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**Children Nursed by Wolves.**  
The Rev. Dr. Elinwood, in a letter from  
Cawnpore, India, to the New York *Evangelist*,  
has the following paragraphs:  
Our interest was greatly excited at the  
Secundra orphanage by one inmate, known  
as the "Wolf Boy." Within ten years  
two boys, said to have been found living  
wild with wolves, have been brought to  
Mr. Erhardi for support. One of them  
died about two years since, having proved  
too untamable to endure human habits.  
The one still remaining was found when  
apparently about seven years of age, and  
he has been eight years at the orphanage.  
The story of his capture is this: Some  
native farmers, being greatly troubled by  
the incursions of wolves, followed them to  
their dens, and proceeded "to smoke them  
out" by building fires in the entrance. At  
length the whole wolf family emerged, old  
and young, and among them this boy,  
running rapidly on hands and feet. The  
story seemed to be corroborated by the fact  
that, when brought to the orphanage, he  
still bore the marks of the fire through  
which he had passed. He also walked like  
a quadruped, and would receive at first  
only raw flesh, which he ate as well as  
the carnivora do, gnawing it at the side of his  
mouth. As we saw him he was standing  
erect, and had learned to submit to clothing.  
His expressions were of course unintelligible,  
and sounded more like those of an  
animal than like a human voice, though he  
was scarcely more bestial in appearance  
than many of the lowest grades of idiots.  
There was, however, a restless motion of  
the head and gnashing of the teeth, which  
appeared decidedly canine.  
That children have been nourished and  
reared by wolves, is not to be credited with-  
out the very strongest evidences.  
The missionaries at Secundra, however,  
and so far as I know, all other intelligent  
citizens in the neighborhood, regard the  
proof in these two cases as entirely valid.  
Nor are these the only "wolf boys" who are  
claimed to have been found in India. Max  
Muller, of London, on seeing some accounts  
of these curious freaks of nature, opened a  
correspondence, some months since with  
various persons in India on the subject.  
As a result there have appeared thus far  
six cases, which seem to be well attested by  
missionaries, and by officers in the civil and  
military service. There is no country  
where such would things be more likely to  
occur than in India. The prevalence of  
wild animal life, even in well-settled districts,  
is surprising. We saw in one instance not  
less than thirty huge apes in one band only  
a few rods from the railway. Deer or  
gazelles were frequently seen feeding with-  
in easy shot of laborers in the field. On  
two occasions goats were carried off by  
wolves from the mission compounds, in  
which we were spending the night. Accord-  
ing to a recent census of the northwest  
provinces, 2,000 lives were destroyed in  
one year by wild animals, mostly wolves.  
The great majority are children who are  
snatched away at nightfall from the  
vicinity—sometimes from the very doors  
of their rude huts.  
With these facts no further light can be  
given on the subject of the wolf-boys.  
Whether the maternal instinct of the wolf,  
when not particularly hungry, might in  
one of 10,000 cases take such a freak as to  
protect a child, which she intended to eat,  
and allow it to share her prey, is a ques-  
tion for each theorist to decide for himself.  
It is worthy of note that all these children  
are idiots. If we suppose that they were  
originally sound, their wolf regimen has  
reversed the Darwinian process, and borne  
them back to bestiality, both in body and  
in mind.

**A Dog on Duty.**  
When the "Spankers" were in the  
Crimea, a large dog, I don't exactly know  
of what breed, but universally admired for  
beauty and intelligence, attached himself to  
that particular corps. Wherever the  
regiment marched, he invariably accompa-  
nied the troopers. Several times he  
went into action, and was once seriously  
wounded with the point of a lance. It  
would have been universally regretted had  
poor Luffin's wound proved fatal. One of  
the farriers undertook to dress it, so that,  
with a little care, he soon got well again.  
Where the dog came from, or who his  
original owner, nobody knew. He would  
never follow an individual soldier beyond  
the barrack gates, however kindly he might  
be invited; but when the men were in full  
dress, whether mounted or on foot, provid-  
ed they went out in a body, Luffin insisted  
on taking up his proper position. One  
thing was very remarkable—he had sufficient  
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**Facts for the Curious.**  
A single codfish produces more than a  
million of eggs in a season.  
The tarantula, of Brazil, is nothing more  
or less than an enormous spider.  
Fish have no eyelids, and necessarily  
sleep with their eyes wide open.  
Alligators fall into a lethargic sleep dur-  
ing the winter season, like a toad.  
Naturalists say that a single swallow will  
devour six thousand flies in a day.  
Serpents of all species shed their skins  
annually like sea crabs and lobsters.  
When a bee, wasp or hornet stings, it is  
nearly always at the expense of its life.  
In the darkest nights fishes pursue their  
usual movements the same as by daylight.  
Fishes swallow their food whole. They  
have no dental machinery furnished them.  
Frogs, toads and serpents never take  
any food but that which they are satisfied  
is alive.  
Seals are as intelligent as dogs, and can  
be taught to perform many tricks like them.  
In South America there is a prolific  
honey-bee which has not been furnished  
with a sting.  
If the eye of a goat is put out another  
perfect one is soon supplied by rapid  
growth.  
Turtles and tortoises have their skeletons  
partly outside, in place of within their  
bodies.  
It is believed that crocodiles live to be  
hundreds of years old. The Egyptians em-  
balmed them.  
Serpents never feed upon anything but  
animal food which they themselves put  
to death.  
Toads become torpid in winter, and hide  
themselves; taking no food for five or six  
weeks.  
Serpents are so tenacious of life that  
they will live six months and longer with-  
out food.  
Turtles dig holes in the sea shore and  
bury their eggs, covering them up to be  
hatched by the sun.  
Lobsters are very pugnacious, and fight  
severe battles. If they lose a claw another  
grows out.  
A whale suckles its young, and is there-  
fore not a fish! The mother's affection is  
remarkable.  
The power of serpents to charm birds  
and small quadrupeds is a well authenti-  
cated fact.  
There are agricultural ants in Texas that  
actually plant grain and reap and store the  
harvest.  
The head of a rattlesnake has been  
known to inflict a fatal wound after being  
severed from the body.

**How a Woman Buys Meat.**  
When a woman enters a butcher shop  
to select a piece of meat for dinner, she has  
her mind made up to take a mutton roast.  
Therefore, when the butcher rubs his hands  
and asks what she will have, she promptly  
replies:  
'I'll take some of that mutton—'  
She stops there. Her eyes have caught  
sight of a ham, and she suddenly decides  
to take a ham.  
'Is that nice ham?' she inquires.  
'Best ham I ever saw, madame. How  
much?'  
'Well you may give me three pounds—'  
Well I don't know either. My husband  
was saying he'd like some sausage. Have  
you any real nice sausage?'  
'Plenty, madame. Now, then, how much  
do you want?'  
'It's pork sausage, it is?'  
'Yes, ma'am.'  
'Well, I suppose a pound would be en-  
ough for our small family, but—but—'  
'Shall I weigh a pound, madame?'  
'I was just wondering if a real pot pie  
wouldn't suit him better,' she answered.—  
'You have veal I suppose?'  
'Oh, yes, madame. Here's a splendid  
bit of veal—as good a piece as I ever saw.'  
'Yes, that does look nice veal,' she says,  
lifting it up.  
'And you'll take it?'  
'Let's see,' she muses. 'Y—no, I guess  
not. I guess I had better take pork  
chops.'  
'Nice chops—how much,' he asks.  
'One of these slices will weigh a pound,  
I suppose?'  
'About a pound, madame.'  
'And it was a young hog?'  
'Quite young, madame.'  
'And you'll cut the rind off?'  
'Yes, madame.'  
'Well, she says, heaving a deep sigh—  
'I guess you may give me some beef-  
steak some—that's nice, and be sure to cut  
all the bone out.'  
'And she's only been half an hour com-  
ing to the point.

**How Much Lime we Use.**  
A physician, in his recent work on physi-  
ology, remarks that "it is estimated that  
the bones of every adult person required to  
be fed with lime enough to make a mat-  
tel-piece every eight months." It will be  
perceived, therefore, that in the course of  
about ten years each of us eats three or  
four mattel-pieces and a few sets of front  
door steps; and in a long life, we suppose,  
it is fair to estimate that a healthy man  
could devour the Capitol, and perhaps two  
or three medium sized marble quarries be-  
sides. It is awful to think of the conse-  
quences if a man should be shut off from  
his supply of lime for a while, and then get  
loose in a cemetery! An ordinary tomb-  
stone would be hardly enough for a lunch  
for him.

**Genuine Fools.**  
He who wipes his nose on a nutmeg  
grater and picks his teeth with a razor.  
She who says "no" to a proposal of a gen-  
tleman when she has reached the age of  
thirty. He who gets so drunk at night,  
that he puts his clothes to bed, and haugs  
himself on the back of a chair. She who  
rubs her cheeks with bricksbats in order to  
give them color. He who puts on his hat  
and takes his cane and starts out in pursuit  
of an honest and disinterested politician.  
She who pinches and slaps a child to make  
it quit bawling.

A man living near Jamestown is the  
happy possessor of two Angora goats. On  
Tuesday he cut the fleeces from the backs  
of these animals, carried it to the alkali  
mills of Jamestown, had it made into moh-  
air, took the cloth to a dressmaker, and  
that evening his daughter was wearing a  
dress made from the wool taken from the  
goats in the morning.

In one school district of Scranton the  
teachers have not been paid for four  
months. The Secretary and Treasurer of  
the board and the lawyers got all the  
money.

**Women Funeral Thieves.**  
A correspondent writing to the Potts-  
town *Leader* says: In the neighborhood  
of Fox Hill, Pottsgrove township, Mont-  
gomery county, there resides two females,  
a mother and daughter, who make it their  
business to attend all the funerals for miles  
around, not for the purpose of paying any  
respect to the dead, but as a matter of  
speculation. They rarely, if ever, accom-  
pany the funeral cortege to the grave, but  
remain about the house and endeavor to in-  
sinuate themselves into the good graces of  
those having charge of the culinary ar-  
rangements, and endeavor not only to get  
a good dinner, but if possible carry away  
with them well-filled baskets of catables  
prepared for the occasion. If they fail in  
this, they have no compunctions of con-  
science about helping themselves in a  
stealthy manner.

They have become so bold in this work,  
and met with such success, that they have  
not stopped here, but have recently been  
detected in stealing other articles that they  
found lying around loose. They were ply-  
ing their old game at a funeral lately. After  
the dinner had been eaten, a lady friend  
of the deceased discovered that a new parasol  
belonging to her was missing, and an old  
one left in its place. The residence of the  
two women alluded to above was searched,  
and the missing parasol found in their pos-  
session, besides a lot of hair brushes and  
children's clothing, which had been taken  
from other parties. Legal proceedings are  
to be instituted against these long-fingered  
females, and until then we withhold their  
names.

**How a Woman Buys Meat.**  
When a woman enters a butcher shop  
to select a piece of meat for dinner, she has  
her mind made up to take a mutton roast.  
Therefore, when the butcher rubs his hands  
and asks what she will have, she promptly  
replies:  
'I'll take some of that mutton—'  
She stops there. Her eyes have caught  
sight of a ham, and she suddenly decides  
to take a ham.  
'Is that nice ham?' she inquires.  
'Best ham I ever saw, madame. How  
much?'  
'Well you may give me three pounds—'  
Well I don't know either. My husband  
was saying he'd like some sausage. Have  
you any real nice sausage?'  
'Plenty, madame. Now, then, how much  
do you want?'  
'It's pork sausage, it is?'  
'Yes, ma'am.'  
'Well, I suppose a pound would be en-  
ough for our small family, but—but—'  
'Shall I weigh a pound, madame?'  
'I was just wondering if a real pot pie  
wouldn't suit him better,' she answered.—  
'You have veal I suppose?'  
'Oh, yes, madame. Here's a splendid  
bit of veal—as good a piece as I ever saw.'  
'Yes, that does look nice veal,' she says,  
lifting it up.  
'And you'll take it?'  
'Let's see,' she muses. 'Y—no, I guess  
not. I guess I had better take pork  
chops.'  
'Nice chops—how much,' he asks.  
'One of these slices will weigh a pound,  
I suppose?'  
'About a pound, madame.'  
'And it was a young hog?'  
'Quite young, madame.'  
'And you'll cut the rind off?'  
'Yes, madame.'  
'Well, she says, heaving a deep sigh—  
'I guess you may give me some beef-  
steak some—that's nice, and be sure to cut  
all the bone out.'  
'And she's only been half an hour com-  
ing to the point.

**How Much Lime we Use.**  
A physician, in his recent work on physi-  
ology, remarks that "it is estimated that  
the bones of every adult person required to  
be fed with lime enough to make a mat-  
tel-piece every eight months." It will be  
perceived, therefore, that in the course of  
about ten years each of us eats three or  
four mattel-pieces and a few sets of front  
door steps; and in a long life, we suppose,  
it is fair to estimate that a healthy man  
could devour the Capitol, and perhaps two  
or three medium sized marble quarries be-  
sides. It is awful to think of the conse-  
quences if a man should be shut off from  
his supply of lime for a while, and then get  
loose in a cemetery! An ordinary tomb-  
stone would be hardly enough for a lunch  
for him.

**Genuine Fools.**  
He who wipes his nose on a nutmeg  
grater and picks his teeth with a razor.  
She who says "no" to a proposal of a gen-  
tleman when she has reached the age of  
thirty. He who gets so drunk at night,  
that he puts his clothes to bed, and haugs  
himself on the back of a chair. She who  
rubs her cheeks with bricksbats in order to  
give them color. He who puts on his hat  
and takes his cane and starts out in pursuit  
of an honest and disinterested politician.  
She who pinches and slaps a child to make  
it quit bawling.

A man living near Jamestown is the  
happy possessor of two Angora goats. On  
Tuesday he cut the fleeces from the backs  
of these animals, carried it to the alkali  
mills of Jamestown, had it made into moh-  
air, took the cloth to a dressmaker, and  
that evening his daughter was wearing a  
dress made from the wool taken from the  
goats in the morning.

In one school district of Scranton the  
teachers have not been paid for four  
months. The Secretary and Treasurer of  
the board and the lawyers got all the  
money.