

TEN YEARS' WILD SPORTS IN FOREIGN LANDS ; OR, TRAVELS IN THE EIGHTIES.

SPORT AND TRAVEL IN NORWAY.

Salmon Fishing at Baeverdal—Sea-fishing—Red Deer still-hunting on the Island of Hitteren—A lucky Stag—Another Misadventure—Mosquitoes—Trout Fishing on the Flats—How we sent Venison home—Small-game Shooting—Securing a Hind under Difficulties—Deer on the Island of Tusteren—An Adventure in Trondhjem.

ON arrival at Christiansund we exchanged ourselves and belongings from the good ship *Tasso* into a steam-launch called *Lincoln*, which we had hired for 18 kr. to take us to a river called the Baeverdal, which was reached late in the evening after a few hours' steaming, on the 25th of July. I had just left Sandhurst and expected to be "gazetted" in October and receive Her Majesty's Commission in a line battalion. Besides hoping to catch a good many salmon we had also undertaken, on behalf of a friend, to endeavour to settle a long-standing dispute between him and some of the native proprietors of the river over an old fishing contract. The fir-clad mountains were mirrored in the still waters of the little fiord, which became gradually more contracted as we proceeded. After we had continued blowing our whistle for some time we at length succeeded in attracting attention, and a Norwegian put off from shore in a diminutive boat