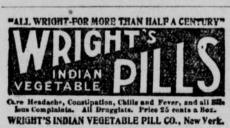


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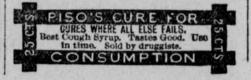
Noted Writer Changes His Name. Ernest Seton-Thompson, the well known author and writer, has been granted permission by Justice Gischoff of the New York supreme court to change his name to that of Ernest Thompson-Seton. Mr. Seton-Thompson in his petition said that the surname of Thompson was a pseudonym adopted by his family, which hid from the English government after having taken part in the Jacobite rebellion of 1745.



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The Holy Land has its railways, lectric lights and American windmills, and now Jerusalem is about to get a supply of good drinking water was well supplied. The remains of aqueducts and reservoirs show this But since the Turk's day the people of Jerusalem have been dependent on the scanty and often polluted accumulations of rain water in the rock-hewn cisterns beneath their feet. Even this supply has recently failed, owing to scarcity of rain. Distress and sickiess became so general that the Turkish governor has at length, been induced to canction the purchase of iron pipes to bring water from Ain gaiah, of the 'scaled fountain," at Solomon's vools, about nine miles south of Jerusalem, A pipe six inches in diameter wil bring 8,000 "skins" of water a day ff distribution at fountains supplied wit faucets. Solomon, in his famour "Song," speaks of this secret spring. it is asserted, when he finds that "M; beloved is like a spring shut up, a fountain sealed." It is a deep-brown subterranean spring, which has, from the time of Solomon, flowed through the arched tunnel built by him to the distributing chamber or reservoir near the northwest corner of the highest of Solomon's pools. Half a century ago the location of this "hidden' spring, which was still, as in Solomon's time, flowing into the reservoir mentioned, was unknown. The tunnel is roofed by stones leaning against each other like an inverted V, the primitive form of the arch, which is also seen in the great roof of the queen's chamber of the great pyramid. The entrance to this tunnel from the spring is one of the oldest structures in existence. The piping is to be laid along the old aqueduct which formerly, from eral other members. After a time the time of Solomon, brought this one of them said: same water to the Temple area. There are 11 or 12 ancient fountains here Chillicothe?" and there in the city, long unused, but now to be utilized, and from which the water may be drawn, free to all, several taps being attached to each wuntain.

## ANIMALS IN OPERAS.

They Are Omitted From Only Three of Wagner's Operas.

Wagner introduced animals into all but three of his operas ("The Flying Dutchman." "Tristan," and "Die Meistersinger"); horses in "Rienzi," "Tannhauser," "Die Walkure," and "Die Gotterdammerung;" swans in 'Lohengrin" and "Parsifal;" birds in 'Lohengrin," "Siegfried," and "Die Gotterdammerung;" a ram in "Die Walkure;" a bear and a dragon in 'Siegfried." The swans, the dragon and the forest bird are expressed by some of the most beautiful music in the operas. Wagner has been much | ily recommended I am still alive. criticised, and was at the time much laughed at, for his use of animals in serious opera, but not even his friends and brother musicians could argue him out of it. Other composers, it is true, had occasionally introduced animals into the opera, notably Mozart in the 'Magic Flute." But in Mozart's opera the animals have no essential connection with the story. Their introfuction is almost as accidental and irrelevant as the happenings in a vaudeville. Wagner was the first to make the animals part of the cast, dramatically connected with the whole. Grane, Brunnhilde's horse, is her faithful, trusted friend, her friend who gave up his aerial life among the clouds to foltow her when she abandoned her wild Valkyrie life to live with a mortal over. When she bids farewell to Siegfried she gives him her noble horsethe best that she has to give .- Our Animal Friends.

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Refrigerators and Russia. The "storkfish" market of St. Peter,burg booms three times a week for months together; the venders are

not particular about a difference of a few ounces, but they sell by the pud, on guesswork, and the customers carry off their purchases like bundles of fagots. No artificial refrigerators are needed, where the thermometer star's below or near the freezing point from November till March, with occasional blizzard spells that enables housekeepers to store their storkfish ndoors, and thaw them at their convenience-the difference from the aste of fresh fish being hardly appreciable.

In the Year 2000.

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Headgear of Columbia's Men

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