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A PECULIAR POISON.

Curari Has Baffled Science for More Than One Hundred Years.

For more than a hundred years the Indians of the upper Amazon have baffled science with the secret of a poison which they brew for the purpose of rendering their arrow tips more deadly. Many of the world's noted scientists have investigated into the chemical composition of this poison, but the natives of the Amazon have zealously guarded the formula of the brew and efforts of these investigators have been without avail. Not long ago a professor in a German university was sent to the South American wilderness for the purpose of discovering the herbs that were used in making curari, as the poison is named. After spending two years among the various tribes, he was forced to give up his quest and was coming out of the country when he fell in with a traveler who had obtained possession of a native blow-gun. The latter tells how he put some of his blowgun arrows, which are like toothpicks feathered with cotton, and tried it on a buck deer in the forest.

"After a deliberate aim our hunter fired, if I may use such a word for the little puff, scarcely heard by us, and entirely inaudible above the rustling corn leaves at the distance of the deer. The animal gave a slight start as it felt the prick of the arrow on its flank and turned partly around, sniffing the air for a scent, and looking about as if searching for the insect that had bitten or stung it. Detecting nothing, it stood still and unalarmed. At the end of a minute, or a minute and a half at most, its head dropped a little, as if it was sleepy.

"When the hunter saw this he arose and stepped out in plain sight. The deer turned his head and looked at him, and moved forward, not away from him, a few steps, and stopped. It showed no fear, but simply curiosity. After another minute the professor and I arose, and all three walked quietly to within reach of it. It made no movement to run away, but watched us intently, and shifted its position a little. Its movements seemed perfectly easy and natural. Absence of fear was the only observable change, until at the end of three minutes more; then it lay down, not falling, but as naturally as a cow or sheep when ready for sleep.

"We all approached its side, and the hunter laid a hand on its shoulder. It looked up at him, but showed no resentment or fear. Even its breathing seemed easy and natural, which surprised me, as I had heard that death resulted from paralysis of the lungs when caused by curari." The question naturally arises as to whether an animal killed in this manner would be edible. The scientist does not tell, but it is safe to venture that if the meat procured after this style of hunting were not poisonous our native wilds might tend to lessen the annual rate of human fatality resultant from the heedless discharging of rifles.

Dumplings For Stew.

One pint of flour sifted before measuring, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar and one-half teaspoonful of soda, or use two level teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix with a scant cupful of milk. Sift the cream of tartar and salt into the flour, add the baking soda in the milk and make a dough just soft enough to handle. Pat it out one-half inch thick or make it softer and drop by spoonfuls into the stew. Be sure to have it boiling and leave room for the dumplings to rise. Cook ten minutes. Do not add any shortening, as that will make them heavy.

The Push Man Train.

One of the quaintest sights in Japan is the "push man train," a little railway which runs for nineteen miles along the seacoast between Atami and Odawara, taking four hours to complete the journey. Each car is hauled and pushed uphill by coolies and then allowed to run down the next incline by its own momentum, the coolies jumping on behind. When skirting precipices and rounding sharp curves this becomes somewhat exciting. The sensation is rather like being in a runaway switchback car.—Wide World Magazine.

Instinct of the Mudfish.

The remarkable instinct of the mudfish to roll himself in a ball of mud when the dry season approaches is a wonderful provision of nature intended solely, it would seem, to prevent the extinction of the species. The most interesting fact about this fish is that it breathes by means of its gills when in its native element and by means of lungs during its voluntary imprisonment in the mud cocoon.

Different Opinions.

Professor—Why did you come to college, anyway? You are not studying. Will Rarah—Well, mother says it is to fit me for the presidency; Uncle Bill, to sow my wild oats; sis, to get a chunk for her to marry; pa, to bankrupt the family.

What Could He Call Her?

She—Lizzie's bloke calls her 'is peach and the apple of 'is eye. Why can't you call me things like that? He—Yes, that's all very well, but 'e's in the vegetable business. I'm in the whelk trade, remember.—London Punch.

Not Popular.

"I'm going to wake 'em up when I get into office," said the enthusiastic young politician. "Well, son," replied Senator Sorghum, "an alarm clock may be useful, but it isn't very popular."

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Read down	A.M.	P.M.	Read up	P.M.	A.M.
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7:15	8:40	" Maple Hill	" 10:15	1:25	
7:25	8:50	" Elmer	" 10:30	1:40	
7:35	9:00	" Allan Park	" 10:45	1:55	
7:45	9:10	" Durham	" 11:00	2:10	
7:55	9:20	" McWiliams	" 11:15	2:25	
8:05	9:30	" Peterboro	" 11:30	2:40	
8:15	9:40	" Sargents Pt.	" 11:45	2:55	
8:25	9:50	" Toronto	" 12:00	3:10	

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Trained For the Part.

Canon Rhodes Bristow, who is to succeed Canon Benham as chairman of the Poor Clergy Relief Corporation in England, has had a large and varied experience of life in the underworld of London. He once had an amusing experience at a christening. Infants usually cry while undergoing this ceremony, but this one was as quiet as a lamb. Throughout it smiled cheerfully in the canon's face. "Madam," he remarked later to the young mother, "I must congratulate you on the little one's behaviour. I have never before christened a child that has behaved so well as yours." "No wonder he behaved well," was the unexpected reply; "his father and I have been practicing on him with a pail of water for the last ten days."

A Word Picture.

Rev. E. Lipkin of Oudshoorn, Cape Colony, has, says The Jewish Chronicle, completed and presented to the King a remarkable portrait in words of King Edward. The lines which make up the drawing contain about 85,000 words, being a history of the late King's life.

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