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### Tree Rings Will Tell Secrets to Scientists

Scientists of the Field Museum of Natural History expect to learn what the weather has been like for 200 years or more in the vicinity of Chicago by studying the rings on oak and willow stumps, says a museum bulletin. It has been found that trees of various kinds register within their trunks a fairly accurate record of the seasons, because the wood that grew in the summer and that which grew in the spring can be distinguished in the annual rings. By these comparisons, deductions as to the amount of rainfall and sunshine that the trees received can be made. Carrying the study further, the microscope is expected to disclose what part of the wood was formed during cold, rainy and dry seasons, for the structure of the little sap tubes differs according to these conditions. Experiments and observations also have shown that the greatest growth in trees occurs on the side opposite the direction of the winds. For instance, there are trees in Colorado in which the heart of the trunk is closer to the bark on the side from which the prevailing winds blow.

### Fierce Storm Thought to Mean World's End

The most terrific storm in the history of the British Isles raged during the month of November, 1703. This terrible hurricane was so devastating that it was generally believed that the end of the world had come. Deane, best known as the author of Robinson Crusoe, who experienced its worst terrors, wrote: "Horror and confusion seized upon all; no pen can describe it, no tongue can express it, no thought can conceive it." The voice of the wind was like-thunder. To venture abroad was to court instant death; to stay within doors was to risk the fall of the house. The loss of life on land and sea and in the floods of the Severn and Thames, seems to have been beyond computation. In London the damage to property was estimated at \$10,000,000. The first Eddystone lighthouse, a ridiculous sort of pagoda, of four years' standing, was swept away, and with it the architect, Winstanley. The hurricane ended in a dead calm at the exact hour when it had started raging a week before.

### Whence Ermine Comes

The European weasel in his winter costume was the original purveyor of ermine. The snowy white pelt, set off by the jet black at the end of the tail, attracted attention centuries ago and was adopted as the royal costume for the kings of England. It is said that Edward III forbade its use by any one not of royal blood. This ancient royal costume adorns the "king" in packs of playing cards. Later it became the distinguishing fur of nobility, and especially of judges, who representing the royal power, were regarded merely as the king himself acting through his agents in dealing justice among his people. As showing their imperial power, ermine is worn in the official regalia of the pope and cardinals of the Catholic church.

### Discouragement to Thrift

The neighbor of a man noted for his extreme thrift saw him going down the road on a week day dressed in his Sunday clothes. "What's up, Jim?" he called out. "Why the glad rags?" "Haven't you heard the news?" "News! What news?" "Triplets!" "Oh, so that accounts for—" began the neighbor, when the frugal one interrupted him: "Yes, that accounts for my wearing these clothes. What in thunder's the use of trying to be economical!" —Boston Transcript.

### Ugly General Pays Penalty

Philopomen was a Greek general, notorious for his ugliness, but also famous for having had it said of him by Plutarch that he was the "last great Greek." He was so ugly that when he arrived in a town making ready for a ceremony in honor of his coming, he was put to work helping to prepare for his own entrance into the city. He looked so common and unsightly to the innkeeper in charge of the program that he was put to work drawing water and building a fire. When his identity was discovered he merely replied that he was paying the penalty for being so ugly.

### Wise Solomon

Here is a story about a composition. The teacher requested her pupils—all boys—to write on a biblical subject. Here is what one boy wrote: "Solomon was a very wise man. One day two women went to him quarreling about a baby. One woman said: 'This is my child,' and the other woman said, 'No, 'tain't; it's mine.' But Solomon spoke up and said: 'Now, now, ladies, don't quarrel. Give me my sword and I'll make twins of him, so you can both have one.'"

### Not All Honest

Seattle's treasurer tried the honesty of the population on April 1. Iron washers wrapped in papers like those that contain \$10 stacks of silver dollars were laid, one after the other, under a teller's window. Scores picked these packages up and handed them in at the window. But several citizens showed desire to depart, and walked rapidly when they got out the door.

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### Tree Dependent Upon Insect for Fertility

The noblest and most imposing tree in the Hawaiian Islands is the banyan. These trees do not produce seeds. Propagation is dependent upon one of the tiniest of insects, the fig wasp. The trees introduced into Hawaii, from Australia, China and India, are not propagated in the territory of Hawaii in that manner, and the fig insects necessary to the production of mature fruit and seeds are not present there. The fig wasp goes into the figs for selfish purposes only. She is hunting for a place to rear her babies, and the only places that suit her are the female flowers inside the fig. She puts an egg in each flower which she selects, and in doing so, crawling about, pollinates the other female flowers with grains of pollen which were adhering to her body from the older fig where she herself had grown to maturity. The figs do not mature without the presence of the fig wasps, and the latter cannot develop or exist without the presence of the figs in the proper condition for them. Numerous kinds of figs and banyan trees are native in many tropical countries, each having its own kind of minute insects called fig wasps to assist in seed production.

### Here's Another Idea of Ancestry of Man

Most men believe that mankind is descended from one "Adam" or a single pre-human stock. Dr. Francis Graham, writing in the Forum, as a result of his studies of a type of imbecility called Mongolism, concludes that mankind is of three-fold origin. According to this scheme, three great branches once diverged from a common stem. From one branch sprang the oranges and Mongolian and Australo-Caucasian man. From another the gorillas and the negroes. From the third the chimpanzees, and probably the Mesopotamian races. Now, although schemes of this sort have been bitterly attacked, they do at any rate "explain" not only the occurrence of the Mongol in our midst, but the characters and incidence of certain forms of imbecility other than that we call Mongolism. If this hypothesis becomes established we shall have to admit that the population of Europe is a blend, in different proportions, of the black, the white and the yellow, and we shall find no difficulty in understanding many facts in anatomy and in medicine that have hitherto baffled us.

### Born for Job

Senator Goophus' six-month-old son started howling at six o'clock in the morning. At 10 p. m. he was going strong. At midnight the storm subsided temporarily, but as the senator and Mrs. Goophus tip-toed out of the nursery, the howling broke forth with renewed vigor. It continued more or less vigorously until six o'clock the following morning, when Goophus, Jr., fell asleep. Bleared-eyed and haggard, the senator turned to his wife, "Maria," he said proudly, "our son's future is assured. He is going to be a United States senator. He has just conducted his first filibuster, most successfully."

### Height of Mountains

The height of mountains is calculated by the use of instruments and trigonometry. If the instruments are accurate and there is no error in the figures the exact height of a peak above sea level can be ascertained without ever climbing the mountain. If afterward a figure proves to be erroneous it is the fault of the instruments or the calculation, not the method. Mathematicians do not give round numbers when they are dealing with measurable distances. Practically these exact figures are often ridiculous.

### Gunpowder's Invention

The origin of gunpowder is involved in considerable uncertainty, but it is believed that the mixture and its characteristic properties have long been known, even before its use to propel a projectile from some form of artillery. There is evidence that the recipe for making gunpowder was in the hands of some of the alchemists of the Thirteenth century, and on the strength of passages in the works of Roger Bacon, he is often spoken of as its inventor. The discovery of gunpowder is also assigned to Berthold Schwartz, by whom it was mentioned in 1329.

### Important Drugs Listed

In Kansas, a health jury has listed the 16 most important and useful drugs to be kept in the household first aid kit, as follows: Tincture of iodine, aromatic spirits of ammonia, aspirin tablets, milk of magnesia, boric acid, epsom salts, castor oil, zinc oxide, adhesive plaster, peroxide of hydrogen, sodium bicarbonate, glycerin, alkaline antiseptic solution, sirup of ipecac, powdered mustard, spirits of turpentine and olive oil.

### Unreasonable!

The farmer took the new man out to a field and started him at plowing behind two horses. Two hours later the new man returned to the house utterly exhausted. The farmer asked him how he was getting on. "Not gettin' on at all," snapped the man, disgustedly. "How do you expect me to hold a plow with two big strong horses trying to pull it away from me all the time?"

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### Chinaman Takes Meals at His Convenience

Among the working class of China, as well as many other countries of the Far and Near East, eating is an outdoor sport. Summer and winter they take their food from little open-air side restaurants, and chopstick it into their mouths, sometimes standing and sometimes sitting, either in the street or in a doorless, windowless shelter beside the street. The eating goes on continuously. This does not mean of course that every workman eats all day long—as it might seem—but each workman eats when he can, and the restaurants are busy every hour of the day, knowing no separate time for lunch, breakfast, dinner or supper. On the main street there are restaurants every few steps, a dozen or so to the block.

Then there are the walking kitchens. One man carries on a pole slung over his shoulder, a cook above suspended from one end, and a pantry with a counter on top of it on the other end. He moves his stand from time to time, going where business is best for the moment, now in front of a factory, now in front of a school, now on a busy corner, almost anywhere. The keepers of the large restaurants, by way of advertising, establish their bakeries right beside the street in full view of the perhaps hungry passers-by. The baker, a mighty man is he, standing beside his two-by-two monument of dirt, kneading a mountain of dust-grayed dough, then beating it out flat with a stick, like a lousy drummer-lad beating a charge to battle.

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