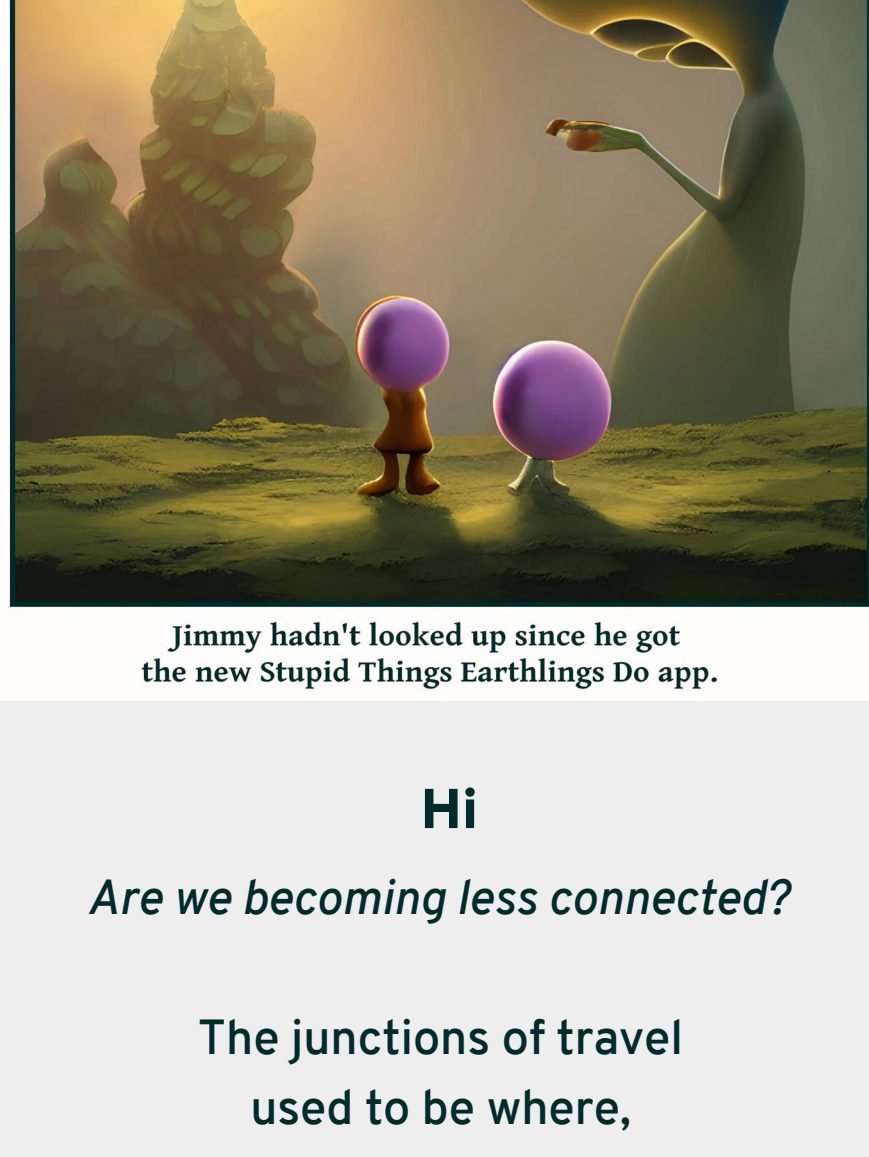


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The Alien Life



Jimmy hadn't looked up since he got the new Stupid Things Earthlings Do app.

Hi

Are we becoming less connected?

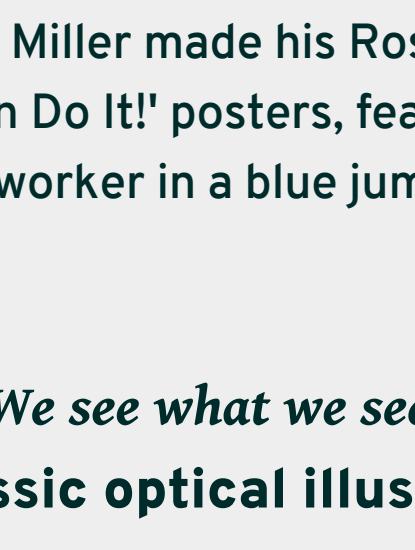
The junctions of travel
used to be where,
in time and space,
we gathered
to see ourselves, together,
off to some adventure.
Or, at the very least,
to somewhere other.

An airport,
a train station,
a port, we met,
unusually united
in our various quests,
in our daring to move.

We made or avoided contact,
we watched and laughed,
and wondered at
the massing weirdness of it all,
together, now become
a sea of people
staring at our hands.

Who picks the images?

Images that changed the way we see women (for better and for worse)



" In 1942, a photographer snapped 20-year-old war worker Naomi Parker Fraley leaning over an industrial machine at the Naval Air Station in Alameda, California. The image was published in the local press and the following year graphic artist J Howard Miller made his Rosie the Riveter "We Can Do It!" posters, featuring a flexing female factory worker in a blue jumpsuit and red headscarf. "

We see what we see

Classic optical illusions

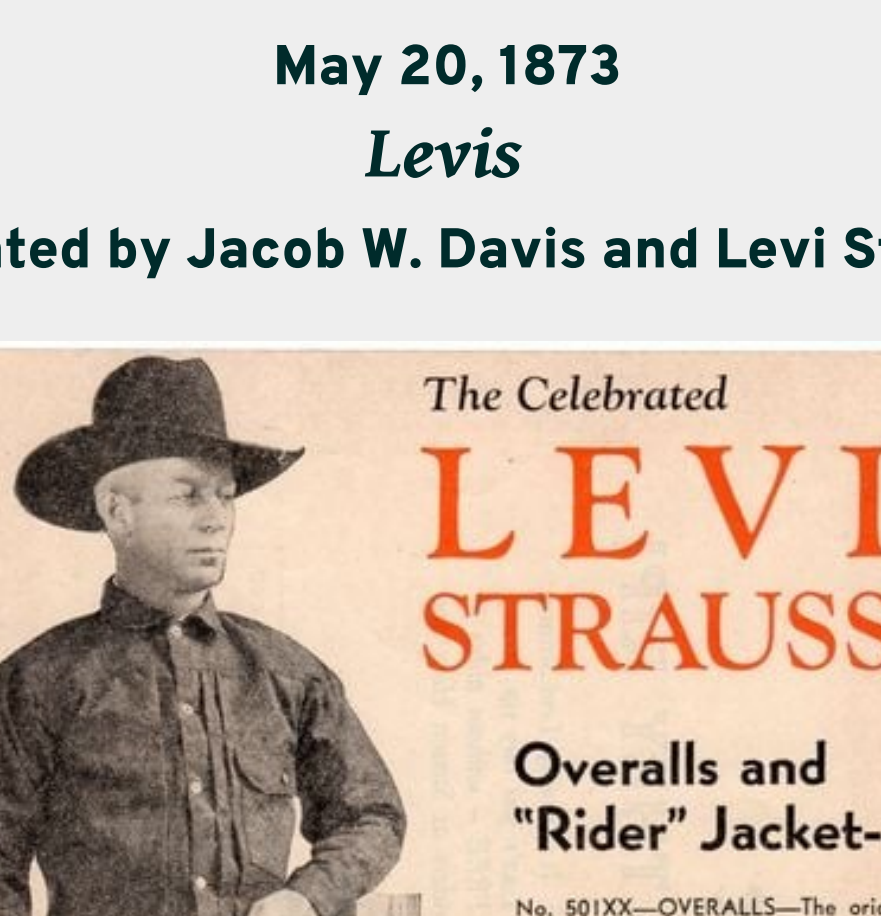


" While both the artist's wife and mother-in-law are visible in this drawing, our eyes can only perceive one at a time.

This illusion, known as the Boring Figure, gets its name from Edwin Boring, who wrote a paper about the drawing in 1930. "

It could matter

First Aid Basics: Essential Skills Everyone Should Know



" Before approaching someone, who needs help:

- Check for potential dangers such as fire, smoke, traffic, electricity, or violence. -If the scene is unsafe, do not enter it and call for help instead.
- If the location is safe, approach the person and check if they are conscious and breathing. If they are not, contact emergency services immediately and start CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation). CPR has been explained later in this article.
- If they are aware, ask them what happened and if they have any pain or medical conditions.
- Until assistance arrives, try to make them feel comfortable. "

May 20, 1873

Levis

Patented by Jacob W. Davis and Levi Strauss

Wiki Rabbit Hole

" The term jeans appears first in 1795, when a Swiss banker by the name Jean-Gabriel Eynard and his brother Jacques went to Genoa and both were soon heading a flourishing commercial concern. In 1800 Massena's troops entered the town and Jean-Gabriel was entrusted with their supply. In particular he furnished them with uniforms cut from blue cloth called 'bleu de Genes' whence later derives the famous garment known worldwide as 'blue jeans'. "

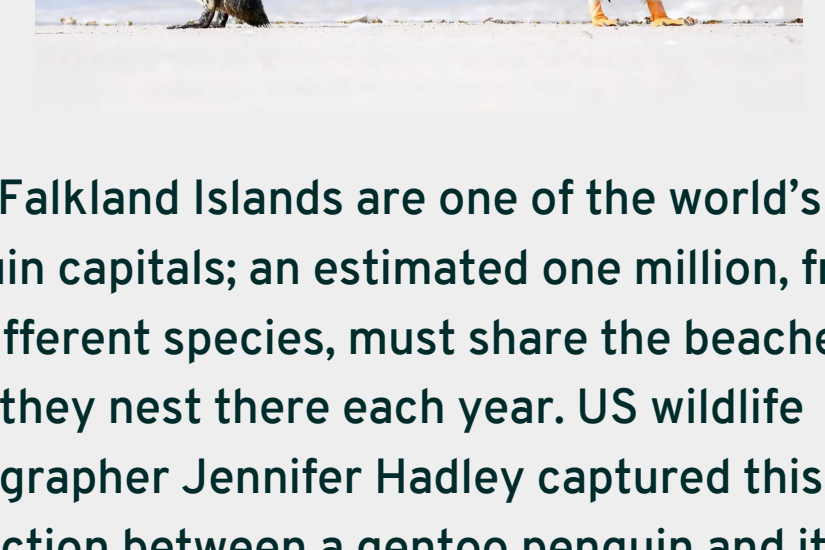
No time for children

What you need to know about Child Labour



" About 218 million children aged 5-17 around the world are engaged in child labour; working in jobs that deprive them of their childhood, interfere with schooling, or harm their mental, physical, or social development. Nearly - 152 million - work under hazardous conditions. "

There are no pacifists in mosquito season Reasons You're a Mosquito Magnet



" Do you know someone who always seems to get bitten by mosquitoes? Research shows that some people really are "mosquito magnets."

No one wants to attract a mosquito's attention. Mosquito bites aren't just irritating – they can get infected and cause more serious symptoms. And mosquitoes can pass illnesses, like West Nile virus, dengue fever, or malaria to humans through bites. "

Does a dog laugh?

True stories behind the funniest animal photos



" The Falkland Islands are one of the world's penguin capitals; an estimated one million, from five different species, must share the beaches when they nest there each year. US wildlife photographer Jennifer Hadley captured this lively interaction between a gentoo penguin and its magellanic neighbour. ' In this particular instance,' Hadley has said, 'the penguins had been swimming, and as they stumbled on to land, the one on the right shook himself off and gave his mate 'the fin'. ' "

"We always deceive ourselves twice about the people we love – first to their advantage, then to their disadvantage."

Albert Camus

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you understand

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