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BROODING SNAKES.

How the Python Mother Hatches Out Her Young.

The python lays eggs and hatches them by developing a high degree of heat, as has been proved in the case of the Indian and African species.

The first careful investigations of this subject were made in 1841 by the renowned naturalist, Achille Valenciennes, in the Jardin des Plantes, Paris. A python there laid fifty eggs within three hours, which at first were oval, but pointed toward the poles; the shells were soft and of a gray color; they soon changed to a perfect egg-shape and became white, and the shells hardened somewhat, although they remained pliable, like leather, and were lusterless and rather rough. Their length varied from two and a half to four and a half inches.

After laying the eggs the snake gathered them together in a heap under the cover she had in her box, wound the rear part of her body around the base of this heap, and then formed a cone-shaped spiral of the rest of her body around the whole, her head closing the top. Not a single egg was visible.

After fifty-six days the first young ones crawled out. They were about two inches long. The temperature in the center of the heap of eggs was 105 degrees Fahrenheit, while that of the box was only 72.5 degrees Fahrenheit.

Two other pythons tried to hatch their eggs in the London Zoological garden—one in 1862 and the other in 1881. In these cases the difference between the temperature inside of the heap of eggs and the outside air was much less; but the eggs were spoiled and no young were hatched.

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We have been under the impression that the land of dark-eyed hidalgos, with their wide sombreros and short jackets and gorgeous silver sashes, the land of beautiful women with graceful lace mantillas, swarthy skins and midnight eyes, was making rapid progress, but this opinion will have to be amended, says Texas Siftings.

It is true that the wealthier class have discarded the bright-hued serape and adopted the unpicturesque habiliments of the gringo. It is also a fact that in the City of Mexico the names of the streets have been changed from the political, or intensely religious, to nomenclature the most prosaic. For example: "The Street of the Sad Indian" and "Crown of Thorns street" are now respectively "Fourth avenue" and "Diaz street."

These and other changes led us to infer that Mexico was rapidly becoming "gringoized," but this delusion is knocked endwise by the following item:

"A remarkable case is being tried in the courts here. A short time ago a small weekly newspaper by the name of El Pericito published in its columns an advertisement of a business house. Another firm in the business has sued the paper for damages, alleging that they have suffered loss through the publication of the advertisement of their rival. The case is attracting considerable attention, as it is the first of its kind in Mexico."

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It is strange that the Mexicans should be so slow to recognize the advantages of advertising. There is no class of industrious citizens who cannot profit by advertising. For instance, a burglar overlooked eighty dollars in a bureau drawer, and the local papers so announced. He returned the next night and not only secured it but an almost new suit of clothes besides.

AN OLD-FASHIONED SCHOOL.

The Nolsy Mansion of Learning in the Days of the Long Ago.

The old system of education, as described in "Pleasant Memories of a Busy Life," is one, doubtless, that many boys of the present day would like to see again in use. The author thought its chief advantage was in giving the teacher a fair field for influencing his pupils with his own personality. He described his old teacher as "learned but not pedantic, kind but not effusive, active but not fussy. Wherever there was suffering, wherever help was required, he was sure to find his way."

In his school there was no very strict discipline, but on the contrary a good deal of noise. It was "a noisy mansion." But he was so pleasant himself, and made the work so pleasant, that pupils could not help learning. Being near him seemed to make them wiser and better. It was an instance of what Carlyle calls true education, "soul coming in contact with soul."

One of the greatest luxuries he enjoyed was to find some of his pupils able and willing to take up the higher branches. His leisure hours were devoted most heartily to them. He stayed after the usual school time to teach them Euclid and trigonometry. He led them out on the Saturdays along the shore, through the quarries and up the Blinn, to teach them geology. He invited them to his house of a winter evening to see the stars through his telescope.

The only examination was the yearly one by the presbytery, and it was so purely a matter of form that it was not an ordeal. The examiners, a genial brotherhood, sat beaming approval of everything, and went away with easy conscience and sound appetites to the dinner which pleasantly closed up the proceedings.

A TIPLING CANINE.

The Lamentable End of a Dog That Acquired a Taste for Liquor.

The writer of "Natural History Notes" in the Yorkshire Weekly Post, referring to the extract from Mr. Phil Robinson's new book, in which the author described how a bear was lured into a drunken bout, mentions some remarkable instances of a taste for alcohol among the lower animals. He says: "I possessed a very fine deer-hound. One day, while emptying some Scotch whisky out of a jar into a decanter, I spilt a quantity on the floor. Juno, who had been sniffing about, immediately began lapping it up, and, to my great astonishment, seemed to heartily relish the 'blend.' As far as I knew that was the beginning of a sad and brief career. Juno became a notorious drunkard. She frequented several public bars and was the subject of many wagers. She could drink anything in the liquor line—anything but water and milk. I have seen her staggering home very early in the morning after a 'booze.' The end came before she was three years old. A friendly V. S. and I held a 'crown quest' on the carcass. Verdict—Died of inflammation of the brain, the effect of alcohol."

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