

HABITS OF THE ZOO ANIMALS AND WHAT THEY MEAN

There are some animals and birds that we always expect to see at the Zoological Gardens. Bears, for instance, and lions. But if we use our eyes well, even when watching these old friends, we may often be delighted with the discovery of brand new tricks that we did not know of before. And sharp eyes may also see Mr. Lion or Mr. Hyena doing things

of no importance in a cage or den but which would be useful in a jungle or a desert. Imagine the English red deer in the uplands of his island home while you are looking at him in the enclosed field at the Zoo. He seems quite at home, because the park resembles the English woodlands quite closely. But now think of this wild, restless animal which habit in its narrow yard, in which stands a single half dead tree. Do you wonder he is not at home

there which you remember that he comes from the broad hot plains of Africa, where he used to run for miles over the thick grass and the hot sand? It is much fun to visit the Zoo when we can look at the different animals in this way, and while watching their curious ways say to ourselves, "O, I know why he does that."

Advertisement for McClary's Kootenay Steel Range, featuring a diagram of a kitchen and text: "You can make one scuttle of coal do the work of two and do it better by installing the best range in your kitchen."

be white. The few tailored suits show skirts mostly draped in either skirt or three-quarter cutaway coats. The neck of a plaited skirt beneath pleats take the form of pleated flaps draped polonaise.

is about as large as the state of Massachusetts. This author describes the life of these men as being replete with danger and adventures. The article introduces to us such characters as Fire Bear, who slew Ches-che-pah, a Crow medicine man, who was on the point of leading his tribe on the warpath against the government, and the Apache Kid, who, from a valued first sergeant of the Apache police, became one of the worst outlaws that ever terrorized the southwest.

Advertisement for GIN PILLS, titled "HIS BLADDER WAS TERRIBLY INFLAMED". Includes a testimonial from Larder Lake, Ont., dated March 26th, describing relief from bladder inflammation.

Advertisement for JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT, "Used 102 Years for Internal and External Ills". Claims to relieve sudden cramps and pains. Includes the text: "Parsons' Pills Help The Liver".

Advertisement for "Beaver" Flour, "Best Food in the world is good Homemade Bread, made of 'Beaver' Flour". Claims to be the most expensive of wholesome foods.



C. F. Fooley, Roy Building, Halifax, N. S. Travelling Sales Agent

Now look at the lynx, stretching himself out along that log in his small cage. He has carefully hidden his tail—what there is of it—his head is laid flat along the log and his paws are arranged so as scarcely to be seen. Yet he lies in plain sight, while the children admire his tawny coat, his large, bright eyes and tufted ears.

But have you ever thought why a lynx is colored just so? The Canadian lynx, or bobcat, is grayish white, waved with black lines. His American cousin, the wildcat, is a pale yellow, overlaid with white in winter. In the day he is almost hidden, because gray is the color of most rocks, dead trees and such objects in the woods.

IN BLUE AND WHITE

It is the fitness of things in a room for a table that gives pleasure to the beholders. In a bedroom recently seen the color scheme was charmingly developed in dark blue and white. The curtains were of blue denim, not an unusual material for this use, but the graceful way in which they were hung was the secret of their especial charm.

What is the meaning of it? I asked my husband. I was newly out from home and hadn't become accustomed to Indian ways. Conspicuously they were constantly occurring which to the residents were quite ordinary, but to me were most extraordinary.

At length appeared a ragged, lean, brown figure—the man in charge. His armament consisted of a dirty loin cloth, a ragged waistcoat, and, as an apology for a turban, a piece of rag twisted round his head.

THE NOBLEST MAN.

Be the noblest man that your present faith, poor and weak and imperfect as it can make you be. Live up to your present growth, your present faith. So and so only do you take the next straight step forward, as you stand strong where you are now; so only can you think the curtain will be drawn back, and there will be revealed to you what lies beyond.

THE RED POLICE. A police force that is picturesque and as daring in its way as the famous Royal Northwest Mounted Police of Canada, or the Texas Rangers, is made the subject of an article in the current issue of Harper's Weekly, by Arthur Chapman. The author tells of the Indian Police which guard, the Crow reservation, which

Advertisement for Chapped Hands AND Cold Sores, featuring an illustration of hands and text: "Are your hands chapped, cracked or sore? Have you 'cold cracks' which open and bleed when the skin is drawn tight?"

Mrs. Yellen, of Portland, says: "My hands were so sore and cracked that it was agony to put them near water. When I did so they would smart and burn as if I had scalded them. I seemed quite unable to get relief from anything I put on them until I tried Zam-Buk, and it succeeded when all else had failed. It closed the big cracks, gave me ease, soothed the inflammation, and in a very short time healed my hands."

Advertisement for Zam-Buk, "Rocky Point Change of Time". Includes a table of departure and arrival times for the Rocky Point route.

Advertisement for Table Silver, "Grace, beauty and quality are all combined in silver articles marked 1847 ROGERS BROS."

Advertisement for M. MURPHY, COMMONWEALTH HOTEL, "Opposite State House, Boston, Ma". Includes an illustration of the hotel building.

Advertisement for Shiloh, "The family remedy for Coughs and Colds. Shiloh costs so little and does so much."

Advertisement for Tea and Fancy Sale, "A splendid chance to purchase Christmas presents, fancy articles, aprons, English and American novelties, dolls and dolls clothing, cuddles, household requisites, cakes, mince-meat, jugged hare, tongues, etc."

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Large advertisement for Hewson's Sweaters, "You'll appreciate your HEWSON'S Sweater during the cold weather. It's just the thing for to-bogganing or for any other out-door sport." Includes an illustration of a man in a sweater.

Advertisement for A GOOD HEAD, "is always appreciated by the common-sense man." Includes an illustration of a head and text: "EDDY'S MATCHES are the Head-wont-drop-off kind."

Advertisement for Had Weak AND Dizzy Spells, "Those feelings of weakness, those dizzy spells and 'all gone' sinking sensations, which come over some people from time to time, are warnings that must not go unheeded."

Advertisement for PEAT DUST FUEL FOR STEAM RAISING, "That partially dried peat can be collected as powder at less than twenty-five cents a ton, by doing the work on a large scale, is the view expressed by Dr. J. McWilliam, who has been experimenting several years near London, Ont."

Advertisement for FASHION HINTS, "Chiffon and velvet ribbons are in great demand for trimmings. They come in most exquisite shades and are used with brocade often to accentuate one of the colors of the design."

Advertisement for SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH, WEST LAND REGULATIONS, "ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta."

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Large advertisement for Tuckett's Cigarettes, "A breath from the Orient. INHALE—exhale! Coming or going, every puff yields a flavor and fragrance that's rarely fine and aromatic." Includes a table of prices for Tuckett's Club Virginia, Tuckett's Special Turkish, and Tuckett's T & B (Virginia and Turkish).