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What do you think endures? Do you think the great city endures? Or a seeming manufacturing state, or a prepared constitution, or the best built steamships...

Strong and Weak Spelling. Speaking in a broad and general way, and admitting that every one is likely to mispell a word of the English language at some time in his life...

General Butler's Courage. After Lincoln's assassination General Butler occupied a suite of rooms on the first floor of Willard's hotel in Washington.

What is the Use of Worrying at what angle a chair stands in the room, so long as the chair is comfortable and you walk up stairs and down stairs and into every room in the house simply to make sure that every shade was pulled just so far down in each window...

Marrriages of Consanguinity. Dr. Regnault, in a paper before the French Association for the Advancement of Science at Pau, observed that there are two varieties of consanguinity.

The Leaflets Were Popular. There is a story of an officer in command of a troopship who, having embraced a somewhat sensational form of religious belief himself, was active in distributing leaflets...

He Had Been There Before. "Lay off your overcoat. You won't feel it when you go out," remarked the proprietor of a Park row restaurant to an infrequent customer one evening during a cold spell.

French Artist in America. A New York artist has spent two summers among the Great Smoky mountains of Tennessee, because, he says, he gets the same kind of subject there that the French painters find around Barbizon...

Little Son. "Well, you give me some money to go to a restaurant and get a oyster stew, an oyster pie and a nice pear for you," said the father.

What Makes Beauty. Beauty is a result of race, of circumstances, such as personal freedom and freedom of life, and of continuous diet, not of intelligence, and still less of the acquisition of knowledge...

TRAIN DISPATCHING.

WORK SO RESPONSIBLE AND RISKY IS YET FASCINATING.

The Many Moving Trains Under a Train Dispatcher's Charge Demand For Safety Upon His Comprehensive Mental "Picture"—Some Examples.

"I tell you, boys, it's the most fascinating work I ever tried, and I've been rail-roading for 25 years and taken a turn at everything from brakeman to division superintendent."

"Well, it's the same answer to that as in other cases where nerve is needed. It's the confidence that comes with experience. If you've run trains without accident, why do you feel you can do it again?"

"When the danger of catastrophe is lost sight of," resumed the dispatcher, "the fascination comes in in the complexity of the problems which present themselves every hour."

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"And it's something like the human mind can grapple with. I've seen mechanical contrivances used to follow on a board the movements of trains, with the idea of checking the liability of the dispatcher to 'drop a stick' and allowing him to think of something else without losing the situation."

"I've seen a man standing in the operating room in such situations, discharging his duties as a clerk. He has lost his 'picture.' A moment of awful suspense, and then with a great sigh, almost a groan, of relief he would recover it."

"To give you an idea how complicated these mental photographs may be and how many points, any one of which may be fatal importance, the mind must take in at once, I was at one time dispatcher over a section of double track road of 60 miles. Regular trains passed a given point every four minutes. In this section was 10 miles of single track—a 'hogback'—that is, a grade both ways to its middle, requiring two locomotives to pull trains up to the highest point, when they left either of the double tracks."

"I was once in a while a dispatcher gets a realizing glimpse of the responsibility placed upon him. It is not a heavy one, but by its irregularity, his superior must be the strictest disciplinarians to guard the company against losses. For an illustration: One winter night I had a train which I had positive orders to put through. It was blocked at a certain point by a passenger train stalled in 'springs' to be disengaged from the obstacle in two ways—either push the passenger through with an extra locomotive, or take the urgent train back, switch it to another track and go around the passenger train. The first way would take about 15 minutes, the other perhaps an hour and a half. It was a high, low time, I sent an order to push the passenger train out of the way. It was done, and through my other train went all right. I made the usual note of the maneuver in my daily report to the division superintendent. It described the offense of pushing passenger trains and the statutory penalty. He said, 'I guess I don't need to say anything more, do I?' I said, 'I hope not, and went out feeling as if I had just escaped a criminal conviction.'"

"Passenger trains, the law provides, must be hauled, not pushed, and I have given orders to violate the statute since that time."—New York Sun.

REFINED TORTURE.

Hit the Horse When He Is Down, For He Has No Friends.

Slip, slap! A tug at the reins—yank, haul, pull and jerk. No use—down he goes, broadside, with a snort of fear and a grant of pain.

The man with the fudgel ginger hat and antiquated coat grasps the horse by the ears and pulls him down, and the can't struggle to his feet. Keep him down at all hazards. The ginger hat generally places one knee on the animal's head—sometimes both his knees. This makes the ginger hat feel big in the eyes of the spectators.

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