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A WONDERFUL ANIMAL

The Turtle Is a Peculiar Creature In Many Respects.

Almost alone among God's creatures, the turtle hus but a single enemy—man. It does not seem to matter to the turtle whether he stays beneath the surface for an hour or a week, nor does it trouble him to spend an equal time on land if the need arises. He is neither fish, fiesh nor fowl, yet his fiesh partakes of the characteristics of all three. Eating seems a mere super-fluity with him, since for weeks at a fluity with him, since for weeks at time he may be headed up in a barrel (with the bung out) and emerge after have fast apparently none the his long fast apparently none the worse for his enforced abstinence from food, from light and almost from air, and finally, it may be truly said that of all the higher, warm blooded organisms there is none so tenacious of life as the turtle. I can truly say that I have seen the flesh cleared out of a turtle shell and hung up on a tree, where for hours the quivering, con-vulsive movements of the muscles went on. Not only so, but on one oc-casion only the head and tail were left attached to the shell. Some time had elapsed since the meat had been cut out of the carapace, and no one could have imagined that any life remained in the extremities. But a young Dane, noticing that the down hanging head had its mouth wide open, very foolishly inserted two fingers between those horny mandibles. They closed, and our shipmate was two fingers short. The edges of the turtle's jaw had taken them off clean, with only the muscular power remaining in the head. Signo Redi once cut a turtle's head off and noted that it lived for twenty-three days without a head, and another whose brain he removed lived for six months, apparently unconscious that it had suffered any loss.-Leslie's Monthly.

BALLOON SPIDERS.

They Voyage at Great Heights Over Sea as Well as Land, Given a steady breeze and a free course, there is practically no limit to the distance which a ballooning spider may traverse. The writer has taken orb weavers from their snuggeries un-der divers sheltering projections at the highest attainable point on the dome of St. Peter's in Rome, whither they had doubtless been carried by the wind when younglings. One may see flecks of gossamer afloat at far greater heights. Seafaring folk often note spider balloons speeding by them at sea or entangled upon various parts of the vessel. Darwin, in his famous voyage of the Bengle, when sixty miles from land saw great numbers of small spiders with their webs. When they first came in contact with the rigging they were seated upon threads, and while hanging to these the slightest breath of air would bear them out of sight. Thus, though so far from land, the wee voyagers were still moving on over the main.

A steamship captain told the writer of a like observation made by him. While sailing along the eastern coast of South America during the month of March his ship was covered with innumerable spider webs. He was then more than 200 miles from land, about 400 miles south of the equator. The wind was blowing from the continent. "The spiders seemed like elongated balls," said the captain, "with a sort of umbrella canopy above them. They settled upon the sails and rigging and finally disappeared as they came. You know," he added, "that it is not unusual for birds to be blown out to sea How much easier for a spider, provided he has the means to keep himself ed he has the means to keep himself suspended in the air."—H. C. McCook, LL. D., in Harper's Magazine

Bees Used In War. There are at least two recorded instances in which bees have been used as weapons of defense in war. When the Roman general Lucullus was war-ring against Mithridates, he sent a force against the city of Themiscyra. As they besieged the walls the inhabitants threw down on them myriads of swarms of bees. These at once began an attack, which resulted in the raising of the siege. These doughty little insects were also once used with equal success in England. Chester was be-sieged by the Danes and Norwegians, but its Saxon defenders threw down on them the beehives of the town, and

the siege was soon raised. Times Have Changed. Once upon a time a superstition existed that a lady ought to blame herself if a man whom she did not intend to accept proposed to her, but that, should such an unpleasant incident ocsubject of gossip among her acquaint-ances. Parents thought it incumbent upon them to let a man understand in time if they did not wish him as a son-in-law. It is needless to remark that such honorable reticence and kindly prudence are quite out of fash-ion.—London Standard.

Why He Remained Home. Model Husband (boastfully) - Yes, centlemen, I've been married ten years and never spent a night away from Doubting Thomas-Large and inter-

sting family, eh?
"Only three of us." "Have one child, eh?" "No; the other is my wife's mother,"

Young Lawyer-Well, the judge has rendered a decision in our favor in that will case. Older Partner-Never mind. The other side will appeal, and we will continue to get fees out of it.—Puck.

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THE SICILIAN.

His Life Is Hedged About by a Series

People of Sicily are vastly superstitious. The Sicilian believes, to give a few examples, in the existence of a louble tailed lizard which condescends to take in its mouth the winning numbers of the lottery. He believes it is unlucky to marry or begin a journey on a Tuesday or a Friday. He believes in the power of maledictions and of the evil eye and attempts to defend himself against them by wearing amulets, such as the corno, a coral imitation of the horn of the goat; by spitting three times on the ground while pronouncing a magic formula or (in certain dis-tricts) by invoking the name of Virgil who somehow acquired during the middle ages a bizarre reputation as a ma-gician. He believes in sorcerers, of whom a goodly number practice pro-fessionally on his island, selling to him among other wonder working charms grotesque colored images of St. Paul to be attached to barren fruit trees and barrels in which wine has soured. He pelieves that a person born on a Friday is able to predict the future and that a person born on June 29 (the fete of St. Paul, who was unharmed by the viper which encircled his hand) is able to do both these things and to charm

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THE CURE'S DINNER.

It Marked a New Era In the Life of

How few there are like the charming lady in one of Brillat-Savarin's anec dotes! How few there are who know what a good dinner is! But she did, although she had been brought up in an artificial school. She had called on a simple cure to offer alms for his poor, and she did not know that cures dine in the middle of the day. Dinner had just been announced, and the cure asked her to dine with him. She consented. It was a new era in her life. After that culinary complications became vulgar in her eyes, pate de foie gras and cream laden sauces disgusted her, and even Nesselrode pudding, un-less made by an artist, made her unhappy. As for liqueurs, she learned to regard a liking for them as a symptom

of advancing age.

It was a fast day, and this made perfection all the more difficult to attain on the part of the cure's old servant, Juliette. The tablecloth glistened, the porcelain was exquisitely white, and the plates were kept bot over boiling water. The soup was bisque of crabs, followed by a salmon trout, with a sauce admirably proportioned, and then came an omelet of fish roe, so round, so odorous, so redolent of pars ley and chives, that for a moment all conversation stopped. A salad, on the leaves of which light, dewlike drops quivered, preceded the dessert of three luscious pears, a cheese resembling Camembert and a pot of conserves. The cure did not say grace until he and his guest had sipped from fragile, but not costly, cups the limpid and hot Mocha. "No liqueurs," the cure said. "For my friends, yes. But no strong drinks for me. They are the resources of age."

It is recorded that the lady was af-fected almost to tears by this combination of simplicity and elegance. It was a revelation, and to this appreciative marquise the introduction of the famous omelet au thon, the secret of which was almost lost in the retion, into Parisian society is due.-Maurice F. Egan in Smart Set.

USES FOR LEMONS.

Two or three slices of lemon in a cur of strong tea will cure a nervous head

Lemon juice (outward application) will allay the irritation caused by the bites of insects. A teaspoonful of lemon juice in a small cup of black coffee will relieve

A dash of lemon in plain water is an excellent tooth wash. It not only removes tartar, but sweetens the breath. Lemon juice is better than any drug or complexion powder for giving per-manent clearness and beauty to the

The juice of a lemon taken in hot water on awakening in the morning is an excellent liver corrective and for stout women is better than any antifat medicine ever invented.

Dangerous Admissions.

It is dangerous to make a confession inless one really means it, and we may add that it is sometimes dangerous to take a confession as honestly meant. A husband and wife between whom a little unpleasant passage had occurred had made the matter up, and the wife said, as if to clear her conscience:
"Oh, well, I suppose that I have my

faults." "Yes, my dear," said the husband.
"What?"

"I simply said 'Yes.' "

"That I have my faults" exclaimed the wife indignantly. "What are they. I should like to know?" "Well, to begin with"-

"No; I don't want to hear."-London Tit-Bits.

An old, old woman sat on the curb of Park row. Her clothing was rags. Her bleared eyes were deep in a setting of wrinkles. Upon her scant gray hair there was something that once had been a hat. She trembled with weakness. Beside her was a basket filled with trumpery, evidently a stock in trade. Passing her were scores of well clad men and women. Few no-ticed the wretched wreck. Her feet, shoeless, but wrapped in strips of carpeting, had been bruised on the stones of the street, and she was adjusting the covering.

"Terrible!" said a lady to her escort.
"Yes," he replied. "Where 'll we go for lunch?"

An Artist's Errors,

Occasionally Vereschagin in his ef-forts after realism made some strange mistakes. There is, for instance, a pic-ture of his representing the execution of rebels during the Indian mutiny which is very powerful. Unfortunate ly, however, the artist had not apparently known of the change in British military costume, and in consequence the British soldiers in the picture are represented as wearing the helmets which did not come into use in our army for more than a quarter of a century after the mutiny.-London Globe.

Mrs. Cutter-Charles, what are those large red, white and blue ivory lozenges I saw in your pocket last night?
Mr. Cutter—Oh, those—those are trading stamps, dear. Mrs. Cutter—There, that's just what I thought they were, but mamma declared they had something to do with some kind of a game.

The Fruits.

Mrs. Hatterson—I wonder if it has paid to give our daughter such a good education. Hatterson—Paid! Why, of course. Don't you see from her manner

NATURE STUDY

Excite Way in Which Flowers Loaves Are Packed in the Bud-Great Object Lesson.

Have you ever noticed the wonderful manuer in which the embryo flowers are packed in the bud? If you should take up the study of the opening flowers and leaves this spring you would find it a most fascinating pursuit, with something beautiful and curious revealing itself every day to your newly-aroused perceptions. And the best of this line of nature study is that it is easy for even the busiest person to indulge in it. Once make a beginning, and you will find the opportunities for this simple and delightful diversion coming constantly to you in your ordinary routine of life.

Embryo flowers are disposed in the buds in various ways. The wood sorrel is rolled into a spiral, rose petals are placed one within the other, the pink is folded in five divisions, and others are plaited and fluted into the smallest possible space. Perhaps of all others the bud of the great Oriental poppy is the best example of exquisite packing. Early on a summer semorning you may see its buge green fairy tud at the end of a ful manner in which the embryo flow-ers are packed in the bud? If you

a summer's morning you may see its huge green hairy tud at the end of a



UNFOLDING LEAVES.

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stom several feet in length, and while
you are looking the sepals or calyx
leaves suddenly divide and fall off,
the mass of vivid scarlet petals, crumbled ixto a thousand folds, begins to open out, and before long the glorious flower, which is often as much as seven inches across, holds

much as seven inches across, holds itself in majestic beauty.

Those who possess a tulip tree will find its opening buds reward examination. The leaves are folded in half and bent double, a pair of stripules inclosing each of the true leaves. One may unpack the entire bud until we come to leaves almost too minute to be discerned.

Young sycamore trees often have

Young sycamore trees often have buds of large size and brilliant color. The foldings of their leaves are very intricate and form an interesting contrast to those of the tulip ing contrast to those of the tulip tree. Hart's tongue fern, arum and pear leaves afford three very remark-able modes of folding in the bud. The frond of the hart's tongue is rolled up from the tip, the arum gracefully curled lengthwise. Pear leaves are rolled from side to side toward the middle.

Success With Sweet Peas.

For sweet peas dig a trench eight inches deep as soon as the ground can be worked well; manure it well can be worked well; manure it well; then sprinkle dirt over top and sow the seed quite thickly; then cover with about three inches of soil. When the plants are about four inches high, fill in again. This gives good support to the roots. I have racks about five feet high supplied with twine string for the vines to run on. twine string for the vines to run on. Water freely; pick the blossoms every day; keep the pods picked off until time to save seed. Last year I picked flowers on Thanksgiving Day; this year not quite so late. It is a mistake to crowd the space of plants unduly. Let each one stand nearly or quite clear from all others, even if it be at the cost of throwing out some plants. Half a dozen fine, vigorous, uncrowded plants are much more satisfactory than three times as many crowded, and as a consequence ill-shaped and unhealthy ones.—Mrs. W. Hoover.

Small chicks, turkeys and ducks require close board pens for the first weeks of their lives, as they are then so small that any fence of netting will not turn them. Such pens need to be moved about, and to do this by fastening the boards with



little stakes, inside the pen and out, is no little work. Cut some wide boards in the fashion shown in the cut, and attach a hook and screw eye to each corner. The pens can then be taken apart, Fig I, moved and put together firmly, Fig II, in a moment. The boards can then be kept for use in succeeding years.

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CROWS AND ROOKS.

There Are Many Points of Difference Between These Birds.

Scientifically corvus is the generic title of the bird family which includes crows, rooks, ravens and jackdaws.

A main distinction between crows and rooks is that black and gray crows, which are found always in pairs, are migrants, retreating southward with the advance of winter, while rooks are gregarious and remain where they have been in the habit of nesting. Crows, too, are carrion eaters, while rooks, though fond of grubs and worms, will not touch dead things unless driven to

do so by hunger.

The most obvious individual points of difference between the two are the absence of feathers from the face of the adult rook, giving it a vulture-like look, to which its characteristics other wise hardly entitle it, and the fact that its feathers are of a rich purple black, almost iridescent, while the plumage of the black crow is in shadbot and possesses but little luster.

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UP-THE-CREEK

One of the inducements that the Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's, hold out for the young folks to attend their

social Thursday evening is the fact that there are shady nooks and sequided spots where lads and lasses can linger and whisper sweet sentiment to each other, without fear of disturbance. The "Mayor" of Mull, observing this, nervously exclaims "Blamed if they will get me to go there, it's evidentily a regular mantrap. R. g. Jamieson, son of Dr. Jamieson,

occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's, on Sunday.

KENT BRIDGE.

Miss Clara Bobiere, of Saginaw, Mich, & spending a couple of weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boblere, of this place. Harry Poile and daughter Miss Bae, of Detroit, arrived in our midst the first of the week. Miss Bae will

spend her summer vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Arnold.

Thomas Bartley has commenced the first sewerage of the city. It extends from the bake shop to the river. Mr. John Grey is assisting him in the work.

work.

Rev. J. J. Noble gave his farewell address to a large congregation on Sunday night. The new minister will take charge next Sunday night.

Miss Rena Langford is spending the week in Botany.

There will be a meeting of the

There will be a meeting of the congregation in Knox church on Wednesday, July 6th, to see about the re-arrangement of the field. A delegation from the Presbytery will discuss the problem with the people. Meeting at three p. m.



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