

**ONE LEGGED ATHLETES.**

Records Made by Men With Serious Handicap.

Although most of us have seen, or at least heard of, the one legged cricketers—eleven of whom were often wout in the days when the game was not so strictly disciplined as it is at present, to oppose an eleven of one armed players—one legged athletes are by no means common, and a one legged golfer is probably unique. Yet such a phenomenon does exist, in the person of a member of the Bulwell Artisan's club, who, it is said, plays a very sound game. He, in all probability, however, acquired the rudiments of the science when acting as caddie in days previous to the accident that necessitated that amputation of his limb.

That such a handicap as the loss of a leg does not incapacitate a man from excelling as a swimmer, says the London Tit-Bits, has been conclusively proved on more than one occasion. One of the foremost exponents of the natory art at the present day labors under this disadvantage, and many old frequenters of Brill's Baths at Brighton will remember the head swimming master, Camp, who, despite the fact that he had but one leg, was not only an adept at trick swimming, but in the matter of pace could give a start and a beating to many who had the normal number of limbs.

More than once has a one legged cyclist won a race, and not so long since such a one, named West, used, with a liberal start, to hold his own with the speediest professionals. Kilpatrick, too, must be endowed with as much power in his one leg as most men have in their two, if we consider the many daring feats he has accomplished on his cycle, foremost among which are his standing with his machine on the summit of the 100 foot high Laxey Wheel, in the Isle of Man, and his descending at breakneck speed the east steps of the Capitol at Washington.

The annals of foot racing contain more than one record in point. We read how once Newmarket Heath was the scene of a race between two cripples, each having a wooden leg. In the presence of a goodly throng, among whom was the Merry Monarch, they started fair, and hobbled a good pace, which caused great admiration and laughter among the beholders; but the tallest of the two won by two or three yards. Again, over a hundred years later, in 1799, a certain one legged man, named Carter, backed himself to cover six miles within the hour, and performed the feat with six minutes to spare.

Some years since a wrestler named Binet gained much kudos among the habitués of Continental fairs less by his wrestling prowess, although that was not inconsiderable, than by his being handicapped by the loss of a leg. This notwithstanding, he always made a gallant and not infrequent a successful show, his great height, strength and weight standing him in good stead. He excelled, too, in feats of strength, and was specially notable for his skill in casting a heavy blacksmith's hammer. To a trial of skill with this implement he was wont to issue a general challenge and it was but seldom he found his master.

Nothing, one would say, is more calculated to place a boxer at a disadvantage than the loss of a leg. Yet Thomas Kench, a burly 15 stone man, topped 6 feet by some 3 inches, well held his own with the gloves with such as had the temerity to face him in the arena of the booth with which he and other boxers traveled the fairs and race courses in the days when pugilism flourished.

Not only did he take on all comers at mimic warfare, but on one occasion at least he stripped in the ring for serious fray, his opponent being a Leicester butcher, who thought to compensate for his inferiority in pounds and inches by his superior activity. In this, however, he was mistaken, for the long left of the cripple, which he was unable to avoid, put him out of time after seven or eight well fought rounds.

**Instinct or Reason.**  
A Pittsfield man, as a proof that plants reason, offers the following account of a vine on his premises. The vine grows in a box on the window ledge. While watering it recently his daughter noticed a delicate tendrill reaching out towards a nail in the side casing. She marked the position of the tendrill on the wood and then shifted the nail about an inch lower. Next day the little feeder had deflected itself very noticeably, and was again heading for the nail. The marking and shifting were repeated four or five times, always with the same result; and finally one night the tendrill which had grown considerably, managed to reach the coveted support, and was found coiled tightly about it. Meanwhile another bunch of tendrills had been making for a hook that was formerly used for a thermometer. Just before it reached its destination the young lady strung a cord across the window sash above. It was a choice then between the old love and the new; and as some vines seem to prefer a cord to anything else, it was not long in making up its mind. In a very few hours the pale, crisp, little tendrills—which, by the way, conveyed a surpassing suggestion of human fingers—had commenced to lift toward the twine; and the next day they reached it and took a firm grip.

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**History of the Dime.**  
That neat and lovable little coin, the dime, has had a most useful history. As far as we are aware it is unique among the world's coins, having no nearer equivalent than the English sixpence, which is worth two cents more. It is one of the handiest of coins, being about as small as a silver piece can conveniently be. Being less in size and weight than the nickel, which is worth only half as much, it is vastly more convenient to keep and hoard, and that is one reason why it is becoming extraordinarily scarce in spite of the fact that more dimes are now turned out of the mints than ever before in the country's history. There is a rage for "dime banks," and some of these mechanical contrivances are so pretty, so ingenious and so alluring that they force people to save dimes who have no earthly occasion to do so.—New York Mail.

**Plants and Fishes.**  
The aquatic plants of a pond have an important influence upon the fishes in the water. The investigations of R. H. Pearl, the American botanist, prove that most rooted water plants extract mineral food from the ground, and such vegetation as the pondweed (Potamogeton) aids fishes by adding mineral substances to the water. On the other hand, the hornwort (Ceratophyllum) unites a lake for fish life, as it takes its own food from the salts in the water.

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