

SMALL FARMS MAKE GREAT CITIES; DRESDEN THRIVING AND BEAUTIFUL

E. L. Thompson Says Intense Cultivation of Agricultural Districts and Artistic Development of Urban Centers Are Predominant Thoughts of Many Parts of Germany, Austria and Belgium.



Albert Seiere, One of Dresden's Many Beauty Spots.



Frederick Augustus Bridge at Dresden.

One of the things about that impressed me, said E. L. Thompson, the banker, who recently returned from a trip through Europe, "was the thrift of the farmers in the closely-settled countries. Take Belgium and Holland, for instance, and it is astounding how small a piece of land suffices for a family's support. This idea of little, tiny farms does away with the loneliness of American farm life. In fact, it is hard to say where the limits of the cities stop and the country commences, so closely are cities, towns and villages interconnected.

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PARTY OF PORTLAND TRAVELERS WILL MAKE GLOBE-GIRDLING TRIP

Start Will Be Made in Early Fall—Principal Points in Asia and Europe to Be Seen—Japan, China, India, Egypt and Other Countries on Itinerary May Take Two Years.

FROM Portland through San Francisco, Honolulu, Japan, China, Southern Asia, Egypt, transcontinental Europe and England, thence back to Portland via New York is the journey that has been planned by a party of 12 Portland persons, who expect to leave here early in October. The party includes Dorsey B. Smith and wife, Mrs. W. J. Furnish, Elden Fernald, Miss Kathleen Fernald, W. A. T. Houghton and wife, Miss Susie Quinn, Miss Eugenie Kummelin and others. The itinerary and the details of the trip from the time of leaving Portland have already been worked out.

One day will be occupied in a visit to Kinkakura, Katase and the island of Enoshima. The Temple of Hachiman, famous Daibutsu, or great bronze image of Buddha, the finest existing specimen of ancient Japanese art, are points of interest.

Also made to Tiar Hill to witness the sunrise effects on Mt. Kinshing (28,185 feet) and Mt. Everest (29,962 feet), the latter the highest mountain in the world. The side down the result, rock-gauge Himalayan Railway to Siliguri is grand beyond description.

Famous Temples to Be Seen. In Nikko, one of the beauty spots of Japan, where are located the world-famous temples, mortuary shrines and tombs of the First and Third Shoguns, many points of interest will be visited. One day will be spent in making a trip by rickshaws or sedan chairs to Chusenji, on the lake of the same name. Charoing at all times, the way from Nikko to Chusenji is especially beautiful in Autumn, when the maples are changing their color.

In Kobe visits will be made to the Numokiki Falls, the Shinto Temples of Ikuta and Nanko, and to other points of interest. Also to the Temple of Nofukuji, the Daibutsu (Great Buddha), and the monument to Kiyomori in Hyogo.

A number of delightful excursions will be made from Hongkong in sedan chairs to Happy Valley and the Governor's gardens; in Jimrickshaws through Kowloon and to Chinatown and Sakiwan, and by inclined railway to Victoria Peak, which commands a superb view of Victoria and Hongkong Harbor.

Streets Too Narrow for Wagons. Canton is a walled Chinese city. While in Canton, chairs will be used in sightseeing expeditions—the streets being too narrow to allow of any other mode of conveyance. Singapore is 1 1/2 degree 15 minutes from the equator. During the stay in Singapore, and after the return trip from the island of Java, comprehensive trips will be taken to the principal points of interest, including the beautiful grounds of Government House and the botanical gardens, where is to be found one of the finest collections of orchids.

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PORTLAND COUPLE TOURS ON EXPENSE OF \$10 A DAY

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lived what is described on the Continent as an pension. This corresponds to an apartment-house hotel run on the American plan. All over Europe these establishments are famous for the quality of their cuisine.

ROYALTY FINDS QUIET RETREAT AT ST. RAPHAEL

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BY FRANCES M. DE BORHONG. ST. RAPHAEL is a charmingly beautiful in surroundings. It is as yet unspoiled, a joy to the many who deplore the ever-increasing conversion of small townships of primitive loveliness into crowded resorts of artificial gayety and fashion.

heavily. He is slipping his hand out of sight so that you may not correct your error. If he holds it—shall I say affectionately?—he has the right sum. Anyway, I do not think, with the exception of the cabbies, who are sharks all the world over, any civil person will ever hear or experience the abuse which some Munchausens describe on their trips abroad.

WIESBADEN IS NOTED FOR ITS FAMOUS HOT SPRINGS

Bubbling Waters Are Cure for Many Human Ills—Royalty Spends Part of Every Season There—City Has Many Fine Buildings.

WHO has not heard of Wiesbaden, the "Queen of the watering places," as the Germans are pleased to call it and which forms the center for social and artistic life of the continent? Its fame has penetrated every corner of the globe, and visiting Europe means, of course, also a visit to Wiesbaden—or "Wisebaden," as some pronounce it.



Dusseldorf on Rhine

The Metropolis of the Lower Rhine and the Most Beautiful Modern City of Germany 12 Hours from London on the Direct Route to Berlin, Dresden and Central Europe.

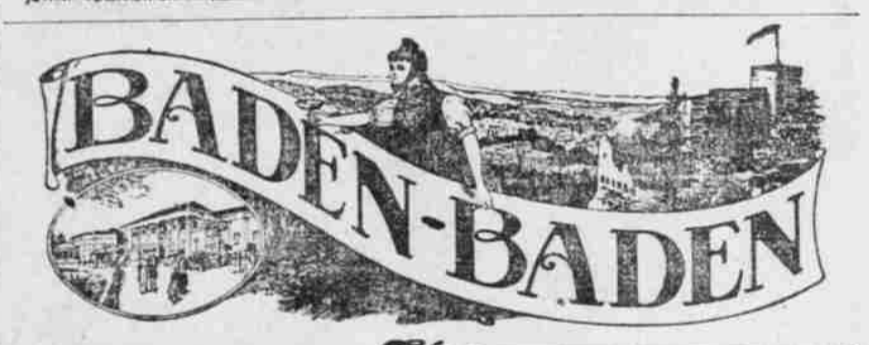
The City of Gardens and of Fine Arts; Commercial and Industrial Center, with about 370,000 inhabitants. DUSSELDORF is situated on both banks of the Rhine, combines all the comforts of a modern residential city with the charms of vast public parks and gardens.



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Stephanie Hotel Baden-Baden

Home of Distinguished Americans. Hotel de Luxe of Baden-Baden. Open from April to November.

GERMANY.

This new Hotel de Luxe, Baden's latest creation, stands in its own park, facing directly the Allee of Lichtenthal. Numerous apartments. Single and double bedrooms, with bath and dressing-rooms attached.

THE TWO LEADING HOTELS IN EUROPE BERLIN HAMBURG

The "Atlantic Kaiserhof" Renovated at a cost of \$1,000,000. All latest American comforts; 120 private bathrooms. Grand Hall. Superb location.

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With restaurant, floride, opened 1909. Grand location. Near Central Station, facing the beautiful Alster Lake. Extensive Modern Garage.

DRESDEN THE "CONTINENTAL"

Dusseldorf—Palace—Breidenbacher Hof

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The RHINE

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