WESTERN AMERICANS.

Men Who Develop, Spread and Grow Beyond the Prairies.

The American man only develops himself and grows "for all he is worth" in the Great West. He is more free, and limber there and unfolds those generous peculiarities and largenesses of humanity which never blossomed before. The "environment" has much to do with it. The great spaces over which he roams contribute to the enlargement of his mental horizon. There have been races before who roamed the illimitable desert, but they traveled on foot or camel back and were limited in their range. There was nothing continental about them, as there is about our railroad desert travelers, who swing along through thousands of miles of sand and sage bush with a growing contempt for time and space. But expanse and great as these people have become under the new conditions, the theory has a force that the development of the race has only just begun, and that the future will show in perfection a kind of man new to the world. That supposition is the basis. To realize, close the door of the past and the present, and imagine the world as it will be when the Pacific slope is as populous as the Mississippi valley is now. Then imagine the people who will be there. Will they be like the people of the Mississippi valley? Will they be like the people of the Pacific slope? Will they be like the people of the Rocky mountain region? Will they be like the people of the Great Plains? Will they be like the people of the Great Basin? Will they be like the people of the Columbia river country? Will they be like the people of the Sacramento valley? Will they be like the people of the San Joaquin valley? Will they be like the people of the Willamette valley? Will they be like the people of the Puget Sound country? Will they be like the people of the Yellowstone park? Will they be like the people of the Yosemite valley? Will they be like the people of the Grand Canyon? Will they be like the people of the Colorado river? Will they be like the people of the Rio Grande? Will they be like the people of the Gila river? Will they be like the people of the Salt river? Will they be like the people of the Verde river? Will they be like the people of the San Pedro river? Will they be like the people of the Santa Cruz river? Will they be like the people of the Santa Maria river? Will they be like the people of the Santa Ynez river? Will they be like the people of the Santa Clara river? Will they be like the people of the Santa Ana river? Will they be like the people of the San Gabriel river? Will they be like the people of the San Bernardino river? Will they be like the people of the San Jacinto river? Will they be like the people of the San Luis Rey river? Will they be like the people of the San Diego river? Will they be like the people of the San Dieguito river? Will they be like the people of the San Elijo river? Will they be like the people of the San Marcos river? Will they be like the people of the San Luis Rey river? Will they be like the people of the San Diego river? Will they be like the people of the San Dieguito river? Will they be like the people of the San Elijo river? Will they be like the people of the San Marcos river?

ARTISTIC RAG CARPETS.

Some Ancient History That Will Prove Interesting to Modern Housewives.

"Yes, it's a fact that the passion for old-time things has brought rag-carpets into fashion once more," said the blue-eyed and blonde-mustached manager of a well-known "carpet department," to a reporter, "but the revived rag-carpet is, I believe, quite an 'artistic' affair, and hasn't much in common with its predecessor of the everlasting stripe. I saw one the other day with a solid centre-piece of maroon, and the effect was really very good. The warp is colored the same as the rags, and some ladies, I am told, color them both at home, and so get their floors covered economically. For borders, in order to utilize both light and dark rags, shaded red and orange are woven in the old-fashioned stripe. Quite an idea, ain't it? Am I afraid it will injure our trade? Oh, no, indeed. Rag carpets, even 'artistic' ones, will never be generally used again. It's just a passing fancy, though I confess I'm surprised to see how many people are taking it up.

"Yes, carpets have a history, of course, like lots of other things which we are apt to the habit of taking for granted, without much inquiry into their origins. Naturally I am interested in the subject myself, and in my leisure time of the past I have always been on the lookout for information about it, and have picked up a good deal of information about it. Ancient Egypt, carpets and tapestries

FARM NOTES.

PULVERIZATION OF THE SOIL.—The following experiment made by the editor of the *Live Stock Journal* shows the great importance of the thorough pulverization of the soil: "We once experimented by hauling twenty-four large loads of the best manure upon two acres of clay-loam land, had it well cultivated into the soil, which had been worked in the ordinary way, but was somewhat lumpy. This and the adjoining two acres were to be sown to corn for fodder. Upon the other two acres no manure was put, but it was plowed and cultivated till the soil, four inches deep, was as fine as a garden bed. One and a half bushels of corn were drilled per acre upon each piece, drills 16 inches apart. When this corn was in blossom and ready to cut, the unmanured two acres stood eighteen inches higher than the manured piece. On selecting two samples rods to different places upon each piece, cutting the green corn carefully weighing it, the manured piece gave 375 pounds per rod, and the unmanured, but finely pulverized, gave 250 pounds per rod—the manured giving twenty-two tons per acre and the other seventeen tons per acre. The cost of extra working was $2.50 per acre. Could there be any doubt that the extra labor was well laid out? It must be evident to every thoughtful farmer that the first thing to be done in fertilizing land for crops is to work more thoroughly and give more pulverization, and when this is accomplished then all

HOUSEHOLD.

STEAMED FRUIT PUDDING.—Take two cups of suet chopped fine, two of boiling hot coffee, two of brown sugar, one-half pound of raisins chopped fine, one-half pound of currants and one-quarter of a pound of citron, five cups of flour and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder sifted into the flour, one teaspoonful of salt; pour into a bag and steam three hours; do not lift the cover from the steamer during that time. Then serve hot with this sauce: Two tablespoonfuls of flour, three-quarters of a cup of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, one pint of hot water; boil all together; add lemon or vanilla flavoring.

ALMOND CAKE.—One cup of butter, one cup and a half of sugar, three eggs, half a cup of milk, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, about two cupfuls of flour; flavor with a little almond extract; blanch one pound of almonds, lay aside enough to cover the top of the cake when they are cut in halves, chop the rest and put them into the cake. After the cake is in the tin lay the split ones on top of the cake. They will rise and brown as the cake bakes. This is delicious. Just try it the next time you want anything especially good in the cake line.

BEEF SANDWICHES.—Soak the sweetbreads in cold water to draw out the blood, then boil them twenty minutes in one-third milk and two-thirds water. Take them up and put them in some place where they will cool quickly. When thoroughly cold, slice them and dip the slices in beaten egg and

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