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THE BLUE RACER.

It is About the Fleetest Thing in the Reptile Family.

"The swiftest snake I have ever known is the blue racer, as we used to call the reptile in the Arkansas foothills, and I want to tell you this particular snake can travel like a blue streak," said a man from Arkansas. "The fact is, the name 'blue racer' was given to the snake because of the reptile's fleetness. I have seen blue racers dart across the road at such a rapid pace that you could only see a mere suggestion of blue, and if you did not happen to know the snake and its habits you would not know what it was. You could not possibly get the idea that it was a snake you had seen flash through the dust of the country road unless you knew something of the blue racer. Just what speed the snake makes I do not know, but it is a rapid pace. The rattlesnake is supposed to have good speed, and, as a matter of fact, the rattler can whiz along at a pretty swift gait, but the rattlesnake is not in it with the blue racer. It would be interesting to know just how fast different snakes travel, and if we knew I dare say we would find that the blue racer is about the fleetest thing in the reptile family."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

SCIENCE OF LIVING.

An Ounce of Good Cheer Is Worth a Pound of Melancholy.

"It has been said that it is better to be born lucky than rich," said Dr. George F. Butler, "but it is in fact better to be born tough than either lucky or rich. After forty eat less and eliminate more. Drink more pure water and keep the peristaltic wave of prosperity constantly moving down the alimentary canal. Many people suffer from too much business and not enough health. When such is the case they had better cut out business and society for a time and come down to mush and milk and first principles. Don't be foolish. Eat less and play more. Indulge in less fret and fume and more fruit and fun. There are people too indolent to live healthily—literally too lazy to live. Work your brains and keep in touch with people. Do something for others and forget yourself. There is nothing so lame and detrimental to mind and health as the conversation of people on their aches and pains and troubles. The froth of whipped eggs is a tonic compared to it. All our appetites are conditional. Enjoyment depends upon the scarcity. A worker in any field whose age is near either the shady or sunny side of fifty should consider himself in his prime, good for another half century of temperate, judicious work. Let grandma wear bright ribbons and gaudy gowns if the colors become her, and let grandpa be as drollish as he pleases, with flashy neckties and cheerful garb. Both will be younger for it, and, besides, it is in harmony with nature. Gray hair is honorable; that which is dyed is an abomination before the Lord. Cultivate thankfulness and cheerfulness. An ounce of good cheer is worth a pound of melancholy."—Medical News.

TRIBUTE TO A CHINAMAN.

Irrigon (Ore.) Regrets the Departure of Honest Ging Yick.

A fine gold watch was presented to Ging Yick a few days ago on his departure for home in the Flowery Kingdom, says the Irrigon (Ore.) Irrigator. It was presented by the people of Irrigon in token of the high esteem in which Ging is held and bore this inscription: "To Ging Yick from his Oregon friends, Aug. 5, 1905."

Ging Yick has left us and gone to China, the land of his birth, where a loving wife and family yearn for his coming. He has not seen them for over eight years, and there is among them one son, now almost eight years old, whom he has never seen.

Ging has been in the employ almost constantly for seventeen years of some member of the present Oregon Land and Water company, and for nearly three years he has been at this place, cooking in camp, in cook house and finally in the hotel. He and Mr. Holbrook were the pioneers of Stokes, now Irrigon.

There are people who do not like our almond eyed Celestial friends. They call them "chinks" and think them an inferior race, unfit to deal or associate with. To all such we would point to our friend Ging. He was a cook. He never posed for more than he was, but there is not a person in the state of Oregon who did his duty better, more honorably and honestly or in a pleasant, gentler way than did Ging.

The editor of the Irrigator is not a worshiper of the yellow man. He believes that for many reasons they will never, can never, assimilate with the great English speaking family. But we do believe in giving yellow men, brown or black men credit—full credit—when they perform their duty exceptionally well.

And Ging did more than this. He did it always cheerfully, always promptly, and he had the intuition to do the right thing at the right time. And over and above and beyond this he was honest clear down to his toes, not because he was watched or because he feared detection, but because it was his nature to be honest and loyal and true.

He goes to China never to return. He cannot come back owing to the laws of our country, but he does not care much, for he has been frugal and saving and ranks as a rich man at home. But we often wish that there was some elasticity to the exclusion act, some clause that would allow such men as Ging to go and come at will, for we who know him best know him to be a man who would only honor our country by returning.

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NOTICE OF SUIT.

James O. Hammond, Josephine M. Hammond, James O. Hammond, as guardian of Josephine M. Hammond, a minor, and Arden H. Purvis, defendants, will take notice that on the 9th day of August, 1905, the plaintiff herein, Milton H. Hammond, Ada A. Hammond, and Mary E. Hammond, filed a petition in the district court of Red Willow county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a judgment confirming the undivided one-sixth interest each of the said plaintiffs and defendants, under the will of Charles H. Hammond, deceased, in and to the northwest quarter section thirty-five, township two, north, range thirty, Red Willow county, Nebraska; and for the partition of said real estate according to the respective rights of said parties, or if the same cannot be equitably divided that said premises be sold and the proceeds thereof divided between the parties according to their respective rights.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, October 23rd, 1905.
Dated this 12th day of September, 1905.
MILTON H. HAMMOND, ADA A. HAMMOND, and MARY E. HAMMOND, Plaintiffs.
By Boyls and Eldred, their attorneys.

ANTIQUITY OF SILK.

The Product Was Worth Its Weight in Gold For Centuries.

The Chinese empress Si-ling-Chi, 2950 B. C., was supposed to be the first woman to dress herself in silken raiment, though silk was used in the arts nearly 1,000 years before her reign. She was placed among the Chinese divinities under the title of "Sien-Thsan," which means "first promoter of the silk industry."

Silk was worth its weight in gold in many parts of the world for centuries. Its immense cost may be estimated by the fact that a silken garment is mentioned as one of the wondrous prodigies of the Emperor Heliogabalus, while a gown of the same material was refused by Aurelius to his empress on the ground that he couldn't afford the price. Such was the importance of the silk industry in China that the people in the principal growing and manufacturing districts took the name of "Serics" and their country "Serica," from the word "Se," which in the ancient writings means "silk." A curious thing about silk is this: The raw material is produced by the cheapest labor in the world, while the finished product is among the most costly of merchandise.

DON QUIXOTE.

The Philosophy of Sancho Panza and the Fame of Cervantes.

The enormous number of proverbial sayings in "Don Quixote" had much to do with the success of the book, especially in England and France, at a time when the apothegm and maxim were a favorite literary form, and quite apart from the inexhaustible fund of humorous action contained in the work, Sancho's sententious dicta made the novel as a collection of proverbs alone worth preservation.

As in the case of so many of Shakespeare's apothegms, hundreds of Sancho Panza's sayings have become so much a part of our common speech as to sound almost trite when we stumble across them on the printed page. "Diligence is the mother of success" seems obvious enough, but the man who first enshrined it in speech was a genius. "He whom God helps is better off than the man who gets up early" is a bit of worldly experience that comes home even now to many a doubter as to whether we "get our deserts," while Cromwell's "Trust God and keep your powder dry" was anticipated by Sancho's "Pray to God, but hammer away." Another shrewd piece of observation from the same source might save many a tradesman from loss to this day. "He who does not mean to pay does not haggle about price," and the homely scrap of philosophy in which Sancho warns the world against stretching out the leg farther than the sheet that covers it is as necessary and pertinent now as it ever was.—London Chronicle.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN

The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 23, the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 22, in town 1, north, range 30, west of the 6th principal meridian, and El Titus, will take notice that on the 28th day of August, 1883, Edward B. Cowles, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Red Willow county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a tax purchaser's lien upon the above described land for the taxes for the years 1884, 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891 and 1892, that there was due to plaintiff at the time of filing said petition the sum of \$11.60 for the payment of which sum together with costs, accruing interest and attorney's fee, plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure and a sale of said premises. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of October, 1905.—9-1-05. EDWARD B. COWLES, Plaintiff.

VENETIAN WOMEN.

They Have No Need to Bother Their Heads About Fashions.

The women of Venice are absolutely free from the rule which Dame Fashion exercises over their sisters elsewhere. They care nothing for modes. With them the length of the skirt remains always the same, neither short nor long, and they always wear plainly made dark dresses, black stockings and the heaviest slippers of the east. Hats are unknown.

The universal outdoor wrap for all ages and all sizes is the black shawl, with a deep silken fringe. It is folded with a short point above and a long one below, and sometimes it envelops the figure from head to foot. It is never fastened at the throat, and when it slips off it is gathered up with one outstretched arm, which makes the spectator think of a kg bird stretching its wing.

In their attire the women of Venice are independent, only wearing local clothing, but, with feminine inconsistency, they are thoroughly up to date in the matter of hairdressing, the style of their coiffures changing from time to time, according to the vogue of the moment in London and Paris.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

Senator Proctor of Vermont, accompanied by Mrs. Proctor and a party of some fourteen persons, was once making a tour of the west. A stop was made at Salt Lake City, and the party started out for a walk about the city. Senator Proctor and his wife headed the procession, and the ladies of the party brought up the rear, going in pairs. That very same day another party of easterners was making the rounds of Salt Lake City, and when they encountered the Proctor party in the main street they stood aside to let them pass. "Well, well!" exclaimed one of the second party. "There's a sight! Look at that old Mormon and his wives. Out for a constitutional, I suppose. I wonder," he added, "if he has any more."

LEGAL NOTICE.

Harry Stern and the unknown heirs of Wells Rittenhouse, deceased, will take notice that the mayor and council of the city of McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska, will hold a special meeting at the city hall in said city at the hour of eight o'clock p. m. on the eighteenth day of September, 1905, the object and purpose of said meeting is to value and make a special assessment for improvements upon lot 11, in block 9, original town, now city of McCook, said city of McCook having rebuilt and laid a sidewalk on the west side of Main avenue and abutting said lot 11 on the east, at an expense to said city in the sum of \$43.50. A special tax will be levied against said lot 11, to pay the same and for the cost of these proceedings. By order of the mayor and council of the city of McCook.—8-18-05. Attest: W. A. MIDDLETON, City Clerk.

Only a Beginning.

The rich widower was paying assiduous court to the handsome young woman lawyer.

"I don't know, Mr. Welloph," she demurred. "There are—there are settlements to be considered, you know."

"If that is all, Miss Maggie," he said, "we'll have no trouble."
Here he slipped a diamond ring on her finger.

"How does that strike you?" he asked.

"H'm!" she rejoined, holding it up to the light and inspecting it critically. "I think it will do quite well—as a retainer."—Chicago Tribune.

Bachelor Logic.

"Old Mr. Batchelor thinks he has proved that there is no such thing as a good husband."
"How's that?"
"He says that if a man's got sense enough to be a good husband he has too much sense to get married."—Cleveland Leader.

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Appreciated His Danger.

Canvasser—You know how uncertain life is. Business Man—That's so. I might kill a life insurance agent any time and be executed for it.—New York Press.

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