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POETRY.

A SEA DREAM. BY JOHN C. WHITTIER. I saw the slow slides go, and come, The curving surf-lines lightly drawn, The gray rocks touched with tender bloom Beneath the fresh-blown rose of dawn...

THE STORY TELLER.

NANCY JONES' BABY. A CALIFORNIA GULCH STORY. The wind came howling down the mountain side, and with a hollow moan rushed through the canyons. The tall pines tossed and bent their heads to each rude blast of the storm. Masses of black clouds hung like a funeral pall over the mountains, and the rain poured down in torrents...

MISCELLANEOUS READING.

THE HEN AND THE DIAMOND. TRANSLATED FROM THE GERMAN OF FRIEDRICH VON HAGEDORN. A hungry hen, in time of dearth, Picked up a diamond of worth, And buried it again in earth. She spoke: "What joy it were for me, Could but the lovely stone I see A grain of wheat or barley be!"

HOTEL LIFE.

ITS SELFISHNESS, ITS HOLLOWNESS, AND ITS DANGERS. If any one wants to see human nature stripped of certain conventional disguises and reduced to some of its primary elements, let them try a boarding house or "family hotel" for awhile. If not always a profitable, it is generally an amusing exhibition of character, and materials are never wanting to a student of human life. The predominant quality of most people will be found to be selfishness.

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