

SNAKES AND SNAKE STORIES.

India Has 418 Known Varieties of Reptiles But Only 33 Are Poisonous.

Surgeon General Sir William Moore lately read a very interesting paper before the members of the Balloon society, on snakes, says the Westminster Budget.

Sir William approached the consideration of the subject from a popular rather than a scientific point of view, mentioning as his reason for doing so that the names of snakes were so difficult of pronunciation and more difficult of remembrance.

The fang of the common viper was a curious contrivance. It was a perforated tooth loose at the root. In its quiet state the fang lay flat upon the jaw, and was furnished with a muscle, which a jerk suddenly erected.

It was astonishing to know that the poison might be swallowed without fatal results, but the gallant officer did not go so far as to recommend the experiment. It had been said that in 1778 a snake charmer exhibited snakes at Bartholomew fair which danced on ropes, but the lecturer was decidedly skeptical on the point.

STUPID AND SELFISH.

A Pasha's Observations of Life in His Native Country.

Marianne North quotes, in her "Further Recollections of a Happy Life," some amusing instances of Turkish stupidity, told her by a pasha in military command at Beyrut.

The servants spread a clean tablecloth on the ground; then they brought a handsome inlaid table, which they laid on the tablecloth, but upside down, with its legs in the air.

Another old Turk who was shown a fine portrait said only: "Yes, it is like, but is not the embroidery on the back of his coat equally beautiful? Why did they not paint that in, too?"

Another, seeing a piano, asked what that great box was for. His hostess sat down and began to play to him.

"Mashallah!" he exclaimed, and after deep reflection announced that that woman must be worth at least sixty thousand piasters.

One day the pasha saw an old gentleman looking quite inconsolable, and was told that he had just lost a beautiful and favorite daughter. He attempted to comfort the man, but the father only replied:

"Yes, she was most precious, of infinite value, fool that I was. I refused fifty thousand piasters for her only last month. Now she is gone, and it is too late!"

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ON THE ROLLING WAVE. DANIEL SCHWENTON in 1636 received the diving bell, made a dress for divers and invented a model of a centrifugal pump.

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Mary M. Gordon. Ed. No. 2300, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 22, Tp. 4 S., R. 12 E. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: James McClure, M. E. Farris, 814 Blackberry, all of Wapinitia, Or. m14a25 JOHN W. LEWIS, Register

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The English Queen's Second No Longer Wears a Court Costume.

It is under the administration of the so-called "peer premier" that the old aristocratic custom which required the mover and the seconder of the address in reply to the queen's speech to do so in court costume is receiving its first death blow.

Mr. Fenwick who succeeded the last address, did so in his ordinary apparel, and the absurd revival of old usages thus received warning to go. But the mover of the address, Mr. Warner, appeared in military garb.

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Fined Himself.

A magistrate of a Liverpool court recently had the odd experience of trying himself for an offense against the law and inflicting on himself a heavy penalty.

Resuscitation Extraordinary. A curious method of resuscitation in vogue among the miners of Scotland in the case of insensibility from exposure to choke-damp, and which is said to be very efficacious, is as follows:

Stockholders Meeting. Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Wasco Independent Academy, at the academy building, in Dalles City on Thursday, May 10th, 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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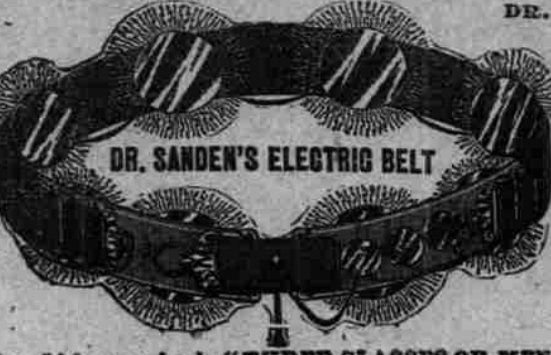
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