

PHOTOGRAPHING ANIMALS.

Some Dangers the Man Behind the Camera Encounters.

Today the camera penetrates everywhere, and sometimes its use is attended with considerable danger and difficulty.

How hazardous this may be is shown by the following incident, which happened not long ago at a big zoological garden abroad.

When the keeper entered its cage it had taken little notice of him beyond the usual spitting and hissing natural to its kind.

He set up his apparatus, adjusted it, took several pictures of the leopard, and all seemed satisfactory.

Like a streak of lightning the leopard, with an ominous snarl, leaped at him, and before he could move the animal was gripping his ankle with his forepaws.

At the same zoo some time after when an attempt was made to photograph one of the llamas—an animal generally considered to be a fairly docile creature.

It is an open question whether seals and sea lions are vicious or not. They are certainly extremely curious and anxious to find out things for themselves.

He erected his tripod and camera and was about to make the exposure when one of the sea lions wriggled off his pedestal and made straight for the camera.

The trainer got him away, and no serious harm was done, but he explained to the camera man that sea lions often did a little biting just to find out what an object was made of.

Clancy's Employer.

Benjamin F. Butler of Massachusetts was a tireless worker when he started on anything.

During the night sessions of the senate toward a close of congress a senator called on General Butler one morning at 3 o'clock.

"No," General Butler said. "Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do."

"General, I never knew before just who my employer was," Clancy said, bowing.

Placing the Blame.

Counsel (a giant in the world of cross examiners)—You are continually bringing actions, aren't you?

Plaintiff—I have brought a few.

Counsel—You didn't succeed in the last, did you?

Plaintiff—I came out of it all right.

Counsel—Do you mean to say you didn't lose it?

Plaintiff—I did not.

Counsel—You didn't? Remember, sir, you are on your oath.

Plaintiff—I know that.

Counsel—And yet you swear you didn't lose that action?

Plaintiff—I did not. You threw it away for me.—London Scraps.

Her Eloquent Glimpse.

The plea of a man arrested for swearing at his mother-in-law was that "she commenced with him first."

THE MALAYS.

Their Lives Seem to Be Governed by Their Superstitions.

Malays will resort to any and every conceivable pretext to avoid paying money on Friday. They believe that if they pay their debts on this day they will be overtaken by poverty and want.

The Malays always abstain from taking food during an eclipse of the sun or the moon and are exceedingly careful about their baths, so as to prevent the attack of contagious diseases.

It is considered by the Malay to be a very lucky thing to see a pig or a Chinese funeral before the sun rises. Whatever he attempts on this day will be sure to prosper.

Our Ugly Ancestors.

"All our ancestors," said a physician, "were pockmarked, and smallpox was a recommendation if you were looking for work."

"What I mean is that you could not get a job if you had not had smallpox. No one wanted a servant who was liable at any moment to be stricken down with the loathsome disease; hence"—he opened a newspaper volume of 1774—"hence 'help wanted' ads. read like this:

"Wanted.—A man between twenty and thirty years of age to be footman and underbutler in a great family. He must have had the smallpox in the natural way; also a woman, middle aged, to wait upon a young lady of great fortune and passion. The woman must have had the smallpox in the natural way."

A Filtering Medium.

Absorbent cotton is highly recommended as a filtering medium. It acts rapidly and is therefore of great value in filtering volatile elements. For ordinary household use it is specially recommended because of its inexpensiveness and ease of management.

Reversed.

The foreign visitors to China had asked to see a native execution, and the governor of the province for a consideration had consented to oblige them.

"Have mercy, your highness," wailed the wretched criminals as they cringed before the governor. "Have we no chance?"

"None whatever," responded his highness cheerfully. "It's a case of 'taels I win, heads you lose.'"—Bohemian.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson VIII.—First Quarter, For Feb. 23, 1908.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, John v. 1-18. Memory Verses, 8, 9—Golden Text, Matt. viii, 17—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

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FOR SALE—A nice, new, eight room cottage on Virginia Street in the Western part of Lenoir. Good sized lot. Apply to W. A. Fuldwood.

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LAND ENTRY NO. 6686.

North Carolina, Caldwell County.

D. B. Kirby enters and locates 40 acres of land more or less in Lower Creek township said County on the waters of Little Zacks Fork.

A true copy.—J. L. Miller, Entry taker.

L. G. Reid, D. D. S.

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Respectfully, E. W. MOOSE.

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LAND SALE.

North Carolina, Caldwell County.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court, of Caldwell County, I will as Commissioner, thereto appointed, in said decree, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door, in Lenoir, N. C., at public auction, on Monday February 24th, 1908, the following described lands in Caldwell County, Patterson Township, North Carolina.

Described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on a Chestnut Tree, Jane Harrison's corner, near the meeting house, and runs North with her line to a stake on top of the ridge Jos. Harrison's corner, thence West-wadly to a stake on the High Knob South of the meeting and the Fall Branch where Rosa Greenfield now lives, to a stake on said Ridge in the East line of the tract granted to Geo. Moody, in Nathan Harrison's line, Then Northwardly with said line to the lands of Jane Harrison, then with her line west to the beginning, Containing, 150 acres more or less, except 4, acres heretofore conveyed out of said land to one Coffey. Also Mitchell Holler tract deeded to W. L. Bryan, excepted. This the 20th day of January, 1908.

W. C. NEWLAND, Commissioner.

NOTICE.

According to a ruling of the Post-office Department, effective April 1, 1908, Semi-Weekly papers cannot be legally sent to subscribers who are nine months or more in arrears.

Very Respectfully, H. C. MARTIN, Editor The News.

Professional Card.

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