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**SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.**

When glow worms go counting the females sit on the grass while the males dance around them in a circle, flashing their lights.

Heavy, shaggy, overhanging eyebrows, with lower forehead prominent, show great powers of reasoning from premise to conclusion. Darwin had such brows.

O. P. Anderson, the engineer, has by triangulation established the height of Glacier Peak, Snohomish County, Washington, as 11,500 feet; Mount Ranier is 15,000 feet high; Mount Baker, 11,000 feet. Mount Shuksan, Whatcom County, is said to be taller than Mount Baker.

Deposits of a metallic lustre are found on the teeth of certain ruminating animals in the Levant and other parts of southern Europe and the East. Herr Graebner has proved the yellow enamel to have its seat in the moderately thickened cell membranes of the tissues affected; but the lustre comes from a thick deposit of wax on the epidermis.

It is reported that a large industry is being built up at Barrow, England, in the production of steel barrels for the conveyance of petroleum. The barrels are made in halves by means of compression in a mold, when hot. Afterward they are welded together by means of electricity. The barrels are intended for use by the large oil-carrying companies engaged in the oil trade in the East, where the temperature has a great effect on wood casks, and results in so much leakage.

The registration and sanitary committee of the board of health of Philadelphia has issued the following significant notice: Physicians are requested not to place on any certificate "heart failure" as the cause of death, but the disease of which the patient was suffering prior to the heart failure. This term has never been placed on the list of diseases adopted by this board, it being looked upon as a result of some other illness from which the patient was suffering. Furthermore, it furnishes an opportunity to conceal contagious diseases, and thus permits the ignoring of the rules of this board, either innocently or designedly.

The study of the hair upon human species offers an extensive field for inquiry, and one which presents many unsolved problems of the first order of importance. Why man, as a species, should present the kind and the amount of hair which he does is variously explained, and the differences between the varieties of the human race are so great in this respect that one of the most popular subdivisions of species is founded upon it. That the human family have the longest hair of any species of animal is a well-known fact, but why they lost it over most of the body is subject for much curious conjecture and speculation.

**How Camphor is Made.**  
Camphor is the result of evaporating an essential oil found in two different trees, the cinnamonum camphora, which grows in China and Japan, and the dipterocarpus camphora, of Sumatra and Borneo; from these two trees it is obtained in very different manners. In the cinnamonum it exists in root and branch, stems and leaves, which are chopped small and put into earthen vessels, which are heated; these vessels are covered with hoods and rice straw is placed in them; the camphor is volatilized and rises; it condenses on the straw, from which it is afterward cleared. In the dipterocarpus it is found in the trunk in a solid form, and it is obtained by cutting the tree down and splitting it open; it is found in pieces from one to two feet long and about as thick as a man's arm. A moderate sized tree will yield about ten pounds of camphor, a larger one about twice that quantity. This kind is more highly esteemed than the other, so that in Japan two hundred pounds of native camphor are valued at one pound of the Bornean. —New York Telegram.

**Dangers in Droughts.**  
Long droughts carry in their train certain inevitable dangers to the public health. The first of these evils is the scarcity of water—itself a great source of anxiety to those whose business it is to supervise the sanitary welfare. There comes the inadequate flushing of sewers and the risk, through water saving practices, of drains becoming befouled. The tendency for certain diseases of cholera type to increase in intensity—the heat and want of water being conditions for their diffusion—in a hot dry season is well known. Finally we get the river courses of the land, which are used as huge sewers by the towns in their neighborhood, becoming pestiferous channels. Any one who of late days has been in the neighborhood of the Midland Railway Station at Leeds must have had practical proof of the pestilential state of the Aire. Sewer gases, acting on relaxed or ordinary sore throats, may produce diphtheria. The drains, sewers and rivers should be purified. —New York Telegram.

**Found a Volcano.**  
A party of bicyclists going Nebraska found a volcano, or what they took for a volcano, the other day. It is situated some four miles south of Ponca. The party heard a peculiar whistling noise, which they could not understand. They undertook to investigate it, and came upon a fissure in the rocks of a bluff, from which issued a strong blast of air, so hot that one of the party, who inadvertently exposed his face to it, found his skin blistered. The air had no odor, and nothing else but the hot air came from the fissure. There is an extinct volcano some twelve miles from the place, and the explorers concluded that the fissure was a vent from the same. —New York World.

**THE MERRY SIDE OF LIFE.**

**RIGHTING A WRONG.**  
Dobber (the artist)—"I have called, Mr. Gotrox, to make a confession to which I am driven by the pangs of a gnawing conscience. I grossly deceived you in regard to that pastoral picture you purchased from me two months ago."  
Old Gotrox—"Did, hey? How, may I ask?"  
Dobber—"Those blotches in the foreground of the painting—you spoke of them as barberry bushes—Mr. Gotrox, I—I can not conceal the truth any longer; they are cows!"—Puck.

**A HOPELESS JOB.**  
"Did you get the swag?" whispered the burglar who had stood on guard while his comrade went in the house. The latter shook his head gloomily.  
"Well, I know he took it home with him in his pants' pocket, because I saw him get the money and it was too late to put it in the bank. Couldn't you find his room?"  
"Yes; found that all right."  
"Weren't his clothes there?"  
"Yes."  
"Then what was the trouble?"  
"Well, just as I was about to open the door I heard a slight noise in the room. I opened it a little way and by the light of the moon I could see his wife going through his pockets. I watched her transfer the roll of bills from his pocket to her own dress pocket. Then I knew it was useless to try to find it and gave up the job."—Town Topics.

**SOMETHING HE HAD FORGOTTEN.**  
"So you enjoyed your European trip, did you?" inquired the simple old gentleman. "I haven't been over since '53, but my recollections are still vivid. I remember once standing on Mont Blanc, watching the sun sink to rest behind the blue waters of the Mediterranean, while to my right the noble Rhine rushed onward to the Black Sea, and the Pyrenees, still holding the snows of winter, were on the left. I remember whilst standing there—"  
"But, Mr. Gray," feebly interrupted his listener, "I was on Mont Blanc myself, and really—you'll excuse me—but you really must be mistaken in your geography."  
"Mistaken?" returned the old man, lightly. "Not a bit of it. But I forgot—it's different now. You know, my dear boy, that since my day the entire map of Europe has been changed by these awful wars, and so, of course, you can't appreciate what it was in '53."—Albany Argus.

**NOT IF SHE KNEW IT.**  
A few weeks ago a railway collision killed, among others, a passenger living in a country town. His remains were sent home, and a few days after the funeral the solicitor to the company called upon the widow to effect a settlement. She placed her damages at \$25,000.  
"Oh, that sum is unreasonable!" replied the solicitor. "Your husband was nearly fifty years old?"  
"Yes, sir."  
"And lame?"  
"Yes."  
"And his general health was poor?"  
"Very."  
"And he, probably, would not have lived more than five years?"  
"Probably not, sir."  
"Then it seems to me that two or three thousand dollars would be a fair compensation."  
"Two or three thousand?" she echoed.  
"Why, sir, I courted that man for ten years, ran after him for ten more, and then had to chase him down with a shotgun to get him to marry me. Do you suppose that I'm going to settle for bare cost of shoe leather and ammunition."  
The man of law concluded that she deserved all she could get. —Spare Moments.

**An Immense Drill.**  
There has lately been constructed at one of the Massachusetts establishments for manufacturing machinists' tools, drills and general iron working machinery, a massive radial drill of immense proportions, pronounced to be the largest of its kind in the United States, and of correspondingly superior workmanship for operations on so large a scale. The radial drill weighs some 30,000 pounds, is sixteen feet from top to base, and has a radial arm eight and one-half feet long. By means of this powerful mechanism a hole five inches in diameter can be bored and a hole drilled to the center of a circle thirteen feet in diameter, and, though the machine is designed for accomplishing the heaviest description of work, it is so constructed that one man can operate it. There is mechanism for moving the radial arm, and the head is moved by a spiral gearing with a quick and easy motion. The machine is also adapted to giving from three to ten different speeds. —Detroit Free Press.

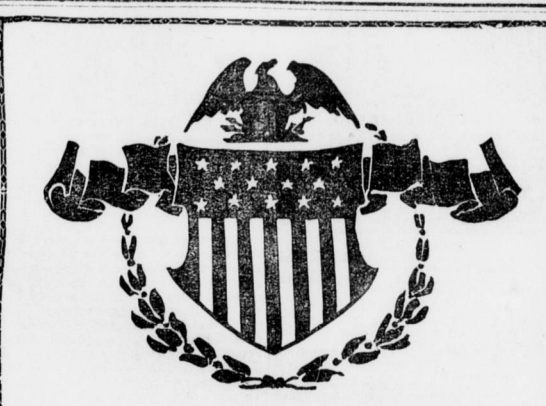
**Libby Prison in 1865.**  
"I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhea ever since I came out of Libby Prison in 1865 and at times it was very severe, and my last attack of it lasted me over six weeks, during which time I tried all the remedies I had previously used and had several doctors treat me for the same, but nothing would stop it. I was reduced to a skeleton and almost dead. I was induced to try a bottle of Thurston's Blackberry Cordial and after using less than half a bottle was relieved, and an ounce more regular. Thanks to your Cordial, I cheerfully recommend it to all the 'old boys' who are troubled with that dreaded disease or anyone else for summer complaints. This testimony is unqualified." Yours truly, J. L. STYON, Traveling Salesman, Thurston's Blackberry Cordial is prepared by Thurston Chemical Co., Grand Rapids, Ohio.

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**"Watch Stopped, Has It?"**  
"Watch stopped, has it?" asked one traveler of another. "Now, I suppose you'll pay a dollar to clean it. But let me give you a tip. Open both of the back cases so, hold it with your finger-nail a dozen times. Don't be afraid. Snap it again. Now move the second hand. Is it all right? I thought so. A drummer put me up to that trick. Probably there were only a few specks of dust in the works and you've rapped them out. Very likely it will now run for a year and you've saved your dollar. If it doesn't run after the little jar that you gave it, then it is time to take it to the jeweler."

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