per cent. will be added. J. T. KACKLEY & Co.

WANTED.
WANTED—To buy a second hand desk. Apply at this office. 3-42

FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—The residence of the late Dr. Ward on second street, Fifth ward. Possession October 1st. Call on Dr. T. H. N. SMITH or MRS. WARDLE. 314

FOR RENT—Third floor Zweigart building 20x30, high ceiling, wash stand, gas, heating stove and water closet. Janitor and fuel if wanted. G. M. WILLIAMS. 81-61

FOR RENT—Two nice furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply at this office.

FOR RENT—Rooms, with board. Apply to MRS. W. N. HOWE, corner Third and Sutton.

FOR RENT—Two-story dwelling on Second street between Limestone and Vine. The house is in complete repair. Has five rooms and a kitchen. M. C. HUTCHINS, agent. 24-11

FOR RENT—Store house and office on Sutton street. Address D.W. JANUARY, Flemingsburg, Ky. 12411

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room, suitable for a couple of gentlemen. Apply at this office. 12411

FOR RENT—The house on south east corner Front and Market, formerly occupied by Karr & Co. and N. Gollenstein. Apply to GARRITTS, WALL. 122311

LOST.
LOST—Saturday, at the Washington picnic, a brown silk umbrella. Finder will please return same to this office and receive reward.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR.
WE are authorized to announce J. DAVID DYE as the Republican candidate for Assessor.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.
WE are authorized to announce JOHN T. BRAMEL as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in district No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGETAYLOR as a candidate for Justice in Washington Magisterial District No. 3, at the November election, 1894, subject to the action of the people at the polls.

WE are authorized to announce J. J. FERRINE as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in the Third Magisterial district at the November election, 1894.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE S. HANCOCK as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce POWELL B. OWENS as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in Magisterial district No. 4, subject to the vote of the people at the polls.

WE are authorized to announce WILL LOU MORAN as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in the Third Magisterial district, subject to the will of the people, November election, 1894.

WE are authorized to announce M. D. FARROW as a candidate for Justice in the eighth Magisterial district, subject to the will of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN L. GRANT as a candidate for Justice of the Peace in the second Magisterial district, subject to the will of the people, November election, 1894.

FOR CONSTABLE.
WE are authorized to announce CHARLES WALLINGFORD as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial district No. 4, November election, 1894.

WE are authorized to announce SAM J. KOWER as a candidate for Constable in Dover precinct at the November election, 1894, subject to the will of the people.

WE are authorized to announce J. B. MCNUITT as a candidate for re-election as Constable in the Third Magisterial district at the ensuing November election.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE W. COOK as a candidate for Constable in Magisterial district No. 2, subject to the will of the people.

City Taxes!

THE receipts for City Taxes of 1894 are now in my hands for collection. On November 1st a penalty of 10 per cent. will be added to all unpaid. JAMES W. FITZGERALD, City Treasurer.

HAYSWOOD SEMINARY.

This established and popular institution will open the first Monday in September with a full corps of teachers. For particulars and catalogue apply to J. S. HAYS, Principal. 182w

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