

DEGENERATE BEARS.

In the Adirondacks They Have Become a Race of Mere Camp Followers.

The tameness and impudence of the bears in Yellowstone park have been commented on a great deal of late by the newspapers...

There was a time when the Adirondack bear was as wild and shy and fierce as his Pennsylvania or Sullivan county brethren are reported to be...

At camps or club houses where they have not been disturbed, bears have in many instances forgotten their shyness and fear of danger to such a degree that they come swaggering to the very kitchen doors...

Nobody at Benson's camp would think of killing one of these shaggy intruders any more than he would think of killing a woodchuck...

At the district school at Sander's Mill, on the Mad river, a big bear came slouching out of the woods one day, a week or so ago...

The year stopped and licked up the crumbs and remnants of the repast, and then stuck his head in at the school house door...

The next day the bear came to the schoolhouse at about the same hour, and ate the crumbs and crusts he found on the grass...

His visits became of daily regularity, and it being evident that he came with no evil intent, the teacher and now and then a pupil, took to tossing him an apple or other bit of luncheon...

His visits became of daily regularity, and it being evident that he came with no evil intent, the teacher and now and then a pupil, took to tossing him an apple or other bit of luncheon...

DRESS FIVE TIMES A DAY.

Result of Recent Order That Army Officers Must Wear Uniforms on Duty.

Officers of the army on duty in the war department wear uniforms the same as if they were on duty at military posts...

Several attempts have been made to have an order issued in the navy department which would direct officers on duty there to wear their uniforms...

It is all very well, said an officer of the army, so far as discipline is concerned, but uniforms are not needed in the department or about headquarters in a city...

The Feminist View. "Man wants but little here below," sighed the aimless man with the buggy trousers...

What man wants, said the square-jawed mother-in-law of the party aforesaid, is a woman to set him an example in the art of getting a move on himself.

Great Florists. Japanese florists have succeeded in cultivating a rose which looks red in the sunlight and white in the shade.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

When the king of Siam is attired in his full complement of royal robes and is wearing all his state decorations...

John Sargent, the famous portrait painter, has a morbid dread of publicity. For 20 years he resisted all efforts of photographers to get him in front of a camera...

A lot of young fellows in an Ohio town had a good time with a tramp recently. They took him into a shed, gave him a good bath, shaved him and cut his hair...

The Paris Correspondent prints a selection of Emperor William's utterances with a view to portraying him as he sees himself.

It has almost passed into a proverb that physicians and lawyers are constantly being asked for advice by acquaintances in the course of ordinary conversation...

Rev. W. S. Rainsford, rector of St. George's, the noted New York church, told of a snub an old lady once gave him.

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

Within Artificial Surroundings the Insect Lives to the Age of Fourteen Years.

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

LIFE OF AN ANT QUEEN.

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

How long may an ant queen live? In their natural habitat some queens doubtless have short lives; but by reason of the protection afforded them...

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

"Pop, what is a woman?" "A famine, my son, is a strenuous cure for indigestion."—Yonkers State-man.

There Are Others, Mrs. Wise (reading): "I see by this that the emperor of Japan has ten men to carry his umbrella." Mr. Wise: "That's nothing. I guess 20 men have carried mine."—Detroit Free Press.

Enough Said. "She ain't at home, sor," said the new maid, returning from the floor above. "Are you sure of that?" demanded Mr. De Trop, suspiciously. "Faith, Oh am not, but she seems to be."—Philadelphia Press.

Husband—"Are you aware, my dear, that it takes three-fourths of my salary to meet your dressmaker's bills?" Wife—"Goodness, gracious! what do you do with all the rest of your money?"—London Tit-Bits.

Indirect Way. "I hear Meterman sat out in a rainstorm writing a spring ode." "Yes, and made \$10." "Then he sold the poem?" "No, he caught a severe cold, used a patent remedy and then sold a testimonial to the manufacturers."—Chicago Daily News.

A Terrible Test. "I should like to be sure that he is truly devoted to me," said the sentimental girl. "You want to put his affection to some crucial test?" "I do." "Let's have him come around some morning and see you in a wrapper and curl papers."—Washington Star.

Paying the Penalty. Mr. Workhardt—"My dear, I have lost my situation, and it just happens that I haven't a dollar ahead." "We must go for the porch-house for dinner." Mrs. W.—"Surely some of the grocers with whom we have dealt for so many years will trust us?" Mr. W.—(sighing)—"No, I have no credit anywhere. I always paid cash."—N. Y. Weekly.

EXPENSIVE FOUNDATIONS.

Millions of Dollars Sunk Beneath the Surface for the Erection of Tall Buildings.

In connection with a recent American "skyscraper" building, it is reported that the foundations, which go five stories below the street level, will cost something like \$100,000...

In this latter case, however, the shifty character of the ground constituted a veritable quagmire, into which tens of thousands of pounds were literally flung...

Novel Charity Event. A lady in Buda-Pesth recently gave a charitable luncheon party to the poor of her district.

Tough Microbes. That the microbes which cause disease cannot be killed by firing them out of a gun has been proved in official government experiments.

Staves from America. The immense quantities of oak staves used in the wine districts of Spain all come from the United States.

HIS QUIET EVENING.

Hard Task to Get a Little Nap Where There is a House Full of Relatives.

The family was quite aghast when Mr. Kennedy announced that he was going to bed immediately after dinner.

He went to his bedroom and for half an hour afterward the family kept an almost breathless silence in their desire to add his rest.

Mr. Kennedy had just sunk into his first sleep when he heard the voice of Fannie in the next room.

Mr. Kennedy was dozing off again when Ellis came into the room on tiptoe, breathing hard.

All sorts of things seemed to be going on below stairs. Gertrude played the piano; the baby shrieked as if in great agony.

Mr. Kennedy had forgotten both these things, but he contented himself by sending a message to the effect that he was too tired to go out anywhere that evening.

Being out on his bike one day for a spin, the king came across a peasant who was strolling with a post to post by the roadside.

"I'm sorry, but it's a barbed wire fence, your highness," was the answer. "That is to say, the wires have sharp whisks on them at intervals of a foot."

"I'll keep straying out of the field," when they ran up again the whisks they stop it, surprise."

"I'm sorry, but it's a barbed wire fence, your highness," was the answer. "That is to say, the wires have sharp whisks on them at intervals of a foot."

"I'll keep straying out of the field," when they ran up again the whisks they stop it, surprise."

"I'm sorry, but it's a barbed wire fence, your highness," was the answer. "That is to say, the wires have sharp whisks on them at intervals of a foot."

"I'll keep straying out of the field," when they ran up again the whisks they stop it, surprise."

"I'm sorry, but it's a barbed wire fence, your highness," was the answer. "That is to say, the wires have sharp whisks on them at intervals of a foot."

"I'll keep straying out of the field," when they ran up again the whisks they stop it, surprise."

"I'm sorry, but it's a barbed wire fence, your highness," was the answer. "That is to say, the wires have sharp whisks on them at intervals of a foot."

"I'll keep straying out of the field," when they ran up again the whisks they stop it, surprise."

"I'm sorry, but it's a barbed wire fence, your highness," was the answer. "That is to say, the wires have sharp whisks on them at intervals of a foot."

NEW BEDFORD'S WHALERS.

Hardy Men of the Sea Who Ride Hood-in-Hand with Death Every Day of Their Lives.

We have raised a race of men who have gone down to the sea in ships on the most hazardous of enterprises.

The general principle of construction, according to the British inventor, is based upon powerful clockwork, released by a lever when the tail of the animal is moved.

The clock works a pair of bellows, with two loud-screaming reeds, at the same time forming contact to light the lamps in the eyes, and forcing outward a seven-foot needle point.

One night an experiment was made. The clockwork was wound up and the bear placed in a back garden.

In fine language, the tabby appears to have asked his lady friends not to cross into the ring and to watch closely when he prepared "Tom" for the up-derrick.

Without the slightest provocation he flew at the automaton cat, removed a lump of loose hair from his back, and broke no tail in half.

That ended the first round, but it was only the signal for the tin to next get into action. The tail exploded the percussion caps in the cat's mouth.

Within a few seconds the garb was clear and polished pussies were tearing at the night. The quiet streets in search of home comforts.

WAKES, THEN DIES. Woman, Who Has Slept Since May 21, 1884, Passes Away Near Saint Quentin, France.

Marguerite Boyenval of Thonelles, near Saint Quentin, France, who had been in a cataleptic state since May 21, 1884, was awakened the other day.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

AN AUTOMATON CAT.

The Brilliant Conception and Invention of an Englishman.

Constructs a Tabby Which with Electric Kyeballs, Explosive Mouth, and Pin-Covered Hide, Pats All Other Felines to Flight.

A genius hailing from North London has been struck with a brilliant conception for ridding back gardens and outhouse roofs of philandering cats.

The general principle of construction, according to the British inventor, is based upon powerful clockwork, released by a lever when the tail of the animal is moved.

The clock works a pair of bellows, with two loud-screaming reeds, at the same time forming contact to light the lamps in the eyes, and forcing outward a seven-foot needle point.

One night an experiment was made. The clockwork was wound up and the bear placed in a back garden.

In fine language, the tabby appears to have asked his lady friends not to cross into the ring and to watch closely when he prepared "Tom" for the up-derrick.

Without the slightest provocation he flew at the automaton cat, removed a lump of loose hair from his back, and broke no tail in half.

That ended the first round, but it was only the signal for the tin to next get into action. The tail exploded the percussion caps in the cat's mouth.

Within a few seconds the garb was clear and polished pussies were tearing at the night. The quiet streets in search of home comforts.

WAKES, THEN DIES. Woman, Who Has Slept Since May 21, 1884, Passes Away Near Saint Quentin, France.

Marguerite Boyenval of Thonelles, near Saint Quentin, France, who had been in a cataleptic state since May 21, 1884, was awakened the other day.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

She moved her hand six days before her death for the first time and groaned slightly.

L'ABELLE DE LA NOUVELLE-ORLEANS

Est très vendue en Louisiane et dans tous les Etats du Sud. Sa publicité offre donc au commerce des avantages exceptionnels. Prix de l'abonnement, par l'année: Edition Quotidienne. Edition hebdomadaire \$3.00.