

## **BATTLE CREEK INVENTION IN USE ALL OVER WORLD**

**ELECTRIC LIGHT BATH CABINET  
FOUND IN REMOTEST COR-  
NERS OF THE EARTH.**

**DESIGNED BY DR. J. H. KELLOGG**

**Principal Involved is Same as in  
Original Made in 1891, Although  
Improvements Have been Added  
and Form Has Been Modified  
Somewhat.**

There is something picturesque about even the most prosaic mule pack. Pictures of hardy mountaineers "hitting the trail," their burros burdened with unsavory camp outfits, are all too common. But what would you think if, high upon the Alaska trail, you espied a sure-footed burro with a Battle Creek electric light bath cabinet strapped to its back?

You'd be astonished wouldn't you?

And you would be equally astonished if, chancing in France, you saw one of these cabinets perched precariously on the top of a rumbling flacre. Or, if traversing a caravan route in Persia, you saw one humped high on a camel's back. Or, if in south central Africa, you saw a group of Hottentots loading one on a bullock-cart.

For the Battle Creek electric light bath has penetrated the farther-

most corners of the world. It has made its radiant way into every region of Europe. Its fame has spread to such far-cast points as Alaska, Australia, Finland, India, Persia, China, Japan, South Africa.

This practical health appliance was destined to exert an influence not merely local or national, It has had an unusually romantic history. Today acknowledged one of the most effective of all known healing agents, it was unknown and undreamed of before 1891.

In that year Dr. J. H. Kellogg devised the first electric light bath cabinet. Two years later a cabinet patterned after the original model was exhibited at the Chicago World's fair. A visitor from Germany saw the bath, visited the Battle Creek Sanatorium to become familiar with its application and, upon his return to Germany, began its manufacture and sale in that country. German medical men soon recognized its value. Winternitz of Vienna - one of Europe's leading specialists - constructed a bath after the inventor's description.

The bath soon became highly popular in Germany. Light institutes by the score were opened in the leading cities. The king of England was cured of a distressing gout at Hamburg by means of a series of light baths. Accordingly. He had the bath installed at Windsor and Buckingham palaces. Emperor William soon after followed his example as did King Oscar of Sweden and several other of the crowned heads and titled families of Europe.

Since then many thousands of electric light bath cabinets have

been made and have become part of the regular regimen of many leading hospitals and health institutions abroad.

In time the fame of the bath spread back to its home. A New York firm actually imported an electric light bath from Berlin as a therapeutic novelty. In the last decade, however, the attractiveness, convenience and scientific value of the electric light bath have become more generally known and better appreciated in this country. It now finds place in every down-to-day hospital, sanitarium and physician's office. It has found its way also in to many clubs and private homes as a hygienic appliance far superior to the Turkish bath in attractiveness and healing power. Indeed, it has come to be classed with the necessary equipment of every modern day home.

To the Battle Creek electric bath cabinet, procured here under the direction of its inventor, belong all the advantages of originality and priority of production. The Sanitarium Equipment company, manufacturers of these cabinets, have been constantly on the alert to effect refinements in design and construction. They have profited, too, by the thoroughgoing tests, aggregating many thousands of applications each year, which these cabinets have undergone at the Sanitarium here, and at other hospitals and health institutions throughout the country.

It is not surprising, then, that the Battle Creek cabinet still retains the leadership it has enjoyed during more than two decades of electric light bath history.