

DOING THE PAN-AMERICAN.

Things to See and How Best to Enjoy One's Stay at the Great Exposition at Buffalo—Worth a Trip Around the Globe to Look Upon the Glorious Spectacle.

Special Correspondence.

Buffalo, June 25.—I read in a funny paper recently the joke: "Why is Buffalo's Exposition better than that of Paris?"

"Because it costs less to go there." That is one reason; but there are so many more that you could not begin to count them.

It is hard to know how to go to work to describe the Pan-American. It is equally hard to decide whether this or that feature of it deserves the most description.

One ought to calculate to spend at least a week "doing" the Pan-American. That is little enough time. There is enough in it to keep one occupied all summer.

Get your first view in the morning when the day is young and the dew is on the grass. Enter the Elmwood gate, or better still if you don't mind the walk, at the Lincoln Parkway gate, leaving the car at Forest avenue.

The Spanish Renaissance buildings have been described time and time again and I will not here dwell upon their architectural characteristics or the details of the ornamentation and colorings.

However critical the visitor may be when he begins his inspection, he can not fail to be completely captured after he has revealed in all this beauty for a day; and in the dusk of the evening the Rainbow City is transformed into a City of Light.

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We are now moving about in the land of stars, twinkling, scintillating stars. They say there are 40,000 of them on the Elec-

tric Tower. I didn't count them. They looked like 40,000,000.

Speaking of stars, there is the "Trip to the Moon." It is about the first trip to take when you reach the Midway, if you want to become acquainted with moon-folk and all their strange ways.

In the "House Upside Down" and "Beautiful Orient" you experience enough novel sensations and see enough picturesque scenes to last one half a life time.

Summed up in a sentence, I will simply add that it is worth a trip around the globe to witness this glorious spectacle.

The Utility of Long Life.

There is no doubt that an understanding of the laws of health, a study of the nature and functions of food and the proper use thereof, and improvements in sanitary science, will lengthen the average life of man.

Long life without health and strength, from the point of view of mere utility, is not to be desired. Place must be made for the young, and nature's method of taking off the old and the decrepit is to be unreservedly commended from the mere economic point of view.

A Sprained Ankle Quickly Cured.

"At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of the ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, Washington, Va. "After using several well recommended medicines without success, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and am pleased to say that relief came as soon as I began its use and a complete cure speedily followed."

No End to Invention.

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Asphalt streets have set new tasks for the inventor. He must make new types of shoes to give easy and secure footing for horses, and new street-cleaning apparatus. With rougher pavements we were satisfied to get rid of the coarser dirt from the uneven surface, but now we are demanding apparatus that will rid our streets of dust as well.

A surgical operation is not necessary to cure piles. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve saves all that expense and never fails. Beware of counterfeits. Hare & Son, J. R. Ledbetter, Hood Bros.

Unheard.

All things are wrought of melody, Unheard, yet full of speaking spells; Without the rock, within the tree, A soul of music dwells.

A mute symphonic sense that thrills The silent frame of mortal things; Its heart beats in the ancient hills, In every flower sings.

To harmony all growth is set— Each seed is but a music note, From which each plant, each violet, Evolves its purple note.

Compact of melody, the rose Woos the soft wind with strain on strain Of crimson; and the lily blows Its white bars to the rain.

The trees are peacocks; and the grass One long green furge beneath the sun— Song is their life; and all shall pass; Shall cease, when song is done.

American Locomotives Abroad.

The World's Work.

The English have been severely criticising American locomotives because they consume more fuel and for other reasons cost more to run than machines of English manufacture.

Two of our Consuls have recently sent home notes that have some bearing on this subject. In 1899 five English locomotives were ordered for the Jamaica Government Railway.

A Good Cough Medicine.

It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other.

Tulane's Progress.

The New Orleans Picayune says that under the direction of its new president, Dr. E. A. Alderman, Tulane University has made greater progress in the past year than in any previous year in its history.

Dyspeptics cannot be long-lived because to live requires nourishment. Food is not nourishing until it is digested. A disordered stomach cannot digest food, it must have assistance.

"I saw your name in print the other day," said one man to another, who was very fond of notoriety.

"Where?" asked the other in a tremor of excitement.

"In the directory."—Ex.

Eczema, salthreum, tetter, chafing, ivy poisoning and all skin troubles are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

THE SULTAN'S DAY.

Precautions Taken Against Poison and Assassination.

Abdul Hamid's programme for the day is a journal of cowardice, says Eugene P. Lyle in Everybody's Magazine. He rises by five o'clock, for he limits to the utmost his lapse into the helplessness of sleep.

Abdul retires late. From behind a screen the grand master of the wardrobe reads to him fearful tales of blood and murder. His sleep is unquiet and nervous.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics.

What Drink Did.

"A two dollar bill came into the hands of a relative of mine," writes a lady in Boston, "which speaks volumes on the horrors of strong drink, or the traffic in it.

Didn't Marry for Money.

The Boston man, who lately married a sickly rich young woman, is happy now, for he got Dr. King's New Life Pills, which restored her to perfect health.

The Voice of Matrimony.

Two souls With but a single thought Two hearts That beat as One; This is my biographic sketch Which those who may read Who run.

Things to Forget.

If you would increase your happiness and prolong your life, forget your neighbor's faults. Forget the fault-finding and give a little thought to the cause which provoked it.

You may as well expect to run a steam engine without water as to find an active energetic man with a torpid liver and you may know that his liver is torpid when he does not relish his food, or feels dull and languid after eating.

A Sunday School superintendent, who happened to be a dry goods merchant, and who was teaching a class of very little tots, asked when he had finished explaining the lesson.

"The Doctors told me my cough was incurable. One Minute Cough Cure made me a well man." Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H.—Because you've not found relief from a stubborn cough, don't despair.

A Blazed Road.

An experienced merchant, in a talk about the chances and causes of business success, said that most of the great merchants of to-day had their start under conditions which were no better than those of nine-tenths of the small dealers.

Mr. James Brown, of Portsmouth, Va. over 90 years of age suffered for years with a bad sore on his face. Physicians could not help him.

DR. H. P. UNDERHILL,

Physician and Surgeon. KENLY, N. C. Office at Mr. Jesse Kirby's. EDWARD W. POU. F. H. BROOKS. POU & BROOKS, Attorneys-at-Law, SMITHFIELD, N. C.

DR. S. P. J. LEE, DENTIST. Smithfield, N. C. Office in Smithwick Building.

Dr. J. W. Hatcher, DENTIST. Seima N. C. OFFICE IN HARE & SON'S Drug Store.

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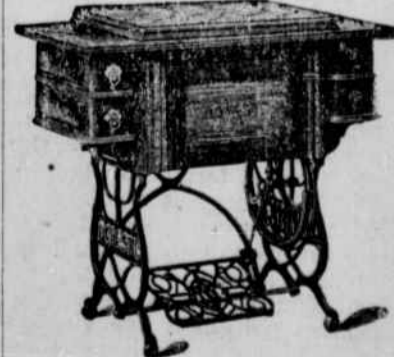
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