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Two "Items of Interest"

There is an article in the Herald of the 29th inst. which is interesting to the casual reader. It is an account of the capture of a "lightning" played a queer caper in a ranch near Buffalo, W. T., recently. It struck a barb wire fence and for a distance of 100 yards melted the bars without injuring the strands, and perforated one of the posts, holding the wires to the posts. The extracted ends were apparently turned into steel screws and metal plates. Jim Bierline, living near White Creek, Tex., killed a very large chicken snake a few days ago and noting the snake's body was unusually large and ill shaped, made an incision and found it to contain a large cow horn, and in the horn a prairie rat. It is supposed that the snake chased the rat into the horn, and so secured the rat swallowed the horn.—New York Sun.

An Increase in "Artist Authors."

It is surprising to note what an increase there has been within the last fifteen years in that class known as "artist authors." Thirty-five years ago T. Addison Richards, and the late David H. Strother ("Porte Crayon"), almost held a monopoly in that field. Today we have a veritable army of men doing similar work. W. Hamilton Gibson, Howard Pyle, Allen C. Headward and Rufus E. Zolman are perhaps best known, but there is a host of others, especially on the comic papers and the daily press, who, while turning out fair work for artists, can write you a neat story or article, or produce any amount of jingling rhymes. Oliver Herford, Harrington, Michael A. Wolf, W. H. McDougall are a few of those whose work is most frequently seen.—"D. B." in The Epoch.

Protection from Umbrella Floods.

In New York a sagacious man with a diligent regard for the safety of his fellow beings has invented a globular rubber tip to go on the point of umbrellas and comes to prevent their improper intrusion into the eyes of human beings. The tips are on the same plan as the rubber guard on a foil. They hurt the appearance of a stick, but on an umbrella they are not so disgusting.—Chicago Herald.

The Young Emperor's Suggestion.

The curt remark of the young German emperor the other day to the municipal authorities of his capital, "Make it your business to see that more churches are built in Berlin," has no significance that appears on the surface. For Berlin, notwithstanding Bismarck's boast that the Germans love God and fear nobody, is the poorest capital of Christendom in the matter of churches. It has little more than sixty places of worship to satisfy the wants of nearly a million and a half of people, and the number of worshippers in all the churches on an average Sunday is said to be less than 2 per cent. of the entire population. Doubtless the young emperor thinks anarchy, communism and lawlessness are calculated to find a congenial soil for growth in a city where only 25,000 out of over a million of people assemble in the churches on Sunday.—Once a Week.

The Largest Gas Well.

The new roaring gas well of the Philadelphia company, back of Canonsburg, in Washington county, according to the registered pressure, is the largest in the world. The gas looks like a solid piece of blue steel for some distance after it comes out of the pipe. Solid masonry, twelve feet thick, was put in around the top of the well to hold the cap on. The tools and rope thrown over were, perhaps, the heaviest of any yet moved in that way. The iron in the tools weighed 3,000 pounds; the wet rope, nearly 2,000 feet long, weighed as much more, but all was thrown up like a rocket.—Boston Transcript.

A correspondent wants to know what would be a good name for a cat boat. Call her "Kitty" sonny.

A Wonderful Rocking Stone.

Imagine a stone, in size containing about 500 cubic feet, in shape nearly as round as an orange, in weight not less than 80,000 pounds, or forty tons, and so nicely balanced upon a table of rock that a child ten years of age, by pushing against either the north or south side, can rock it back and forth; yet the strength of 100 men, without levers or other appliances, would be insufficient to dislodge it from its position. Such is the celebrated rocking stone on the farm of Mr. J. McLaury, two miles west of Monticello. This is one of the greatest natural curiosities in our whole country. What sculptor could chisel out a piece of marble of its size, and then pose it so nicely that it would vibrate under so light a touch? But its shape, size and position are not the most wonderful things about it. Its body is composed of a somewhat loose and soft sandstone in which are imbedded numberless round and flinty pebbles, of a diamond like hardness. In all the valley where it is situated it is the solitary specimen of its class. Around and under, the rocks are of a totally different structure. The table on which it rests is a hard stone, nearly as hard and close grained as the blue stone of our quarries. From whence came this wanderer and how?—Monticello (N. Y.) Watchman.

Stude at the Carlisle School.

Sixty-two of the Indian students who have spent five or more years at the Carlisle Indian school at Carlisle, Pa., were sent to their homes in the west recently. Some went to Montana, some to Idaho, others to Arizona, New Mexico, Indian territory, Nebraska and Dakota, representing fifteen different Indian agencies. This party of Indian youth was the brightest crowd of boys and girls ever sent out by the Carlisle school. In fact, so much confidence was placed in them that they were allowed to return to their western homes without an escort, something never before done in the history of the school. The party consisted of thirty-five large boys, six small ones and twenty-one girls. Some of them were very glad to return to their relatives, from whom they have been separated so long, but others appreciated the fact that there is no gratification for them from the Indian ways when once brought in contact with them again at their homes, and much preferred to remain in the east. The demand of the parents, of course, overthrews the desire of the young Indians, and the government, being up to its obligation to remain all students at the expiration of their time, sends them back.—Boston Transcript.

One of the Hot Places.

When Asbury Park is the hottest place on this side of the earth. For some credit goes to the sun, and some to the ocean, and one goes round with the feeling that it is directly under the rays of a burning star. Why then a torrid spot should have been selected for the camp meeting, round which, as a nucleus, these places have grown, it is difficult to imagine, but perhaps the temperature rose afterward, as the result of the concentration of so much religious fervor in one spot. However that may be, it is noticeable that there is a just as soon as one gets within the boundary lines. Every body who has been to Asbury Park knows that there are no little preachers, no blind, grave and revealed clergymen; colored people in great numbers; nannies, with their nurses and little ones. The ladies are the only people who display much energy, and they have a good deal more than their nurses feel to be at all desirable, considering the position of the mercury. Quezinas, however, is conspicuous by its absence—a pretty girl is a rare avis. Perhaps it is the way the girls get themselves up, but they produce the impression of being a singularly ill favored company.—New York Star.

Going a Little Too Fast.

One of the doctors is warning summer vacationists that their chief danger is going too fast. "The most common error at the start is overdoing." There is a walk of several miles on a mountain; or, if it is bathing in the sea, an hour is spent among the waves. "Degreeing to grow into anything," says one of the old writers, "is reserved unto the wise men." He adds that any change that is made in our mode of life should be gradual. "The first exercise of any kind should never be to the extent of fatigue. As to bathing, it is to be remembered that man is not an aquatic animal." The trouble with those who seek a summer's rest is that they are carried away by the novelty of new situations and do not content themselves with peacefully enjoying anything. This is particularly so of the women, who naturally hugely enjoy a break up of the monotony of housekeeping.—Globe-Democrat.

Not the Right Temperament.

Summer Resort Hotel Man—I am very sorry, sir, but you won't do here and I must dispense with your services.
New Clerk—Eh! What's the matter?
"You are too thin skinned."
"Sir?"
"Oh, I mean no offense, none at all; it's your misfortune, not your fault. You see your skin is so thin that the blood shows through. You blush up easily and when the thermometer is over 100 in the shade your face gets so red and you look so uncomfortable that it drives away custom."—Omaha World.

The Baby's Endurance.

Some genius with a fancy for handling babies has figured out that a piece of wood the size of a month old baby would be worn down one-half in six months if handled as much as the average baby is.—Nashville American.

Philadelphia hotel men calculate they give away \$3,000 worth of stationery a year by letter writing finds who don't pay the hotels a cent.

SEEN ON A TRAIN.

Peculiar Phases of Life Noted by an Old Railroad Conductor.

"Yes," said an old conductor on one of our trunk lines recently, "we see all manifestations of human happiness and sorrow here in the course of a few months. Sometimes we carry a funeral party in one part of the train and a lot of roistering pleasure seekers on another. We become accustomed to such scenes, and the hurry and worry of our work prevents our sympathizing or rejoicing with them, no matter how much we might feel so disposed. And did you ever observe how few people there are who manifest any breeding when traveling? People who would be called cultured at home will sometimes act in the most shocking manner aboard a train. How frequently we see men, and even women, with their feet upon the velvet cushions in front of them. Men who would be ashamed to have it known that they use the weed will spit tobacco juice over the foot rests and floor until they render the place they occupy useless for decent people. These coaches are scrubbed, dusted and polished every trip, but people don't seem to appreciate it.

"It's a fine place to study human nature. For instance, look at that man curled up in the space usually occupied by four passengers. He thinks that because he takes his boots off he has the right to project his big dirty feet into the aisle as far as he pleases. But no matter; I can squeeze by them when necessary, and perhaps give his legs a tweak now and then that will make him think we have been telescoped.

"But all people are not bores. You can distinguish the true lady or gentleman here as elsewhere. They are never impatient, drunk, nor sprawling dead asleep over the seats. They seem to take it for granted that all is being done for their speed and comfort that is possible, and are satisfied. Course men, women, and old people make us the most trouble. They seldom make us exactly what they want, and so are never at ease. The latter class we can tolerate for humanity's sake—but the men. Why, I feel like pitching them from the train stop pastboard entities. They imagine their little slip of pastboard entities them to all the room they can occupy and a voice in the train management besides.

"We see all sorts of pairings, of course, but there is one kind I shall never get used to, and that is a square, manly young fellow leaving his old father or mother or sweetheart. I tell you the 'God bless you' and 'Be a good boy' and the tears mean something then, and don't you forget it. When he takes his seat he has plenty to think about, and you can tell by a glance at his face that life for him has begun in dead earnest. May be you have been there yourself? I have, and seizing his lantern he left me to my meditations.—Chicago News.

The Ups and Downs of Civilization.

The continent is an armed camp. The nations labor, as the Jews rebuilt Jerusalem, with a sword in one hand and their industrial tools in the other. Restless, suspicious armies are camped side by side where formerly nations lived and labored. Every year some one or other of these armies invents some more deadly weapon than its rival, some more terrible explosive, some more expeditious mode of slaughter. No sooner does this happen than all the others hasten to adopt it, piling on with desperate energy the papyrus of armor beneath which humanity is crushed. Amid the ceaseless ebb and flow of human affairs, one phenomenon never varies. The sum expended on armaments ready for slaughter constantly increases. Every year more and more is drained from the soil to pour to feed the magazines. Every year the barrack gains on the cottage, and preparation for war becomes the absorbing preoccupation of a great proportion of the labor of our year.

From every able bodied man this armed peace exacts three, four or five years of life when it is at its richest and brightest. When the youth steps into manhood and begins to dream of love and labor and of the sweet joys of home and family, there swoops down upon him the kidnapper of Mars and carries him off to the barracks and the camp. This vast organization for murder is the up and down of civilization, and all the continent is sickening under its fatal shade. The first cost is the cost in actual cash paid down, the second in life wasted at its prime, the third in the condition of unrest which saps the sense of security necessary for the prosecution of business. Business is difficult when peace is not worth three months' purchase. Every year commerce becomes more and more impoverished. Every year, therefore, any disturbance of peace becomes more dangerous to the trader. Even the shadow of war now produces far more serious dislocation of industry than in old times was caused by the actual progress of a campaign. For in old times every parish was a little world in itself, a microcosm capable of independent existence, and able to carry on its own business and grow its own crop if all the rest of the world was in confusion. Today all this has changed. A network of rail arteries and telegraph nerves now knits all Europe into one organism.—Fall Mall Gazette.

Fishes of the Sea.

Though no sharp line of separation can be drawn, marine fishes are roughly divided, for convenience, into three categories—shore fishes, which habitually frequent coast lines, and rarely descend to a greater depth than 300 fathoms; pelagic fishes, which inhabit the open sea, most of them spawning there also, and the deep sea fishes, which live where the influence of light and surface temperature is but little felt. The shore fishes, according to Heilprin, number upward of 3,500 species. Their northern range extends to or beyond the eighty-third parallel of latitude, but in the southern hemisphere they are not known to go beyond the sixtieth parallel. In the different zones these fishes are largely identical in both the Atlantic and Pacific basins, as well as on the opposite side of these basins.

Tropical waters, however, produce a greater abundance and diversity of forms than those of temperate regions, while the reefs give to the Pacific and Indian oceans more species than the Atlantic. Our still very meager knowledge of the pelagic fishes is sufficient to indicate that the number of such types is very limited. They diminish rapidly from the equator, and become rare beyond the fortieth parallel. Of the deep sea fishes, Gunther enumerated upward of fifty forms supposed to have been obtained from depths exceeding 1,000 fathoms, twenty-six from depths exceeding 2,000 fathoms, and nine from 2,500 fathoms. Other species have since been obtained, one from the extreme depth of 2,900 fathoms.—Land and Water.

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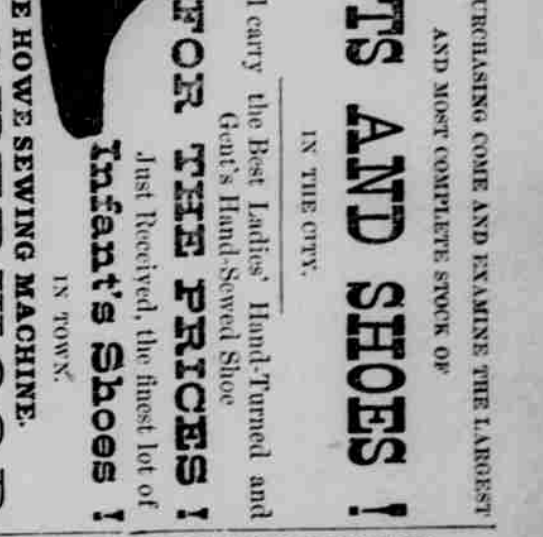
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