

VILLAINS AND OVERWROUGHT NERVES

Most of the Monsters of Antiquity Merely Needed a Rest-cure.

Many overwrought villains of the past, if they were allowed to rest, would be subjected to a rest-cure, which though it could not turn them into good men, might make their villainy less irrational and dangerous.

As it was, he was the master of the world, with no one to prevent him from eating and drinking what he chose or from taking whatever other wholesome pleasures he was inclined to.

We often hear talk of that terrible foodum vitae from which Roman nobles suffered. We should call it nerves now, and our doctors would prescribe a strict diet and a course of golf or gardening for it.

A Contest of Experts. Sen Molaren used to tell a story of two Scots worthies, douce elders of the Kirk, who found themselves alone in the compartment of a railway carriage traveling in Perthshire.

Whistling on Sabbath in Scotland. Concerning the Scottish reputation of whistling on the Sabbath, Dean Ramsay has a characteristic story.

The Word "Expire." "Expire" in its literal sense is breathing out. Inspiration together constitute respiration.

Such is Life. Many are called, but few get up. Revenge is sweet to the mourner. Man's virtue rests on temperance.

THE WILD ANIMALS OF AFRICA

Cape Buffalo of Heretic Mold Compared with the Slinking Lion.

Of some of the wild beasts that roam the African continent, the sportsman in Africa a writer says: "The quagga, most graceful of all the horses, has disappeared entirely."

"That slinking post, the lion, is a low coward by comparison with the buffalo, the destructive nuisance whose sole title to respect is that when he can escape no longer, he turns on his foe."

"O. K." Railway men conductors, engineers and brakemen are so accustomed to communicate with each other by means of gestures that the habit of looking for such dumb signals becomes a kind of second nature.

One day a complaint was received at headquarters that a valuable cow had been killed on a certain day and by a certain engine.

Needed a Door. An unusual reason was given not long ago for the balkiness of a horse. A number of Joe-Kays, says a writer in Harper's Weekly, had lined up for the start of a steeplechase.

The Principal Loss. Mr. Sirius Barker had been cheated in a horse trade, according to a writer in the Washington Star.

Water on the Stove. Inga Allison, of the Colorado College of Agriculture, proves that moisture in the air makes a room warmer, and is really a fuel saver.

HALF-BRO. AND SISTER WED

Told They Were Cousins—True Relation Not Revealed Until Three Months After Marriage

Dallas, Tex. M. E. Burton and Nora Henderson were married in Dallas on April 10, 1908. Three months later they learned that they were half-brother and sister.

INDIANS FAST DISAPPEARING. In Three Generations the Last of Them Will Be Gone. Helena, Montana, April 10. Agents of the U. S. Forest Service are busy part of the time among the Indians.

NO DIVORCE REMEDY. Walter F. Wilcox Tells Bible Class Result of His Investigation. Harvard N. D. I do not feel that it would be the wisest thing to make marriage in the U. S. for such a movement would lead to more illegal relations.

THIRTY YEARS TO PAY DEBT. Surprised Receiver Presents Receipts Bill to the Sender. Spokane, Wash. "There is \$5 up paid on an account I owed at your store about thirty years ago."

HOG AS USUAL WON. Man Knocked Down Apple, Dog Ran with It. Mr. Pig Ate It. Campau, N. J. Crawford Coleman recently while out hunting near here, came across an apple tree with a single northern spy hanging from a branch.

WOLVES GETTING SOCIABLE. Live High on Poultry and Only Run When They Are Pursued. Fort Wayne, Ind. Running at large in Jefferson Township are two large wolves that are said to be sociable to an unpleasant degree.

Anti-Saloon Printing Plant. Washington, D. C.—The Anti-Saloon League decided to erect a printing and publishing plant, involving an investment of \$100,000, near Columbus, Mo. to be known as "Lincoln Temperance Memorial," as headquarters for the league's official publication, The American Issue.

\$1,000,000 a Day for Sugar. Washington, D. C.—Cold figures gathered by the bureau of statistics show that the average American citizen consumes half his own weight in sugar every year, and the country's sugar bill averages more than \$1,000,000 a day.

CLAIRVOYANCY A FACT, SAYS PRIEST

Father Walsh in Sermon Says He Has Proof and Tells of a Friend's Experience

His Conclusion is that the Day of Miracles Working Has Not Passed Away—Gives as Instance Marveto of Wireless.

New York City. Father William Walsh, a Jesuit and one of the best known Catholic priests in the city, preached in the Church of St. Paul, Apostles, Sunday morning, and presented a belief in clairvoyancy and telepathy that came under his own observation.

Father Walsh's subject was Prayer and Reason. He said that when a person asks to have prayers said for him, he is not only praying for the person, but also for the person's soul.

My friend could not believe that the clairvoyant was not broken when my friend left home to be divided by the woman. He wrote to his family asking about the clairvoyant, and soon after received a letter verifying everything that had been said.

BABIES HAVE RIGHT TO CRY. Judge Rules Nursery Cannot Be Deceived. London. Every cry baby in the United Kingdom is rejoicing noisily over the decision of Justice Channon, that to cry is the inalienable right of every infant and that there is no law to stop them.

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