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Clocks. The invention of clocks is by no means a modern one. Clocks which were run by weights were used by the Saracens at the time of the Crusades, and some authorities state that they were invented by the Chinese as early as the ninth century.

In the works of Dante are references to machines which struck the hours, and clocks must have been used in Italy about the end of the thirteenth century. The oldest clock of which there is any certain record was erected in a tower in the palace of Charles V. of France in 1364.

A church recently dedicated in St. Paul was erected at a cost of \$7,000, raised by 10,000 contributions of 70 cents each.

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Parlor-Car Diversion. "Porter," said the fussy lady in the parlor car, "I wish you would open this window." The lady in the seat directly across the car heard the request and drew a cloak about her. "Porter, if that window is opened," she snapped, testily, "I shall freeze to death." "And if the window is kept closed," returned the other passenger, "I shall surely suffocate."

The porter stood timidly between the two fires. "Porter," remarked the commercial traveler, "your duty is very plain. Open the window and freeze one lady. Then close it and suffocate the other."—Puck.

Next Summer. A million or two of people who have spent this summer at the seashore are strongly disposed to spend next summer in the back country or the mountains. If they persevere in this determination their places will be filled by persons who have spent this summer in the mountains and the back country and don't want to go back. It has been a very trying summer, muggy, foggy, skeetry, damp, moist, hot and miscellaneous plaintive, but it has been about as bad in one place as in another.—Harper's Weekly.

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.

B. Frank Doremus, veteran of Roosevelt Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Boys on Reggy. Tommy—What is the "height of folly," pa? Pa—Your sister's beau, my son. He is six feet two.

Uncle Allen. "Many a man," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "dates all his other reverses from the evening when his best girl turned him down."

Hope Deferred. Dingus—Shadbolt, I've borrowed a good many little sums from you, at one time and another. Do you know just how much I owe you? Shadbolt (with alacrity)—Yes; it's exactly \$95.

Dingus—Then let me have \$5, will you? That will make it an even hundred, and it will be easier for me to remember.

Realized It Himself. The angry waves broke upon the stately vessel. "Isn't the commotion terrible?" exclaimed the young man with the steamer cap and the camera.

"O, yes!" moaned the pale young woman in the steamer chair. "You feel it, too, do you?"

Would Suit Him Better. The Judge—Mr. Twiggles, do you wish to poll the jury? The lawyer (who had lost his case)—No, your honor; but it would afford me infinite satisfaction if I could club the jury.

Probably Went All Right. "J. Smith, Farnished Geological Structure, Ill." This was the address on the letter postmarked "Boston, Aug. 27, 1906."

"Try Starved Rock," wrote the educated railway postal clerk just below the address.—Chicago Tribune.

Artificial rubies are now successfully made up to twelve or fifteen carats by M. Verneul, a scientist of Paris.

Took a Shine to Him. Pigmus—I see that the champion toothblack is dead. Dismukes—Yes; Death loves a shining mark.—American Spectator.

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Popular Science

The electric target of a Canadian officer, Lieutenant Colonel G. A. Peters, is being tested by English riflemen. The target itself is a bullet-proof plate of chrome steel, and the impact of the bullet on this drives back one or more of a set of steel hammers, thus closing an electric circuit, by which the exact spot hit is recorded on an indicator plate at the firing point. The system insures accuracy, saves much time and needs no attendant.

Sulphur is being tried in Germany as a wood preservative. It is applied in molten form and as it hardens it completely fills the pores. At moderate temperatures it is unaffected by water, weak or strong acids, or alkaline solutions. A disadvantage is that the sulphur melts at 115 degrees F., and this makes the treated wood unfit for places exposed to considerable heat. The best wood for use with this process is poplar, the trials of oak and pine having been much less satisfactory.

A large steamship has recently been constructed on the Tyne having no masts at all. Instead of masts the vessel is furnished with four large pillars placed on each side of the ship, two forward and two aft, which serve as derrick posts. The two forward pillars are connected by a bridge, 50 feet above the water, which may be used for lookouts. The vessel is 482 feet long and 54 feet broad, and is to be used in the far East to carry bulky cargoes. Accommodations are, however, provided for 350 emigrants. Another vessel of the same type is building.

J. E. Thornycroft, an English authority on engineering, in reviewing recent attempts to adapt the internal combustion engine to marine use, says that this adaptation may now be regarded as an accomplished fact. Trials made between Hamburg and Kiel with a motor of 70 horse-power showed that the gas-propelled boat consumed 530 pounds of anthracite, as against 1,820 pounds of steam coal consumed by a steamboat of practically the same dimensions and making the same speed. Gas-engines of from 500 to 1,000 horse-power for marine use are now being constructed in England, and Mr. Thornycroft expects to see such engines installed in large sea-going vessels.

Many precious stones are influenced by the action of the rays emanating from radium. A scientist exposed a colorless diamond from Borneo to these rays. The stone was colored a light yellow after eight days and a decided lemon yellow after another eight days. On heating the diamond to 250 degrees centigrade (482 degrees Fahrenheit) the yellow color was diminished, but it could not be entirely got rid of even at a red heat. A colorless Brazil diamond showed no coloration. A peculiar behavior was shown by a pale blue sapphire from Ceylon. After two hours' exposure to radium bromide it showed a coloration, green at first, then light yellow and after a few more hours reddish yellow. After a fortnight it was a dark yellow, approaching chestnut. The color could be got rid of by heating, but the light yellow color always returned on cooling.

AARON T. BLISS.

Death of Man Who Was Twice Governor of Michigan.

Aaron T. Bliss, twice Governor of Michigan, died recently at Saginaw, of which city he was the most distinguished resident. Aaron T. Bliss was born in Smithfield, Madison County, New York, May 22, 1837, and spent his boyhood on a farm there. At 17 he left home and was employed in a store in a neighboring village. At the breaking out of the

Civil War he was one of the first to enlist in the Tenth New York Heavy Artillery and after he had rendered material assistance in recruiting the regiment to its full strength he was made first lieutenant. Within a year bravery in action had gained for him a commission as captain. At Ream's Station, in Virginia, he was captured and was confined in prison at Salisbury, Andersonville, Macon, Charleston and Columbia, escaping from the latter after being confined eight months. While in prison the presidential election of 1864 was held. A black bean meant a vote for Lincoln, but the prisoners were assured that if they cast such a vote it would mean longer imprisonment for them and perhaps a grave on the hillside. Nevertheless Bliss voted the black bean. After making his escape he wandered for eight days before reaching the Union lines at Savannah and he was nearly starved.

In 1865 Captain Bliss located in Saginaw, Mich., and started a lumber business in a small way. It grew until he became the owner of extensive timber lands, of salt mines, of a bank, mercantile establishment and several farms. He was enormously wealthy. He was elected to local offices in Saginaw, then became a State Senator, next sat in Congress and in 1900 was elected Governor of Michigan by the largest majority ever given a candidate there and was re-elected in 1902.

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A song called the "Hymn of Apollo," written 280 years B. C., has just been sung for the first time in England.

Trespassing. "I see they've discharged that clerk who saved so much money out of his small salary. Didn't they know he was grafting all the time?"

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A Correction. Mr. Stoplate—I believe I must say good-night.

Miss Tersleep—Oh, don't! Why should you?

Mr. Stoplate—Why, really—ah—it's getting rather late, isn't it?

Miss Tersleep—Yes, altogether too late to say good-night. Say good-morning.—Cleveland Leader.

In cutting a canal at Bordeaux a buried statue has been discovered of Anne of Austria, queen of Louis XIII., who died at Paris in 1666.

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