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WRITES HISTORY OF THE LOBSTER

Unique Document Given to the World by Professor Herrick, of Western Reserve University.

(New York Herald.)

Professor Francis Hobart Herrick, of the Western Reserve University, Cleveland, has written for the government the "Natural History of the American Lobster," a document of more than four hundred pages, illustrated in color, that has been published for the Bureau of Fisheries.

As Professor Herrick points out, our knowledge of the lobster has increased to such an extent in fifteen years that in all probability there is no marine invertebrate in the world which is better known. This result is due to the suggestive ideas of elaborate researches of a large body of naturalists in America and Europe.

Of particular interest is the chapter of Professor Herrick's work, entitled "The American Lobster: Its Economic Importance and General Habits." Parts of the chapter follow:

"White men caught lobsters in Massachusetts Bay for the first time early in the seventeenth century. The Pilgrims and the Englishmen who began to flock into the bay colony about the year 1630 were well acquainted with the products of the sea in their own home and the coast of New England supplied the tables with essentially the same kinds, only in far greater abundance. It is said, indeed, that the Pilgrims began at once to pay their debts, due in England, out of the products of their fisheries."

"In the chronicles of those early days the lobster is honored with frequent mention, and the early colonists must have enjoyed to the full both the new and the familiar kinds of American fish, lobsters, crabs and clams, so big, so palatable, so abundant, and so cheap everywhere along the coast."

"To quote from Mrs. Earle, the minister, Higginson, writing of Salem, Mass., said that many weighed twenty-five pounds apiece and that the least boy in the plantation may catch and eat what he will of them. Again in 1632, when the ship Anne brought home and the coast of New England supplied the tables with essentially the same kinds, only in far greater abundance. It is said, indeed, that the Pilgrims began at once to pay their debts, due in England, out of the products of their fisheries."

Early Day Chronicles.

"In an account of marketing in Boston in 1740, oysters and lobsters are mentioned, in course the latter, in large size at 3 half pence each, and this abundance continued for more than one hundred years."

"To revert to modern times, many no doubt, remember when lobsters were sold by the piece, and at a few pennies at that. Five years ago, with a market price of 25 cents a pound, a lobster weighing 3 pounds 84 ounces at an inland market in New Hampshire, cost 90 cents. The clear meat of the claws and tail of this animal which had a fairly hard shell, were found to constitute but 27 per cent. of the whole. This would bring the cost of such meat to 30 cents a pound."

"Even when every edible part of this animal was saved, which is seldom or never done, the total waste was found to be 45 per cent, and the cost of all the edible parts 45 cents a pound. At the present retail prices of from 30 to 35 cents a pound these estimates would have to be considerably increased."

"The American lobster (*Homarus americanus*) is found only on the eastern coast of North America. Its geographical range covers about twenty degrees north latitude, from the thirty-fifth to the fifty-second parallel, and embraces a strip of the North Atlantic Ocean, thirteen hundred miles long and thirty to fifty miles wide, and, according to one estimate, seven thousand miles in length when measured over the curves of the coast. Since the distribution varies from one to over a hundred fathoms. The most northern point at which its capture has been recorded is Henley Harbor, Labrador; the most southern point the coast of North Carolina. The fishery was begun on the southern New England coast and was gradually extended northward, it is not surprising to find the lobster at the present time not only more abundant, but attaining the greatest average size in the northerly parts of its range—in eastern Maine and the maritime provinces. It should be noted, however, that three of the largest lobsters captured in recent years are from New Jersey."

"According to Dr. Richard Rathbun, who was the first to give us a history of the American lobster fisheries, this fishery as a separate industry began toward the close of the eighteenth century, the beginning of the nineteenth century and was first developed on the coast of Massachusetts, and in the region of Cape Cod and Boston, some fishing being done as early as 1810 among the Elizabeth Islands, or the 'beehives' of Connecticut. Strangely enough this industry was not extended to the coast of Maine, where it subsequently attained its greatest proportions, until about 1840."

More Abundant Now.

"The early white men learned many lessons in fishing from the Indians, and those living upon the coast in the course of time began to supply settlers more remote, until the Cape Cod region having become famous, attracted fishermen with their smacks from Connecticut and other states and furnished most of the lobsters consumed in Boston and New York for 50 years or until the middle of the 19th century."

In 1812, as Dr. Rathbun remarks, the citizens of Provincetown, realizing the danger of exhausting their fishing grounds, succeeded in having a protective law enacted through the state legislature, apparently the first, but not the last of its kind, for legal restrictions including this statute, have been in force ever since."

"But this measure was designed to protect the fishermen rather than the lobster, for it was merely declared illegal for any one not a resident of the Commonwealth to take lobsters from Provincetown without a permit. The law later enacted proved of little or no avail; by 1880 the period of prosperity had long passed and few lobsters were then taken from the cape. Only eight decrepit men were then engaged in the business and were earning about \$80 apiece. This great local fishery was thus rapidly exhausted by overfishing and it has never recuperated."

"The history at Cape Cod has been

CARDINAL FARLEY ARRIVING AT NEW YORK; 300,000 PEOPLE GREET PRINCE OF CHURCH ON HIS RETURN FROM ROME



This picture is from a photograph taken of Cardinal Farley as he landed at the Battery, New York, from which point he drove through cheering thousands up Broadway to 23d street and then up Fifth avenue to St. Patrick's Cathedral, where 6,000 school children waited to welcome him.

Automobiles as Fat Producers; Women the Sufferers

New York, N.Y., Jan. 26.—With their penchant for automobiles and stylish figures—and this applies equally to men and women—society finds itself in a quandary. The lure of the automobile is irresistible, and in consequence flesh, great rolls of it continues to pile up, and modistes and tailors are pelted with desperate straits when they seek to bring out and accentuate graceful lines in the garments they design for madame and her husband.

Dame Fashion decrees that the men and women of the present era shall be willowy and graceful. Devotees of the automobile find to their bitter dismay that instead of being willowy they are fast becoming billowy and staring them in the face is the choice of starvation or muscle racking exercise, the latter meaning, of course, less jolting in motor cars.

No less an authority than Dr. J. T. M. Finney, the eminent chief surgeon of the Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, who but lately declined the presidency of Princeton University, declares that if the men and women of today devoted more time to golf and less to their automobiles, not only would their general health be much improved but they would not be assailed by that arch foe of the average man and woman of wealth—the embonpoint.

Dr. Finney believes in lots of healthful exercise, and this, he thinks, cannot be obtained if men and women own motor cars or having the wherewithal to hire a passing taxicab insist upon riding to every objective point they start out for, when walking would do them immeasurable good.

"The motor car," said Dr. Finney, "is a thing of luxury, but it makes for the doctor and the surgeon. There is a growing tendency on the part of wealthy men and women practically to live in their cars. They argue that this keeps them out of the fresh air and their general health improves accordingly. If the car is a brick center in the morning or afternoon is worth more as a health builder than days spent in an automobile. Better still is a morning or afternoon spent on the golf links. This being impossible, start out and walk at a good brisk pace until the first sign of fatigue appear, and then take a cab or motor car home and seek the needed rest and relaxation."

Dr. Finney believes in moderation in all things. His own life amply attests that he practices what he preaches. Temperate and abstemious in all things, he is thus enabled to keep his brain, muscles and nerves in the most perfect condition. He can take the better undertake the many delicate operations which come to him each day. In this respect he much resembles Dr. Howard Kelly, the noted woman's specialist and surgeon, who preceded him at the hospital. Both are athletes and believe that every man and woman should get all the out of door exercise possible.

"I do not believe in a woman overdoing the thing," Dr. Finney continued.

repeated on one and another section of the coast from Delaware to Maine and is already well advanced in the greatest lobster fishing grounds in the world, the ocean and gulf coasts of the British Maritime Provinces of Canada, especially of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia and in Newfoundland. The official statistics of the province of Massachusetts and for Canada afford pertinent illustrations of the older and newer phases of this history. Thus, in Massachusetts in 1890, 374 fishermen, working 19,554 traps caught 1,612,123 lobsters of legal size and 70,909 egg bearing females, with an average catch per pot of 82.

Fifteen years later it required 287 fishermen, using 13,829 traps, to produce about one-quarter of this number, or 426,471, and less than one-seventh the number of egg lobsters, or 9,869; while the catch per trap had diminished by nearly two-thirds, and was only 13.5. No substantial increase followed until 1907, when the legal length was reduced to nine inches, and this was undoubtedly due to the large number of small lobsters caught.

CLASSIFY PERSONS BY LOWER ANIMALS

Chinese Date Ages a Year Ahead and Recognize Twelve Varieties of Animals Corresponding to Persons.

Peking, Jan. 26.—A Chinese child at birth is said to be one year old, and after it has passed one year it is said to be two years old. The years are divided into cycles of twelve, each one of the twelve years being represented by the name of twelve different animals, and all people born in one year say that they belong to the class of corresponding animal. Thus the Chinese year corresponding to 1876 was a year of the rat, and all born in that year belong to the class rat; so also do all people born in the year removed from 1876 by any multiple of 12.

The twelve different animals are rat, ox, tiger, hare, dragon, snake, horse, sheep, monkey, fowl, pig. Every one knows this corresponding animal class for the information is necessary for arranging betrothals, fortune-telling, or choosing lucky days.

A source of error in age (with the exception of sex in entering young children) is illustrated by the case of an old woman of the village of Ching-Tzu known to be over 100, who insisted on the census enumerator entering her as 99. This was because it is a customary term of abuse to call a person a "hundred years old donkey," or "ten tooth donkey" which has the same significance.

The only source of error in the division of sex is in regard to very young children. It is common for a Chinese mother to give a son the names of a girl, presumably to deceive the fates, for it is a common saying that a girl is easier to rear.

As to the size of Chinese families the Chinese government give much credit to a large family which is able to live without dividing up the family property. There are many large undivided families in the old hal wu. The largest is that of Mr. Yu Shih, a widow of the village of Mang Tao. Her family consists in all of 65 persons.

ONE MAN COULD BE TEAM OR SATELLITE

Original One-man Baseball Team Described by College Professor with Aid of Science and an Imagination.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—The original one-man baseball team was described by Prof. F. R. Moulton of the University of Chicago, who spoke the other night at the Fullerton Avenue Presbyterian church on "The Earthlike Planets." It would take only one man, he asserted, to play a game of baseball on Phobos, one of the two moons of Mars—providing, of course, that a man could live in a place which had no atmosphere.

"Our one-man team would first take the position of pitcher," said Professor Moulton, "and throw the ball in a horizontal direction. The ball would go all the way around the moon, and he would have time to get a bat. If he missed it he could take his three strikes, then throw down his bat, put on his catcher's gloves, mitts and protector, and catch himself out as the ball came around the fourth time."

"In case he hit the ball, however, and it bounded, he could play the part of an infielder, pick up the ball as it came bounding around the moon, throw to first and catch the ball at first, thus putting himself out that way. If he hit a fly instead of a grounder, he might put on his fielder's glove, and, striding on the center-fielder, catch himself out."

"A strong batter might make a home run. This would mean that he struck the ball so hard that it went beyond the attraction of this moon and struck on the planet Mars. It would be what we call 'over the fence.'"

The distance of the sun from the planet was illustrated in several ways. "With sound going a mile every five seconds," said Professor Moulton, "it would take seventeen years for you to hear a sound from the sun. Or if a small boy touched the sun with an imaginary arm that could reach that far, he would have to move to be over one hundred years old before he could feel the pain from the burn. Light goes around the world seven times in a second, but it takes 500 seconds for it to come from the sun, and four years for it to come from the nearest fixed star. If the earth were six inches from the sun Neptune would be forty miles from it, and it takes 165 years for Neptune to travel around the sun."

Professor Moulton declared that if there was life on Mars it was distinctly different from life on the earth.

THE BRUTE.

By Berton Braley.

Low browed and brutish hipped and dull.

With thickened thews and hardened skull.

And eyes that shift and squint and peer.

Devoid of mirth or warmth or cheer.

He shambles on his weary way.

Back to his slum at close of day.

A brute? A Beast? A contempt and low?

But if a Beast, who made him so?

For centuries we tender folk have fashioned for his neck the yoke. To keep our fingers slim and white. His own have grown to clumsy night. That we might climb to light and sun In darkness has his toll been done; An Ox—unthinking, heavy slow? But if an Ox—who made him so?

His brow is low—WE beat it down That we might win to wealth, renown; His eye is dull—WE took from him His light, for fear our own would dim.

Through all his woe and sweat and pain We built our palaces in Spain. And now we call him Beast—yet know.

If he is Beast, who made him so? Riches have wings but they seldom prove to be homing pigeons.

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