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The White Rhinoceros.

The white rhinoceros is not much wittier than the common rhinoceros, but instead of ending in a triangular upper lip its muzzle is square. The white rhinoceros is the largest animal on earth, with the exception of the elephant. The common rhinoceros lives on leaves, roots and bulbs, while he digs up with his frontal horn. The common rhinoceros is vicious and cruel; the white rhinoceros is calm and lazy, living exclusively on grass and herbage. Though long regarded as a one horned animal, he has two horns. But the smaller of the two, set back of the frontal-horn, is so rudimentary that it is not seen from a distance. The forward horn is four and one-half feet in length, and one of its sides is flat. Some of the frontal horns are grooved. The white rhinoceros closely resembles the unicorn of antique legends, whose horns, when used as drinking vessels, sterilized poisons and rendered them harmless.—Harper's.

Waterproof Foliage.

An oriental scholar was giving an address on the philosophy and religion of the east. His English was of good quality, only now and then becoming interesting from the humorous colloquialisms. After describing a familiar bird, the sage—the one who can walk amid the difficulties and perplexities of mortal existence and yet, unaffected by these, retain his perfect serenity—the speaker was looking about for some familiar comparison by which to bring home the idea to his hearers. "Ah, I have it!" he said, pleased at the recollection that rewarded his effort. "It is an expressive saying of your own language, said to me by a lady with whom I was last evening conversing. Take this familiar bird, the duck. It is possible to pour a bucketful of water upon that duck, and yet the water can never get into his leaves."

Saved by His Wife.

She's a wise woman who knows just what to do when her husband's life is in danger, but Mrs. E. J. Flint, Braintree, Va., is of that kind. "She insisted on my using Dr. King's New Discovery," writes Mr. F. "for a dreadful cough, when I was so weak my friends all thought I had only a short time to live, and it completely cured me." A quick cure for coughs and colds, it's the most safe and reliable medicine for many ailments, such as—croup, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, tonsillitis, hemorrhages, etc. Price, 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Low Telephone Numbers in New York.

Such a small thing as a telephone number has some significance in the standing of a firm," remarked a man who had little else to do but talk and observe. "How so?" asked the other. "Take the low numbers—'Broad 1' for instance—and, as a rule, it will be the number belonging to an old established firm, provided, of course, that firm has remained in one location. The firm now bearing the above number was in existence before telephones were in use at all, and in like manner it is possible to ascertain the old established business houses. If a firm moves, it remains in the same exchange, it has the privilege of retaining its original telephone number. Americans don't care much for age and long established anything, as a class, but there are many firms in this city that are proud of their telephone numbers in a system where the numbers run high up in the thousands."—New York Press.

Reversed His Decision.

"We once had a customer," said an undertaker, "who had lost his wife and who came to us to bury her, which we did. After the funeral he came back to us. He had selected the casket in which his wife was buried, and now he bought one just like it for himself. He was a man in health, with no prospect of death, so far as that was concerned, but he was greatly grieved and cast down over the death of his wife, and when he should die he wanted to be buried in a casket just like that in which we had buried her. So he bought this casket, and we held it for him. "Something more than a year after he met another woman with whom he fell in love and whom he married, and after that we got a letter from him saying: "Sell my casket—I've no use for it now."—New York Sun.

Out of Her Line.

The horny handed son of toil who had just inherited a fortune went to see a manicure. "Can you do anything with these, ma'am?" he asked, exhibiting his hands. "Yes, sir," she said, "after you've gone to a surgeon and had those cracks stitched up. I don't meddle with jobs that belong to the regular practitioners."—London Tit-Bits.

The Exceptions.

Mrs. White—And do you mean to say that you and your husband always agree about everything? Mrs. Black—Always, except, of course, now and then, when he's out of humor or pig-headed or something of that sort.—London Answers.

Cynical.

"That doctor is something of a cynic." "As to how?" "He says when a man has a malady it's a disease and when a woman has it it's a complaint."—Washington Herald.

Quite Familiar.

"There is not much in a name perhaps," said a young Sunday school teacher. "Still it did give me a turn last Sunday when I asked a boy in my class how many apostles there were to have him look up and reply carelessly, 'Oh, a dozen or so!'"

Two Travelers.

Arguably as a matter of experiment a student determined to ascertain how promptly he could familiarize himself with a country by means of maps and books of description. To make a case as difficult as possible he chose Madagascar, of which to that moment he had no knowledge except a most general character. He purchased this inquiry diligently and with increasing relish. At the end of four or five years a man who had just returned from Madagascar came into his life. The conversation naturally turned upon the island whence this man had come. The traveler finally asked, "When were you last in Madagascar?" "I have never been there," as the response. "Why," exclaimed the other, "you know more about it than I do." A similar story is told of an Humboldt, who never saw Jerusalem, but produced a thoroughly reliable account of the Holy City. The traveler has often discovered that the person who apparently knows least about a place are those who have lived in it all their days.—Christian Advocate.

Geo. T. Craddock, Ruble, Ark., says:

"I was bothered with lumbago, and I can't say I could not work. I refer several kinds of kidney medicine which gave me little or no relief. Two bottles of Foley's Kidney Pills cured me and now I can do any kind of work. I cheerfully recommend them to my friends." The Dickson Drug Co., Manning, S. C., Leon Fischer, Summerton, S. C.

A Dutch New Guinea Dainty.

A strange food forms one of the articles of diet among the natives of Dutch New Guinea, of whom A. F. E. Mollison writes in Cornhill as "The Most Primitive People." "The search for food furnishes occasionally some very curious scenes. One of the most remarkable occurs when the river in flood brings down a tree-trunk in a suitable stage of decay. A canoe is sent out with men to secure it and tow it to the bank. When it has been landed by the fallow water the people—men, women and children—come out and swarm around it like bees about a honey pot, and you wonder what they can be doing. When you go close you find that some are splitting up the log with their stone axes, and others are cutting up the fragments with sharpened shells in the same way that their ancestors—and perhaps ours, too—did centuries ago. The objects of their search are the large white larvae of a beetle, about the size of a man's thumb. I have seen natives eat them just as they cut them out of the wood, but usually they roast them in the fire and consider them a great delicacy."

Why He Balked.

A young and husky college man who was traveling on a steamer across the Atlantic was asked to box five rounds with an equally husky chap, who was a fellow passenger, as part of a series of athletic games which were to be held for the amusement of the passengers. Next day the young man came to the chairman of the sports committee and asked that his name be withdrawn. "What's the matter? Are you afraid?" said the chairman, somewhat plumed. "You bet you're afraid," said the college man. "The fellow you picked for my opponent sits at my table, and at dinner last night he leaned over to me and said, 'What's this thing, 'demitasse' I see on the menu? I knew right away that he was a tough guy who had lived all his life in the open. If you want me to fight you've got to find a man that knows a demitasse when he sees it.'"—New York Tribune.

Fortunes in Faces.

There's often much truth in the saying "her face is her fortune," but it never said where pimples, skin eruptions, blotches, or other blemishes disfigure it. Impure blood is back of them all, and shows the need of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They promote health and beauty. Try them. 25 cents at all druggists.

He Knew.

Employer (to applicant)—Do you know anything about an elevator? Applicant—Sure! I was brought up on one!—New York Times.

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Children of Today.

Modern children are very precocious. A Mount Washington man asked his little nephew if he knew who Cinderella was. "Sure!" said the urchin. "I've seen her." "You've seen her?" gasped his uncle, in astonishment. "Sure I've seen her. She's a character in a musical comedy."—Pittsburgh Post.

Good Amendment.

Enslaud—This cake is very good, my dear, but it seems to me there ought to be a little more. Wife (in clear, icy, incisive tones)—That cake came by mail and was made by my mother. Husband—Yes, as I was saying, there ought to be a little more of it.

Only in a Business Way.

"So Clara rejected the plumber." "Does anybody told her to be careful about encouraging him, as he hit the pipe."—Baltimore American.

As to Success.

Griggs—I should say that the two keys to success are luck and pluck. Briggs—Sure! Luck in finding some one to pluck.—Boston Transcript.

He who knows only his own side of the case knows little of that.—Mill.

A Log on the Track

of the fast express means serious trouble ahead if not removed, so does loss of appetite. It means lack of vitality, loss of strength and nerve weakness. If appetite fails, take Electric Bitters quickly to overcome the cause by toning up the stomach and curing the indigestion. Michael Hessheimer of Lincoln, Neb., had been sick over three years, but six bottles of Electric Bitters put him right on his feet again. They have helped thousands. They give pure blood, strong nerves, good digestion. Only 50 cents at all druggists.

A Perplexing Question.

The funny man in the party said: "Can you name an animal that has eyes that cannot see, legs and cannot walk but can jump as high as the Eiffel tower?" Everybody racked his brains, and there was deep silence for awhile, and then they all gave it up. "The answer," said the funny man, "is a wooden horse, and cannot walk." "Yes; but how does it jump as high as the Eiffel tower?" asked one. "The Eiffel tower," said the funny man, "as he made preparations for hurried departure, 'can't jump!'"

Clever Deduction.

"My son," explained the new client, "had a dog named Crimston. This dog was taught to growl when anybody mentioned Yale." "One minute," interrupted Sherlock Holmes. "I deduce from this that your son went to Harvard."

"So he did!"

"Marvelous!" cried Dr. Watson.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mrs. Paul Wehling, 316 Smith St., Peoria, Ill., had kidney and bladder trouble, with terrible backache and pains across the hips. Just imagine her condition. She further says: "I was also very nervous, had headaches and dizzy spells, and was fast getting worse when I took Foley's Kidney Pills, and now all my troubles are cured. Foley's Kidney Pills have done so much for me I shall always recommend them." The Dickson Drug Co., Manning, S. C., Leon Fischer, Summerton, S. C.

The Gamy Bluefish.

The bluefish is one of the gamest fish that swim. Take him on light tackle, and you have done something to be proud of; take him on the recognized hand line, and you have performed a feat that will give you a thrill of pleasure when memory takes you dreading. He is a fighter from Bulldogville and, being free from all restrictions, makes no distinction of class, but furnishes rich and poor alike with real enjoyment. For a time it is great sport to haul in bluefish at the end of a 300 foot line, but if the fish are large, weighing from ten to fifteen pounds, the recruit from the city is done after his struggle with three or four great fish. Heading aboard a big bluefish is like pushing a freight car with the shoulder. If the fish run small the city angler will find his limit at or before he has landed fifty of them and will be glad to quit, with the sensation that every bone in his body has been crushed. For hours he can scarcely raise his arms, and the aches in a person will continue for several days.—New York Sun.

Heroic Training.

Concerning a region in Tibet an authority says: "The only satisfactory feature about the people's condition was their fine physique and their agreeable, cheery disposition under the most depressing conditions. Their superior stature and build are accounted for partly by the fact that the day after their children are born their mothers carry them to the nearest stream and plunge them into the water, even in the depths of winter, when the temperature is often down to 15 or 20 degrees below zero. Infants which survive this heroic ordeal are then smeared thickly all over with grease and exposed for several hours every day of their young lives in the open air, so that they may grow up strong and hardy and fit to defy all weathers, which the majority of them are certainly well able to do."

Old Time Election Laws.

American electors were at one time required to possess very high qualifications. In parts of New England during the seventeenth century voters had to reside in "a stone house of the dimensions of twenty feet by sixteen with on or more brick or stone chimney or chimneys." Each voter had also to be certified by his neighbors "of sober and peaceable conversation." In Connecticut every candidate for the local assembly had to furnish a certificate from the selectmen of the town where he resided that he was "of quiet and peaceable behavior and civil conversation." That the selectmen might exercise due care in signing such certificates they were liable to a fine of \$25 in case the candidate turned out otherwise than was represented.

Era of the Olympiads.

The "era of the Olympiads," or the "Olympian era," began July 1, 776 B. C. A. Olympiad was a period of four years, the games being celebrated every fourth year. When it was first proposed to use the Olympian era the earliest record that could be found was that of the victory of Choroebus, who won the great foot race long before horse racing and chariot racing were introduced. His victory was taken as the starting point of the Olympiads.

A Courageous Physician.

Doctor—Mrs. Knagg, your husband needs six months' rest. Half of it he must spend in Europe. Mrs. Knagg—Oh, splendid! I shall be delighted to go there. Doctor—That's what I've planned. You can't go for three months after he returns. That will give a full six months' rest.—Boston Transcript.

Saves Leg of Boy.

"It seemed that my 14-year-old boy would have to lose his leg, on account of an ugly ulcer, caused by a bad bruise," wrote D. F. Howard, Aquone, N. C. "All remedies and doctors' treatments failed till we tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and cured him with one box." Cures burns, boils, skin eruptions, piles. 25c at all druggists.

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The Hat Question in 1790.

The Handel festival was originally given in Westminster abbey, and the official notice of 1790 announced that "no ladies will be admitted with Hats, and they are particularly requested to come without Feathers and very small Hoops, if any." As ecclesiastical law demands that female worshippers shall cover their heads in church, this regulation was curiously anomalous. A suggestion in regard to ladies' headgear was also made by Sir Frederic Cowen in 1905, when he gave it as his opinion that the ladies might discover in their wardrobe some "extremely fascinating flat hats," which would not obstruct the view. The "fascinating flat hats" were, however, chiefly conspicuous by their absence, owing presumably (we write subject to feminine correction) to the fact that the flat hat was not among the fashions of that year.—London Globe.

Horace Greeley and an Autograph.

In his "Recollections of a Busy Life" Horace Greeley tells the story of how he once dealt very effectively with a persistent autograph hunter. A gushing youth wrote to Greeley as follows: "Dear Sir—Among my literary treasures you have doubtless preserved several autographs of our country's late lamented poet, Edgar Allan Poe. If so, and you can spare one, please inclose it to me and receive the thanks of yours truly." To which Greeley replied: "Dear Sir—Among my literary treasures there happens to be just one autograph of our country's late lamented poet, Edgar Allan Poe. It is a note of hand for \$5, with my indorsement across the back. It cost me exactly \$5.75, including protest, and you may have it for half that amount. Yours respectfully, HORACE GREELY." The autograph was found among Greeley's possessions after his death.

The Lion's Share.

It is really not the male lion, with his terrific roar and formidable appearance, that the explorer fears, but his mate. The male lion is a good looking poster, but when it comes to business it is his wife who counts, a fact the African native Game is pulled down by the female lion, and then the male beats her off until he has feasted to repletion, when she may have what is left; hence "the lion's share."

Mrs. T. A. Town, 107 6th St., Watertown, S. D., writes:

"My four children are subject to hard colds and I always use Foley's Kidney and Tar Compound with splendid results. Some time ago I had a severe attack of the grippe. I can always depend upon Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and am sure of good results." The Dickson Drug Co., Manning, S. C., and Leon Fischer, Summerton, S. C.

Tower of London.

A royal palace, consisting of no more than what is now known as the "White Tower," appears to have been the beginning of the Tower of London. It was commenced in 1078 by William the Conqueror and finished by William I. The tower was surrounded by walls and a broad ditch. Several succeeding kings made additions to it, and King Edward I. erected the church. In 1638 the old White Tower was retained, and in the reign of Charles II. a great number of additions were made to it. The new buildings in the Tower were completed in 1850.

Called His Bluff.

"Sarah," said Mr. Jolliboy to his wife as he finished his breakfast. "I shall not be home to dinner tonight. My old friend Bill Peters is in town." "Good!" said Mrs. Jolliboy. "That suits me to a T. I'm not going to be home to dinner myself. My old friend George Watkins telephoned me yesterday." Both dined at home.—Harper's Weekly.

His Standing.

"That young fellow seems to have made himself solid at your house." "Yes; I judge he has. Ma is looking up his family, while pa is investigating his commercial rating."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Spirit of the Times.

It is an age of artificial devices. Rare, indeed, is the man and rarer still the woman in whose physical makeup there is not something false, either eyes or teeth or hair.—Atlantic.

It is easy to make acquaintances, but difficult to shake them off.—Washington.

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