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*Autour de la terre obsédée
Circule au fond des nuits, au cœur des jours,
Toujours
L'orage amoncelé des idées.*

—VERHAEREN

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CALIFORNIAN GOLD

December 3, 1915.

AT PISA they began to come in—a young, nice-looking Italian clerk and an older man with one of those gracious manners that make travelling in Italy so much pleasanter than travelling elsewhere.

We had hardly settled ourselves into three of the corners when a tall woman, her arms full of furs and pillows, came to the door. She eyed us carefully then, seeming satisfied that we would do, dropped her possessions into the empty corner by the door and disappeared, coming back a moment later with a valise, a hat box, and several large paper