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HOW LONG MAN MAY LIVE.

It was Professor Hufeland's opinion that the limit of possible human life might be set at 200 years. This on the general principle that the life of a creature is eight times the period of growth. That which is quickly formed quickly perishes, and the earlier complete development is reached the sooner bodily decay ensues. More women reach old age than men but more men attain remarkable longevity than women. Some animals grow to be very old. Horned animals live shorter lives than those without horns, fierce longer than timid, and amphibious longer than those which inhabit the air. The voracious pike exists, it is said, to an age of 150 years; the turtle is good for one hundred years or more; and among birds the golden eagle is known to have lived nearly 300 years, while the sly and somber crow reaches the venerable age of a century. Passing up in the scale of life to man, and skipping the patriarchs, we find many recorded instances of longevity among the classic Greeks and Romans. Pliny notes that in the reign of the Emperor Vaspasian, in the year 76, there were 124 men living in the limited area between the Appenines and the Po of 100 years and upward, three were 140 and four over 135. Cicero's wife lived to the age of 103, and the Roman actress Luceja played in public as late as her 112th year.

Coming down to more recent times, the most notable authentic instances of great age is that of Henry Jenkins, of Yorkshire, England, who died in 1670, 169 years old. He was a fisherman, and at the age of 100 easily swam across rapid rivers. Another historic case is that of Thomas Parr, of Shropshire a day laborer, who lived to the age of 152 years. When more than 120 he married his second wife, and till 130 he could swing the scythe and yield the flail with the best of his fellow-laborers. In his 152nd year Parr went up to London to exhibit himself to the king. It proved an unlucky visit, for violating the abstemious habit of a century and a-half, the old man feasted so freely on the royal victuals, that he soon died merely of a plethora. On examination, his internal organs proved to be in excellent condition, and there was no reason why he should not have lived much longer save for his unfortunate taste for royal hospitality. Professor Hufeland's roll of centenarians includes many more remarkable cases, among them that of Mittlestedt, a Prussian soldier, who had served sixty-seven years under both Fredericks, fighting many battles and enduring much hard campaigning, and who, after all this, married successively three wives, the last when he was 110, only two years before his death.

A CHILD BIRD-CHARMER.—There lives near Harrisburg, Ohio—an out of the way place in Hancock county, about three miles West of Mt. Blanchard, a very remarkable child only five years old, who seems to have the power to charm birds at will. Her mother first noticed this strange power of fascination the child possesses about a year ago. The little girl was out in the door yard among a bevy of snow birds, and when she spoke to them, they would come and light upon her twittering with glee. On taking them into her hand and stroking them, the birds, instead of trying to get away from their fair captor, seemed to be highly pleased. She took several of them into the house to show to her mother, who, thinking she might hurt them, put them out of doors. But the door was no sooner opened than the birds flew in again, and lighting upon the little girl's head, began to chirp.—The birds remained about the premises all winter, flying to the little girl whenever the door was opened.

The parents of the child became alarmed, believing that this strange power was an ill omen, and that the much dreaded visitor, death, was about to visit their home. But death did not come, and during the past summer, the child had many pet birds. The child handles the birds so gently, that a humming bird once in her hand does not fail to return. Last winter a bevy of birds kept her company, and she played with with them for hours at a time. Every morning the birds fly to her window, and leave only when the sun sinks in the West.

The parents of the little girl are poor, superstitious people, and they have been very reticent about the matter until lately, believing some great calamity was about to overtake them.

HOW DIPHTHERIA MAY BE DETECTED.—The prevalence of diphtheria has created alarm in the minds of parents that is not warrented by the facts. Physicians in private practice as well as in public employ say that almost every ailment noticed in a child is taken for diphtheria, and that diphtheria treatment is often hastily administered by anxious parents in innocent cases of cold. There are frequent calls at the office of the Board of Health for a circular intended for free distribution, and which contains instructions as to what should be done when diphtheria enters the household. An employe of the Board of Health says that the most important part of this circular is its description of the early symptoms of the disease. "Give heed," he says in his interpretation of this part of the circular, "the moment you observe signs in your child of unwonted weakness, fatigue, or pyhsical debility, particularity if it is accompanied with a little fever. Make the child frequently open its mouth, so that you can observe its throat. It is in the throat that the lay observer will first discover any certain signs of diphtheria. Never mind how red or how much inflamed the throat appears. That does not indicate the disease. But the instant you see a white spot and detect a bad odor, run for a doctor. The white spot will grow. Other white spots will appear, and eventually they will run together in great blotches if the disease is not checked. The time to seek medical assistance is before these spots run together."—*N. Y. Sun.*

REGULARITY OF MEALS.—If a person should eat his dinner to-day at twelve o'clock, to-morrow at two, and the next at three, and continue in this irregular manner for a couple of weeks, his nervous system would become entirely deranged, for the reason that the individual has prevented this natural tendency of the nerves to have a fixed and periodic time to demand the food, and as a consequence from such irregularity, indigestion is the result, and on account of the intimate connection of the nerves and the brain, a very serious and detrimental effect upon the latter is produced, causing mental inactivity, and loss of memory. But on the other hand, if we should eat our dinner to-day at twelve, and to-morrow, and the next day at the same hour, we will find that this periodicity has been established, and the little messengers, the nerves, will warn us exactly at twelve that our regular period has arrived. It therefore follows that if we comply with the request every day promptly, we will find good digestion, quiet nerves, better memory, and a more active mind, to be the result.

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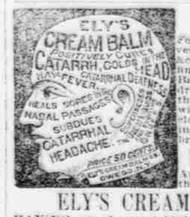

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He left the city with only a shilling in his pocket. Reaching Birmingham, he went to an old inn and sat down upon a wooden settle in the tap-room. His last penny was spent for a roll. He was weak, hungry and ill. He had not a friend in Birmingham; and there was little chance that he would find work.

In his despondency he was tempted to give up and turn beggar or tramp. Then a sudden fiery energy seized him. He brought his fist down upon the table, declaring to himself that he would try and trust in God, come what would. He found work that day in making belt buckles, which were then fashionable.

As soon as he had made a pound or two he hired a garret in Bread street and there carried on work for himself, bringing his taste and his knowledge of tools into constant use, even when working at hand-made goods. This was the secret of Gillot's success. Other workmen trudged on in the old ruts. He was wide awake, eager to improve his work or to shorten the way of working.

He fell in love with a pretty and sensible girl named Mitchell, who with her brothers were making steel pens. Each pen was then clipped, punched and polished by hand, and pens were sold consequently at enormously high prices.

Gillot at once brought his skill in tools to bear upon the matter and soon invented a machine which turned out the points by thousands in the time that a man would require to make one. He married Miss Mitchell, and they carried on the manufacture together for years.

On the morning of the marriage the industrious workman made a gross of pens and sold them for $36 to pay the wedding fees. In his old age, having reaped an immense fortune by his shrewdness, honesty and industry, Mr. Gillot went again to the old inn, bought the settle and had the square on which he sat that night sawed out and made into a chair, which he left as an heirloom to his family, to remind them of the secret of his success.

HOW TO MAKE HENS LAY.—A correspondent in the American Cultivator, having occasion recently to visit a friend in Northern New Hampshire, who has the reputation of making money through the keeping of hens, found his operation somewhat as follows:

The hen house was in the basement of a workshop building, with windows facing the south. The size of the room where the hens were kept was about fourteen by twlnty. The fowls were of the brown leghorn variety and numbered about sixty birds. Although the room seemed small, considering the number of fowls, yet, by means of good ventilation, it answered its purpose well. As we entered the room, the odor of onions attracted my attention.

"Do you give onions to your hens?" I asked.

"Yes. Onions make good green food for hens during the winter. As I had a quantity on hand, unfit for market, I am feeding them out in this way to good advantage."

"How do you feed your hens during the month?"

"In the morning I give them a dough made of bran and boiled potatoes. At intervals of two or three days I put cayenne pepper in this mixture. At noon I feed such scraps as are left at my table. In the evening I give my fowls about two quarts of whole corn, believing that this grain remains longer in the craw than any other. Twice a week I feed them meat. I buy cheap mutton, chopping up bones and all before feeding. Every day I furnish a supply of pure warm water, also keeping before them at all times a pan of ground oyster shell."

"Do your hens pay you a good profit?"

"Most certainly. The net profit from my hens more than pay our grocer's bills. There is no guess work about this statement, as I keep an exact account, showing the debts and credits in full detail."

RAISING DUCKS FOR PROFIT.—It is a pleasing fact that the increase of the supply of ducks in our market is very sensible in the last few years, and they are readily bought up at good prices as a change from chickens and turkeys. Farmers tell us that they are as easily raised as chickens; indeed cost less for food and bring a better price, especially if the kind are raised which look plump and appetizing on the table. These are the Rouen, the Pekin and Aylesbury. They are of good size, and in their growth they consume almost anything and really keep the premises clear of many things that would prove an annoyance, such as insects, grubs, offal, wormy apples, etc. In October and November, when their sale begins, a liberal supply of corn-meal or oat-meal mush, fed a little warm, mixed with sour or skimmed milk, will in about two weeks fatten them for market. From every farm from twenty-five to fifty pairs should be annually sent to market, the returns of which would do a full share in filling the family purse from the pleasanter and lighter branches of the farm. —*Germantown Telegraph.*

THE DIGGER WASP (*Sitius grandis*), which is found from Pennsylvania to the region west of the Mississippi, has the peculiar habit of provisioning its nest with the entire body of a large locust. It first digs a hole in the ground by way of a nest; then catches a locust, stings it just enough to stupefy it, but not enough to kill it, and drags it into the hole which had already been prepared to receive it. Having thus furnished a sufficiency of food for its future offspring, it deposits a single egg, closes up the nest with earth and then flies off to repeat the laborious process. Before many days the egg hatches out into a little soft, white, legless larva, which gradually devours the body of the living locust. At length, after having become full-fed, the larva spins a membraneous cocoon, inside of which it passes the winter and the following spring develops into a perfect digger wasp, to repeat the same wonderful cycle of operations year after year and century after century.

A NEW PROCESS of tanning, in which bark is wholly dispensed with and inorganic compounds are used in its place, is coming into use in Germany. The special feature of the process is the action of bhromic acid, for the generation of which a number of substances, all soluble in water, are brought together in the mixture so as to effect the decomposition of bichromate of potash. The new process requires only from four so six weeks for its completion, against the several months needed in the bark process. It has been tried at an experimental tannery in Glasgow, Scotland, with favorable results.

TO RAISE THE PILE ON VELVET.—When the pile is pressed down cover a hot smoothing-iron with a wet cloth, and hold the velvet firmly over it; the vapor arising will raise the pile of the velvet with the assistance of a light whisk or clothes brush.

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