

Till Traveling Days are Done.

We all know by reputation, or perhaps if we are fortunate enough, by personal experience, what a trip to the Homeland is like. No two accounts seem the same, depending as they do almost entirely on the weather, our fellow passengers and the comfort of the boat we have taken passage in.

him pumping the right hand of my friend the priest, heard him tell that gentleman to come inside presently, and saw him make what it is not, I trust, improper to designate as a running jump at the six black bishops over in the far corner.

FASHION IN READING.

How the English Woman Makes Up Arrears.

Great boxes of books are going up to Scotland and the shooting moors now, addressed to the chateaux of historic houses. They are not intended to augment the resources of the library or to amuse guests of literary proclivities upon days of storm and rain, but are destined for the particular pursuit of the hostess herself in her own laund.

The very exacting duties of the London season make the pleasure of keeping up their pursuit of literary an impossibility to many women. It may be practicable to dip into the latest novel when it makes its appearance during the few leisure moments that are sandwiched between a busy London hostess's day, but to devote any time to serious reading is quite impossible.

This recourse is the established custom of one very exalted personage who is devoted to literature and whose sympathies are so wide that no good novel ever escapes her perusal. It is her custom to keep in a little book throughout the earlier months of the year a carefully compiled list of novels, works of travel, memoirs, autobiographies and so forth that she desires to read, and these her bookshelves forwards to her in her highland home for her selection during the autumn.



Football and Prize Fighting.

The thing which is radically wrong with football is that it appeals to men and women who would not be seen at a prize fight, an opportunity to gratify their instincts for brutality and for the most spirit and surroundings that are socially correct.

IRON VS. STEEL.

Engineers Divided as to Which Should Be Used. One of the most animated meetings of the recent Washington meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers was whether iron should not be substituted for steel in modern construction work and manufactures.

THOUGHTS HERE AND THERE.

To be a book-worm is not the same thing as to be a book-lover. The difference is that between a gourmand and a gourmet.—London Standard. It is only when death throws its shadow over the page of life that we realize the full significance of what we are reading.—Richard le Gallienne.

NOW HE HAS A GOOD STRONG BACK.

What Dodd's Kidney Pills did for H. M. Spears.

Thought he Would have to Stop Work but the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy Made him Strong and Active.

Antigonish, N. S., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Mr. H. M. Spears, a well-known farmer living near here, is shouting the praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills. "When I came to Nova Scotia about six years ago," says Mr. Spears, "I was so troubled with backache I began to think I could not attend to business. However, I got a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and was able to attend to work."

SHOTS RATS FOR A LIVING.

Two Baltimore Hotels Among the Catcher's Patrons. There is a rat catcher who visits Baltimore periodically to rid hotels, among other places, of the rodent pests. Among the hotels he has two regular customers, says the News, of that city, and his advent is always the signal for the pleasure of the chase in a small way.

Dear Mother

Your little ones are a constant care in Fall and Winter weather. They will catch cold. Do you know about Shiloh's Kidney Pills? It is said to be the only reliable remedy for all diseases of the air passages in children.

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will do its work in thirty to sixty minutes. Your clothes will be cleaner and whiter than if washed in the old-fashioned way with boiler and hard rubbing. Equally good with hard or soft water.

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CENTRAL TELEGRAPH SCHOOL, 3 Gerrard, east, Toronto; under Frigate-ship of T. J. Johnson; eighteen years' experience; gives thorough training for railway operating; catalogue free; write.

FOR BINE, HEMLOCK AND HARDWOOD lumber or timber, telegraph poles, ties, posts, dressed lumber, interior finish, etc., write John Harrison & Sons, Limited, head office, saw and planing mills, Owen Sound, Ont.

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PERSONAL.

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Bad Milk's Widespread Ills.

A recent note published in the Journal of the American Medical Association is interesting for the illumination it gives of the danger to which communities are exposed in many ways through contamination of food products, and of milk in particular. An account is given of the outbreak of septic sore throat, involving from 500 to 600 persons, the cause of which was traced to the milk of a cow affected with mastitis, an inflammation of the mammary glands.

COULDN'T EMULATE ITS VALUE!

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart never fails. It relieves in 30 minutes, it cures in a few hours, it leads you back to health. W. H. Muselman, of G. A. R. Westport, Pa., says: "Two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart entirely cured me of palpitation and smothering spells. Its value cannot be estimated."—129

Lack of Skilled Labor.

A curious phase of the present activity in all branches of industrial enterprise is the scarcity of skilled labor, and the resulting shifts to which manufacturers are sometimes put to retain the services of their employees and to obtain the additional help needed. Some large industrial centres are actually bidding against each other and shops are losing men to neighboring establishments which are willing to offer more attractive terms. Hence the workers are reaping the benefits of the healthy state of the labor market.

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Babies of Massachusetts.

Dr. Austin Peters, chief of the Massachusetts State Board of Health, is quoted as saying that rabies is epidemic among the dogs of the State to an extent not known since he became connected with the bureau, nearly ten years ago. He has received within the last two months of twenty-nine cases of hydrophobia—twenty-five dogs, one cow, two calves and a pig. These cases appear to be confined to the eastern part of the State.

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The Big Fellows Have No Monopoly. Sometimes a merchant whose rivals convinced him that publicity pays hesitates to advertise because he believes that the public reads only the big "ads," which are beyond his means. It is a mistake to suppose that consumers cannot be duly impressed without hitting them with a half page club. The skeptical may resolve their doubts by considering what effect would be produced by the publication of two lines reflecting on their business methods. If two lines of condemnation would hurt them, why should not two lines of commendation help them? Sewage in Berlin and Paris. Neither Berlin nor Paris, both of which have populations which are only exceeded by one or two cities in the United States, discharge any untreated sewage into neighboring streams. On the other hand there is no city of equal size in this country that makes an effort to dispose of its sewage in a manner indicated by modern hygienic and sanitary teachings. At Paris the sewage farms are under private ownership, taking sewage by agreement, while in Berlin these farms are owned by the city and the income therefrom exceeds the cost of their operation, and has done so for several years.

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Steps to Heaven. Mount Omi, on the border between western China and Tibet, has the longest staircase in the world. On top of the mountain there stands a Buddhist temple, around which gather some of the holiest traditions of that religion, and which is made a Mecca to the Chinese. To facilitate the ascent of its slippery sides some twenty thousand steps have been cut in the mountain, forming a single flight, up which the pilgrim toils. Because of its inaccessibility few Europeans have ever visited the spot, but a number of travellers have ascended the stairway, and are positive that it is no legendary myth. There is a legend that in earlier times the pilgrim was forced to ascend the mountain without artificial aids, until the monks conceived the plan of requiring every pilgrim who would gain especial benefit of his journey to cut a single step. "Spiral" Railroad in Africa. In the construction of the Amahle-Butterworth Railway, in Cape Colony, unusual difficulties had to be surmounted, and the result is, from an engineering point of view, one of the most remarkable railways in existence. After passing through the K. K. hills the line winds round another hill, and then, at a lower level, goes under its own track. This portion of the railway is known as the "spiral." At another point the line travels along the bank of a river for two miles and then doubles back for a mile and a half, so that, after covering only half a mile to the good, the train is really three and a half miles to the goal. This section is called the "zigzag," and with the spiral, it is unique in South Africa. All along the K. K. the route is through cuttings or on embankments. Some idea of its extraordinary character may be formed from the statement that in eighteen miles the line falls, or rises, to the extent of 1,500 feet. Leaving the Paupers Behind. (New York Press.) The Salvation Army has done so much work unquestionable beneficence that we might hesitate to criticize unfavorably any of its plans for abating the evils of poverty, vice and crime. But, if we understand it aright, certainly seems to be of doubtful and worse than doubtful discretion. Briefly stated, the plan is to regard England as overpopulated and therefore to promote wholesale emigration of the intelligent, healthy, industrious and efficient elements of the population leaving the ignorant, sick and helpless human derelicts behind. Now, of course, if this is to be any great emigration, those lands to which it is directed would prefer to have it of the character proposed. But what would be the effect upon England of thus taking away the brain and brawn of the people?

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