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THE LICK LENS.

Wonderful Effect Upon It of the Heat From a Man's Hand.

Some years ago the writer paid a visit to Avian Clark at Cambridgeport to witness the testing of the huge lens for the famous Lick telescope. At the end of the long, dark room the largest flint glass then in the world was set up on edge. From a distance of about fifty feet a pencil of light was flashed into the heart of the disk and reflected back into the observer's eye. The slightest imperfections, if any, in the glass would then be revealed by the curves of light and the lines of polarization.

"Now," said Mr. Clark, "I will show you the wonderful sensitiveness of the lens to outside influences. Every human body gives out heat and when brought near to extremely sensitive substances affects them to a greater or less extent. Now watch."

He walked down to the lens and held his hand under it about two feet away. Instantaneously a marvelous spectacle burst into view. It seemed as if the great glass disk had become a living volcano, spurting forth jets of flame. The display was dazzling. Waving, leaping, dancing, the countless tongues of light gleamed and vibrated; then, fitfully, robotically, they died away, leaving the lens reflecting only a pure, untroubled light.

"What is it? How do you account for the wonder?" were the eager questions.

"It is only the radiation of heat alternately expanding and contracting the glass. If I had put my hand upon the lens itself, the phenomenon would have been even more violent."

To a person ignorant of lenses the almost supernatural sensitiveness of a mass of glass weighing several hundred pounds was astonishing, but to the scientist it is an everyday matter, for he has instruments that will register with unfailing accuracy the approach of a person fifty or a hundred feet away.—Youth's Companion.

CONQUERED HER RIVAL.

A Pretty and Pathetic Story of Jenny Lind and Grist.

We have recently read a beautiful incident. Jenny Lind and Grist were both rivals for popular favor in London. Both were invited to sing the same night at a court concert before the queen. Jenny Lind, being the younger, sang first and was so disturbed by the fierce, scornful look of Grist that she was at the point of failure when suddenly an inspiration came to her.

The accompanist was striking the first chords. She asked him to rise and took the vacant seat. Her fingers wandered over the keys in a loving prelude, and then she sang a little prayer which she had loved as a child. She hadn't sung it for years. As she sang she was no longer in the presence of royalty, but singing to loving friends in her fatherland.

Softly at first the plaintive notes floated on the air, swelling louder and richer every moment. The singer seemed to throw her whole soul into that weird, thrilling, plaintive "prayer." Gradually the song died away and ended in a sob. There was a silence—the silence of admiring wonder. The audience sat spellbound. Jenny Lind lifted her sweet eyes to look into the scornful face that had so disconcerted her. There was no fierce expression now. Instead a teardrop glistened on the long, black lashes, and after a moment, with the impulsiveness of a child of the tropics, Grist crossed to Jenny Lind's side, placed her arm about her and kissed her, utterly regardless of the audience.—Our Dumb Animals.

An Outrage.

An old gentleman was present at the reading of the will of a distant relative. He had hardly expected to find himself remembered in it, but pretty soon a clause was read in which a certain field was bequeathed to him. That was good, but the document went on to bequeath the old gray mare in the said field to some one else—a man with whom the old gentleman was not on friendly terms. That was too much for his equanimity, and he interrupted the solemn proceedings and brought a smile to the faces of the company by exclaiming:

"Then she's eating my grass!"—Pearson's.

WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.]

Judge J. W. Phillips of Newcastle, Pa., who is known as "the father of the industrial commission," is in the city. He is here to attend the final meeting of the commission, held to go over the material and frame up the report to be made to congress. "The commission," said Judge Phillips, "will make its final report to congress on Dec. 15. The law under which the commission was organized provided that the body should investigate all manner of industrial matters relating to the mutual interests of capital and labor and should recommend to congress and to the legislatures of the various states legislation calculated to be of benefit to both classes. The scope of the commission's labors has necessarily been wide. We have gone over a tremendous field. I took up the work of securing a commission of this character in the Fifty-third congress. It was passed by the Fifty-fourth congress, but failed to secure the signature of the president. Finally the bill was passed with certain modifications, such as the addition of congressional members. My bill originally provided that it should be made up entirely of civilians and that there should not be a majority from any party. I think it will be conceded by congress that the commission has done a valuable work."

The New Chilean Minister.

Don Joaquin Walker Martinez, who has been appointed Chilean minister at Washington to succeed Senor Vicuna, who recently died at Buffalo, is a cousin of Don Carlos Walker Martinez, a celebrated poet, orator and politician of Chile. He was born at Santiago and is about fifty years of age. He was formerly engaged in business on an extensive scale and was a member of the Chilean congress at the time of the revolt against Balmaceda in 1891. In the provisional government which was subsequently established Don Joaquin held the office of minister of finance. He afterward threw up his position because the provisional council of state was constituted without giving any representation to the Conservative party, of which he was a member. This action brought the other revolutionary leaders to terms, and representatives of the Conservative party were admitted to the council of state. Minister Martinez then resumed the portfolio of minister of finance and held it until Admiral Montt became president of Chile.

Premature Retirements.

Secretary Root has determined that army officials shall not be prematurely retired if there is any chance of keeping them on the active list and having them render some service to their country. In the case of a junior army surgeon recommended for retirement by a board, which included in its membership two officers of the medical department, Secretary Root overruled the findings of the board and decided that the officer, who, by the way, is anxious to continue on active duty, need not go on the retired list. It developed that if the officer was retired he would probably practice his profession, and Secretary Root finds that some of the officers retired for disability thereupon engage in commercial or professional pursuits which do not tax their energies or strength any more than the discharge of military duties. Secretary Root proposes to make a careful scrutiny of all recommendations coming from retiring boards.

Appointment of Army Chaplains.

Judge Advocate General Davis of the army has decided that under existing statutes appointments as chaplains in the army are confined to regularly ordained ministers of the gospel, recommended by the authorities of their church or by five reputable ministers. This decision was rendered in the case of a minister of an independent creed, attached to no church, who was a candidate for an army chaplaincy. Although strongly backed by influential people, this minister is ineligible for appointment under the judge advocate general's construction of the law.

Washington a Model.

Mr. Gerard Lowther, charge d'affaires of the British embassy, has written the district commissioners, asking them for plans, maps, outlines and principles of the government of the city of Washington. The request may be regarded as a high compliment, inasmuch as it is made in behalf of the proposed federal city in Australia, which is to be established in the immediate future. It is considered as probable that the beauty and the excellent government of Washington have led the British authorities to contemplate the establishment of an Australian city fashioned after the capital of the United States.

The New Consul at Cape Town.

William R. Bigham has been appointed consul at Cape Town to succeed Colonel James G. Stowe of Kansas City, resigned. Mr. Bigham was born in Hamilton, O., fifty-seven years ago. He served three years during the civil war as a member of the Fourth Illinois volunteer cavalry and later was three elected mayor of El Paso, Ill. He went to Kansas in 1875 and has since been active in Kansas politics, serving in the legislatures of 1890 and 1901. Mr. Bigham has traveled extensively and among other foreign countries has visited South Africa. He is a merchant.

Squirrels at the Capitol.

The architect of the capitol has announced that it is his intention to stock the grounds surrounding the capitol building with squirrels in order to increase the attractiveness of the park. Several pairs will be set at liberty within the next few weeks, and it is expected that the little fellows will soon make themselves at home in the big trees. CARL SCHOFIELD.

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Laxakola for Young Girls on the threshold of womanhood, has been found invaluable. When they become pale and languid, the eyes dull, aching head, feet and hands cold, appetite gone or abnormal, and their systems generally run down, they need building up, and their blood needs cleansing. Give them Laxakola, its gentle bowel action to cleanse and its tonic properties to build up the system, will show immediate and most beneficial results.



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In the Future.

"Do yez keep an assistant to the cook?"
"Yes."
"And do be the assistant have a helper?"
"She has."
"And have yez a kitchen maid to clane up after the assistant's helper?"
"We have."
"Well, I'll give yez a week's trial!"—Brooklyn Life.

Learning the Business.

Strong—I was sorry to hear that you had lost your job. What are you doing now?
Weeks—Taking lessons in wood carving.
Strong—Have you a position in view after learning the art?
Weeks—Yes. My wife is going to open a boarding house.—Chicago News.

Duplicity.

"I don't understand how Ethel Mowling ever got engaged to such a steady matter of fact young man," said one girl.

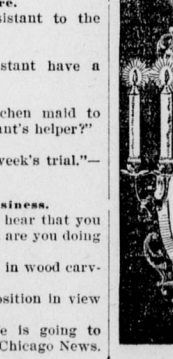
"It was easily managed," answered the other. "She got a cookbook, took the covers off and inserted the paper back novel she happened to be reading. The silly fellow thought she was going to make a wonderful housewife."—Washington Star.

Why They Don't Marry.

Miss Leftover—You are a woman hater, I hear.
Mr. Slinpurse—That is a mistake. I merely cannot afford to marry.

Miss Leftover—Cannot you support a wife?
Mr. Slinpurse—Oh, yes, I could support a wife easy enough, but I haven't income enough to support the two or three other women she would need to wait on her!—New York Weekly.

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ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.
LEAVE FREELAND.

6 12 a m	for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.
7 34 a m	for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Pittston and Scranton.
8 15 a m	for Hazleton, Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Delano and Pottsville.
9 30 a m	for Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.
11 42 a m	for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.
11 51 a m	for White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and the West.
4 44 p m	for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel and Pottsville.
6 35 p m	for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and all points West.
7 29 p m	for Hazleton.

ARRIVE AT FREELAND.

7 34 a m	from Pottsville, Delano and Hazleton.
9 12 a m	from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.
9 30 a m	from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.
11 51 a m	from Pottsville, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City, Delano and Hazleton.
12 48 p m	from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk and Weatherly.
4 44 p m	from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.
6 35 p m	from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City, Delano and Hazleton.
7 29 p m	from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.

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Trains leave Drifton for Jedd, Eckley, Hazle Creek, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Roan and Hazleton Junction at 6 00 a m, daily except Sunday; and 7 07 a m, 2 38 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomhicken and Deringer at 6 00 a m, daily except Sunday; and 7 07 a m, 2 38 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Oneida Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Oneida and Shepton at 6 00 a m, daily except Sunday; and 7 07 a m, 2 38 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomhicken and Deringer at 6 35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8 11 a m, 4 22 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Oneida Junction, Harwood Road, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jedd and Drifton at 6 35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8 11 a m, 3 41 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Deringer for Tomhicken, Cranberry, Harwood, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jedd and Drifton at 6 35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8 11 a m, 3 41 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Shepton for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jedd and Drifton at 6 35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8 11 a m, 3 41 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jedd and Drifton at 6 35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8 11 a m, 3 41 p m, Sunday.

Trains leaving Drifton at 6 00 a m make connection at Deringer with P. E. R. trains for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Harrisburg and points west.

LUTHER C. SMITH, Superintendent.