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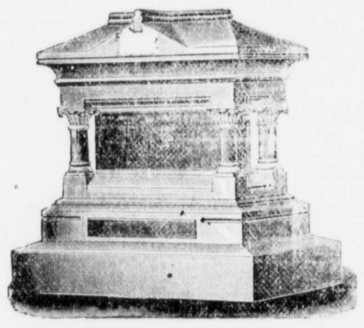

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Jean Paul Richter, though he did not live in touring times, was too accomplished an individualist (of the sentimental kind) not to harp on this musical string. "I hold the constant regard that we pay in all our actions to the judgment of others as the poison of our peace, our reason and our virtue." Translated into plainer speech, Richter's words may read thus, "Unless you can have your own way life is but a poisoned puddle."

Curzon, Stanley, De Windt, Miss Kingsley, Landor and a host of smaller men and women have acted on the same assumption. And as in larger travel, better known as exploration, so also in the less stately yet more pleasurable "trips" of common life. After a full purse there is nothing so good for the vagrant as a free hand.—C. Edwardes in Speaker.

When Children Smoked.

Jorevin de Rochefort, who published in Paris in 1671 an account of his travels in England, tells the following: "While we were walking about the town (Worcester) he asked me if it was the custom in France as in England that when the children went to school they carried in their satchel with their books a pipe of tobacco, which their mothers took care to fill early in the morning, it serving them instead of breakfast, and that at the accustomed hour every one laid aside his book to light his pipe, the master smoking with them and teaching them how to hold their pipes and draw in the tobacco."

In England at the time of the great plague it was reported that no one living in a tobacconist's house fell sick of the disease. This caused a great demand for tobacco. Hearne says in his diary, "I remember that I heard formerly Tom Rogers, who was yeoman beadle, say that when he was a schoolboy at Eton that year when the plague raged all the boys of that school were obliged to smoke every morning and that he was never whipped so much in his life as he was one morning for not smoking."

A Garden of Milk.

The Milk garden of Frankfort, reserved for the children of that aristocratic city, is in itself one of the most democratic of places. Here rich people who wish to be relieved for a time of the presence of their children send them, accompanied by their nurses. Here also poor people who can neither afford to devote their own time to their children nor hire separate nurses for them may bring their little ones, certain that from the garden nurses they will receive all the care and attention necessary to safety, health and amusement.

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Queer Musical Notes.

Which note of the scale is the softest? Dough (do).

Which is the lightest? Ray (re).

Which the fullest and deepest? Sea (si).

Which demands the use of the pedal? Sole (sol).

Which is in the objective most frequently? Me (mi).

Combine two notes and produce moist earth. Mi re (mire).

Combine two notes and find a parent. Si re (sire).

What two notes will defray your traveling expenses? Fa re (fare).—Youth's Companion.

Sleepy Grass.

Sleepy grass is found in New Mexico, Texas and Siberia. It has a most injurious effect on horses and sheep, being a strong narcotic or sedative and causing profound sleep or stupor lasting twenty-four to forty-eight hours. A horse after eating it is a pitiable object, its head and tail drooping, its body quivering and sweat pouring down its sides.

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What can these anxious cares avail—
These never-ceasing moans and sighs?
What can it help us to bewail
Each painful moment as it flies?
Our cross and trials do but press
The heavier for our bitterness.

Only your restless heart keep still,
And wait in cheerful hope, content
To take whate'er His gracious will
His all-discerning love, hath sent;
Nor doubt our inmost wants are known
To Him who chose us for His own.

He knows when joyful hours are best;
He sends them as He sees it meet;
When thou hast borne its fiery test,
And now art freed from all deceit,
He comes to thee all unaware,
And makes thee own His loving care.

Nor, in the heat of pain and strife,
Think God hath cast thee off unheard;
Nor that the man whose prosperous life
Thou enviest, is of Him preferred.
Times passes and much change doth bring,
And sets a bound to everything.

All are alike before His face:
'Tis easy to our God most high
To make the rich man poor and base,
To give the poor man wealth and joy.
True wonders still of Him are wrought,
Who setteth up and brings to naught!

Sing, pray, and swere not from His ways,
But do thine own part faithfully;
Trust his rich promises of grace,
So shall it be fulfilled in thee:
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