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GREATEST THINGS IN THE WORLD.

Some Information About the Largest Buildings, Monuments, Canals, etc., etc.

The largest insect known to entomologists is a Central American moth, called the Erebus strix, which expands its wings from 11 to 18 inches.

The largest cask in the world is the Blatner cask of Nuremberg, Germany. It is 105 feet in diameter and 51 feet deep, and its completion a few years three quarters miles. ago was celebrated by a ball, at which over 500 persons were on the floor of

The longest wall in the world is the famous stone defense made by the Chinese against the Tartars about 200 B. C. It is 20 feet high, 27 feet thick at the base, and stretches for 1,280 miles over hills, valleys and rivers.

The greatest bell in the world is in an edifice before the great temple of cumference at the rim is nearly 68 ft. of streets, 20 miles of water troughs, and whose height is 21 feet.

is in Washington, America. It was erected in honor of George Washington. It is 550 feet high, 55 feet square at the base, and contains 18,000 blocks of marble two feet thick. In the instairs, 18 steps each.

one roof and unbroken by pillars, is at St. Petersburg. It is 620 feet phires. The work took 22,000 men 20 long by 150 feet in breadth. By daylong by 150 fe maneuver in it. By night 20,000 wax tapers give it a beautiful appearance. the Rafflesia Arnoldi, of Sumatra. Its peared in Paris. The roof is a single arch of iron.

The largest advertising sign in the world is said to be on the hillside of an islet off the Grand Canary, north- oval and creamy white, growing round west of Africa. It is several hundred a center filled with countless long feet above the level of the sea, and contains the words, "Grand Canary Improvement Company," in letters each 15 feet wide and 30 feet high, each bar of the letters being 3 feet 3 inches broad. The sign is 750 feet long.

The greatest canal in the world is the Suez, opened on November 16, 1869. Its length is 95 miles, its depth is 26 feet, its annual revenue is \$15,000,000, its cost was \$100,000,000. The average time taken to pass through it is 20 hours, less eight minutes. The pire in power, and the Persian Emdepth of the canal is being increased, at a cost of \$40,000,000. The world's passed away. The population of the longest canal is the Imperial Canal of China, with a length of 1,000 miles.

the hand of man is the Great Pyramid | the world. of Cheops, in Egypt, founded 4,000 years ago, and measuring 746 feet square on the base and 449 feet high. It took twenty years in construction; 100,000 men worked for three months, and, being then relieved, were succeeded by an equally large corps. The massive stones were brought from Arabia, 700 miles away. The cost of the work is estimated at \$145,000,000.

The largest map in the world is the Ordnance Survey map of England, containing over 108,000 sheets and costing From the Watchman, Lindsay, Ont. \$1,000,000 a year for 20 years. The scale varies from one tenth of a foot to one tenth of an inch to the mile. The details are so minute that maps held the position of section foreman having a scale of 25 inches show every for the G.T.R., which position he fills hedge, fence, wall, building, and even every isolated tree in the country. The plans show not only the exact shape doing so for many years to come. of every building, but every porch, area, doorstep, lamppost, railway and fire plug.

The hottest region on earth is the southeastern part of Persia, where it has been nominated as councillor, but borders the gulf. For 40 consecutive owing to the position he held with an days in July and August the tempera-ture has been known not to fall lower to withdraw, although much against ture has been known not to fail lower

than 100 degrees, night or day. The largest library in the world is the National Library of Paris, which foreman expose him to all kinds of contains 40 miles of shelves, holding inclement weather, and it takes a man 1,400,000 books. There are also 175,-600 manuscripts, 300,000 maps and charts and 150,000 coins and medals.

The largest sundial in the world is Hayou Horoo, a large promontory ex- rheumatic pains in the right knee tending 3,000 feet above the Aegean and the muscles of the leg. I could Sea. As the sun swings round the not sleep or rest night or day. I could shadow of this mountain it touches one by one a circle of islands, which act I took many remedies, both internal as hour marks.

The deepest hole in the earth is at Schladebach, near Ketschau, Germany. One day while reading the Presbyter-It is 5,735 feet in depth, and is for ian Review I read of a cure through geologic research only. The drilling the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in was begun in 1880, and stopped six expected to recover and this prompted years later because the engineers me to give this medicine a trial. The were unable with their instruments to action in my case did not seem to be go deeper. This hole was expensive, speedy and I was using my fifth box as its cost was \$50,000.

The largest dwelling house in the noted, but by the time I had used eight world is the Freihaus, in a suburb of boxes I was a thoroughly well man. Vienna, Austria, containing in all be- Since that time my general health has tween 1,200 and 1,500 rooms, divided in- of the old trouble. I make this stateto upwards of 400 separate suits. This ment voluntarily, because I think it immense house, wherein a whole city the duty of those cured to put others lives, works, eats and sleeps, has 13 in the possession of the means of obcourtyards-five open and eight cover- taining renewed health and I am sat-

The largest history ever published is all that is claimed for them if given a "The War of the Rebellion," issued by trial. the United States, in 120 huge octavo system as do ordinary medicines, but volumes of 1,000 pages each, with a by enriching the blood and strengthgigantic atlas in 30 parts. The books ening the nerves. They cure rheumaoccupy 30 feet of shelf room, and tism, sciatic, locomotor ataxia, paraweigh one quarter of a ton. The lysis, heart troubles, erysipelas and all series cost \$25,000,000, is limited to 11,- forms of weakness. Ladies will find 000 sets, and has been in course of pub- them an unrivalled medicine for all lication for over 20 years.

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The longest tunnel in the world is into Europe by the Knights Temthat of St. Gothard, on the line of the plars. railroad between Milan and Lucerne, It is nine and a quarter miles in length and cost over \$45,000,000.

The greatest distance that a shot has been fired is a few yards over 15 miles, which was the range of Krupp's wellknown monster 130-ton steel gun, firing a shot which weighed over a ton

The greatest sea depth known to man is in the South Atlantic Ocean, midway between the Island of Tristan de Cuba and the mouth of the Rio de la Plata, the bottom being here reached their eyes to the fact that something

ple every year.

pounds, and is four times greater than represent an investment of over \$10,- wonderful condition of fertility by its the great bell at Moscow, whose cir- 000,000. The yards contain 20 miles aid.—Strochner, in Farm Topics. 50 miles of feeding troughs, and 75 The highest monument in the world miles of water and draining troughs. The yards are capable of receiving and accommodating daily 20,000 cattle, 20,-

000 sheep and 120,000 hogs. The most magnificent tomb in the world is the Taj Mahal, in Aga, Hinterior is an elevator, and 50 flights of dustan. It was erected by Shah Jehan track he imagines that he has discovto the memory of his favorite Queen. The largest room in the world, under It is cctagonal in form, of pure white one roof and unbroken by pillars, is marble, inlaid with jasper, carnelian,

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