



Small Worlds Around Us
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More Active The Animal, The Tougher The Meat
Did you know that extreme laziness is desirable in any animal destined to become an entrée on a dinner menu? It's true. Exercise toughens muscles, makes them fibrous and stringy. The older, or the more active the animal was before it was slaughtered, the sharper your knife will have to be when the steak, or coast comes to your table. Age is also a determining factor. From old cattle comes tough meat. The same formula applies to deer, chicken, rabbit, sheep, or any game or domestic flesh.

There is at least one startling exception to the age and exercise business in relation to toughness: it is the flesh of fish. Regardless of age or amount of exercise, or number of miles traveled, fish-flesh is just as tender as it was when the fish was very young and before it ever went anywhere under its own power. Even the aged fish has tender flesh, and too, it's a pretty well established fact that a fish continues to grow, at least a little, as long as it lives. So, if you are ordering meat instead of fish, insist that your steak or roast was cut from an animal that was relatively young, and as lazy as a pet coon.

Small Egg, Big Crocodile
Did you ever know that the largest animal on the face of this earth that is actually hatched from an egg is a crocodile? It's a fact. There are crocodiles in the Nile river that may be 20 feet in length and weigh nearly 1,000 pounds. They are hatched from an egg that is barely larger than an egg laid by a goose.

Did you know that the giant squid of the North Atlantic ocean is the largest invertebrate in the world. Not only is this animal backboneless, but it does not have a single bone in its body. Without the buoyancy supplied by water, these 50-foot monsters would be nothing but helpless, shapeless masses of soft flesh.

Did you know that the very smallest animal in the world, as far as it is known, is the shrew? This strange little animal is equipped by nature with poison sacs and the bite is as deadly as that of a venomous snake. The tiny creature bites its victims and injects venom into the wound. With its appetite and hair-trigger temper, together with its dangerous bite, the shrew could be a dangerous animal, except for its diminutive size. But for a mammal whose body is barely two inches long, the shrew is a pretty tough little guy.

Objectionable Flesh
Did you know too, that if your family cat caught and killed a shrew, it would not eat it? By some strange, chemical revulsion, inherent in these peculiar little animals, their flesh is objectionable to flesh eating predators.

Probably you are acquainted with the fact that the only mammal in the world gifted with true flight is the bat. The one you might credit with flying ability would be the flying squirrel, but this timid little creature can't fly at all; like the so-called "flying fish," the best it can do is glide; better it had been named the "gliding squirrel."

Matador-Officer Throws the Bull

MANCHESTER, England (UPI) — A policeman became a matador and got his bull on the rainy streets of Manchester Thursday.

Policeman Johnny Oliver won the bullfight by bringing the bull to its knees with a headon tackle.

The bull had escaped from a local slaughter house, charged through three miles of streets, knocked down and injured a woman and terrified women and children.

The 500-pound bull was cornered between a truck and a police car. Oliver moved in and grabbed it, twisting its head until it dropped to its knees.

The bull, which had been hit by a truck, died before humane officers could get to the scene to destroy it.

A FIGHT A DAY
ORONO, Maine (UPI) — Mr. and Mrs. Orrin W. Giggey say the key to a happy marriage is to have a fight every day or so.

On their 67th wedding anniversary Thursday, Mrs. Giggey, 89, said, "I make it a point never to agree with him." The 88-year-old Giggey, when asked to disclose the basis of their happy life, said, "I think it's because we've always managed to have a good scrap every couple of days."

STAR GAZER
By CLAY R. POLLAN
Your Daily Activity Guide
According to the Stars
To develop messages for Saturday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

ARIES	MAR. 21-20	1 Powerful	31 On	61 And	OCT. 24
Taurus	APR. 21	2 Good	32 Year	62 Match	OCT. 23
5 People	MAY 21	3 You	33 Eve	63 Aspects	NOV. 22
6 Play	JUN. 21	4 Dangerous	34 Watch	64 For	4-11-17-20
7 Are	JULY 21	5 People	35 Do	65 Advancing	25-33-47-56
8 Financial	AUG. 21	6 Play	36 Yourself	66 Kindly	58-60-82-85
9 Best	SEPT. 21	7 Are	37 Tangents	67 Money	
10 Willing	OCT. 21	8 Financial	38 Today	68 Thoughts	
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23 Affection	NOV. 21	21 Day	51 Demand	81 Bills	
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