

PLEASANT PICTURE OF INDIA.

A Choice Lot of Stories About Snakes, Scorpions, and Centipedes—Disagreeable Surprises.

One of the American magazines which came to Panhala not long ago contained a harrowing account of a vow which took place in the close neighborhood of alligators and moccasins.

In one governmental district in India about 23,000 persons are reported as dying yearly from the bite of poisonous reptiles or the attack of savage beasts. Considering the perils with which one is beset here in Panhala, the wonder is that the number of deaths is not very much larger.

Not long since a friend from the coast related, while visiting here, a recent experience which is really not uncommon in this part of the world. One evening, leaving the lamp in his dressing room, he stepped into an adjoining room in the dark.

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It is no strange sight to find in the morning a cast-off skin of some snake on the lattice which protects one's window, or twisted about on a bit of terrace wall or one's pet rockery.

Not many days have passed since the following occurred: One stormy evening a door being heard to slam one of our family went in the dark to close it.

One evening, sending a servant to hunt for a pair of missing scissors, we were not much surprised to have him soon run in breathlessly, saying: "Come sahib! A snake, a snake!"

not harmless. A few nights later, just as I was about to step into bed, something told me not to move my raised foot, so carefully reaching for the lamp and looking under my foot there I beheld a great scorpion, which after death measured five inches as one would be or stand at ease if alive.

One night after supper as the butler removed a child's tray there was disclosed to view a wicked little scorpion underneath which might have inflicted a painful wound had the child put his fingers under the edge.

A few months ago I found a grown scorpion, and put it into an empty bottle. It was forgotten for a few days. When remembered and examined, alas! where there had been only one there were twenty-eight!

Mrs. Bancroft.

A topic of conversation in American society, writes a Paris correspondent, is the lonely state of Mr. George Bancroft, the historian, who a short time ago was left a widower at the age of 86.

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Royal Photographers.

Though we gladly welcome the prince of Wales into the ranks of the amateur photographers of this country, it is difficult to understand why his royal highness should have ordered his first camera from an American firm.

There is said to be so much salt in Nevada that if a railroad ever taps the region where it exists, there will be no market for foreign salt in this country.

The American Trotter.

It is now the American trotting horse, and not the runner, which is the high-staple of fashion. Runners are bred and trained only for the race track, for exhibition and the chances which render their performances of interest to the gambling class.

One can scarcely realize the sufferings of an opium victim. De Quincy has vividly portrayed it. But who can fitly describe the joy of the rescued victim?

The pain-banisher is a name applied to St. Jacob's Oil, by the millions who have been cured of rheumatism and neuralgia by its use.

Too Sensitive. Matilda Snowball, who had lived out to a white family as a cook, carried home to her mother an immense basket loaded down with all kinds of provisions.

Poor Unfortunate. First Lady—Mrs. Gibbs, I hear your husband has failed.

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AN OPIUM EATER'S STORY.

Craving Over Hot Hot Bars of Iron in His Frenzied Frenzy—A Scientific Investigation and Its Results.

nothing in materia medica for the restoration of those great organs that equals it in power. We take pleasure in publishing the above statements coming from so reliable a source as Mr. Wilson, and confirming by personal experience what we have time and again published in our columns.

I have crawled over hot bars of iron and coals of fire," he said, "in my agony during an opium frenzy. The very thought of my sufferings freezes my blood and chills my bones. I was then eating every 30 grains of opium daily."

"You may be surprised to know," he said, "that two-fifths of the slaves of morphine and opium are physicians. Many of these I met. We studied our cases carefully. We found out what the organs were in which the appetite was developed and sustained; that no victim was free from a demoralized condition of those organs;

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"Do you object to telling me how?" "No, sir. Studying the matter with several opium-eating physicians, we became satisfied that the appetite for opium was located in the kidneys and liver. Our next object was to find a specific for restoring those organs to health.

"For the last seven years this position has been taken by the proprietors of that remedy and finally it is becoming an acknowledged scientific truth among the medical profession; many of them, however, do not openly acknowledge it, and yet, knowing they have no other scientific specific, their code not allowing them to use it, they buy it upon the quiet and prescribe it in their own bottles."

"As I said before, the opium and morphine habit can never be cured until the appetite for them is routed out of the kidneys and liver. I have tried everything,—experimented with everything and as the result of my studies and investigation, I can say I know nothing can accomplish this result but Warner's Safe Cure."

"Have others tried your treatment?" "Yes, sir, many; and all who have followed it fully have recovered. Several of them who did not first treat their kidneys and liver for six or eight weeks, as I advised them, completely failed. This form of treatment is always insisted upon for all patients, whether treated by mail or at the Loveland Opium Institute, and supplemented by our special private treatment, it always cures."

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