

Today

**Fearful and Wonderful.
Poor Sacred Monkeys.
5 Contained Picked Up.
He Enjoyed Killing.**

By ARTHUR BRIBANE.

Glands, radio and cross-word puzzles occupy this age. A gland fluid, taken from the base of the brain in animals, is to be used as a restorative for human beings.

Dr. H. M. Evans, distinguished scientist, of the University of California, who calls his discovery "vitamin X," has developed an extract from the pituitary gland with which animals can be made to grow to gigantic size.

H. G. Wells foresaw that in one of his novels, as Jules Verne foresaw other wonders. Science is just beginning to understand that most wonderful of all machines, the living body, "fearfully and wonderfully made."

Religious men and women in India are agitated because cold-blooded Christians, or their agents, are slaughtering India's thousands of sacred monkeys, for the sake of their glands, the latter being transplanted in the bodies of aged, weak humans.

The sacred monkeys are vanishing rapidly, and natives warn the government that the gods—monkey gods, presumably—will have vengeance on India.

It is a strange situation. Consider that the glands of a sacred monkey might become, in an almost literal sense, the physical father of some human white child, born to a rejuvenated old man.

That thought would annoy Bryan, as much as it would surprise Darwin.

A radio expert in Paris "picked up" in one day the broadcasting of five different continents. He got Mesopotamia, in Asia, Canada in America, England in Europe, Palmerston, New Zealand, and Oran, in Africa.

When the great day comes, and the four angels, as described in the Bible, lift up their voices, at the four corners of the earth, they will be heard by radio listeners on the other side of the world before they are heard by those a quarter of a mile away. That is a miracle.

In Budapest Lieutenant Lederer, arrested for murder, confesses that he hanged 15 persons. He adds: "I always put on white gloves for the ceremony, and found my greatest pleasure in the hangings."

At that we all shudder, and wonder how any monster could actually enjoy hanging his fellow men. And yet, not long ago, English merchants, on their knees outside parliament, begged that there might be fewer sets of gallows in their small town. The king, bishop, lord of the manor, and merchants all had their gallows and separate hangmen. The merchants protested that too many men were being hanged. But nobody was willing to give up his gallows, or the right to hang his fellows.

Now a fine estate, for sale with gallows and the right to hang men on it, would not attract buyers. Refined families would avoid it.

Wall street was not quite so cheerful yesterday. There was nothing much the market. But money for gambling went up to 3 1/2 per cent, and brokers had to have a reason.

Some of them settled on Secretary Hughes' resignation. Any explanation is better than none, although why Secretary Hughes' departure should make stocks less valuable, the ordinary lamb does not know.

There may be some bad news coming out, something not yet discounted.

Miserable drunkards, in Atlantic City, complain to the police that their hands were burned by men from whom they bought whisky. To get rid of them and wake them up, after poisonous stuff had made them unconscious, the saloonkeepers dropped red-hot coins upon the palms of the sleepers' hands.

If the injured men could realize what the drink sellers do to their insides, with the bootleg whisky they sell, they would worry less about a burned hand. You can cure that.

It is proposed to create an "air port" for New York by roofing over the yards of the Pennsylvania railroad. Temporary landing and leaving places for fliers might thus be provided in many cities. That ought to be done. Automobile roads, without grade crossings, could also be easily provided, making a roadway above railroad tracks running out through city suburbs. Railroads should be properly compensated, of course.

Makeshift air ports will soon be outgrown, however. Before you die, in every big city the week end will see thousands of flying "club cars," each with its load of passengers, flying off to mountains, or seaside, in summer, to Florida, California, etc., in winter.

In 10 years Florida will be as near New York City as Atlantic City is now.

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The Daily Cross Word Puzzle.

By RICHARD H. TINGLEY.

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Horizontal.

- 1—Moderate temperature.
- 5—Whirl.
- 9—Bustle.
- 10—Edible grain.
- 12—Uprisings.
- 14—Limit.
- 15—A plot.
- 18—Part of shoe.
- 20—European deer.
- 21—Cross word puzzle worker.
- 22—Gait.
- 24—Novice.
- 26—Insane.
- 28—Fatness.
- 32—To move rapidly.
- 33—Before.
- 34—Curve.
- 35—Location.

Vertical.

- 2—Propeller.
- 3—Poem.
- 4—Adore.
- 5—Disposed of.
- 6—Caress.

Solution of yesterday's puzzle.

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27—Lowers.
28—A mineral.
29—Small cake.
30—Three.
31—Notwithstanding.

The solution will appear tomorrow:

DRESS SHOPPE BUYERS GO EAST
Miss Ruth McGuire and Mrs. O. H. Walter, from the McGuire dress shop, left Thursday for New York on a buying trip for spring models.

Hall Dedicated at Salem.
Falls City, Jan. 15.—Salem's new \$10,000 I. O. O. F. hall, replacing the building burned a year ago, was formally dedicated with fitting ceremonies this afternoon. W. H. Van Cleave, Tsakamah, grand master of the lodge, was in charge, assisted by several other state officers.

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Better Than a Cross-Word Puzzle; Solve This for Free Theater Ticket

English is composed of 26 single letters, 676 two-letter combinations, 17,576 three-letter combinations, 456,976 four-letter combinations, etc.

The only living person who knows them all is Birdie Reeve, the youthful prodigy appearing this week at the Orpheum.

How many do you know? Here's a chance to test your wit and perhaps earn a free ticket to the Orpheum.

The Omaha Bee is printing three of these Reeve's Original Word Puzzles. To each person solving all three puzzles will be given a free ticket to the Orpheum theater.

The first puzzle was printed in The Evening Bee Wednesday. Perhaps you missed it Wednesday so here it is again:

o l d i g a s e e c t t h e d o h l o

The idea is to make a word of any combination of letters. For instance, AB as in abhor, AC as in pack, ABC as in abcession. Get the idea? Did you have any trouble with the foregoing sentence? Really, it's quite easy. And just to show you how easy it is here is the answer:

Cooldige has been elected to the chieftom of the nation.

Easy? Simple? Of course. Now that you have the answer to Sentence No. 1, try Sentence No. 2, printed herewith and in tomorrow's edition of The Omaha Bee you'll find Sentence No. 3. Send in the correct answer to the three sentences and the free ticket to the Orpheum is yours. Here's Sentence No. 2:

T h d o h W O W s a t e a m a h

Just study it a little bit. You can't miss it.

Answers must be in The Bee office by 6 p. m. Saturday.

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NORTHWESTERN MAKES TRANSFER

Frank Walters, vice president, in charge of operations of the Northwestern railroad and well known in Omaha, will also assume the duties of vice president in charge of maintenance of the road, according to word received in Omaha Thursday from Chicago.

Woodmen at Sidney Hold Anniversary Celebration
Stromsburg, Jan. 15.—Modern Woodman camp of this city held a combined celebration of the forty-second anniversary of the society and the thirty-seventh anniversary of the local camp. State Forester William Kelso exhibited moving pictures. District Deputy R. W. Henry gave a talk about the growth of the society. A. B. Hedblom, consul of the local camp gave a brief history of the camp.

Stromsburg camp has recently won the Tenth district prize for adopting the largest number of new members during the three months ending December 31 and will receive a gold watch and other prizes.

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