

The Eyes of a Bee.
Every bee has two kinds of eyes—the two large compound ones looking like hemispheres on either side, and the three simple ones which crown the top of his head. Each compound eye is composed of 3,500 facets—that is to say, an object is reflected 3,500 times on its surface. Every one of these facets is the base of an inverted hexagonal pyramid whose apex is fitted to the head. Each pyramid may be termed an eye, for each has its own iris and optic nerve. How these insects manage this marvelous number of eyes is not yet known. They are immovable, but mobility is unnecessary because of the range of vision afforded by the position and the number of facets. They have no lids, but are protected from dust and injury by rows of hairs growing along the lines at the junctions of the facets. The simple eyes are supposed to have been given the bee to enable it to see above its head when intent upon gathering honey from the cups of flowers. Probably this may be one reason, but it is likely there are other uses for them not yet ascertained.—Pearson's Weekly.

Beating the Postoffice.
Here is a curious process by which the French postoffice was beaten. A wealthy merchant who refused to pay an excess fee was sued by the postal authorities and lost the suit. He retaliated by building a shanty in a remote district of the Hautes-Alpes, about twenty miles from any postoffice, and installing therein a shepherd, in whose name he subscribed to the daily Petit Journal. According to the terms of the postal monopoly in France, the department is bound to provide a daily service wherever required, and it would have been necessary to engage a postman solely for the delivery of this newspaper, as no other house is to be found within a radius of about eight miles. The postoffice, sooner than embark on an expenditure of about \$240 a year, consented to forego the 10 centimes (2 cents) in dispute, pay the defendant's costs and compensate the shepherd for the loss of his daily paper.

Donizetti and Coffee.
Donizetti, composer of "Lucia di Lammermoor," sought inspiration in the coffee-shop. It would be interesting to know accurately the total amount of coffee this erratic genius managed to consume during his short career. It was his habit to shut himself up in his room with writing materials and three or four coffee-pots full of steaming coffee. When these were emptied he ordered in three or four more and, these disposed of in their turn, another three or four. His biographer says that the amount of coffee he drank was "fabulous," and one can well believe it. The effect on his once fine constitution was deplorable. His face shriveled and turned yellow, his lips became black, and with the inevitable breakdown of his nervous system his genius fell rapidly into premature decay.

Routed the Enemy.
In some of the London courts there are private dining rooms reserved for the exclusive use of the legal fraternity. Into one of these rooms one day there bustled a gaunt female who on being courteously approached by a junior counsel flatly declined to leave. Thereupon an unblushing Q. C. looked the lady in the face and expressed his mind. Still she did not budge. Counsel Lockwood then intervened. "I do not think there is anything unseemly in this lady's presence," quoth he. "She wears a gown and—yes, I'm pretty sure that she also wears a wig." The lady went.—London Tatler.

He Knew Them.
A minister, the father of six-year-old twin boys, was obliged to send one from the table for misbehavior. The little fellow was sitting crestfallen on a chair in an adjoining room when the maid entered. Upon spying him she said, "Oh, Billie, I'd be ashamed to be sent away from the table, as big a boy as you are too."
Billie, with flashing eyes, drew himself up, saying, "Well, you wouldn't if you'd known this family as long as I have."—Delineator.

Getting the Rings Mixed.
"One ring for bellboy, two rings for chambermaid," read a hotel guest from the printed card hanging in his room. He pressed the button, and the maid appeared.
"I don't want you," said the guest. "I rang once twice."
"Oh," replied the maid, "I thought you rang twice once."—New York American.

Marriage.
Muriel (letting him down easy)—I should advise you not to take it to heart. I might prove a most undesirable wife. Marriage is a lottery, you know. Malcolm (bitterly)—It strikes me as more like a raffle. One man gets the prize and the others get the shake.—Smart Set.

His Wild Flower.
"Now, Harry," said the teacher, "can you give the name of some wild flower?"
"Well," answered Harry after a moment's thought, "Indian meal is the wildest flour I can think of."—Exchange.

Partial.
"Will your son take a full college course?" "No, not quite. He will have baseball, football and track athletics, but he fears there won't be time for basketball."—Cleveland Leader.

Subtlety may deceive you; integrity never will.—Cromwell.
Send the Press to a friend.

SUMMONS.
In the Justice Court for the District of Athens, county of Umatilla, state of Oregon.
Homer I. Watts, Plaintiff }
vs. }
Anna Bergevin, Defendant }
To Anna Bergevin, the above named defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action within 42 days from the first publication of this summons; service of this summons upon you being made by publication and if you fail to appear, answer or in any way plead in said action you will suffer judgment to be taken against you for the sum of \$225.00 for damages done by you to property belonging to and in the possession of the plaintiff, by you willfully and wrongfully trespassing upon plaintiff's property, to wit: lots 13 and 14, section 10 and lots 3 and 4 section 15, all in T. 3, N. R. 35, E. W. M. Same trespass being committed on or about the 25 of April, 1910, and further for cost and disbursements of this action. This summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order made out and entered by the above entitled Court in open court, on May 27, 1910 and said summons shall be published in the Athens Press beginning on Friday, June 3, 1910, and appearing once a week for 6 consecutive weeks, the last publication being on Friday, July 15, 1910.

Given under my hand, this 27 day of May, 1910. B. B. Richards, Justice of the Peace.

Homer I. Watts, Atty. for Plaintiff.

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FAMOUS GOODWOOD.
Something About a Historic English Race Course.

The Goodwood race course is quite unique. It is a long way from a station and is not near any town, says the London Tatler. It is on a hill the top of which is shaped like a horseshoe, the space between the two horns being represented by a deep ravine. The course runs round the horseshoe, the start being at the end of one horn and the finish at the end of the other. The result of this is that the equestrians who on other courses contrive to see both start and finish by the simple process of riding across while the race is in progress cannot do so at Goodwood. They must elect which they will see and remain there. On the other hand, the course is very easy to follow with glasses.

The races as an institution are comparatively modern, but there must have been hunt races and matches on this course since the days of William III, when we hear of the Goodwood hunt as in existence. In 1800, however, the then Duke of Richmond made a new course, which is practically the present one. In 1801 the course was completed, and in order to celebrate this a regular meeting was got up by the duke with the assistance of the hunt and some officers of the Sussex militia and yeomanry, and prizes to the value of about £1,000 were put up. This meant a good sum in those days. This was the first Goodwood meeting of importance, and from that year it became an annual event.

Why Turkish Women Go Veiled.
Turkish women do not wear veils because of their religion, as many suppose. It is merely the survival of an old custom. When the Turks still lived in Tartary, before the time of Mohammed, it was the habit of the men to steal such women for wives as attracted them. This led to so much fighting that about the second century after Christ the Turks came together and decided that henceforth the women should go veiled and should not meet men, but dwell in harems, as soon as they arrived at womanhood, which was at about eleven years of age.—Mrs. Kenneth Brown in Metropolitan Magazine.

One Failure.
"It's funny our minister never gets married," remarked the young husband who had just refused his wife a new dress in his endeavor to change the subject. "I think he'd make a good husband."
"Well," replied the wife warmly, "he didn't seem to make a very good one when he married us."

Wouldn't Interfere.
"It's raining hard, my dear," remarked a man to his wife.
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