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"I have read in the papers certain scientific assertions that no wild animal will voluntarily attack or pursue a human being, but that, on the contrary, the fiercest of them, as tradition and the tales of woodmen classify them, will make haste to escape the possible sight of man, unless, in desperate cases, hunger may urge it to approach him, its most dreaded foe, such cases being extremely rare," said a matter of fact and veracious New York business man.

"If that is so, I had a little experience once with a wild animal that must have been the most desperately hungry beast that ever longed for food. The occurrence was in a northwestern Pennsylvania, where one winter I had some business that called me ten miles from the county town to one of the backwoods districts. It was late in the afternoon when I started on my return to the village. The way was over a lonely, narrow, crooked mountain road, bordered by deep woods much of the distance. Toward dusk, as I was rounding a short turn in the road, my horse, which had a good deal of spirit, shied suddenly and sprang forward on a furious run.

"At the same instant an animal with glaring eyes plumped down from somewhere and landed in the sleigh at my feet. It had evidently leaped from a tree at the horse, the quick movements of which nervous animal had defeated that purpose, and the attacking animal had alighted with its fore feet on the robe that lay across my lap. It glared furiously at me, with its face not more than two feet away, as it clung to the robe with its sharp claws, growling fiercely. I had never seen a wildcat, but I knew instantly and instinctively that I had one to deal with here, and it seemed to be a very large and savage one at that. I had no weapon, but fortunately the whip that stood in its socket on the dashboard was loaded at the butt.

"Clinging to the reins with my left hand—the horse was running away—I quickly drew the whip from the socket and struck the wildcat on the head with the heavy butt. This caused the animal to loosen its hold on the robe and drop into the snow at the side of the sleigh, but the agile and furious beast was up in the fraction of a second and with one bound sprang on the back of the sleigh, which had a low body.

"Although the horse was running madly away along the narrow and crooked road, throwing the sleigh from side to side and threatening it constantly with destruction against some rock or stump, I was obliged to drop the reins and leave the result of the runaway to chance, for the wildcat was struggling desperately to gain a foothold in the sleigh and fight me at close quarters. I knew that if the sleigh should happen to come into collision with any obstacle heavy enough to wreck it I would be no match for the catamount, now wrought to the utmost ferocity, fighting it on the slipping snow, even if I were unharmed by the collision, so I strained every nerve to conquer the determined beast while I still possessed the advantage of foothold in the sleigh.

"Once I thought it was all up with me, for as the sleigh was carried abruptly round a short turn in the road by the speeding horse one runner struck a stone or a root, and the sleigh careened and ran at least 50 feet on the other runner alone. I mechanically threw the weight of my body toward the upper side of the sleigh, all the time raining rapid blows on the head of the wildcat with the butt of the whip, and forced the sleigh down to its balance on both runners again. A few more blows after that, and I was rejoiced to see the determined and tenacious beast first loosen one claw, hang for a second or so by the other, while it tried to seize the top of the back of the sleigh again with its teeth, and then tumble to the road and lie motionless in the snow.

"I dropped back on the seat limp and weak and too much unerved to make the least effort to obtain control of the runaway, which was still rushing wildly along the uncertain road, made still more uncertain by the gathering darkness. The horse ran at least three miles farther and then began to slow up and at last stopped half way up a long and steep hill from sheer exhaustion. I had by this time recovered sufficiently to take charge of the horse again and drive the rest of the way to the town, which wasn't far, and where I arrived with the horse covered with foam, a sleigh splintered and covered deep with scars and scratches made by the desperate wildcat and myself so badly used up by nervous shock that it was three days before I was able to get about again in anything like good condition. I never heard whether the wildcat was killed by my blows or not, but I have an idea he was. I hope so. Science may be all right in declaring that wild animals will hasten to flee at the very suspicion of man's approach, but if ever I am going anywhere and hear there are wildcats in that direction I'll go around some other way."

Peers of Great Britain have the right to be hanged with silken cords instead of hempen ropes. Few avail themselves of the privilege.

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Most Novel of All Trials

One way of combating an evil practice is to make it look ridiculous, says the Boston Herald. It was by this means that dueling was stopped in a certain district in Kentucky. A traveling preacher named Bowman—a strong, muscular fellow—was conducting services in Kentucky. At one of his meetings a well-known desperate character created a disturbance, and, being publicly rebuked by Bowman, sent him a challenge to fight. Bowman, as the challenged party had the choice of weapons, He selected a half bushel of Irish potatoes, as big as his fist, for each man, and stipulated that his opponent must stand fifteen paces distant, and that only one potato at a time should be taken from the measure.

The desperado was furious at being thus freshly insulted, and made an indignant protest, but Bowman insisted upon his rights as the challenged party, and threatened to denounce the desperado as a coward if he failed to come to time. As there was no way out of the fix but to fight, the desperado consented. The encounter took place on the outskirts of the town, and almost everybody in the place was on hand to see the fight. The seconds arranged the two men in position, by the side of each being a half-bushel measure filled with large, hard Irish potatoes. Bowman threw the first tuber. It struck his opponent and flew into pieces.

A yell of delight went up from the crowd which hurried the desperado, and his potato flew wide of the mark. Bowman watched his chance, and every time his opponent stooped for a potato another hit him in the chest, knocking the wind completely out of him, and doubling him up on the grass. The people were almost crazy with laughter, but Bowman looked as solemn as if he had just been preaching a funeral sermon. The desperado was taken home and put to bed, and stayed there for more than a week before he recovered from the effects of the Irish potato duel.

When the Child "Plays Hokey."

Children sometimes pretend to be ill to escape going to school. Education is to be called in to escape duty in the army malingering and is always punished when detected. A child who habitually complains of headache just before school time should be put on sofa in a darkened room, not permitted to read, not look at pictures, and have a hot water bag placed at his feet. If the ailment is real this is the best treatment for the early stages; if it is feigned the silence and solitude soon become so irksome that the culprit is glad to do anything to escape from them. Other affected pains should be treated as if they were real, and it should be distinctly understood in the family that the child who is too ill to go to school, and to learn his lessons, is too ill to be out of bed. If a child play truant the lesson he loses should be made up at home in his own time, and the mother should take pains to see that this is done, so that he may find truancy unprofitable. He may be put to bed as soon as he returns from school, and the assumption that he must be ill, because nothing but illness should keep him from going to school.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Sizing Up a Man.

A contemporary gives the following advice to its fair readers: "For a man's birth, look at his linen and finger nails, and observe the infections of his voice. For his tastes, study the color of his ties, the pattern and hang of his trousers, his rings, if any. For his propensities, walk around and look carefully at the back of his head. A symmetrical cerebellum, with well-trimmed hair, is an indication of self-control and energy. If you want a successful man, see that he has a neat foot; he will move quicker, get over obstacles faster, than a man whose heels over his own toes and trips the other folks with 'em too. For his breeding, talk sentiment to him when he is starving and ask him to carry a handbox down the public street when you've just had a year. That his temper, fill him his nose in a little on one side and you don't like the way his hair grows. There are other ways which will suggest themselves naturally to a bright woman."

Where the British Taxes Go.

One or two interesting items of expenditure are shown in the accounts of the civil contingencies fund for 1899-1900, which shows a balance of £29,421 15s. says a London newspaper. One of the main items of expenditure incurred by the Admiralty lay in conveying the remains of the late Lord Herschell from New York to England at a cost of £1,941 17s 5d. Under the head of "Repayable Miscellaneous Advances" we find that the stamp duties in respect to letters patent of entitlement came to £1,679 12s 6d. For instance, the stamp duty in creating Baronet Cromer a Viscount cost £209 12s, while the barony of Sir Julian Pauncefote cost a disbursement of £150 12s. The grant of augmentation of arms to Lord Kitchener is placed at £10 only.

Feminine Insurance Morality.

A middle-aged woman, says the Leeds Mercury, called at an insurance agent's in a provincial town some time ago to announce that she wanted to insure her house. "For how much?" asked the agent. "Oh, for about £200." "Very well. I'll come up and investigate it." "I don't know much about insurance," she said. "It's very simple, ma'am." "If I'm insured for £200 and the house is burned down, I get the money, do I?" "Certainly." "And they don't ask who set it afire?" "Oh, but they do. We shall want to know all about it." "Then you needn't come up," she said as she rose to go. "I heard there was some catch about it somewhere, and now I see where it is."



Bed Fast.

Read the two sides of this story and then give a verdict on the evidence as to the merits of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

WHAT MRS. HAYTER SUFFERED. "I had been sick for more than a year with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Lucy Hayter, of Leekers, Jack Co., Texas. "Several different doctors treated me, but none did me any good. One doctor said that I never could be cured that I had Bright's Disease. I suffered nearly death at times; had spells the doctors called spasms. Was bedfast most of the time for six months. My mother begged me to try Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

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Anecdotes.

A Toronto reporter approached a guest at the Queen's Hotel recently and inquired if he was not the gentleman whom he had interviewed a few months ago in regard to his mining operations in British Columbia. "Yes," replied the guest, "a pretty mess you made of it, too. You left out things that I said and you put in things that I didn't say." "Well," replied the reporter, "I may have left out some of your aitches or changed them around to some extent, but I'll swear that otherwise I reported you with exactness." A colored preacher upon the occasion of delivering a forceful harangue to his congregation, said: "I see before me 12 chicken-thieves, including William Sanders." Now, Sanders was a handy man with a razor, and the parson's friends urged him to set things right with Sanders at the first opportunity. The parson made on the next Sunday the following announcement: "Brethren, at our last meeting I made a statement which, after mature deliberation, I desire to correct, realizing as I do that my remarks upon that occasion might not have been understood correctly. What I should have said was: 'There are in this congregation 12 chicken-thieves, not including William Sanders.'"

One of the most embarrassing things connected with a modern battlefield is the shrapnel shells. There is not so much danger in their fire as the sound of the shrapnel is much more disconcerting and demoralizing; its wild "who-who-who-who" suggests missiles falling the air and coming from all directions. A surgeon relates that as he was standing in front of a hospital tent near where two colored troopers were lying, he heard one of them say, as a shrapnel wound past: "I don't care for them Mauser bullets, for when you hear one of them, you know it's done your past. But I sho'ly would like to know where de cannon is dat shoots dem camp-kittles full o' rock!"

ALWAYS ON TOP.

"There, dear, don't be discouraged," said the stovepipe to the tackhammer; "it only happens once a year." "Oh, your optimism is not to be wondered at," responded the tackhammer wearily, "you always come out on top."

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