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PAINLESS CHILD BIRTHS. PARKER'S HAIR BALM. PARKER'S GINGER TONIC.

The Crab as a Rabbit Driver. Along the coast of France, where the land lies formed by long stretches of sandbanks lying between the high cliff and the sea, to be found innumerable rabbits, who make their burrows in the dry sand above, high water mark.

The continental poacher, ever prolific in devices, knowing that the instinct of the crab will lead him always to descend in search of water, elaborated a system of placing a bolt near the mouth of every hole he could locate, no matter how many there might be.

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A Salutation in Northern Africa. A short distance ahead we overtook and passed a caravan headed the same way we were going, and my men had to go through the process of salutation, and while I begrudged the time it took I could not but feel that the Moors could confer a great boon upon enlightened America if they could only come over and introduce their form of salutation.

Manual Training in Toledo. This intense interest in the new work had at first to be so modified as not to interfere with the regular prosecution of the intellectual and manual work proper. After some experimenting, the two lines of work were harmoniously adjusted to each other.

Why They Leave the City. To see the world, its great features, its natural scenery, is a fine and good desire. It is an enlarging and ennobling experience; to enjoy the rolling of the creamy-crested waves on the azure field of the sea, the spread of changing color on the mountain sides, the sweep of leagues on leagues of prairie, the depth and depth of forests, is all enriching to the soul, and sometimes refreshing to the body.

Inventions Patented by Women. That women can invent and can patent their inventions is shown by a review of the patents issued to them. That these women should have patented three kinds of corsets, and four more should have devised four new kinds of bustles, and that one should have hit upon a combined corset and bustle, is not very astonishing.

Fanny Fern's Beginning. It is said that Fanny Fern had never written a word for publication until she had passed her 40th birthday. She was unconscious of her latent powers until a neighborly hand exerted them.—Albany Cultivator.

Japan's Civilization. Japan has 250 newspapers, 1,000 miles of railway and 2,000 or 3,000 miles of telegraph line. A Japanese reporter collects news, but does not in every case write it. He tells what he knows to press writers.—Inter Ocean.

The Family of Dosers. Growth of a Pernicious Habit—Enriching Patent Medicine Proprietors. "Drink it; it can't hurt you." Unless you happen to be a person with a strong will of your own, this injunction, with its accompanying assurance, is likely to take the first step in the broad avenue which leads to the great and ever growing community of dosers.

The Arabs in Central Africa. The havoc of Arab traders in Central Africa is vividly illustrated by the fact that one of the tribes Bishop Taylor intended to reach when he started his missions three or four years ago was wiped out. The missionaries finally arrived at the borders of the desired country. The bishop was attracted to this region by Lieut. Wissmann's description of the big city of the Beniki, where Dr. Pogge and he traveled for miles along one street.

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A Ring and Its Setting. Probably the most curious ring in New York is worn by the wife of a wealthy and well known lawyer. She has three handsome, manly sons, but only one daughter, who made her debut into society this season, and was much admired. This girl is the idol of her parents, and the ring worn by her mother is a testimony to their affection, though a very eccentric one.

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The Pyramid of Cheops. Climbing to the Summit Where Forty Centuries Sit Enthroned. We drove in the afternoon to the pyramid in a victoria, over a beautiful road shaded by a double line of fine trees. Old Cheops did not look the same. He looked small even in the distance. Years ago I waded his through deep sands. The hot sun burned into my brain, and I wore a green veil to protect my eyes from the glare and the driving sands. Now green fields run nearly up to Gizeh. Said and Ismail Pashas have left Egypt covered with debt, but they owe much to improve the material of the land.

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