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THE ALPS FROM HOHENTWIEL.

For our ride through the Black Forest we secured an entire railway carriage for our party. This gave us ample room to change from side to side of the car, as the finest scenery was now on the right, then on the left hand. It enabled us also to make the ride all the way to Strassburg without change, whereas all others had to change cars en route. The Swiss cars are a happy compromise between the English and American systems. They have separate compartments, but have also a passage through the car, so that all the compartments can, in effect, be thrown into one if desired. I was fortified with a formidable document, securing the undisturbed possession of the whole railway carriage, couched in the most impressive official language, which acted like a charm on all who would invade our privileged

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