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THEIR EYES BELIEVE THEM.

Seals Are Ferocious and Devour Live Fish Inch by Inch.

Seals are still numerous and are disliked by Labrador fishermen because their skill is so much greater. Dr. Greenleaf says that he has known a seal to hunt a net so persistently that it got any fish at the end of it, and even then the seal would almost snap off the fisherman's hand as he tried to be first to disentangle the salmon.

The large, gentle eye makes the seal's appearance exceedingly attractive and those inclined to be sentimental have found in him a great scope for their affections. As a matter of fact, he eats his prey alive. He will take a bite out of a fish and leave the rest to struggle away and die slowly. They are fierce fighters and will catch and eat birds swimming on the surface of the water.

One was seen devouring a salmon alive. The seal swallowed him by inches, swimming a mile while the struggle lasted. It seemed an open question whether he would succeed or not. Another seal was seen to capture a gull on the water, but the persistent harrying he got from the rest of the birds persuaded him to let the wounded victim go.—Chicago News.

MANAGERIAL ABILITY.

If You Think You Possess It Here Is a Test You Might Try.

Any one who has to manage men or things must be able quickly to bring order out of confusion. Test your friend's talent in this respect by writing on four paper five words of a special class, such as the names of five flowers or of five animals or of five famous poets, with the first letter always in the right place, while the order of the other letters is changed.

The person on whom you are experimenting knows only to which class the words belong—whether they are the names of animals or of flowers or of poets. See how long it takes him to write the five correct words in place of the misspelled ones.

The animal card may read, "Tetral, etalonph, dykeno, serdip, milliro," and the vegetable card, "Vellito, diloffad, melap, moroshima, cuttnesh." Some persons will be able to read at once, "Turtle, elephant, donkey, spider, go-filla," and the other card, "Violet, daffodil, maple, mushroom, chestnut."

Others who have no talent for rearranging the elements of a confused situation will stare at the words, unable to make any sense of them—Hugo Munsterberg in Youth's Companion.

The Lost Dime.

A man sent his neighbor's little boy to the drug store to buy five postage stamps. He handed him two dimes, the extra one being for himself. Some time afterward the boy came back with a stamp and said he had lost one of the dimes.

"But why didn't you buy me the stamps?" asked the man.

"Because, mister," called the boy, "it was your dime I lost."—Judge.

Doubly Proven

Washington Readers Can no Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This grateful citizen testified long ago.

The facts are now confirmed. Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit. Mrs. C. Pennington, 27 E. Front St., New Bern, N. C., says: "I suffered intensely from backache and sharp, shooting pains across my loins. Often I was so lame that I could hardly straighten after stooping. I knew that my kidneys were disordered for the kidney secretions were unnatural. I used just one box of Doan's Kidney Pills and this was sufficient to dispose of my aches and pains." (Statement given January 24, 1908.)

RE-ENDORSEMENT.

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SOUTH MAY LOSE G. O. P. DELEGATES

Committee Decides There Are Three Ways to Encompass It

REPORT WAS MADE TODAY

Four Delegates-at-Large From Each State and Those From Districts Apportioned According to Vote.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Comprehensive plans to reduce the southern representation in Republican national conventions was submitted today to the Republican congressional campaign committee by an advisory committee of five members of the house.

The advisory committee offers three resolutions of the problem, and in each instance their proposal was based upon the idea that the delegates to national conventions shall represent votes actually cast in election and not be chosen on the basis of population, as at present.

Efforts will be made to keep a quorum of the congressional committee in Washington long enough to adopt one of these plans, in the hope that it may be sent to the Republican national committee with an idea that an extraordinary national convention be called next winter to determine finally upon its merit.

The plan, which has many friends in the advisory committee, provides for one delegate from each congressional district where the Republican vote is 40 per cent or less of the total; two delegates where it is from 40 per cent to 60 per cent, and three delegates where it is over 60 per cent.

There would be four delegates-at-large from each state. Under the old method of choosing delegates the south had 228 men seated in the last national convention. Under the plan outlined it would have 149.

The number of delegates at the last convention was 1062, and under the new plan the total would be 1044, so that the proportion of northern to southern delegates would be largely increased.

Two other plans which will be submitted give one delegate for each 10,000 votes, with four at large from each state. Under one the southern representation would be 78, and under the other 149.

"TIM" WOODRUFF STRICKEN

Progressive Leader Is Seized by Illness at Fusion Rally.

New York, Oct. 1.—Timothy L. Woodruff, formerly chairman of the Republican state committee, thrice lieutenant governor and present leader of the Progressives in Kings county (Brooklyn), who was stricken with illness while making a speech at Cooper Union notifying John Purroy Mitchell of his fusion nomination for mayor, is better.

This information was contained in a statement issued by his son, John E. Woodruff, who denied that his father suffered from paralysis. He said the illness was due solely to a nervous breakdown. Mr. Woodruff, he thought would be around again in a few weeks. The son admits that Woodruff's left side had been affected. "His mental condition is normal," he said, "and it is hoped by his physicians that the slight symptoms of paralysis will disappear."

JURY ACQUITS BIXBY

California Millionaire Found Not Guilty of Charges Preferred by Girls. Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 1.—George H. Bixby, a millionaire, of Long Beach, Cal., charged with having contributed to the downfall of minor young women, was acquitted by a jury.

Bixby was tried on one of two indictments, based on charges preferred against him by Cleon Barker and Marie Brown, under-aged habitues of a resort.

Bixby's defense was that he had visited the place only as a philanthropist, who had spent thousands of dollars to save young girls, and had been required by being made the victim of a blackmail conspiracy.

Shoots Husband; Kills Herself.

Sheraton, Pa., Oct. 1.—A double tragedy was narrowly averted when Mrs. Charles Lamb, wife of Patrolman Lamb, of Dunmore borough, attempted to kill her husband and then committed suicide by sending a bullet through her brain. The husband and wife quarreled. He was awakened by a pistol shot and on rising from the bed saw his wife put the pistol to her head. She fell lifeless on the bed beside him. She leaves four small children. Lamb was slightly hurt.

Naval Academy Open With 850 Midshipmen.

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 1.—With the return to the naval academy of the 550 members of the first, second and third classes the academic year opens with a total enrollment of 850 midshipmen. Only once before in the history of the institution has the brigade been so large. This was in 1905, when there were 831 youths present on the opening day.

Kaiser's Servant Put to Death.

Munich, Germany, Oct. 1.—Refused a commutation of sentence by the Kaiser, George Romahn, a servant in his personal retinue, was executed here for wife murder.

The Only Chance.

Geraldine—Do you think that two can live as cheaply as one? Geraldine—Not unless one is a cannibal and lives on the other.—Woman's Home Companion.

Business Tip.

The most successful matrimonial agencies are those conducted by hand-some young widows.—New York Tribune.

Patience is the honest man's revenge.—Cyril Tourneur.

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