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MOANS ASCEND FROM WORMS?

Samoa Tradition as to the Origin of Humanity is One of the Most Curious.

As a term of ridicule, human beings have often been called "worms," and in this connection the inhabitants of Samoa have a strange superstition regarding our origin. A very peculiar occurrence takes place in Samoa once a year for a period of 48 hours. Toward the end of October, a dense mass of sea worms appears on the surface of the water surrounding Samoa.

BOOKS ONE'S BEST FRIENDS

Assertion Made That in the Imagination of Great Writers Complete Happiness is Found.

When once the love of books has come into a man's life he can never be lonely, he can never be bored, he can never lose his interest in life, he can never be quite unhappy.

If I were to set down the names of the 20 friends who mean most to me, I should find that more than one-half of them lived in the novels of Dickens and Thackeray, Dumas and Daudet, Wells and Hardy and Meredith.

The happy life is not spent altogether in the world of streets and shops and offices. A large part of it must be lived in the world of imagination. And living with the imagination, great writers we, too, learn to dream, and the happiest homes that we build for ourselves. They are, indeed, the only homes, the foundations of which are unshakable rocks.—Sidney Dark, in John O'London's Weekly.

Iron and Steel Work in India.

India has already laid the basis of a steel industry in the establishment of two important and successful iron and steel works; namely, the Bengal Iron and Steel works at Durgam, which turns out 100,000 tons of pig iron per month, and the Tata Iron and Steel works at Sakchi, which has a monthly production of about 20,000 tons.

East Holds Rubber Supremacy.

Until ten years ago rubber meant rubber from Brazil. Today Brazil's supremacy is gone. In less than a decade the far east has jumped to the front and now is producing nine-tenths of the rubber of the world. In the late sixties, just when the first experiments with the automobile were under way, an Englishman, H. A. Wickham, conceived the idea that rubber plants could be grown on plantations.

It Sure Helped.

Eight-year-old Raymond came from a small village to visit in Indianapolis the other day. In the village there was no water works and Raymond watered the flowers with a sprinkling can. Neither did they have a bathroom at home. And he eyed it and the shower it contained with wonder.

Finally he made his comments to his uncle, who was very tall.

"No wonder you all grow so big here in Indianapolis," he said. "Why, you have that big sprinkling can in the bathroom so that you can water yourself all the time."

Potatoes Used as Currency.

Potatoes are now used as the standard currency in certain remote agricultural districts of Poland, since the value of the potato fluctuates less than that of paper money. In the district around Grodno, for instance, the American Red Cross reports, all the local help employed in warehousing or in the activities of the Red Cross is remunerated in a weekly wage of potatoes.

HAD FUN WITH CONDUCTOR

Fat Man Proved to Him That There Were Others With a Keen Sense of Humor.

On an outboard trip the other afternoon the "whistling motorman" of the east Washington line had lulled his passengers into a pleasant semi-consciousness with the drowsy monotony of his Siberian waltz. He trilled a pretty flourish, died gently into silence and glanced back at his sour-faced compatriot on the rear platform.

"Ornamental! Ornamental!" sang the conductor. The passengers awoke with a start, craned their necks for bearings and then giggled in unison as the car stopped at Oriental street to allow a nicely-dressed and indignant young man to alight. Immediately a fluffy young thing rang for a stop at Arsenal avenue.

"Arsenic! Arsenic!" sang the conductor. And again the passengers tittered. The motorman here cut in with a lively strain from "Lohengrin" that held all engaged until a sweltering fat man in the front of the car called back to the rear:

"Say, conductor, will you let me off at Whetstone?"

"Whetstone? Whetstone?" was the puzzled response. "There is no street by that name on this line."

"Well, they told me it was near Arsenic," and the fat man rang for a stop.

The conductor glanced out of the window and growled:

"Keystone avenue! Keystone avenue!"

And again the passengers tittered as the fat man climbed from the car.—Indianapolis News.

OLD STORY TO THE INDIAN

First to Practice Art of Camouflage in Warfare, is Contentment of Chief Strongheart.

Camouflage is as old as the storm god of Indian folk lore, according to Chief Strongheart, of the Yakima Indian reservation, who says his men are the real inventors of it, discovering its advantages in their earliest conflicts. When a battle was to take place in the forests in the summer months the warriors would paint their bodies green with a dash of other colors or produce the exact blend with surroundings. They even sketched birds and small animals on their bodies to make the effect more realistic.

In a survey of the Swiss trade in watches for last year, Trade Commissioner H. Lawrence Graves at Zurich points out that more and more the exports of these articles to the United States are being confined to finished watch movements without the case. The value of finished movements, without cases and of watches complete with cases of gold, silver and nonprecious metals, including chronographs and all watches of fancy design, amounted to \$11,211,051.

Swiss Watch Industry.

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Indian Social Festivities.

The Indians of Northwest and central British Columbia are now in the throes of the height of the social season. The potlatch scarcely ends before another starts. The Indians gathered at Morristown a short time ago in large numbers and gave away to each other all their personal belongings. No one suffered, as each had a suit of clothes to give and take. Now, the potlatch at Hazeliget, in the Hazelton district, is on. The Indians have foregathered again. Another gathering will be held later in the north. Considerable business is done at these functions by the white traders. They meet the trapper Indians and buy the spring fur catches.

Scientific Advance.

Prohibition has developed an apparatus known as the ebullioscope, which shows accurately the boiling point of liquids and which brewers find useful for making off-hand determinations of the alcoholic strength of the brew while the product is still in the plant. Another instrument known as the cryoscope, which works on exactly the opposite principle, showing the varying densities of liquids at the freezing point, is used for ascertaining the quality of milk.

The Particular One.

"Ma, tell me, if Cornelia called her children her jewels, and when she shipped one of her boys, he burst into tears."

Washingtonville

Preaching at the Lutheran church next Sunday morning and evening. Aim to attend these services.

A. L. Taylor of Greenford was among friends here Sunday. Mr. Belling and daughter, Louise, of Leetonia spent Friday here with her daughter, Mrs. Harry and Peter Fawcett.

A large number of friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker at their home last Thursday evening giving them a miscellaneous shower. They received many pretty and useful gifts. The evening was delightfully spent. Games, music and dancing were lively indulged in. Mrs. Harvey Baker served the guests with a delicious luncheon which was much enjoyed. All report a good time and left wishing the young couple many years of happiness.

Miss Helen Wikart was a caller Tuesday in the home of Misses Samantha and Mattie Roller.

Mrs. Jerry Kendig and Miss Nesta Kendig were callers in town Tuesday.

Miss Birdella Stouffer spent Sunday in Greenford at the home of Mrs. Mary Pettit.

Miss Florence Culler returned to her duties at the South Side Hospital, Pittsburgh, after a month's stay at the home of her mother.

Mrs. Mary Johnson visited her son, George, and family in Leetonia the past week.

Roy Davis and family of Harpersville were over Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis.

Lee Bowker, Jr., S. J. Davis, George Semmerville and Donald Jackson are among the sick.

A little daughter to be named Ethel Marie was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell last week.

A surprise party in honor of Miss Lizzie Lewis and Mrs. George King's birthday was held at the home of the latter last Saturday evening. The evening was sojourned in the best of old-fashioned way, dancing and music being leading features. The hostesses dispersed a dainty luncheon. Their friend left for their homes at a late hour wishing them many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Chester Stamp and daughter, Mrs. Lorne Frederick, of Salem were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bossert.

Rev. H. A. Richardson left Wednesday to attend East Ohio Synod held at Wooster.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Atkinson visited relatives in Lorain last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chappel and daughter, Dorothy and Miss Ethel Boyd of Salem were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Weikart.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carnes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook in the town spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hawn and daughter of Sebring were Sunday guests of Mrs. Amanda Bilger.

Mrs. Margaret Hileman of Leetonia, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cappell and daughter, Ruth, of Salem were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weikart.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weikart, Mrs. Lydia Boston, Mrs. Charity Roller and son, Eugene, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weikart in East Liverpool.

Mrs. Fred Krummacker left Saturday for Chicago to join her husband who is employed there.

Last Saturday evening was pleasantly spent in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Moore, where she entertained guests at dinner in honor of the wedding anniversary and Mr. Moore's birthday. Music was a pleasing feature.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Delwater were Canton visitors this week.

Miss Lizzie Tate of Lisbon is spending several weeks here with her sister, Mr. James Needham.

Donald Thorne of Columbus is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jack Fieldhouse.

John Wilkinson is still improving and hopes to be able to return home soon.

Fred Barton's condition remains unchanged at the Salem Hospital. His brother, Thomas, from the west came to visit him and other relatives.

Potato diggers report the crop good so prospects are we won't need to use potatoes for desert this winter.

F. G. Davis is building a garage on his premises.

The Comedy Entertainers will present a bill of high-class Vaudeville at the Town Hall, Washingtonville, O., two nights—Tuesday and Wednesday evening, Oct. 12th and 13th. Admission prices, Children 20c. Adults, 40c. Don't fail to see this big Fun Show! Programme starts at 8:30 p. m.—Adv.

BERLIN CENTER

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wildort and Miss Grace Devon spent Sunday at Tod Barringer's.

Jerome Hyatt and family of New Springfield were callers at Harry Kale's Sunday afternoon.

GREENFORD

Oct. 6.—I. W. Weikart took a short vacation last week while Warren Weikart filled his place at the City meat market in Salem.

Mrs. W. E. Slagle and son of Youngstown spent Saturday night with Mrs. A. W. Bush and family.

Mrs. Roy Bush and Miss Lydia Rhodes spent Monday in Salem, guests of Mrs. Lower.

Miss Birdella Stuffer of Washingtonville spent Sunday with O. S. Walter and sisters.

Mrs. Sarah Fell and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tompson and daughter of Orangeville were Sunday guests of W. I. Hahn.

Isaiah Dushman purchased a new piano.

Mrs. C. F. Bush purchased a new player piano Saturday, a present for their fourth wedding anniversary.

Laurence and Mrs. Lydia Salsgiver of Youngstown were Greenford visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rhodes stood sponsor for their little son, Eugene C., at Sunday morning services while Rev. P. A. Hartman administered the sacred rites of baptism.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lamb and daughter, Phillips, returned home Saturday night after four weeks' visit with their parents in Youngstown.

Miss Louise Loch resigned her position here and left Sunday evening for her home in Columbus, to accept a place at Groveton near her home.

Miss Ollie Shesmenen spent Sunday with Lenore Tall in Youngstown.

Miss Helen Moore spent Sunday at her home in Steubenville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and niece of Akron spent Sunday at Wm. Smith's and L. R. Calvin's.

Guest entertained by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lang Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reichstadt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crumbaker, Mrs. Bob Sparrowhawk and daughter, Dorothy and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lang and son, Robert.

R. I. Hendricks purchased a piano last Monday.

Wm. Barnes and Myron Griffith attended Mrs. Palestine fair last week Wednesday.

James Rhodes of Youngstown and lady friend of Cleveland spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ripley, two school friends of Dover, Ohio, entertained themselves with fried chickens Saturday night at the home of Wm. Rose.

Mrs. Frank Clay is able to be around again after an all summer's illness of a complication of diseases.

Ralph Calvin bought a young horse of the family, Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bush and Miss Louise spent Sunday at Frank Charlton's near Calla.

Mrs. Wm. Barnes and Mrs. C. F. Bush were in Youngstown Thursday.

Royal Clay and family were in Canfield last Sunday.

The Comedy Entertainers will present a bill of high-class Vaudeville at the Grange Hall, Greenford, one night only, Thursday evening, Oct. 14th. Admission prices: adults, 40c, children, 20c. The comedians in this company have a reputation for making you laugh every two seconds.—nuf said.—Adv.

PATMOS

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stall-smith's home, north of Patmos, was the scene of a social gathering last Saturday evening. It was in the form of a miscellaneous shower, given in honor of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Stairright, and several pieces of granite were laid.

At a late hour the guests dispersed, wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous life.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Kegg and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Martin and little daughter, Virginia, will motor to Coschocton Thursday to attend the fair being held this week. They intend visiting a few days with relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Miss Ruth Martin has returned home after spending some time with relatives and friends in Akron and Alliance.

James Campbell has purchased a Ford runabout which he declares can't be beat. We trust he is not joshing us.

TURNER STREET

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Adam Brobst visited Sunday at Fred Klimes in Roseman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brooke ate their Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Will Shaffer in Youngstown.

C. T. Brooke and T. J. Brick filled their silos the past week.

John Brown called on Mr. Rowe of Smith's Corners Sunday afternoon.

Elmer Brobst helped the Fusselman Brothers fill one of their silos Monday.

Mrs. John Brown helped Mrs. Brooke Wednesday and Friday when they filled their silo.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bailey and daughter, Emma, son Orson, and Clyde Brobst spent Monday evening at Adam Brobst's.

Nora and Thomas Kennedy and Maxine Brobst attended a corn roast and balling at Ray Fusselman's last Wednesday evening.

Come to the Turner street school fair Wednesday evening, Oct. 13, and have a good time.

What did we do with all our money before the automobile days?

ISLAND

Oct. 6.—Phares, Merle, Emma, Iva and Nettie Wilmer were Sunday guests of Adam Wenger and family.

John Setrow of Leetonia was a Sunday dinner guest of David Klingensmith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Metzler of Columbiana are spending some time at Battle Creek, Mich., for the benefit of Mrs. Metzler's health.

Mrs. John Detrow and daughter, Verda of Leetonia and Ella Burkholder spent Sunday at Alvin Detrow's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Witmer were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Nicolas Stempfl.

John Lehman and family spent Sunday at Jonas Knopp's.

Norman Lehman was in Canton Monday.

Enos, Ezra and Ida Witmer, Amos Snyder and Misses Ida Weaver and Mollie Lehman visited at J. F. Lehman's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Brubaker and son and daughter Ada of Wadsworth were over Sunday guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman, son Norman, and daughter, Edith, spent Sunday evening with H. L. Burns and family in North Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zeigler and son, Ralph, left Tuesday afternoon to motor to South Dakota, where they expect to spend several months.

John J. Martin and family of Columbiana and Mrs. Harry Culp called at S. R. Martin's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cullar spent Sunday at Woodville, Ohio.

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Miss Mary Rhodes, who was employed by Mrs. D. C. Witmer during the summer, is now assisting her father in his sugar cane mill.

Clarence and Ernest Rohrer of Columbiana spent Sunday with their brother, Ardia Rohrer.

The annual school fair will be held Monday evening, Oct. 11. Everyone invited to attend.

SHILLINGS MILL

Oct. 6.—Friends were grieved to hear of the death of Milton Weisner at her home in Milton last Friday. Funeral services were Sunday at 1 P. M. at the church. Burial in the church cemetery.

Ray Kime called on Mary Ann Brobst one day last week.

Miss Alma Wilson of Warren was an over Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burkey and daughter, Beulah, and Mr. and Mrs. Jolly attended the funeral of Mrs. Edna Burkey in Milton Saturday.

Misses Alma and Grace Wilson called on Mrs. George Hillis Saturday evening.

Bryan Myers was in Alliance the latter part of last week.

Will Jolly has painted his house which improves the looks of it very much.

Roy Hillis, Jessie Blackburn, Jay Kling of Canton visited George Hillis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith visited Clark Cline and family Sunday.

John Wilson has purchased a new touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burkey and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jolly attended the funeral of Mrs. James Weisner in Milton, Sunday.

SHRADER'S CORNERS

Oct. 6.—Elmer Klingeman visited his father, Levi Klingeman, in Newton Falls, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Shrader spent Friday in Newton Falls.

Death claimed two of our women last week. Mrs. Edward Burkey passed away Wednesday night and was buried in the Eckis cemetery Saturday morning.

Mrs. James Weisner died Thursday afternoon and was buried in the North Berlin cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Renkenbarger's sale last week was well attended. Everything brought fair prices.

Farmers who have silos are getting them filled without frost this year.

Mrs. Parshall and daughter, Edith, visited in Niles last week.

Walter Swank of Niles visited friends here Sunday.

Waldo Wm. Stieba was operating his ensilage cutter, the horses moved and caught one hand, cutting off a finger.

Howard Klingeman and his father visited at Seneca Rose's one day last week.

Miss Rutheda Orr, who is employed in Youngstown, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother Mrs. Helen Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Snook and Alice Gordon motored to North Benton and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Armon Hartzell.

Bad health shuns a man who is a good friend of hard work, good food and pure air.

At any rate the gas of the father are no longer visited on the children.

NORTH LIMA

Oct. 6.—Mrs. Sophia Wisler, wife of Nicodemus Wisler of Woodworth Stop, died last Saturday afternoon, aged 76 years.

Mrs. Wisler had been in failing health for several years and death was not unexpected. She was a daughter of John Coler and wife and was born and reared in Beaver township where she leaves many sorrowing friends who loved and respected her.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Frank Shenefelt, two grandchildren and several great grandchildren. The funeral was held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from Mount Olivet Reformed church in this place of which congregation the deceased had long been a faithful member.

Her pastor, Rev. L. J. Rohrbach, officiating. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

High school students are selling tickets for the season's Lyceum course which will open this week with the Demarco Aitstrup Musical Company Thursday evening.

Sunday, Oct. 10, will be observed as rally day in Mount Olivet Reformed Sunday school and a special invitation is extended to the community to be present. The Evangelical school will observe the day, Sunday, Oct. 17. The Evangelicals will have a Mission rally Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. E. Hill, when every member of the missionary society is urged to be present.

Mrs. John Crouse will be hostess to the Reformed Missionary Society Wednesday, Oct. 13.

Floyd Wilt and family will occupy the Brooke home at this place. The house thus vacated will be occupied by Charles Liston and family. Ephraim Miner will move into the home vacated by the Listons.

Mr. Miner recently sold his farm to Ervin Martin and purchased the town property.

The farm of Will Zeigler near Pine Lake has been sold to a Youngstown man. Mr. Zeigler has not decided where he will locate.

Emanuel Muntz and wife of Alliance were in the village Sunday calling on relatives.

Misses Lena and Lizzie Staley and F. E. Harter and family of Columbiana were Sunday callers at Mrs. Sarah Bruce's.

Earl Snyder and family of West Austintown were guests Sunday of Mrs. A. H. Wolfgang.

A school fair was held Friday evening in the Pine Hill school house. It was well attended. A fine program was rendered.

North Lima is to have a state farmers' institute some time next February.

North Lima grange meets this evening.

Frank Crumbacher and family of East Lewistown have rented a part of F. B. Clinker's house and will move here soon.

J. C. Adzell, former ticket agent at the depot, called on old friends here last week.

BOARDMAN

Oct. 6.—Culver and Ryan are unloading a car of coal for their greenhouse. R. E. Frederick unloaded a car of fertilizer Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Altoedier of Lisbon called at C. M. L. Altoedier's over Sunday.

Mrs. Catherine Boyer and daughter, Mabel, Canfield, called at H. C. Heinzelman's Sunday afternoon.

O. R. Phillips and family of Warren called on Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aubrey Sunday afternoon and remained for church in the evening.

Grandmother Detchen is not as well as she was.

Kenneth Heinzelman broke his right arm while cranking his car Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Phillips of Warren were Boardman visitors Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Chambers of N. Lima visited with W. A. Chambers and family Sunday.

Prof. Miller and Rev. Shenefelt were dinner guests in the home of Frank Agnew Sunday