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A WONDERFUL ANIMAL.

The Turtle Is a Peculiar Creature In Many Respects. Almost alone among God's creatures.

the turtle has 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 ueither fish, fiesh nor fowl, yet his tiesh partakes of the characteristics of all three. Eating seems a mere superfluity with him, since for weeks at a time he may be headed up in a barrel (with the bung out) and emerge after 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, convulsive movements of the muscles went on. Not only so, but on one occasion only the head and tall 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 Lorny 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. Signor Redi once cut a turtle's head off and noted that it lived for twenty-three days without a head and another

BALLOON SPIDERS.

whose brain he removed lived for six

months, apparently unconscious that

it had suffered any loss.—Leslie's Monthly.

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 royage of the Beagle, 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 slight est breath of air would bear them out of sight. Thus, though so far from land, the wee voyagers were still mov-

ing 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 spidens 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. much easier for a spider, provided he has the means to keep himsel suspended in the air."—H. C. McCool LI. D., in Harper's Magazine.

Bees Used In War, There are at least two recorded in-stances in which bees have been used as weapons of defense in war. When the Roman general Lucullus was warring against Mithridates, he sent a force against the city of Themiscyra.

As they besieged the walls the inhabitswarms 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 besieged by the Danes and Norwegians, but its Saxon defenders threw down on them the beehlves 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 occur, it was at least not to be made a subject of gossip among her acquaint ances. Parents thought it incumben 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-

ondon Standard. Why He Remained Home rentlemen. I've been married ten vears and never spent a night away fro

Doubting Thomas-Large and inter esting family, eh? "Only three of us."
"Have one child, eh?" "No; the other is my wife's mother."

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The Snake and the Eagle. The American consul at Guayaquil, Ecuador, tells a good story about the difficulties he has had to keep a mon-key on the consulate premises because of the depredations of the boa constrictors, and these agile little petr must keep a constant lookout for them. If Jocko drops into a doze he is likely to "wake up dead."

On the occasion with which the story deals a monkey's life was saved by the picture of the American eagle. The consulate sign all over the world is a fine reproduction of the king of birds in full color and with outspread wings. A new sign had just been re-ceived and was waiting on a chair inside the room. A big boa constrictor chased the house monkey across the yard and through the open window. Jocko was making a good race, but a losing one. He was in the corner, quaking with fear and very near death's door, when his pursuer confronted the picture of the eagle in its menacing attitude. A snake fears eagles even more than it craves monkeys, and that particular reptile turned tail and went out of the window as quickly as if the devil was after it. That monkey was a smart monkey, and now whenever it wants to take a nap it goes to roost over the picture of the eagle.

Why the House Fell Down, An English traveler on his way from Morocco tells of a curious experience he had while making a trip by camel nland from Mogador.

"We had built a but of wattle branches to shelter us from the wind. In the middle of the night I dreamed that I was shooting rabbits in the bracken of Essex and suddenly awoke to find myself covered with vegetable matter. Every one has experienced the curious feeling of hopeless bewilderment which comes over a man when he wakes in the dark among strange surroundings. I found that one of our camels had literally eaten us out of house and home, for he had broken his tether in the night, walked over and devoured the wattled branches of our hut to such an extent that the sides and roof collapsed upon our sleeping forms."



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STAINED GLASS WORK.

An Art In Which Methods Have Not Changed Much In Centuries. The twentieth century American stained glass maker follows without mportant variation the simple methods of the French monk of eight centuries ago. The first requisite is the design. The artist makes a small water color sketch to show the general design and color scheme, accompanying it with detailed studies. From this two large drawings or cartoons are made, the exact size of the desired window. One cartoon shows where the leads will be placed—the thin strips of lead, hollowed on both sides and looking in a transverse section like the letter H, which form the framework to bind the pieces of glass together. Another drawing gives the size and shape of each piece of glass. This cartoon is cut into its component pieces by a pair (or triplet) of three bladed scissors, which leave between their parallel blades a space sufficient for the leads. These cut out patterns are put together again on a large glass easel, to which they are attached by wax, and the spaces between are blacked in to give the effect of the leads.

The easel is then placed against a window where the light can stream through it. The artist or his substitute replaces each paper pattern on the easel by a piece of glass of exactly the same size, cut from a sheet of glass of the color called for by the color sketch. The sketch is not followed exactly; experiment with the actual glass will suggest improvements. To a greater or less extent this stained glass is suplemented by painted glass, on which the colors are fired as in china paint-ing. When all the pieces have been cut they are transferred to the "leading" drawing, the flexible leads are wisted into shape and soldered at the joints and a special cement applied to make the whole water tight. The window is now complete, ready to be put in position, where it is made secure by copper wires fastened to the transverse bars of iron.

KOREAN PROVERBS.

A man is good when he is old. A thing is good when it is new. He who hath eaten salt drinketh wa

When the tiger is gone, the fox is If one is not observing, one sees

nothing. Does smoke come out of a fireless chimney? The higher the mountain the deeper

the valley. One knows the face of a man, but not his interior. One can paint the fur of the tiger.

but not his joints A family who has no sickness for ten years must be rich. As soon as the moon is full it be

gins to grow smaller. Even the blind man can find his way through an open door.

When the ox has broken through the stall, repairs are first made. Mark Antony's Mistake.

At a performance of "Julius Caesar" at Hurst college, England, some time ago, Mark Antony made a mistake when the dead body of Caesar was brought in. He apostrophized the fallen hero with impassioned eloquence, and the audience felt acutely for the poor citizens, who were all presumably horror struck and overcome with grief when Antony gently but firmly grasped, as he thought, the face cloth and slowly, very slowly, began to draw it back. Just then an excited whisper came from the other end of the corpse, "This end, you fool!" But Antony was inexorably wrapped in grief. He per-severed and disclosed to the intently gazing audience Julius Caesar's boots.

Clever Smuggling Trick. used to be carried on at a great rate. Alexandre Dumas tells how Beaute, a watchmaker of that city renowned for his skill in smuggling, got the better of the Count de Saint Cricq, King Louis Philippe's director of cusns, who was traveling as a detective. The count bought 30,000 francs' worth of jewelry on condition that it should be delivered free of duty in Paris. When he went up to his bedroom on arriving at the French capital he found his purchases on the dressing table. Beaute had bribed the count's valet to stow them away among his

Hard on the Doctor. Weel, Tam, are ye gaun hame wi' your work?" was the invariable greeting of a doctor to a tailor of his acaintance when he met him carrying a bundle. Once the tailor saw the doctor walking in a funeral proces "Weel, doctor, are ye gaun hame wi'.
your work?" he asked.—From Reminiscences," by Sir Archibald Geikie.

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Not Hungry at the Moment. "Did Alkali Ike make that tender foot eat his words?" "No. The tenderfoot turned out to be one of those fellows who would rather fight than eat."

Smoothing His Path. Gus—You never had spunk enough to make a proposal in your life. Why did you tell Miss Prettle that you were en-gaged to two girls? George—So she'd want to get me away from them

Crowning a Pagoda

A strange festival was held not long ago in Mandalay, the chief town of Burma. A new pagoda, sacred to the Buddhist religion, was to be completed by the placing of a huge crown or thi upon its summit, more than three hundred feet above the ground. To witness the ceremonies came Buddhists from all Indo-China from three hundred feet above the ground. To witness the ceremonies came Buddhists from all Indo-China, from the Himalayas, from Laos and Chan and Siam. Warriors from Katschin, sorcerers from Mot, and people from endless other places made a medley of languages like that at Babel.

On a street corner would be seen a barber pulling a customer's tooth with an old rail. On another corner a Mohammedan bird dealer sold care.

with an old rail. On another corner a Mohammedan bird dealer sold caged paroquets to Buddhists who piously set them free. At very modera hooths one could buy ice cream, soda or tea. Mandalay was a gorgeous spectacle, and the new pagoda was the centre of it.

Every pagoda has at its summit a thi, or cap, the placing of which is often a herculean task. The one now to be raised weighed several hundred pounds, and consisted of a huge gilded ball and crown and a great spindle above it.

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To get it to the top an inclined plane of bamboo scaffolding had been built, and was decorated with silk flags and umbrellas. Up the inclined plane the heavy cap was slowly pulled. Six days were required for the ascent and a seventh to fasten it in place. The Prince of Siam mounted the scaffolding and blessed it, and Dr. Kurt Boeck, a German, climbed with him and photographed the thi and Mandalay.

Comparison of Navies.

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The strength of the British navy in battleships is 54 vessels. Their total displacement is 740,350 tons, or an average of 13,710 tons. France or an average of 13,710 tons. France comes next with 26 ships, her total displacement being 311,421, which gives 11,977 tons average. Russia's 21 ships give her the third place, and they total up to 255,193 tons, or an average of 12,152 tons. The next nation in point of numbers is Germany, whose 20 vessels give her a total displacement of 230,563 tons, or an average of 11,528 tons, whereas the 19 vessels of the United States displace 243,777 tons, an average of 12,925 tons. In armored cruisers it appears that the 37 British vessels displace 374,800 tons, or an average appears that the 37 British vessels displace 374,800 tons, or an average of 10,185 tons per vessel. The number of battleships gives Great Britain 32,9 per cent. of the total of 164 vessels, but in displacement her percentage rises to 35.4 per cent., while in armored cruisers her proportion of the total of 97 ships was 38.1 per cent. and of displacements. 38.1 per cent., and of displacement 39.9 per cent., showing that the British vessels are generally heavier than those of the other powers. The United States average displacement in armored cruisers is, however, in excess of the British—12,122 tons, which on 13 vessels gives a total of 157,599 tons. As far as displacement goes, the British battleships are the most powerful, but the United States cruisers are the heavier.

How to Breathe Properly

Do you ever observe whether you breathe through the mouth or nos-trils? It makes a worker or nosence. When we talk we are forced to breathe through the mouth, when not speaking the lips should be well closed and the breathing should be entirely by the nostrils. But this is not all. The habit of slow, measured deep breathing that covers the entire lung surface is of more value and importance than you will ever believe until you have tried it, and when you have established the habit of breathing in this manner you will say some remarkable things in its favor. It will reach all points of your physical system. All the bene-fits that occur from a healthy condition of the blood will in a greater or less degree be yours, for the man-ner and completeness with which the nspired air comes in contact with the blood in the lungs are of the ut-most importance to every vital pro-cess. The lungs are a kind of fur-nace in which the oxygen of the air is consumed and combined with other elements, a process necessary to live, the perfection of which depends upon the purity of the air and the manner of inhaling it.

It may be recalled to-day, says The Westminster Gazette, that the King has a direct personal connec-King has a direct personal connection with Erin's capital city, in view King has a direct personal connection with Erin's capital city, in view of the fact that one of His Majesty's many titles is that of Earl of Dublin. This title was the direct outcome of His Majesty's first visit to the sister island in August, 1849, us is proved by an entry in the journal of her late Majesty under the date of August 12 of that year to the following effect: "I intend to create lowing effect: "I intend to create Bertie 'Earl of Dublin,' as a com-pliment to the town and country." King Edward is the second male sovereign who since the union has cross ed the Irish Channel. George IV ed the Irish Channel. George IV. was accorded a magnificent reception in the Irish capital in 1821, and afterwards expressed his acknowledge terwards expressed his acknowledgment in quaint terms: "Rank, station, honors are nothing." he declared, "but to feel that I live in the hearts of my Irish subjects is to me the most valued happiness. Go and do by me as I shall do by you; drink my health in a bumper—I shall drink all yours in a bumper of good Irish whiskey."

Queer Foods.

Ruman nature may be the same the world over, but tastes in matters of cuisine vary a good deal.

The flesh of the elephant is partaken of with zest in certain parts of India.

Chinese taste, as we all know, runs to cats, dogs, bear's paws, and bird's nests.

In the West Indies there is a certain large caterpiller found on the palm tree which is reckoned a luxury of diet, while in Java the nests of swallows are considered edible.

Inhabitants of portions of Sweden, Finland and other countries eat clay with gusto; indeed, it is partaken of in all the countries of the torrid sone.

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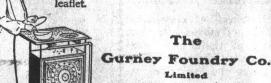
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