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CAPES—of lustrous curl Astrakhan Cloth, lined throughout with satin, collar edged with fur, at $10.00

CAPES—of good quality Astrakhan Cloth, lined throughout with satin, full, generous sweep, deep collar, edged with fur, finely made and finished, at $7.50

CAPES—of fine Kersey, lined throughout with satin, inlaid velvet collar, finished on edge with rows of stitching, at . . $7.00

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EFFECTS OF THE HUMAN VOICE.

Terrifying to Some Birds and Beasts, but Not to Others.

The human voice may or may not be terrifying to wild animals. Two Adirondack boys once hid behind a little bush on the banks of the West Canada creek and yelled, screamed and howled at a big blue heron across the stream, with no other result than to make the bird stare about in curiosity. It was only when both boys leaped to their feet, wildly waved their arms and did some high kicking that the bird flew away.

Woodchucks, red squirrels, muskrats, mink and various others of the small animals seem to fear the human form, but not the voice. Foxes flee at a lively gait when a man yells, but deer have been known to almost run over men that were talking in loud voices. Logging teamsters in the woods yell and swear at their horses in voices audible a mile away, but deer lie in their beds comfortably less than half a mile distant. Bears do not usually monkey around in the vicinity of men, except during berry time, when they are sometimes on one side of the bushes while human berry pickers are on the other.

The human voice is very soothing to wild birds of various kinds, such as robins. They will often come very close to a person who talks to them, and turn their heads from side to side, much as caged birds—canaries, for example—do, but if a person is robbing the bird's nest the voice adds greatly to the terror of the birds. It is related of a swallow that it had in some manner broken its leg, which was observed by a woman as the bird flew about. She went out, called to it and spoke to it, and after a while the bird came so near as to be taken in the woman's hands, who then put the leg in splints, setting it properly and putting on a soothing ointment. The bird flew away and was soon chirping with the rest of the birds in the air, its leg having been relieved of pain evidently by the bandages.

The old story of a lion that allowed a man to pick a thorn out of its inflamed foot and dress the wound, then refused to eat the man, may be truthful, since dogs, cats, elephants, horses and a good many other animals have remembered kindness as well as evil.—New York Sun.

FANCIES OF INVALIDS.

Queer Longings of People Who Make Business For the Doctors.

About the manner of serving their food patients sometimes have curious fancies. In one case a woman flatly refused to take her beef tea unless the bread which accompanied it was cut in the shape of diamonds, while in another it is always necessary to serve the food in a blue bowl, for out of nothing else whatever will she take nourishment.

A boy who was attacked with scarlet fever showed great disinclination to take his food, but finally agreed to swallow what was necessary provided he was fed in the following way: The beef tea, or whatever was to be given him, was put into a silver teapot, the spout was placed in his mouth, and in this manner the food was poured down his throat.

An elderly gentleman who spent much of his time hunting in Africa, on being asked if he fancied any particular dish, replied that he would like a bit of elephant's foot. Under certain circumstances this dish is a dainty and nourishing one, but the price of elephant being prohibitive, this elderly nimrod was forced to content himself with beefsteak instead.

A clergyman with a broken leg had a great longing to put on a pair of stilts, a pastime which he had never yet tried, while a man whose leg had been amputated, although admitting the impracticability of the wish, declared that a passion for skating had so seized upon him since the loss of his limb that he regretted being operated upon chiefly on that account.—Philadelphia Times.

The Swiss Army.

The Swiss army is complete in every detail, it is said, the medical, veterinary and commissariat departments being thoroughly organized, and this in spite of the fact that the average cost of a soldier is only £7 a year. The first line forces number an effective total of 137,640 men; in the landwehr there are 80,600 more, and in the landsturm 270,000. Besides, owing to the encouragement given by the state to such institutions as the Societes de Tir, nearly every man in the country knows how to handle a rifle and is more or less of a soldier. Switzerland could at the shortest notice put into the field and maintain an army of 150,000 men at least, properly found and equipped. When the Swiss soldier crosses the threshold of his house, he may be said to be in full marching order, for he keeps his entire kit, rifle—knapsack and cloak—in his home, and every man takes an honest pride in having each article in good condition.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Big Prices Paid by Magazines.

Fabulous prices are sometimes paid for the sensational features in the magazines. A writer who claims to speak with full knowledge of the facts claims the Century company paid $50,000 for its "Life of Lincoln," $18,000 for the serial rights to Mrs. Humphry Ward's novel, "Sir George Tressaday;" from $250 on up to $750 for Kipling's verses, according to size. Charles Scribner's Sons paid J. M. Barrie $25,000 for the serial rights to "Sentimental Tommie;" Robert Louis Stevenson received $7,000 for one of the serials he sold to the McClure syndicate. Other and equally remarkable prices are not lacking. Success in literature nowadays means money just as certainly as does success in other pursuits. It's all in the name and the fame.—Family Call.

Cruel.

Miss Antique—How sad the thought that in a hundred years all we know will be gone!

Miss Pert—Console yourself! You will have a chance to make new acquaintances.—Detroit Free Press.

Finger Rings In the British Museum.

The large and varied collection of finger rings includes some splendid specimens of Roman rings and some remarkable early Christian rings. Historically interesting is the gold ring of Ethelwulf, king of Wessex, which was found in a cart rut at Laverstock, Hampshire; as also one found near York which belonged to his daughter Ethelswitha, the sister of Alfred the Great. Nor must we forget the gold signet ring of Mary, queen of Scots. On the face is engraved the royal arms and the supporters of the kingdom of Scotland, with the motto, "In Defens" and her initials, "M. R."—Good Words.

What Happens.

In a written examination on physical geography one of the questions was:

"What happens when there is an eclipse of the moon?"

A boy with rather an admirable knack of getting out of a difficulty wrote the following answer:

"A great many people come out to look at it."—London Answers.

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Beginning on Monday, September 23, 1896, the steamer

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RETURNING, will leave Baltimore at 10.30 A. M. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, making the same landings.

On and after Monday, Nov. 2, the

STEAMER B. S. FORD

will leave Centreville at 8 A. M., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, stopping at landings on Corsica River, Jackson Creek and Rock Hall. Returning, will leave Baltimore at 10.30 A. M., Monday, Wednesday and Friday, for same landings.

A Special Round Trip from Baltimore to Rock Hall and return will be run on SATURDAYS, leaving Baltimore at 3 P. M., and leaving Rock Hall at 5 P. M. This will give Rock Hall patrons an opportunity to leave home Saturday morning for Baltimore and return same day.

STEAMER CORSICA

will leave Crumpton at noon on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Chestertown 5 P. M. on Tuesday and Thursday, and at 3 P. M. on Saturday, touching at Rolph's, Booker's and Quaker Neck. Returning, will leave Baltimore at midnight Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

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Returning, leave Baltimore, Pier 8, Light street, at 10.30 A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for the above landings.

Sept. 17, 1896. WM. CUNDIFF, Sup't.

Fall Schedule, 1896.

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DAWFUSKIE ISLAND.

IT HAS A HISTORY AS THE SCENE OF MANY INDIAN STRUGGLES.

The Extreme Southeastern Point of South Carolina—The Tragedy of Bloody Point, That Wiped Out a Whole Tribe of Indians.

A new candidate for public favor is Dawfuskie island, one of the islands not far distant from Savannah and one of the most interesting historically. Dawfuskie is the Indian name of the island. It is some six miles in length and four miles in width, noted for its fish, oysters and crabs and famous of late years for its deer hunting. The Indians were very partial to it—that is, judging from the mounds, tomahawks, arrowheads and other relics of that race which are still to be found on the island. It is the southeasternmost point of South Carolina, and directly opposite Tybee island, and in what was formerly known as St. Luke's parish, Beaufort district, but now legally designated as Yemassee township, Beaufort county.

The island was at one time the property of the Mongin family, who settled it about 1750, and up to the beginning of the late war it was divided into several plantations and had a population, in addition to the planters' families, of about 1,500 slaves. Several places on the island are still owned by the descendants of the Mongins, Bloody Point by Mr. Mongin Stoddard and Melrose by Mr. Alfred H. Stoddard.

The following story of Dawfuskie island appeared in The Morning News of June 24, 1873, and is all of its early history that can be found:

"The massacre of Bloody Point, though previous to the Revolutionary war, is still interesting as relating to the ancient history of St. Luke. The islands of Port Royal and St. Helena were pretty thickly settled with white population when Hilton Head, Dow Dusky, Pinckney and the other neighboring islands were held in possession by a few isolated Indians or were altogether uninhabited. They formed a kind of neutral ground between the white and red men. The Indians from Georgia were in the habit of making frequent inroads upon the white settlements, killing the inhabitants and carrying off whatever plunder they could gather, to their remoter homes in the farther south. They formed large war parties and would proceed as far north as Hilton Head. Here they would skulk about till a fair chance offered, when they would cross Broad river and ravage the neighboring settlements; hence the name of Skulk creek (and not Skull, as is now written).

"The Indians were in the habit of returning to Skulk creek after these invasions and would elude pursuit among its numerous nooks and windings. Upon one of these occasions, after having committed a number of murders and having loaded their canoes with whatever plunder they were able to collect, having secured a quantity of "fire water," it is presumed, from the sequel, they passed through Skulk creek on their return south without stopping in their old haunts and never halted until they reached Dow Dusky, where they thought they would be beyond the reach of the whites.

"A very strong and determined party of whites went in pursuit of them. On reaching Hilton Head they learned from a few Indians of a friendly tribe that their enemies had not halted, but had proceeded on south. Having induced these friendly Indians to join them as guides, they continued their pursuit farther south. When they had gone on as far as Dow Dusky, they discovered from the smoke of their camp that the Indians had halted at the southeast point of the island. The whites landed on the northwest portion and marched toward their enemies. The Indians had put all their boats a short distance up what is now known as New river, to avoid the surf which breaks upon the point. The Indians were at the extreme point, enjoying themselves in an unwonted round of conviviality and feasting. The whites approached cautiously and stealthily, and, having got between the Indians and their boats, effectually cut off their retreat. A shower of bullets was the first intimation they had of the presence of an enemy. They were shot down, bayoneted, sabered and were finally driven into the sea.

"The surprise was complete; the massacre was dreadful; the white sands were crimsoned with blood, and the earth was strewn with wounded, dying and dead. A few, very few, escaped by swimming, some to the opposite marsh, and one swam entirely over to Tybee, a distance of three miles. From the dreadful carnage at this spot it received the name of Bloody Point, which it retains to this time, it being the extreme southeastern point of South Carolina. After this decisive victory the settlements to the north of Broad river received no further molestation from the southern Indians, and soon after Hilton Head itself began to be settled by the whites. The Indians who escaped, having collected after a lapse of some time, returned to Hilton Head, and, finding only two of the tribe who had guided the whites in their pursuit, avenged the downfall of their own tribe by destroying both of them. They then returned south and were lost sight of ever after. Such is the tradition in St. Luke's."—Savannah News.

Corrected.

Papa (just arrived from down town)—Well, where's Bessie? Why isn't she running to meet me, as usual?

Mamma—Bessie has been naughty and disobedient. I have had to deprive her of her playthings, and she has been weeping bitter tears in her own room for the last half hour.

Voice of Bessie (from adjoining room)—Tears ain't bitter. They're salt.—Chicago Tribune.

The Spread of Superstition.

Some say in Wales that if a mare's shoe is nailed to the lintel of the door no witch can ever enter the house, and that if one of them happens to go into a neighbor's house a broom placed across the threshold by a member of the family will prevent her leaving. Somebody has said that two straws laid crosswise on the threshold will serve the purpose quite effectually. A neighbor's wife heard one of them mumbling something to herself and believed that she was saying the Lord's Prayer backward. Somebody has also said that they can all be sent after Pharaoh and his chariots into the depths of the Red sea if recourse be had to an expert, but that the latter must be skilled in arithmetic, algebra, Hebrew, Greek, Latin and all the original (gwreiddiol) tongues before he can compass this mighty feat.

The belief in these things is rapidly gaining ground nowadays. It has already crossed the new bridge at Cilgwyn mill and has crept up from Carn Ingli, past Morfa, along the seashore as far as Llech-y-drybedd. It is also making its way eastward, having by this time almost reached that famous old stone called Arthur's Quoits, and, if its progress is not checked, it will soon arrive at the Seren office in Carmarthan, then on to the Diwygiwr (Llanelly), thence to the Gwron (Aberdare), and Seren Gomer, so that ere long they will all be full of witches and their works.—"Reminiscences In Cymra."

A drowning man would have little use for a method of rescue which would require days. A dyspeptic doesn't want to bother with a remedy that is going to take weeks to show its beneficial effects.

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When a train is discovered rushing on to a frightful collision, it is a thrilling instant as the engineer whistles "Down brakes!" and reverses his lever. Brakes alone are not enough; the whole propelling power of the engine must be reversed and made to work in the opposite direction. That is how it is sometimes with disease. There are times when the system is flying along the track of disease at such a frightful pace that no ordinary methods will prevent disaster. There are plenty of medicines which act merely as brakes to "slow up" the disease and put off disaster for a little while; but that isn't enough. What is needed is a medicine that will instantly reverse the entire wasting, degenerating process.

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Mt. Royal Station, 7.39 p. m.

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