

THE PRIMROSE PATH.

The green fans of the chestnut trees
Are all unfolding one by one.

HOW FRENCH SEAMEN ARE TRAINED.



French seamen are notably active and agile and this is due, so it is
averred, to the training they get while they are in their apprenticeship.

Sermons of the Week

Truth.—To know one little truth and
live it is better than to know a hundred
great truths—and write them down.

Waste.—The life of sensual indulgence,
while very fascinating, is never
satisfying. The apples of Sodom turn
to ashes upon the lips.

EDITORIALS

PRETEXTS FOR DIVORCE.

THE St. Louis Judge who has just expressed
a judicial degree of impatience with the
silly pretexts for divorce which are often
brought before him, expresses one of the
most profound facts of the grievous situation
which is called by courtesy the "divorce
problem."

AMERICAN WASTEFULNESS.

It is a frequent statement that the family of
a European working man can live on what
the family of the American working man
throws away.

DRUGS NOT NEEDED.

YOUNG John D. Rockefeller in a published
interview the other day, urged young men
"to seal and industry" as the pathway to
"success."

THE QUESTION OF THE DEATH PENALTY.

SEVERAL of the most influential newspapers
of Paris are urging the restoration of the
death penalty in France. The Gaulois thinks
"the abolition of the death penalty has done
nothing but cut the stems of justice and
encourage crime."

VIENNA TO SELL COAL.

City Making Radical Experiments in
Municipal Ownership.
There would seem to be no end to
Vienna's new experiments in the field
of municipal ownership, says the Pall
Mall Gazette.

A HEROINE—of Necessity

A way to the right, as far as eye
could see, stretched the shimmering
ocean, the sunlight dancing on the
waves and turning them into a carpet
of gold.



"I DO NOT WANT TO GO ALONE."

try's battles in skirmishes with tribes,
with a pluck that was tenfold more
thorough because of her.

which had meant so much to his com-
panion. "I congratulate you and must
wish you good afternoon."

Then a great revulsion of feeling
came over the girl's soul. She saw the
hideous temptation; she knew that
came what might, think what she
would, she must save a fellow creature.

A strong hand thrust them apart; a
stern voice thundered a wrathful in-
quiry. The woman sank trembling on
the heather, her whole figure shaken
with sobs.

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clear, yellowish fluid often seen around
a scab, reduces the vitality of the germ
or organism and the white corpuscles
gorge themselves with the germs, dis-
gesting and destroying them."

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"you promised to let me have all the
pin money I wanted."

LATEST FAD IN MEDICINE.

Oponic Theory Will Explain Why
You Are Sick or Immune.

Immunity from illness according to
the oponic theory, the latest discovery
in medicine, was the subject of Dr.
Cleveland Floyd's public lecture at the
Harvard Medical School recently.

"The body is being continually at-
tacked in every portion by disease-pro-
ducing germs and organisms. When-
ever any portion is infected nature pro-
vides that an increased amount of
blood is sent to that spot."

"This is easily seen in the redness
that surrounds a boil or other form of
infection."

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RAISING BOYS.

"The more I see of human nature the
sadder it seems to me," observed the
man in the tan flannel waistcoat.

"If you object to paper money, but
wish to carry big values in small com-
pound, you might do worse than lay in
a stock of best lenses for microscopes."

"I thought," said the visitor, "I'd
drop in and tell you what your hair re-
storer did for a friend of mine. When
he started to using your elixir there
were only a few hairs on his head, but
now it's completely covered."

STORY OF A TOOTHBRUSH.

Colonial diaries and letters make it
plain that our unfortunate ancestors
suffered much from jumping toothache,
swollen faces and the early loss by
forcible extraction of teeth which at
a later period might have been saved
to render their owners many years of
further service.

There is no rush of prospectors to
the new field, however, as the gold is
coming out of the sea in the form of
salts of potassium, magnesium and bro-
mine, which would elude the pan and
the rocker of the prospector.

"Very good. Now, I know it's too
much to expect a boy of your age to
be very careful. As they grow older
they learn to think before they act
and to take probable consequences into
consideration. Why? By experience
of consequences—unpleasant conse-
quences. If the result of any foolish
or ill-considered act was in every case
pleasant a boy would be doing foolish
and inconsiderate things all his life.
That stands to reason, doesn't it?"

"Never tell a man to go to bed de-
vils," says Brother Dickey, "for it may
be devils don't want that very kind of a
man!"—Atlanta Constitution.