

## Miscellaneous.

A French explorer recently found an Assyrian loaf of bread supposed to have been baked 560 B. C.

London is twelve miles broad one way and seventeen the other. And every year sees about twenty miles of new streets added to it.

The vast region called Western Siberia forms less than one-fifth of all Siberia, but contains two-thirds of the population, numbering nearly 3,000,000 souls.

MR. W. A. REID, Jefferson Street, Schenectady, N. Y., 22nd July, '94, writes:

"I consider Acetocura to be very beneficial for La Grippe, Malaria and Rheumatism, as well as Neuralgia, and many other complaints to which flesh is heir, but these are very common here."

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A Roman mile stone was recently found near Carlisle, on the old Roman road leading to York, on which is cut the name of Carausius, the commander of the Channel fleet, who, in Diocletian's time, proclaimed himself Emperor in Britain and held out for eight years against both Romans and Picts. This is the first inscription of Carausius ever found, though his coins are not uncommon.

Thirty-three fatalities have been reported for the last season in the Alps, which is less than the average. Four persons met their deaths by avalanches or falling stones, six by exposure to the weather, fourteen missed their footing and fell down precipices, three were killed by lightning, one fell into a glacier fissure, one was lost while seeking edelweiss, and four cases are unexplained.

REV. P. C. HEADLEY, 697 Huntington Avenue, Boston, U.S.A., April 2nd, 1894, writes:

"I have found the Acid treatment all it claims to be as a remedy for disease.

"While it does all that is stated in the descriptive and prescriptive pamphlet, I found it of great value for bracing effect, one part of the acid to ten of water applied with a flesh brush, and towels after it; also an excellent internal regulator with five or six drops in a tumbler of water. I should be unwilling to be without so reliable and safe a remedy.

"I wonder that no mention is made in the pamphlet of the sure cure the Acid is for corns (applied once or twice a day), so many are afflicted with them. It was death to mine."

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THE GIRL OF TO-DAY.

Delightful maid!  
Bright eyed, red-lipped,  
Lissome and fair;  
What is the chiefest charm  
That beguiles one  
When you are near?

Girl with galore  
Of the new woman's wiles,  
Is it simply propinquity  
To real catholicity  
In the feminine mind?  
The fascination  
Of woman's beauty,  
Well-groomed, full of life,  
In raiment dainty?  
Spell or enchantment  
Of radiant vivacity?

Glorious girlish grace,  
The joyful gaiety  
Of a pure, happy heart?  
Or is it only  
The siren's song,  
The coquette's wrong  
Use of God's gifts to your sex?  
No! perish the thought!  
'Tis not any of these.

Let me believe  
It's your womanly way,  
Subtle, sweet, lovely,  
Outwitting a fay  
In the worldly-wise witchery  
Of a daughter of Eve.

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The assistant director of Kew Gardens, lecturing at the London Institute on some curiosities of tropical plant life, said that among these were the pearls found occasionally in the cocoanut palm of the Philippine Islands, pearls which, like those of the ocean, are composed of carbonate of lime. The bamboo, too, yields another precious product in the shape of true opals, which are found in its joints. In each case this mineral matter is, of course, obtained from the soil. The natives of the Celebes use these vegetable opals as amulets and charms against disease.