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THE HAPPY SEA GULL.
In madcap glee I whirl and fly
Where storm winds rip and rave,
I drift and skim in the sky
And skirt the purple wave.

CLOWNS AND CIRCUS BOYS.
The average boy cannot help thinking that to travel with a circus must be the grandest life in the world, but to be the clown as well would be the very height of bliss.

SHOES FOR DOGS
In his interesting book, "The Apostle of the North," Eberton R. Young tells of the importance of carrying a large supply of shoes for the dogs when travelling by dog-train.

ETIQUETTE AMONG CHINESE.
According to the laws of good society in China young widows should not remarry.

CHINESE FISHERMEN.
In this country the fisherman is a man who uses hook or line or net in following his profession.

THE SACAGAWIA RAT.
One day a well-fed and sagacious rat came across an object made of stout wires, whose sole occupation seemed to be to take care of a liberal piece of cheese.

THE LAND OF CHOP-STICKS.
Some of the Peculiar Ways of the Chinaman at Home.
In all the walks of life the Chinaman is always widely different, often exactly antithetical, to us.

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Pitiful Lives of Chinawomen.

It is a mistake to speak of the Chinese as more barbarians. The progress of the world's scientific knowledge has not been kept pace with by their scholars and their moral ideas, especially in regard to kindness and humanity.

It is not, as some English people think, only the rich women who are foot-bound. On the contrary, Miss Williams, missionary, of Kalgan, testifies that "the women and girls who work in the fields all day have smaller feet than the middle-class women have."

Yet while the women are thus degraded, the natural affection of a man of good feelings for his wife, and the influence of personal character in some women, results in a different state of affairs practically.

Our travelling restaurants have been anticipated many years by the Chinese purveyor of food, who carries his table on one end of a pole, balanced by his stove and cooking utensils on the other.

Even the confectioner is a wanderer. He carries a bowl or jar of mixed taffy and a number of straws in a box. He winds up a little of the liquid taffy on the end of a straw and blows it after the style of a glassblower into the shape of birds and animals.

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upon the ground or floor, and she steps out of the chair into his home and by this act is married.

Smallpox is almost universal. No precautions are taken against its spread. When a child is taken ill with the disease he is carefully tended until he has blossomed out, as the Chinese term has it, when he is allowed to go out in the street and play with the other children.

On all sides one comes across blind people. Blindness is mainly the result of smallpox, and is so common as hardly to be regarded as an affliction. No provision is made for the blind in the shape of homes or hospitals.

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The Chinese early discovered that there is less friction caused by one wheel than two, and that a one-wheeled cart runs easier on a bad road than a two-wheeled vehicle, and on this account the wheelbarrow came into requisition and now is universal.

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They have an expression, "hsiang fa tau," which, in English would mean that which will think out some method for bringing about a certain end.