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THE ISLAND OF TAHITI.

It May Be Rightly Termed the Paradise of the Pacific.

Picture an island set in a reef of coral of myriad hues—the lagoon of a light green, outside the white foaming breakers the vast ocean of intense blue. On shore are great bunches of cocoanut palms lifting their plumes in stately magnificence, then there are lanes of trees blossoming in red and yellow flowers, and nestling in their midst are the low thatched houses of the natives. The delightful and healthy climate of the island brings to maturity all the products of the tropics, which are nowhere found in greater fullness and perfection than here. The wayfarer is soothed by the fragrance of sweet smelling flowers and delighted with the abundance of oranges, bananas, breadfruit and cocoanut which give a perennial supply of food to the natives.

Tahiti may be rightly termed the "paradise of the Pacific" or even the world, as in no other place is there so much variety of scenery. At every turn the constant surprises keep the traveler in a delirium of delight. Sometimes the sea lies before him; the waves wreathed in a foam of white breaking the silence in a continuous roar; on the other side the high, steep mountains in forms of towers, domes and steeples pierce the clouds. Now and then a silvery band of water falls from perpendicular heights to the turbulent stream below. Then you pass under the sheltering shadows of tall interlacing trees which excel even the grandeur of our elm. Farther on you pass through lanes lined with bananas, mango and groves of cocoanut.—Overland Monthly.

HAD NEVER BEEN ABROAD.

But For All That He Had Traveled "Far and Wide."

"Have you spent all of your life right here in this one place?" asked a stranger of an old fellow he came across seated on a rail fence whittling in front of a log and slab cabin in one of the back counties of Arkansas.

"Not by a durned sight!" was the terse reply. "I been hyar the better part o' the time; but, la, I hev traveled fur an wide!"

"Ever been abroad?"
 "Well, not eggshackly to say abroad, unless you call it goin' abroad to go from here way over to Petersburg. I been over thar twice in the last 40 year. It's 36½ miles to Peterville, an I been furdur than that, fur my ole woman an me went clean to Hogback ridge on our weddin' tower, an that's 41 mile from here. Then I been over in Pettis county to see my wife's folks twice, an that's twenty odd mile from here. Then I been over to Rocky Hill ez menny ez four times, an that's 18 mile. Ez I say, I been here most o' the time, but then I've traveled for an wide all the same. I've seen the big four story mill over to Peterville an the engine kyars over to Peaville. I rid three miles on 'em, an it's all I want o' the pesky things. I've seen a calf with two heads an a feller that could eat fire and dance on broken glass in his bare feet. I see a man hung once an a boss race fur a purse o' \$65. Yes, sir; I been fur an wide, an I reckon I've seen the biggest part o' what there is to see in this world, an I don't lot on doin' no more gaddin' about."—Lippincott's.

The Giraffe's Timidity.

A giraffe is very timid on hearing slight sounds, but is indifferent to loud ones. A writer in The Leisure Hour says: "Noisy sounds, like a man walking by with hobnail boots, it does not notice, but a lady coming in with hardly more sound than the rustling of her dress makes it start, with pricked ears and eyes distended. We remember well, after a terrible explosion of gunpowder on a barge on the canal, asking the keeper of the giraffes of that day how they had taken it, and he said he was surprised how very little notice they took. They jumped to their feet, but almost at once lay down again when they found nothing happened. "But," he added, "if I were at nighttime to creep along that gallery in my socks they would be so scared that I

believe they would dash themselves to bits." They fear the lurking foe, and a big bang scares them less than a faint, rustling sound. They are in that respect very deerlike."

The Bloodstone.

Bloodstone, which is really green chalcedony spotted with jasper, is accounted for by the following legend: At the crucifixion a piece of chalcedony lay at the foot of the cross, and on it dropped the Saviour's blood, from which time the stone is said to have borne red spots, which are supposed to increase and to deepen in color when danger is near. It is also said to revive the spirits and to inspire to great deeds, to check excessive bleeding and last, but not least, to render its wearer invisible at will.

British Barristers' Wigs.

The wigs worn in English courts were formerly made of human hair, and it is on record that the white hair of a woman who lived to be 106 years old was sold for that purpose for £50. In 1827 the old form of powdered wig—which was somewhat of a nuisance because the powder came off and the hair frequently required recurling—was superseded by the horsehair wig.

Only about 100 of these legal ornaments are made annually. A good article will last for a quarter of a century, and, moreover, barristers do not altogether appreciate new wigs, as they suggest that the wearer is new to the business and consequently has not had much experience.

The cost varies from 1 to 12 guineas. The former price purchases an ordinary article, while the latter is the sum paid for what is known as a "full bottomed" wig, which is usually worn by the leading barristers on the occasion of a great trial. It is also the kind which adorns the head of the speaker of the house of commons.

Most of the horsehair is imported, but the home product is the best and is that used in the costliest wigs.—London Standard.

Old Churchyards.

It would appear that certainly so early as about A. D. 750 spaces of ground adjoining churches were inclosed and consecrated for burial, and by a canon of the ninth century every grave was to be esteemed sacred, to be adorned with the sign of the cross and to be preserved from trespass and violation by dogs and cattle. Many churchyards have a history far older than the churches which stand in them, being originally places appropriated to religious assemblies, divine service being performed there, until at length the church was added for greater honor and convenience.

It has been noted as a curious fact that in a large majority of cases the churchyards are on the north side of the church and on the north side of the road leading to them. There is a superstition among many old fashioned folk that the north side of the churchyard is less sacred than the rest of the consecrated ground. "To be buried there," wrote Durandus, the great fourteenth century ecclesiastic, "is, in the language of the eastern countries, to be buried out of sanctuary." Hence the position was largely appropriated to the graves of suicides, unbaptized persons and excommunicates.—Notes and Queries.

Not Like Town Kitchens.

The delicious odor of a big, roomy country kitchen only whets one's appetite instead of dulling it as town kitchens do. And as to there being anything disagreeable in dining in the thinks of the old kitchen and its roar of every home in the country. Every boy with country blood in his veins thinks of the old kitchen and its roaring fire and shining pots and pans and rows of dazzling platters when he thinks of home, that and the quaint little bedroom in the L. But the parlor, with its hundred and one silent injunctions to subdued conversation and prim propriety, that is remembered but as the torture chamber of youth. It, too, may have its memories for the girls, but the kitchen holds the boy's imagination fettered in golden memories.—American Kitchen Magazine.

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