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The Russian explorer Prejevalsky said, after his recent journey to Northern Tibet, that an enormous amount of animal life was supported by the scanty herbage growing on these bleak half-sterile plains that form the highest plateau in the world, some 13,000 feet above the sea. He said the wild yaks there must number millions, and that a full-grown yak weighs from 1,600 to 1,800 pounds. Nature's chemistry evolves these great masses of flesh from the poor herbage of a region so lofty that its lakes are frozen over until nearly June, though they are 600 miles nearer the equator than we are.

Explorers tell us that not only does animal life flourish in this desert, but man can live in some of the most desolate parts of the globe. It is a mistake to suppose that the Sahara Desert is merely a sandy waste. Much of it lacks not so much cultivable land as industrious hands to make the vast expanse of withered oases blossom again. The Musselman sect known as the Semoussians has for years been digging wells, irrigating the land, and turning many hundreds of barren acres into gardens. Twenty-four years ago it planted its headquarters in the desert near the western border of Egypt, built reservoirs, began plantations, erected convents, and now a population of 8,000 people live at Jarabub, where the soil has been restored to fertility by their labors. There are large areas in the Sahara that need only rain or irrigation to cover them with verdure. Through these regions pass the caravan routes, along which the camels engaged in the Saharan commerce bear their burdens.

Mr. Anderson, the civil engineer, who last year completed sixteen years of exploration in South Africa, between the Orange and the Zambezi rivers, says that the rain that falls for a few weeks every year in the great region known as the Kalahari desert covers the blackened, verminous plain with splendid vegetation. Game is abundant there, especially lions, leopards and ostriches, and he has counted in this desert twenty-two lions in a troop, and has seen 200 ostriches in one flock. Beasts and birds find sustenance in this region where only a few bushmen hunters live. Far northeast of them on the semi-arid steppes of Kordofan and Darfur millions of sheep and camels exist on the scanty pasturage of that desert region. The earliest Arctic explorers found in the little Spitzbergen Archipelago, where, it is believed, no human being had ever lived—herds of reindeer upturning the snow with their hoofs and noses to get at the lichens on which they fed. Many reindeer live as far north as Littleton Island, and several scores of them were killed by the Hayes and Peary expeditions. Musk oxen of their traces have been found along the shores of the great frozen sea as far north as explorers have attained. Lockwood, far north of the supposed limits of animal life, found traces of this wonderful quadruped, which grows fat on the tender shoots of the Arctic willow, and plows up the snow for moss and lichens.

Of all parts of the earth the Antarctic regions alone are comparatively destitute of life. Few species of living things in the vegetable or animal kingdom can endure the rigor of the south polar region. No terrestrial quadruped inhabits the land within the Antarctic circle, and whales and seals are the only mammals that enter its area. Summer in the Arctic regions, with its abundant life on land and in the air and sea, presents an animated and cheerful scene compared with the utter desolation that reigns perpetually in Antarctic waters.—New York Sun.

A young woman resident of *SPRINGFIELD, N. H.*, is now rapidly recovering from a singular illness. Over a year ago she had several teeth extracted by a dentist while under the influence of chloroform, and immediately afterward she was seized with a bad cough and gradually wasted and took her bed, as it was supposed, in consumption. Several physicians examined her case, one of whom attributed her illness to an ulcer in the throat and gave her a remedy. The medicine resulted in a severe paroxysm of coughing, during which she threw out a tooth that had lodged in her throat while she was chloroformed and remained, nearly costly her her life.

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The Secretary told Judge Hanna the whole story, and, in concluding, said he trusted that the new Minister would now appreciate the imperative necessity of getting into Teheran without an escort of elephants and camels, and that he would, with Jeffersonian simplicity, decline to be made a lion by the Persians at the expense of his own Government.—Washington Dispatch.

Miss Corlin, who won the prize at the late beauty show in Paris, is twenty years of age and a native of this city.

Nothing New.

Paul Boyton's prank in placing a jummy torpedo against the British war ship *Gauntlet* in New York harbor brings to mind Sergt. Lee's attempt to blow up Lord Howe's flagship, the *Eagle*, in the same waters in 1776. He used a torpedo-boat invented by David Bushnell, afterward a captain in the patriotic army. It had been tried with success experimentally, and gave promise of being useful in serious warfare. The first opportunity for such use occurred when the British fleet took possession of New York harbor. The *Bushnell* boat was more like a barrel than a boat, large enough for one person. When floating upright, the navigator's head was a little above the level of the water. By means of two force pumps, worked by the occupant's feet, the vessel could be made to sink or rise in the water by forcing water out or in, and so changing its specific gravity. Its progress horizontally was governed by two revolving paddles in front, turned by a crank inside. The torpedo was fastened to the back of the boat by a screw, the release of which set in motion a clock connected with a gun-lock and flint. After the predetermined interval of time had elapsed, the clock would strike and ignite the powder. The torpedo carried by Lee against the *Eagle* was charged with 150 pounds of powder (some say 120 pounds), and the clock was set to explode the charge in thirty minutes after the torpedo was placed. Lee was towed to the neighborhood of the fleet by a party in whale boats, and then proceeded to attack the vessel alone. He succeeded in reaching the *Eagle*, a sixty-four gun ship, undetected, and spent a long time in a vain attempt to fasten the torpedo to her bottom with hooks and screws, a band of iron at the edge of the copper sheathing proving an especially serious obstacle. As daylight approached he was compelled to leave the fleet and return to the city. Of Governor's island he was intercepted by a British targe, when, to avoid capture, he exploded his torpedo, escaping from his pursuers during the panic which the explosion excited. If the torpedo had been provided with a strong magnet, the strip of iron which thwarted him would have insured the success of his undertaking, and the use of torpedoes in naval warfare might have been hastened half a century.—Scientific American.

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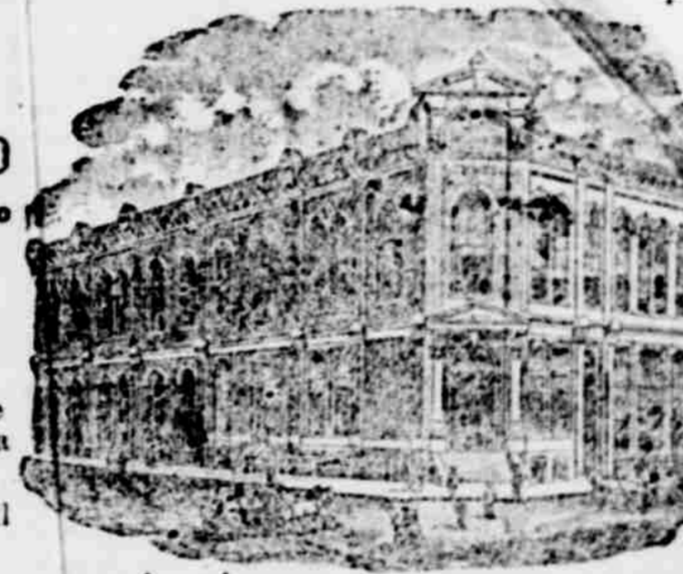
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