

PUBLIC FORUM



Editor, WILMETTE LIFE:

These are the days when your dog needs more care than at any other time of the year. Even the most sociable dog may become snappish and ill-tempered if his needs are not met.

Allow him free access to the cellar —he will soon find that is the coolest place to lie, and will use it as a comfortable retreat when suffering from

Keep his pan of water filled, in a cool and shaded place. A dog needs more water than we do, and should have his pan freshly filled several times a day. It would be well to have one inside the house that he is familiar with, and also one on the out-

If your dog must be chained for a few hours while you are away from home, make him a long trolley line between two trees or two buildings, so that he may get plenty of exercise. Be sure that at least one end of his run is well shaded, and in a cool place where he will not suffer from too much sun.

Use a mild solution of lysol in his bathwater to rid him of fleas during the summer months. If flies bite his ears badly, Oil of Citronella applied morning and afternoon will prevent this to a great extent.

Keep your dog's collar on at all times so that he will not be considered a "lost dog" if out alone. Run your fingers under his collar frequently to make sure he is not outgrowing it, and that it is not too tight for comfort. If your city authorities insist upon muzzling: your dog's muzzle should be properly fitted and removed when not necessary.

Keep some identification on your dog at all times. So often one does not appreciate the importance of this until after the dog is gone and no amount of effort recovers him.

Don't shoot your dog or become unnecessarily alarmed if he has a "fit" or "foams" at the mouth. These are symptoms of a number of different conditions, practically none of which are dangerous to mankind. In such cases, put your dog in the basement or bathroom, telephone your veterinarian and ask his advice.

if you think your dog is sick. Instead only a few days.

consult your veterinarian who is qualified to advise you.

And don't call your veterinarian as a last resort, but consult him by telephone if you are in doubt regarding your dog's condition. It is both humane and economical to give attention to your dog's ailments promptly, if symptoms of sickness appear.

Irene C. McLaughlin.

Editor WILMETTE LIFE:

While Monday evening's rainstorm was at its height and men and women were crowded under the shelter at the Wilmette station, patiently waiting for taxis, cars or umbrellas, John Welton Fisher, Jr., modestly exhibited a kindliness and thoughtfulness which deserves honorable mention in the neighborhood news. He drove his car alongside the platform and said, quietly, "May I take someone home?" And when two people were seated with him on the front seat he explained that some neighbor had taken him home when he came out from town and he thought it was his turn to take his car out in the rain and perform a similar act for some of his fellow townspeople. When one of his passengers stepped out of the car he called back, "This generous act ought to qualify you as a Master -Onlooker. Scout."

PLAYWRIGHT HERE

G. Whitfield Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cook, 531 Eighth street, Wilmette, who has been in New York City all year, will spend June and July with his parents. His latest play, "Saints Parade," made its first public appearance in New Haven last spring. He will return to New York in August.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Crews, 613 Central avenue, were among the north shore residents to attend the dedication ceremonies for the new Abraham Lincoln monument in Springfield, Ill.

Miss Helen and Miss Dorothy Sears left Kenilworth June 20, for New Don't seek advice from your butch- York, where Miss Helen will remain er, your preacher, or your plumber, some time and Miss Dorothy will stay Phones Wilmette 183-184

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