EBENSBURG, PA .. FRIDAY, - - NOVEMBER 26, 1886.

EX-PRESIDENT Chester A. Arthur died somewhat suddenly at his residence in New York on Thursday morning of last week. His health had been failing for some time from a complication of diseases, but it was not supposed that death was so near. He was in the 57th year of his age, and was born in Vermont, his father being Rev. William Arthur, a Baptist clergyman, who came to this country from Antrim county, Ireland, when eighteen years of age .-He was a man of much more than ordinary ability, and his son inherited a large share of his intellectual powers .-He adopted the profession of the law, and attained to a high position therein. A more extended notice of his public life and services, together with a brief sketch of his private life, will be found in another column, to which we direct the attention of our readers.

ex-President, although he was never is ineligible. He is well enough qualified elected to the office by the American people, but was pitchforked into it by the electoral commission, for the creation of which nearly all the Democrats in Congress voted, believing that it would carry out the popular verdict and declare Tilden elected. Hamlin, of Maine, who was elected with Lincoln in 1860, and Wheeler, of New York, who was declared elected with Hayes, in 1877, are the only surviving Vice Presidents .-Hamlin, although quite old, enjoys vigorous health, but Wheeler, who is not yet an old man, and who lives at Malone completely broken down, a perfect wreck, the mere shadow of his former the grave than drinking whiskey.

members who are Democrats will act if he does the proper credit will be with the Democratic wing. It is under- awarded him. The office of Attorney his election would be a Democratic disposal, gain. There is a bare chance, however, that they may vote for a man of their

It is a well known fact that during has been a difficult matter to induce the Pardon Board to recommend a clemency. In this respect the Board has been very generally commended for its unwillingness to interfere with the judgment of a court, except for the strongest and most satisfactory reasons.

A case is sometimes presented to the J. Tilden Board of peculiar bardness-a case in which although the offender may have The Hon. S. J. Tilden, New York, been technically guilty of a violation of My Dear Sir: On this day, when you the collectorship of the port of New the law, acting ignorantly, or through ought to have been the President of the Uniof mercy. The case of the convicted great trial. miners of Washington county for confully agree with the Johnstown Tribione, | their merits than by the name they take. dons at its recent session failed to rec- election. I could never have been reconommend the convicted miners of Washington county to Executive elemency. These men have been amply punished their families need their assistance, and in American history. No subsequent action, their immediate release would do no however meritorious, can wash away the injustice to public interest," The Board | letters of that record. did not refuse to recommend their pardon, but held the case under advisement, and when it meets again, which will be shortly, there ought to be no hesitation in asking the Governor to release them of the Treasury, according to a Washfrom prison.

A pastoral letter of Archbishop Corrigau, of New York, was read in all the Catholic churches of that city, on Sunday last. The letter has attracted wide attention, owing to the fact that the Archbishop takes issue with the compensation as United States Minister highly inflamed state of public opinion tenure-of-land doctrines recently made at Constantinople during the same peri- made President Arthur's position one so prominent by Henry George, who od, Judge Durham is regarded as a in land. The fellowing extract from the use of all mankind, but whether the devil around the stump in order to get a of the wisest and the actions of the best no services, which we can hardly believe, culture and a wide experience, an able is that man can, by lawful acts, become in regard to his character. posessed of the right of ownership in property and not merely in its ase, The reason is because a man is strictly the country attended the funeral ceremoignore it-either to ownership and en-

As usually happens on a change of the Governorship of the State, the question of the composition of General Beaver's cabinet is just now being extensively discussed by the Republican press. It Cooper will be made Secretary of the Commonwealth, if the State Constitution does not stand in the way and operate as a barrier to his promotion from a seat in the State Senate to the office referred to. The Constitution declares as shall, during the term for which he that he was in any immediate danger. shall have been elected, be appointed to any civil office under this Commonwealth," Cooper being now a member of the State Senate this plain provision | but not wholly unexpected by his physias Secretary. It is said, however, in some quarters that it can be surmounted correct we would like to know what the framers of the Constitution meant by shall have been elected." Could his resig-

nation suspend or put in abeyance the length of the term for which he was elected? To us it seems very plain that H. B. HAYES is now the only living it could not, and that therefore Cooper point, if there is any way of doing it,

rie's successor in the Adjutant General's office and it looks as though he will be. Brown, a Lancaster lawyer of good repute in his profession, is spoken of as in the northern part of New York, is | C. Cassiday, the present Attorney General. Mr. Cassiday's official career has self, owing to the fact that for years he don't remember a single case, and he roamed about the western states in the has been a slave to the fatal habit of has prepared and argued a good many search for an eligible place. In the opium eating, which is a swifter road to during the last four years, in which he failed to satisfy both the lower court and the Supreme Court that he was start, THE re-counts in all of the close Leg- fortified by the law, He will leave his the daughter of Lieutenant Herndon, of islative districts of New Jersey being high office with a solid reputation for the United States navy, who was lost at now completed, it is regarded as settled ability in his profession of which any that the Democrats will have a majority man may feel justly proud. Mr. Brown only a few months previous to her huson joint ballot provided the two Labor | may be competent to fill his place and | band's nomination for Vice President

Hon, Charles Francis Adams, died own if the Republican members will en- at his residence in Boston, on Sunday of habeas corpus on the ground that the last, in the 80th year of his age. He provisions of the fugitive slave law were In Indiana the Democrats have a ma- was a son of President John Quincy fority of two on joint ballot in the Legis- Adams and a grandson of John Adams. lature, the Democrats having a majority | the second President of the Republic. in the Senate by that number of votes In 1848 he was a candidate for Vice convention at Saratoga that founded the over the Republican majority in the President on the Free Soil ticket with Republican party. Previous to the out-House. In that State also a United Martin Van Buren, and served five terms States Senator is to be elected to succeed | in the Massachusetts Legislature and Harrison, who is a Republican, and no two terms in Congress. In 1861 when after his inauguration, selected him to man can predict with any degree of cer- the civil war broke out. Mr. Lincoln ap- fill the position of engineer in chief of tainty what the outcome will be. The pointed him Minister to England which election of a Senator in each of these he held until 1868. It was in the dis-States is a question upon which a vast charge of the delicate and responsible General, which he held until the expiraamount of speculation as to the result is | duties of this office during the important | tion of Morgan's term of office. events growing out of the war between the North and the South, that he establigan's term, General Arthur returned to lished his reputation as one of the fore-Governor Pattison's administration it | most diplomatists of the day. He left the Republican party during the second

Of late years his health became broken down and his mind seriously impaired. following remarkable letter to Samuel

bad advice has served out a good portion | ted States, I seize the opportunity to bear of his term of imprisonment at the time my testimony to the calm and dignified man. vacant position, and four years later, the Board is asked to exercise its power | ner in which you have passed through this | when his term expired, renominated It is many years since I ceased to be a party man, hence I have endeavored to spiracy is one of that kind, and we judge of public affairs and men rather by which in speaking of it, says: "It is a lit is a source of gratification to me to into his administration, and both repormatter of regret that the Board of Par. | think that I made the right choice in the late | ted themselves unable to find anything

clied to the elevation, by the smallest aid of him. In their pronunciamentos announmine, of a person, however respectable in cing the change, both President Hayes private life, who must forever carry upon and his brow the stamp of fraud first triumphant | witness to the purity of his acts while Very respectfully yours,

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.

JUDGE DURHAM, First Comptroller | extent to his great exertions. ington dispatch, said last week that, while he had not decided the question, he was of opinion that Hon. S. S. Cox Conkling, and went to Albany to endeavwas entitled to compensation as a mem- or to secure his re-election to the Senate. ber of Congress from the time the salary of his predecessor ceased, notwithstanding the fact that he has already received General Arthur to the Presidency. The ran as the Labor candidate for Mayor mode! officer, and an honest man, but great tact he surmounted all obstacles and gave the country what at the expiof that city, one of his peculiar theories he had better think over the matter long ration of his term of office was admitted being a denial of the right of property and patiently before he makes a decision by members of all parties to have been that will enable Mr. Cox to put money the Archbishop's letter shows wherein in his pocket that he never earned, and he differs from the Communistic argu- to which, therefore, he has no legal possession thereof was to be in common, whack at the public Treasury. The ation, judging from the facts of history. Mr. Cox is trying to get money out of the sanction of law, from the teaching the Treasury for which he has rendered and bravest of mankind, has been, and we have formed a much mistaken notion lawyer, with refined tastes and manners

DISTINGUISHED men from all parts of

county, where he lives, was only 179. Verein could easily capture the city."

CHESTER A. ARTHUR DEAD.

Sudden Death of the ex-President.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18 .- Ex-President seems to be conceded that Thomas V. | Chester A. Arthur died at five o'clock this morning, at his residence, No. 123 Lexington avenue. He had been ailing for some time from a complication of seases, principally kidney affection .-He had spent the summer at a watering place, and it was supposed that this had strengthed somewhat his enfeebled constitution. His death was unexpected, it follows: "No Senator or Representative | not being supposed outside of his house

As soon as news of the death was announced, many flags were placed at half mast on public and private buildings,-A stroke of cerebral apoptexy, sudden of the Constitution would seem to be an | cian +, terminated Mr. Arthur's life. The impassable obstacle to his appointment | stroke came in his sleep during Tuesday night, and he did not rally thereafter .-For hours before the end came he was unconscious to his surrounding. His by Cooper resigning his present office. - son and daughter, his sister, his former If this interpretation of the clause is law partner, Sherman W. Knevals, and his closest friend, Surrogate Rollins,

were at his bedside. The funeral will take place on Monthe words, "during the term for which he day, at nice a, m., from the Church of Heavenly Rest, on Fifth avenue, Rev. Dr. Parker Morgan officiating. Mr. Arthur was not a member of any church, but his wife formerly attended that one.

The remains will be interred in Alba-

ny Rural Cemetery, in the family plot.

Chester A. Arthur was born in Frankfor the position if he can legally take it. | lin county, Vt., October 5, 1830. He and he had better make sure of that and five daughters. His father was the Rev. Dr. William Arthur, a Baptist before he vacates his seat in the Senate. clergyman, who emigrated to this Col. Hastings, of Bellefonte, feels country from County Antrim, Ireland, in his eighteenth year, and who was a quite certain that he will be Col. Guthman of more than ordinary ability. Ex-President Arthur was educated at Union College, and was graduated in the class The most important question is, who of '49. After leaving college, be taught will be the Attorney General? J. Hay a country school for two years, in Vermont, and then having by rigid economy managed to save about \$500, he started for New York and entered the law office certain to be selected. It will take a of ex Judge E. D. Colver, as a student. first class man to fill the place of Lewis | After being admitted to the bar, he formed a partnership with his intimate friend and room mate, Henry D. Gardiner, with the lutention of practicing in been exceptionally successful. We the West, and for three months they end, however, they returned to New York, and hung up their shingles, entering upon a successful career from the Mr. Arthur soon after married sea, and who went calmly down to death smoking a cigar. Mrs. Arthur, died

Previous to the commencement of the war Mr. Arthur was concerned in sevstood that they will support Governor General just now is the most important | eral notable cases growing out of slavery Abbott for United States Senator, and that the Governor-elect will have at his in the south, the most important being his successful defense of eight slaves, who had been brought to New York prior to being brought to Texas. Mr. Arthur secured their release by a writ not in force in that State, and gained his case both in the lower Court and in

the Supreme Court of the United States. General Arthur was a delegate to the and Governor Edwin D. Morgan, soon his staff. In 1861 he held the post of Inspector General, and soon afterward was advanced to that of Quartermaster

At the expiration of Governor Moris law practice. Buriness of the most lucrative character poured in upon him, and the firm of Arthur & Gardiner prospered excedingly. Much of their work term of Grant's administration and sub- consisted in the collection of war claims criminal as a fit subject for Executive sequently acted with the Democrats .- and the drafting of important bills for speedy legislation, and a great deal of General Arthur's time was spent in Albany and Washington, where his uniform On the 5th of March, 1877, the day on success won for him a national reputawhich R. B. Hayes was sworn into office tion. For a short time he held the as President, Mr. Adams addressed the position of counsel to the board of tax commissioners, at \$10,000 per annum.-Gradually he was drawn into the arena of politics. He nominated, and by his efforts elected, Hon. Thomas Murphy a State Senator. When the latter resigned York on November 20, 1871, President Grant nominated General Arthur to the him, an honor that had never been shown to any previous collector in the history of the port. He was removed by President Hayes on July 12, 1878, in spite of the fact that two special committeees made searching investigation upon which to base a charge against Secretary Therman bore official in office. It was this act, and a desire to mollify the defeated third termers, day ought to be a jubilee in the United that secured General Arthur the Republican nomination for Vice President at the Chicago Convention in 1880, and the success of the Garfield and Arthur ticket

in New York State was due to a great In the factional quarrels that followed immediately upon General Garfield's assumption of power, Vice President these: "As to you, sir, treacherous in Arthur naturally sided with Senator private friendship and a hypocrite in It was while he was yet in Albany that Gniteau fired the fatal bullet that caused President Garfield's death, and elevated ever had any." Evidently in those of unusual embarrassment, but with great tact he surmounted all obstacles retired to private life residing in New

York city. person President Arthur was over six feet in hight, broad shouldered, athletic and handsome. He was a man of great

of the utmost gentality. A LOCAL German Chicago paper, in entitled to that of which he is the promes of ex-President Arthur at his late and that the calls for meetings of the every opportunity." Dr. King's New Disducing cause, to the improvement he residence in New York city on Monday "Groups" are circulated openly. The covery for Consumption is guaranteed to brings about in it, and the enjoyment last. President Cleveland walked arm- article says, "on Monday evening in the cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthmaof both. But it is clear that in a farm, in-arm with ex-President Rutherford hall on Clybourn avenue, a meeting of Croup and every affection of Throat, Chest for instance, which one has by patient B. Hayes. Mr. Blaine and Senator Edal Working People's Association was Drug Store. Large Size \$1.00 the North side Group of the Internation- and Lungs. Trial Bottles free at E. James' marble out of which one has chiselled and when the latter proffered his hand cussed. Some of the persons present a perfect statue, he cannot fully enjoy to the former, he declined to receive it. thought that on a stormy night, with a the improvement he has caused unless. The incident attracted very marked athe has also the right to own the subject tention and was the subject of much dis-in some dozen different places. The Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillblains, thus improved. He has a strict right— cussion among those who had observed water works destroyed, the fire department could have no water; half the city would go up in a blaze, and in the confu-

Local Institutes and Reading Circles.

The committee on reading circles and local institutes appointed at the county institute, reported a series of resolutions recommending the division of the county into sections by the County Superintendent, and the appointment of a leader or temporary chairman for each section. The resolutions were unanimously adopted by the institute.

In accordance with the direction of the committee and the institute, the division of the county for organization is herewith presented. The division is made with special reference to the convenience of attendance of teachers and directors. The teachers of some districts may, however, find it more convenient to attend the meetings of another section than the one to which their district belongs. It should be the aim of every teacher to attend one section, and contribute something to make the meetings of a practical character, Teachers, show first payment will amount to \$12,224 39. that we mean to carry out the resolutions of the county institute.

Meetings for organization have been already held in the first and second sections. The appointments for other sections are as follows : The third section will include Adams

and Richland. The first meeting to be held Nov. 27th, 10 o'clock a. m., at Frogtown. Mr. E. H. Burkhart, chair-Jackson district will compose the

fourth section. The first meeting to be

held at Vinco, Nov. 27th, at 10 a. m .-Mr. Henry Ely, chaitman, South Fork, Croyle, Summerhill and Wilmore will comprise the fifth section. First meeting to be held at Summerhill, his bed. Nov. 27th, at 10 a. m. Mr. George A.

The sixth section will include Portage, Washington, Lilly and Summit districts. The first meeting to be held at Lilly, Nov. 27th, at 10 a. m. Mr. J. C. Brown,

Gallitzin bor, and twp., Tunnelhill, Allegheny, Loretto and Munster will comprise the districts belonging to the seventh section. The first meeting to be held at Loretto, Nov. 27th, at 1.30 p. n. Mr. A. J. Sanker, chairman. Ebensburg, Cambria and Blacklick and the weapon just as the trigger was pull. will include the eighth section. The

first meeting to be held at Ebensburg,

Dec. 4th, at 10 a. m. Mr. J. W. Leech, chairman. Barr, Susquehanna, Elder, Chest, Carrolf and Carrolltown will be included in the ninth section. The first meeting to be held at Carrolltown, Dec. 4th, at a. m. Mr. Jos. Bearer, chairman. Chest Springs, Ashland, Dean and twelve of whom reached land. She was Clearfield will comprise the tenth sec-

St. Augustine, Nov. 27th, at 9 a. m .-Mr. W. J. Cramer, chairman. White and Reade districts will constitute the eleventh section. The first meeting to be held at Fallen Timber | seven lives are thown to have been lost, school bouse, Nov. 25th, at 1,30 p. m.-

tion. The first meeting to be held at

Mr. Geo. W. Williams, chairman. The nature of the exercises for the different sections will be determined by the teachers belonging to each section. In several sections the teachers will organize reading circles, and take up a lirectors and patrons will attend and take part.

It is thought best to leave the program, the number of meetings to be held and other matters, entirely to the teachers of the different sections. Each section may have subjects and questions peculiar to itself. We lim. think it advisable, however, that a -A few days ago William Schomi, of course of professional reading and study Newberry, near Williamsport, slew a bear be made a part of the work of each sec- of immense size while sut on a bunting exion in the county.

Respectfully submitted. COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Campaign Abuse Then and Now.

A political campaign now looks to me less like a duel about some point of honof than a prize fight between the two great parties, with little more at issue than to see which can beat the other .- | very smart imitation of a book which enclo-They abuse each other, ad libitum, as ses a bottle of very good whisky. By hard as they know how. But they don't touching a spring at one end of the book mean it, and everybody knows it. Their the end opens, and the neck of the abuse is all sham. After the fight, like bottle bobs up serenly. These bottle books two sluggers, they shake hands almost are being sold there at \$1. A man could affectionately and act as if they never | walk up a church aisle with one under his had believed the opposing candidates to arm without being suspected of anything be anything but good and honorable but deep piety.

In this respect the campaigns of old were different. I have an illustration of it before me now, recorded in Dr. Benson J. Lossing's new book on "Mary and Martha, the Mother and the Wife of George Washington." Not only was but the darkey would not bay, and finally Washington scandalously abused before | picked ont a coat worth \$1.65 and offered it of the office, but after the Father of his and trust him for the balance. The custo-Country had retired from office. "Three | mer jumped at the offer, and without even days after," says Dr. Lossing, "a writer | trying on the coat, paid the \$2 and went in the Aurora newspaper asserted that away happy in his ability to owe \$8. The when a retrospect is taken of the Washington administration for eight years, it is a subject of the greatest astonishment that a single individual should have cankered the principles of republicanism in an enlightened people just emerged from the gulf of despotism, and carry his designs against the public liberty so far as to put in jeopardy its very existence. Such, however, are the facts, and with these staring us in the face, this

A few days before this appeared Thomas Paine, in whose behalf Washington had refused to exercise his influence and power to have him released from prison in Paris, published a scur- than to give his name and nationality. rilous open letter addressed to the President, in which occurred such words as public life, the world will be puzzled to or an impostor, whether you have aban-"good old times" abuse did not stop with the election, nor even after a public character's retirement to private life .-Lancaster Intelligencer.

Advices from the coke region are to the effect that no meeting of coke workone of the best and most conservative ers has been held to consider the ultimaadministrations in the history of the tum of the operators given out on Satgovernment, After being defeated by urday, and that all the men are at work James G. Blaine for renomination at as usual. The operators say there will ments of Mr. George and his followers: claim, The tax payers of the country Chicago, in 1884, and on the expiration be no strike, as the Knights of Labor are "Undoubtedly God made the earth for will not stand any such whipping the of his term of office, President Arthur opposed to it, and the Miner's Association cannot afford to order strikes unless the men are united. The majority of He resumed the practice of law, but the coke workers want employment duor by individual ownership, was left for payment of an uneacned salary is against all health interfered greatly with the ring the winter, and are willing to lose reason to determine. Such determine iaw, honesty and common sense. If active pursuit of his profession. In a point if only peace can be maintained.

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BEST TONIC.

-George Gibson, a stater fell from the roof of the Engle Hotel, at Leimnen, on last Monday evening and deshed his brains out on the pavement below, a distance of

-The fact that you read the newspaper is evidence that you desire to keep posted up in what is going on. This paragraph is to inform you that Dreydoppel's Borax Soap is the best soap made in America. Try it

-Master James Bruce, aged 14 years, of Chesterfield county, Va., a few days ago killed three wild turkeys at a single shot, and wounded the fourth which was captured by another party a short distance off. Who can beat this? -Two large pensions were granted at

Washington a few days since. One was to J. T. Monorist, an insane veteran, whose The other was to Josiah Brainard, whose dist payment will amount to \$11,917.96. -A farmer of this state who has been

troubled by crows scattered a peck of whisky soaked com in his field. The crows got inebriated, flew away and never returned. A Connecticut farmer tried the same thing and now be finds the crows waiting for him every -About nidnight last Saturday Elias Sim-

mons, a good, law abiding and peaceable

negro, was nurdered in his own home, two miles from Minden, La., by a party of masked men who broke open his door and shot him to teath while he was sleeping in -Mrs. Crumton, (a white woman) and her little boy were gathering wood near their home, a Randolph, Bibb county Ala.,

on Sunday when two negroes sprang from the bushes, one threatening to kill the woman if she made any noise. He then brutally outraged her, after which both fied. -At Bonne Ferre, Mo., two men named Stockwell and Bess engaged in a fight. Stockwell raised his gun to shoot Bess. The latter's daughter sprang between her father

ed. The contents of both barrels took effect in her breast and s omach, killing her -The steamer Oceanic, which arrived on Monday at San Francisco from Hong Kong and Yokohama, brings news of the founder. ing of the steamer Normantore, off Pashima, Japan, with seventy-two persons on board,

laden with tea for New York and Canada.

The date of the lisaster is not given. -The storm which raged on the lakes on Wednesday and Thursday of last week was one of the flercest ever known. Thirtywhile an equal number of persons are missing. Thirty vessels were wrecked or damaged, involving a loss of over \$700,000. The craws of many other vessels suffered severely from cold and hunger.

-A strolling gypsy told a West Virginia course of profession t' reading. In other farmer that it he would place \$25 in a certain listricts the exercises will be largely of hollow stump and have it there all night, the character of local institutes, and it would be doublet in the morning. The farmer tried it, and sure enough found \$50 in the stump. Then the gypsy advised the tarmer to put all be lad, \$700, in the stump and draw out \$1,400 in the morning. The farmer took this advice, and now is looking for a gypsy who he says has stolen \$700 from

> pedition near North Point. He fired four balls into the animal from a Winchester rifle before he fell, the last shot being made when he was within 16 feet of the bear. The bear weighed 320 pounds after the entrails were taken out, and from these were secured 37 pounds of tallow

-Many prohibition Bbles are in circulation in Atlanta. The prehibition Bible is a

-A Georgia newspaper illustrates the average Southern negro's poor ousiness ability by telling of one who asked the price of a coat in a store. The store keeper offered him various garments cheap for cash, his election and during his incumbency to him for \$10, agreeing to take \$2 in cash Fertilizer Drillin existence. Send for store keeper will not worry it he does not get the money

-Ion Petuska, a Pole, has been the object of a great deal of curiosity at Louisville. He first made his appearance on Saturday last, when he visited Seventeenth street market, and devoured in the presence of the crowd, four pounds of raw beef. Since then be has visited the market every morning and feasted on the butcher's scraps picked up off the ground. He feeds like a ravenous wolf, and his unkempt hair and beard, give him the appearance of a wild man. He can speak English imperfectly, but refuses to talk about himself further

-Congressman Campbell, of the Seventh Ohio district, is returned as elected by two votes over his Republican competitor, Little, who appears to have been detested by the now decide whether you are an apostate | foolishness of several of his own supporters. In Beaver Creek township an cuthu-iastic doned good principles, or whether you Republican pinned Little's picture to his ticket, and when it came to be counted the judges threw it out; in the Fourth ward of Columbus, two Republican tickets were stuck together and were thrown out, and in the Sixth ward the same thing occurred. If these voters had been more careful Little would have been elected by one majority.

-The elephant is beleived by the East Indians to live 300 years, and instances are on record of elephants having been kept in captivity as long as 130 years, their age being unknown when taken from the forest, Camels live 40 to 50 years. Some birds attain great age, such as the swan and the eagle which have been known to live 100 years. Parrots have been known to live so years, A tortoise lived 120 years and then perished by accident. Water anima is also attain great age, such as the earp, which has been known to live 200 years, and a pike has been known to live in a pond more than 90 years. It is said that in 1497 an enormous pike was caught in a lake near Hulbronn, Switzerland, with a brass ring attached to it, recording that it was put in the lake in 1230. There are indications that the whale lives 400 years





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