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HUNTING THE GORILLA.
 An Animal West Africans Say Has the Soul of a Man.
 Gorilla hunting is a distinct sensation even for the veteran hunter. This animal, which has become confused somewhat with fable and fiction, is a reality and a decidedly unpleasant one to engage. The west Africans are mortally afraid of it, believing that the brute contains the spirit of a man. They attribute to it all sorts of ferocities, like the carrying off of a human being, who is permitted to return after being deprived of toe and finger nails.
 "Skilled hunters have never observed any of these doings, but they testify to the brute's strength and ferocity," says Allen Sanger in *Ainslie's*. "According to a French sportsman, a full grown gorilla can live through a tree six inches thick in order to secure the sap and twist a gun barrel with the swollen bunches of muscle that serve for arms. His roar is terrifying and can be heard for a distance of three miles.
 "I shall never forget how the first one impressed me," says the Frenchman, "for I had a had attack of shingles. The woods had been filled some time with a barking roar, but I saw nothing until my guide clucked softly and pointed to a tree alongside which stood an immense male gorilla. There he remained but twelve yards away, boldly facing us with his huge chest, muscular arms, fiercely glaring deep gray eyes and a hellish expression, until I moved.
 "At that he dropped to all fours and came six yards nearer, sitting up to beat his breasts with his huge fists—a defiance—so that it sounded like an immense drum. His roar was most singular, beginning with a kind of bark and deepening into a bass roll that literally resembled thunder. The short hair on his forehead was twitching, his powerful fangs showed unpleasantly, and, feeling he was about to attack and incidentally being scared green, I shot him through the heart. With a groan something human and yet brutish, he fell on his face and died quickly, like a man. He measured 5 feet 9 inches in length, his chest was 62 inches, and his arms spread 9 feet. I was glad to have the specimen, but somehow after that never cared to kill a gorilla unless he actually menaced me."

A CHURCH LIGHTHOUSE.
 Charleston, S. C., Has the Only One in the World.
 The only church in the world so far as is known that is also a lighthouse is St. Philip's church, Charleston, S. C. St. Philip's, which is one of the oldest churches in America, is known as the "Westminster abbey of South Carolina," because within and about its walls so many distinguished men lie buried, including John C. Calhoun. The history of the old church is closely interwoven with that of South Carolina, and many of the most celebrated events in the history of the province are connected with it.
 It is one of the sights of Charleston, and strangers are always taken to see it and shown its graves and monuments.
 The most remarkable feature of the old church, however, is the fact that its lofty steeple serves the purpose of a lighthouse and is used to guide the seafarer and mariner safely into the port of Charleston. The use of the steeple as a lighthouse dates back to 1894, when the United States lighthouse department succeeded by dint of repeated efforts in inducing the vestry of the old church to allow a lantern to be placed in the upper story of the steeple to be used as a range light for vessels entering the harbor through the jetties at its mouth.
 The light used is very powerful and is placed at an altitude of about 125 feet above the ground, so that it is easily visible thirty miles at sea. Ships making for Charleston harbor at night always keep a sharp lookout for St. Philip's light and as soon as they sight it get it into line with the beacon on Fort Sumner and then make a straight-away run for the mouth of the Jetties and up through them into the harbor of Charleston.
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NATURAL HISTORY.
 There are forty-eight different kinds of house fly known and classified. The pig is the only domestic animal in which no case of cancer has been noted.
 The Spanish mackerel is one of the fastest of food fishes and cuts the water like a yacht.
 Fish swallow their food whole because they are obliged to keep continually opening and closing the mouth for the purpose of respiration.
 Siamese cats, both in appearance and character, closely resemble pug dogs. Even their tails have the curious curl so familiar in these stolid dogs.
 Animals are found to be subject to hypnotic influence. Lobsters, it is said, can be hypnotized by standing them on their heads five or ten minutes.
 There is no wild breed of fowl to which the Brahma or Cochin can be traced. The gamecock seems to be descended from the Cingalese jungle fowl.
 The flesh fly produces about 20,000 young in a season. The larvae are hatched almost instantly from the egg and at once begin their work of destruction.
A Contrast.
 "Papa, who is that gentleman over there on the porch?"
 "Don't you remember him, my child? He is the gentleman we met in the restaurant today who chatted so pleasantly with us while he waited about twenty-five minutes for his lunch."
 "He doesn't seem very pleasant now, papa."
 "Oh, no. He's at home now. See him tearing the newspaper into shreds and trying to throw his hat through the door. He is very angry because it has taken his wife a little over four minutes to get his supper ready."—Indianapolis Sun.
A Hindoo Superstition.
 When visits are exchanged by the friends of the Hindoo bride and groom to complete arrangements for the wedding, great attention is paid to omens, which are considered especially potent then. For instance, if the groom's messengers should meet a cat, a fox or a serpent they turn back and seek a more propitious time for the errand. After the bride's father has received the offer he must delay replying until one of the ubiquitous lizards in his house has chirped.—Woman's Home Companion.
Ingalls on Butter.
 Many years ago, when John J. Ingalls, the brilliant Kansan, was a member of the senate, oleomargarine was a bone of contention. The debate led Ingalls to utter one of those epigrammatic sentences which made him famous. "I have never, to my knowledge, tasted oleomargarine," said Ingalls. "But I have stood in the presence of genuine butter with awe for its strength and reverence for its antiquity."
Trade Craft.
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 "Do you suppose I want my customers to watch the scales?" asked the surprised butcher. "Give me the plainest style you have."—Chicago News.
Pearls.
 "Pearls," remarked the wise guy, "are emblematic of tears."
 "I guess that's right," agreed the simple mug. "My wife cries because I can't afford to buy her any."—Philadelphia Record.
 He who refuses to play second fiddle has no chance to become leader of an orchestra.—New York Herald.
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NOTHING WAS LOST.
 An Omission in a Wedding Ceremony That Didn't Count.
 A distinguished officer of the United States navy once told this story on himself:
 At the time of his marriage he had been through the civil war and had had many harrowing experiences aboard ship, through all of which he kept courage and remained as calm as a brave man should. As the time for the ceremony came on, however, his calmness gradually gave way. At the altar, amid the blaze of brass buttons and gold lace marking the full naval wedding, the officer was all but stampeded and what went on there seemed very much mixed to him. Fearing the excitement of the moment would temporarily take him off his feet, the officer had learned the marriage ceremony letter perfect, as he thought, and he remembered repeating the words after the minister in a mechanical sort of way.
 After the ceremony was over and all was serene again, including the officer's state of mind, the kindly clergyman came up to him and touched him on the shoulder.
 "Look here, old man," he said, "you didn't endow your wife with any worldly goods."
 "What's that?" asked the bridegroom, with something of astonishment in his voice.
 "Why, I repeated the sentence 'With all my worldly goods I thee endow' several times and despite my efforts you would not say it after me."
 The bridegroom seemed perturbed for a moment, and then a beaming light came into his face.
 "Never mind, sir," he said. "She didn't lose a blessed thing by my failure."—Washington Star.
No "Tick" Obtainable.
 Telegraph Operator—I am sorry, sir, but the rules of this company make it impossible for me to send your message "collect." That privilege we are not allowed to extend to absolute strangers.
 Applicant—Do you mean for me to understand by that that you can't trust me?
 Telegraph Operator—Under the circumstances, sir, it is impossible for me to do so.
 Applicant—Well, that gets the best of me! I thought of all places on the face of the earth a telegraph office was the likeliest to get anything on tick.—Boston Courier.
Hawatha.
 "Such a confusing variance in the pronunciation of 'Hawatha' exists both in dictionaries and in the speech of educated men and women," writes Elizabeth A. Withey in *The Ladies' Home Journal*, "that I have asked Miss Longfellow how the word is pronounced by the poet's family. She says the pronunciation which she always heard from the poet himself is Hi-a-wa-tha, the 't' pronounced as it is in 'machine' or 'plique,' the second 'a' pronounced as it is in 'far' or in 'father.'"
All in the Family.
 "Hiffley and his son and the Widow Hinglewood and her daughter are going to form a community of interests."
 "How so?"
 "Hiffley marries the widow, and his son marries the daughter."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.
His Taste in Refreshing.
 "Bigson says he has had his house refurbished during his wife's absence."
 "As a surprise to her?"
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