

OIL ON THE WATER.

Its Soothing Effect Was Known as Early as the Sixth Century.

A few gallons of oil cast upon stormy seas moderates their violence and prevents the waves from breaking with force. That this is the case has long been known. Theophrastus, the Byzantine historian of the sixth century, propounded the question, "Why does oil calm the sea?" and answered it to the effect that as the wind is a subtle and delicate thing and oil is adhesive and unctuous the wind glides over the surface of the water on which oil has been spread and cannot raise waves. The wind, in fact, slips over the water without being able to obtain a grip.

In the gulf of Mexico there is a remarkable stretch of water about two miles long by three-quarters of a mile broad to which the name of "oil spot" has been given because in the worst of storms the mariner finds still water there.

Its character as a safe harbor of refuge is said to be due to an oily property of the mud stirred up by the storm.

Peru's Whistling Jars.

Among the ruined cities of Peru nearly fifty different kinds of musical instruments have been found. Unique among these are many double whistling jars or musical water bottles. Near the top of the first or front jar, which is usually surmounted by a human or animal figure, is the opening of the whistle. When the jars have been partly filled and are swung backward and forward a number of whistling sounds are produced. As the vessel swings forward and upward the water is lowered in the first jar and rises in the other. In the backward motion it rushes back into the first, forcing the air out through the whistle.

Customs in Mongolia.

Tea, with an admixture of salt and mutton grease, is the common beverage in Mongolia. It is not recommendable. Snuff taking is universal, and the offer of the snuff bottle is the general method of greeting. Mongols appear to seduce their women in some measure, at least, from strangers, and a traveler's arrival is usually the signal for a hasty departure of the ladies of the family for the tents of their next-neighbors.

The Whole Story.

Robert—Has your wife much curiosity? Richard—Oh, an awful lot. If I began to tell her what you told me standing on this corner she wouldn't hear a word of what you said until I told her what corner we were standing on.—Indianapolis Journal.

Timely Warning.

Fortune Teller—Beware of the handsome man with dark eyes and brilliant diamond pin. Fair Maid—Why? Fortune Teller—You can't support him.—Smart Set.

Knew It.

She—I suppose you flatter yourself you are a great man? He—I do not flatter myself. I merely recognize a fact.

To know how to be silent is more difficult and more profitable than to know how to speak.—Dumas

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