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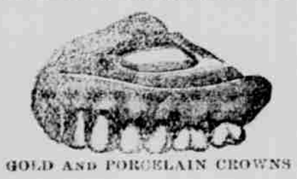

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In the mining bureau may be seen a very fine specimen of the remarkable large land crab known as the purse crab, or Birgus latro, which is well preserved in a glass jar. This is one of the largest species of land crab known. It is sometimes found from 18 to 24 inches in length when fully stretched out, and is capable of erecting itself to the height of nearly a foot from the ground, which it readily does if irritated, retreating and exhibiting to the utmost its powers of offense and defense.

It is somewhat allied to the hermit crab, but having the abdomen or tail shorter, yet very large, on the under side of which it carries its eggs in immense quantities. Its under side is soft and membranous, its upper surface covered with strong plates, which overlap one another as in lobsters. The first pair of legs have large and powerful pincers; the second and third pairs of legs are terminated by a single nail; the pair next to them are a little smaller, with small pincers; the pair of legs nearest to the abdomen are very small, but terminated by rudimentary pincers.

When teased this crab is so powerful in its first claws and legs as to be able to cling to a stick, and can hold its own weight to be carried for over a half hour before letting go. It can travel about as fast backward as forward if pursued. It is generally of a yellowish brown color, its limbs being, however, covered with little blackish projections.

It is never found far from the sea, to which it is said to pay visits in order to moisten its gills, but it always resides on land, and is generally found in holes under the roots of trees, especially of cocoanut trees, which it prefers, and where it accumulates great quantities of the fibers of the cocoanut husks, as if to keep itself warm or for a soft bed. As a general thing the purse crab stays in these holes during the daytime and comes out at night.

Its food generally consists of cocoanuts, also the nuts of a species of palm known as Pandanus odoratissmus, and other nuts, which it climbs the trees to procure, cutting the cocoanut from the tree with its heavy claws, and after it has cut down two or three it descends and commences to pull the husk from them.

In its manner of dealing with cocoanuts it exhibits a remarkable instinct, as it always begins to tear off the husk at the end where the eyes are. It then makes a hole through the eye from which the nut would germinate. This is done by striking the fruit with its heavy claw and breaking it sufficiently to admit one of the small legs, by which it scoops out the nut with its small pincers. Sometimes it seizes the nut by one of its great pincers and breaks it against a stone.

The purse crab is found in the mountains and in the more eastern islands of the Indian ocean, as well as on some of the islands of the South Pacific, more especially in the Caroline islands, which are a low coral group.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Hats and Heads.

It has been noticed by Mr. Henry Heath, who sends hats all over the world, from Calcutta to Peru, that different nationalities possess heads of distinctive sizes and shapes. For instance, Germans have very round heads, a peculiarity shared by our own royal family. The average English head is what hatters call a good shape—that is, rather long. The Scotch, one is not surprised to learn, are very long headed. Canadians are distinguished by exceptionally large heads. South Americans by very small ones. Australians, again, have rather small heads. The subject is an interesting one, and worth pursuing further if space allowed. The heads of individuals also vary a good deal from time to time, shrinking during illness or mental worry, and generally becoming smaller with advancing years. As to shape, there is such a thing as fashion, but it only affects mashers: men stick to much the same shape year after year.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Detecting a Thief.

"John Napier," Miss Warrender tells us, "pursued his studies and researches in Merchiston. He was supposed by the vulgar to be deeply versed in magic, and to possess a familiar in the shape of a jet black cock. The story goes that once when some petty thefts had been committed in the castle, of which one of the servants was suspected, Napier brought them all up the winding stairs into a darkened room, where the cock was placed. He commanded them to stroke its back, declaring that it would crow at the touch of the guilty person. During the whole ceremony the cock remained silent, but afterward the hand of the culprit was found to be free from the soot with which the bird's feathers had been liberally sprinkled."

How the People of Sangir Keep Time.

The people of Sangir, an island of the Malay Archipelago, keep time by the aid of an hour glass formed by arranging two bottles neck to neck. The sand runs out in half an hour, when the bottles are reversed. Close by them a line is stretched, on which hang twelve sticks marked with notches from one to twelve, with a hooked stick, which is placed between the hour last struck and the next one. One of these glasses keeps the time for each village, for which purpose the hours are sounded on a gong by a keeper. —London Tit-Bits.

A Lucky Boy.

A lad at Annapolis was lying on a lounge reading a novel, when a bullet, fired a quarter of a mile away, came through a door, fell upon his chest and slipped down into his vest pocket, where he found it half an hour later. He thought his brother had hit him with a spool.—Detroit Free Press.

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