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Poetry.

HO FOR THE POLLS.

A Dialogue between the Women Suffragists, Mrs. Susan B. Anthony and Miss Phoebe Coggens on Election Day.

Says Phoebe to Susan let's go to the polls,
And drive back the Democrats into their holes,
For women you know are the mischief to go
To places of that kind, and make a great blow.

We will go then at once, and do what we can,
To make them believe we're as good as a man,
So hasten, my friend, and put on your bonnet,
If we do nothing more We will sing them a sonnet.

The election next fall is the worst thing of all,
As I fear our grand party is in danger,
For Cleveland you know is our very worst foe,
And as brave as an old Texas ranger.

He's a very wise man, deny it who can?
And will stir up a lively commotion,
For the mugwumps will stand with the rest of the land,
And elect him from ocean to ocean.

I plainly can see, and all must agree
God's own special hand in his keeping,
And for his good deeds in all our needs
A pretty rich harvest is reaping.

It is very plain, that our dear Mr. Blaine,
The goose step has just finished learning,
And soon he will be, coming over the sea,
To his home and his party returning.

But I think he will sigh, like poor Susan and I,
For a place that we seek in the sweet bye-and-bye,
But fate has decided all things with great care,
That Blaine shall not sit in the President's Chair.

L. W.

Agricultural.

FLOWER POTS.

Mr. Eben E. Rexford has a page of pleasant gossip in the last number of Vick's Monthly on the subject of flowers and flower pots. He prefers the plain, unglazed pot to any other for greenhouse use, but in the living room he thinks a glazed pot most satisfactory, because the high temperature of most living rooms causes such a rapid evaporation from the soil in the pot, if it be a porous one, that plants suffer from lack of moisture at the roots very frequently, when those who have charge of them think the soil must be moist all through. The pot gets warm from contact with heated air, and this, combined with the free admission of heated air through the pores of the clay, on all sides of the pot, takes the moisture away from the soil below its surface almost as rapidly as it evaporates from the top. If painted or glazed pots are used, there will be no admission of this air through the sides of the pot, consequently no direct evaporation there. 'I am aware, he says, 'that some advise against the use of these pots on the plea that they make the soil heavy and sour, and that the air cannot get to the roots readily. The first objection can be met with the assertion of a simple fact: If proper drainage is provided, a plant can be grown healthily in glass or tin, or any vessel having air tight sides. The surplus water will run off from the soil, and drain out at the bottom through the material provided to keep the soil from packing down, and filling up the hole in the bottom of the pot. I have frequently seen remarkably healthy looking plants growing in old tin cans whose bottoms were punched full of holes for the escape of water. Without these holes plants so grown are almost always sickly. This proves that the important item to be considered is drainage, rather than the material of which the vessel is composed or the condition of its sides. As regards the objection raised against glazed pots because of the non-admission of air to the roots through the sides, it amounts to nothing. If the surface of the soil is stirred frequently, as it always should be, the air can penetrate to the roots through it quite as easily and as perfectly as the air gets to the roots of plants growing in the ground. Where but few plants are kept in the sitting-room, glazed or painted pots add vastly to the appearance of the flower stand Until within the period of a few years it was supposed that plants would not thrive in glazed pots, but this has been abundantly proved to be an error.'

FLOWER THOUGHTS.

From the New York Observer.

My near neighbor and old friend, to whom I go to know what plants I shall get, and how I shall care for them, often entertains me by her experience with the flowers that have come and gone during her long life, and who now, after many years, finds the plants of long ago again becoming favorites.

She welcomes them as old friends, though some of them she scarcely recognizes in their smart new dresses, which instead of suggesting to her the 'survival of the fittest' she thinks rather go to show what the knowledge, ingenuity, industry and perseverance of man can accomplish by hybridization and cultivation.

I was telling her the other day of a charming book I was reading on Florence, and the men who made it. She said, just now the spring flower catalogues were her Florence, her Dante, her Michael Angelo, her delight, and for this month, at least, she wanted no other 'light reading.'

She says, like the flowers, she needs a complete rest for a while, and from October to May—except a few dining-room plants she gives them up entirely. And then, as it is said, 'that faith and wonder and the primal earth are born anew with every child,' does she become a child again with every spring-time; and forgetting all her past failures, whether from cold, or heat, or drought, or any other cause, enters anew upon the year with the faith and hope of a child, feeling sure her flowers of this summer will excel all other years. Long ago—in 1840—upon seeing for the first time a white petunia, that now so common flower, and soon after having read Wordsworth's lines, she remembers paraphrasing them, saying to herself:

'My heart leaps up when I behold
A flower new or rare,
So was it when my life began,
So is it now I am a man,
So let it be when I grow old,
Or let me die.'

She is old, and it is so. M.

GLEANINGS.

Farmers who live in a region where fruit can be grown, should not fail to make ample provision for a regular and abundant supply through the entire year, or as near to the yearly circle as practicable. There is comparatively little difficulty in providing a regular succession through summer and autumn, by planting various small fruits and the early-ripening apples, pears, peaches, plums, and other kinds which will give an uninterrupted succession from early summer to winter; but more care is required to preserve without decay the winter varieties which are to be retained for months within doors, from the first of December to the following June. Two principal requirements are necessary; a good fruit room, which may be a portion of the house cellar, separated from the rest of the cellar by a partition, so as to be kept perfectly sweet and pure by ample ventilation. The other requirement consists of boxes, cases, trays, shelves, or other receptacles in which the fruit may be stored, and be always ready for immediate use.

Since the close of the wet spell the weather has been much better for farmers and the public generally.

The Star Joker.

Nine times in ten the man who volunteers the information that he is sober is not to be believed.—Washington Critic.

A lady physician, Dr. Hattie Allen, has been appointed Associate Professor of Medicine in the University of Michigan. Now we hope Hattie will write herself Harriet.—Medical Record.

An Arkansas man who bet on Fremont's election to the Presidency paid the lost wager the other day. He wanted time to be sure about the case, and the other man was in no hurry.—Detroit Free Press.

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'It is my painful duty, madam,' he said, 'to inform you that lightning has just struck your husband.'

'Did it strike him more than once?'

'No, ma'am.'

'Thank heaven it's no worse!' she said, with a sigh of relief. 'If lightning only struck John once he'll pull through.'—Puck.

The genial Sam Jones opened his first sermon in New York with the words: 'People say to me, 'Jones, why don't you preach Christ? You only preach law.' To all such I say, 'Do you suppose I'll bring my God down here among your cutthroats?'

Sam never dared say that of Chicago people. All that he called them was 'skunks.'—Chicago Herald.

'George,' she said, as she suddenly continued to sit in the sand, 'I wonder with what hopes and fears and ambitions and perhaps sorrow and tears yonder gallant ship is freighted as she sails so swiftly on?' 'I think you are mistaken, Clara,' said George tenderly; 'that is a three-masted schooner, and I think she is freighted with lumber.'—Harper's Bazar.

It is on the railroad trains that one is most sure of hearing amusing things, as witness the following fragment overheard on an Old Colony train recently: 'What town is this?' one passenger asked another. 'This is Quincy.' 'What is there in Quincy?' 'Well, there's some buried Adamses and some unburied Adamses, but they are all dead just the same.'—Providence Journal.

A young man who was about to enter a drinking saloon suddenly stopped, and with a set look upon his face walked rapidly away. 'Sir,' said an old gentleman who had observed his movements, 'you fill my heart with joy. You have resolved never to enter that accursed place again?' 'I won't at present, at least, sir,' responded the youth; 'you see, it suddenly occurred to me that I owed the proprietor seventy-five cents.'—Tid-Bits.

First Omaha Dame—Are you not afraid your boy will get run over?

Second Omaha Dame—Oh, no, indeed. He's perfectly safe.

First Omaha Dame—But he rides his bicycle on some of the most crowded streets. Isn't he in constant danger from horses?

Second Omaha Dame—Bless you, no. All the spirited horses run away as quick as they see him.—Omaha World.

South African juries are not always very wise. A girl was charged at the Riversdale Circuit Court with administering poison to the family which she served. The first verdict returned was 'murder.' 'Impossible,' said the judge; 'no one has been killed!' The jury went back, and returned with a verdict of 'suicide.' 'But the girl is still alive!' expostulated the judge. On this the jury gave it up and returned a verdict of 'Not guilty!'—London Truth.

'Beautiful!' said the dreamer. 'Sixty birds in two hours, and only missed two shots.'

A quiet gentleman sitting in a corner of the hotel office put down his paper, rushed across the room and grasped him warmly by the hand. 'Allow me to congratulate you, sir,' he said; 'I am a professional myself.'

'Professional sportsman?'

'No; professional liar.'—Exchange.

Two young ladies were sitting together in a street car. One of them was very pale and thin and seemed to be suffering. At the next corner the invalid got up and left the car. A gentleman who had been sitting opposite said to the remaining lady:

'Excuse me. I am a physician. I perceive your friend is an invalid.'

'Yes,' was the reply, 'she has a heart trouble.'

'Probably an aneurism.'

'No; a West Point cadet'—Exchange.

An Artist's Dream Broken: 'That farm scene you seem to be steering at, sir' said the indignant artist, 'is valued at $500.' It is generally considered a fine painting. Allow me to ask you if you are familiar with works of art?' 'Not very familiar,' replied the agriculturist, who was looking through the studio with his wife, 'but I know something about the works of nature, young man; and when you make a cow that gets up from the ground by putting out her forefeet first, you are doing something that nature never did. Come, Nancy, let's go.'—Chicago Tribune.

The wife of an Erie clergyman is visiting in town with an infant son who was christened Erie Penn Howard. A Methodist minister who should follow this practice would indeed have an interesting family. First he would have a Rochester N. Y. Walker, or whatever the surname might be, in his next change he might have another child to name North Collins Walker, or Clarence or Batavia or Tonawanda or Eden Valley Walker. If he got a charge in Buffalo of course he would name a child born here Buffalo New York Walker. In case he had two children he would name the second after the church of which he was Pastor, as Plymouth or Asbury Walker, or after the street on which the parsonage was situated, as Richmond Avenue Walker. But what if the child was a girl?—Buffalo Courier.

Sunset Cox is improving in health slowly. The germ of his disease he brought with him from the Orient. Cox is the same as ever in his buoyant spirits. 'I remember,' he said, 'I was in Trenton, N. J., the night we received the news that the Republican party had been defeated in Maine during the Hancock campaign. There was a public meeting at which I was to deliver an address. Senator, now Secretary, Bayard preceded me. He made a very long speech, which I thought rather tired his auditors. I was to follow him. Just before he closed I received a telegram from Maine, telling me of the victory. I said to myself, 'When I am called upon to speak, I will announce as prefatory to my remarks, the good news.' When I took the rostrum, with the telegram from Maine in my hand, I struck an attitude and exclaimed, 'We've got 'em.'

''What's that?' came in a sepulchral voice from the rear of the hall.

'Without changing my attitude I repeated, 'We've got 'em.'

''Yes,' came the same voice, 'you have got 'em, and got 'em bad What's your liquor?'

'You can imagine,' said Cox, 'the contretemps of the situation.'

Miscellaneous.

HOW WE CATCH COLD.

More Through the Nerves Than Through Drafts.

Cold is not the only factor in the production of catarrh. There is a collateral cause, and a most important one, in certain depressed conditions of the nervous system, provided reasonable precautions are taken against cold, there is enough vitality in the organism to resist its injurious influence. The nervous system is, in fact, the guardian, controller and prime regulator of animal heat or body temperature, and its slightest failure to fulfil the responsible duties—the least relaxation of its constant vigilance—renders us liable to fall a prey to cold.

The following suppositiious cases will afford an illustration: An individual who habitually drives about in an open conveyance, with perfect freedom from catarrh, happens on one occasion to fall asleep, when he is out, and the very next day has cold The explanation of the phenomenon is to be found in the fact that during sleep nervous energy is lowered and the system therefore less able to withstand the injurious effects of cold. If we assume that the individual was also in a state of intoxication at the time, the damage done by cold would be more serious, as the depression of alcohol is added to that of sleep. It is therefore not surprising to find that inflammation of the lungs is frequently contracted under such circumstances. We instinctively acknowledge the nervous depression during sleep by taking the precaution to throw a rug over the knees before our forty winks on the dining room sofa.

A timid woman came home one night pale and ghastly with fright, having encountered a spectre clad in white, which she calls a 'ghost.' In a day or two she develops a cold, for which she cannot in any way account. Fear acts as a depressant to the nervous system, crippling its powers of resisting the action of cold; hence the phrase 'shivering with fear.' Similarly, innumerable events of daily life tend to irritate, depress or excite the nerves, and render them unfit for maintaining the body temperature against the fluctuations of weather and climate. During these unguarded moments a trifling exposure to cold or damp is sufficient to induce catarrh. It is known that stout boots, umbrellas and wraps, though preservatives in their way, are not by any means the only precautionary measures to be adopted; that we must endeavor to strengthen the nervous system, if it be defective, and that when we are compelled to expose ourselves to cold or wet when the nerves are depressed from temporary causes, such as fatigue, anxiety, grief, dyspepsia or ill humor, we should be especially careful to guard against cold.—Chambers's Journal

Dangers of Mining.

One great fact stands out conspicuously in the Blue Book on 'Mines' just issued, says the London Christian World. That fact is, the coal miner's occupation is now well nigh twice as safe as it was thirty years ago. Of course it is still exceptionally hazardous, and therefore demands exceptionally careful consideration on the part of employers, not to say exceptionally strict supervision on the part of the Government. The number of persons employed in or about coal mines last year was 561,092, of whom 546,508 were females laboring above ground. The number who came under the Coal Mines Regulation Act was 519,970, of whom 4,131 were females. The accidents amounted to one for every 644 persons employed; the deaths to one for every 545. Less though this is than what befell thirty years ago, and things are ominous as the prosecution has proceeded faster during the last ten years, it remains a tremendous liability—more, much more, than even soldiers and sailors are usually called on to face. There seems to be a consensus of opinion among the Inspectors that the greatest number of deaths are due to the falling in of the roof or sides of the crevices in which the men work. Surely safeguards of an effectual kind might be provided against this risk. But if the employers are to blame for neglect or parsimony, much more are the men for a recklessness that must be condemned as foolhardy. They are addicted to smoking, and will carry the means for striking a light, and so enjoy a whiff, where the indulgence is most perilous. They are averse to the use of the safety lamp, mainly because it gives a little less light than a naked flame, and so hinders their work, especially in the cleaning of their coals, to an extent which they think is not compensated by the extra penny or three halfpence a ton to which its habitual use entitles them.

The Old-Fashioned Girl.

She was a little girl until she was fifteen years old, and she helped her mother in her household duties. She had her hours of play, and enjoyed herself to the fullest extent. She never said to her mother, 'I can't—I don't want to,' for obedience was to her a cherished virtue. She arose in the morning when called, and we do not suppose she had her hair done up in crimping papers, and crimping pins, or banged over her forehead. She did not grow into a young lady and talk about her beau before she was in her teens, and she did not read dime novels, nor was she fancying a hero in every plowboy she met. The old-fashioned girl was modest in her demeanor, and never talked slang nor used by-words. She did not laugh at oldpeople nor make fun of cripples. She had respect for her elders, and was not above listening to words of counsel from those older than herself. She did not know as much as her mother, nor did she think that her judgement was as good as that of her grandmother. She did not go to parties by the time she was ten years old, and stay till after midnight, dancing with chance young men who happened to be present. She went to bed in season, and doubtless she said her prayers and slept the sleep of innocence, and rose up in the morning happy and capable of giving happiness. And now, if there be an old-fashioned girl in the world today, may heaven bless and keep and raise up others like her.

Soldiers on Skates.

Perhaps the most curious battalion in any army is the Norwegian corps of skaters. These corps are composed of picked armed men with rifles, which they use with great precision. The skates used are admirably adapted for traveling over rough and broken ice and frozen snow, being six inches broad and between nine and ten inches long The soldiers can be maneuvered upon the ice or over the snowfields of the mountains with a rapidity equal to that of the best trained cavalry. As an instance of the speed they attain, it is stated that a messenger attached to the corps has accomplished 120 miles in eighteen hours and a half, over a mountainous country.—Golden Argosy.

A Happy Couple.

A married and experienced friend tells us that a man should always be a little bigger than his wife, and a little older, a little braver, and a little stronger, and a little more in love with her than she is with him.

A woman should always be a little younger, and a little prettier, and a little more considerate than her husband. He should bestow upon her all his worldly goods, and she should take care of them.

A weak mind is like a microscope, which magnifies trifling things, but cannot receive great ones.—Chesterfield.

Cutting Their Throats with Protection.

France and Italy are just now illustrating the various uses to which a protective tariff can be put. The French Chamber of Deputies has passed a bill which imposes a duty of 50 per cent. on raw silks imported from Italy, a measure which is likely to prove a boomerang of a serious kind. Those who are informed declare that the effect of the operation of the bill will be to close half the silk mills of Lyons, while the Italian silk growers, on the other hand, will sustain slight injury, the demand for their products being always greater than the supply. The Italian Government, not to be behind in this amiable and Christian warfare, has imposed a tax of 20 per cent. upon iron, of 50 per cent. on copper, and of 30 per cent. on machines imported from France. What the effect of this action will be on the French manufacturers remains to be seen. Its real object is said to be the desire on the part of France to strike a blow at German commerce, that country being able under the present system at Italian rates of duty. The real effect, however, of the action of both Governments will be to tax their own subjects.—Christian Union.

Here is something that may interest somebody. It is from the report made to the House of Representatives on May 19, 1858—just thirty years ago—by the special committee that in the earlier part of the session had been appointed to consider the whole subject of federal taxation and revenue—the House of Representatives being at that time democratic:

Resolved,

That the vast and increasing expenditure of the federal government indicates the necessity of a change in our fiscal system, whereby the protective policy shall be entirely abolished, and a resort had at as early a period as may be practicable exclusively to direct taxation

That the highest development of the industrial resources of the country is to be attained by the greatest freedom of exchanges, which can only be thoroughly accomplished by the entire abolition of duties on imports and a resort exclusively to direct taxation.

That the system of direct taxation presenting the most advantages is for each state to collect and pay over its quota, to be ascertained by the constitutional rule of apportionment, this insuring perfect equality, and dispensing with multitudes of federal officers.

The report was signed by W. W. Boyce, of South Carolina, Richard Mott, of Ohio, John A. Quitman, of Mississippi, Jacob R. Wortendyke, of New Jersey, and E. E. Spinner, of New York.

Boyce, Quitman and Wortendyke were democrats; Mott and Spinner were republicans.

Don't, Please.

Wisconsin and Kentucky are about forming a trust in mixed drinks. The former has several hundred acres planted in mint, while the latter State has long enjoyed a monopoly of bourbon. The attention of Rev. Sam Jones is respectfully directed to this attempt to popularize a seductive beverage by raising the price.—St. Louis Chronicle.

Just What It Is.

The Democrats swept the State in the town elections pretty thoroughly, as usual. It is very much to be hoped in the interest of all the people that the result is but a fair augury of what is to be in November.—Raleigh (N. C.) News.

At the first indication of disorder, the derange or enfeebled condition of the stomach, liver, or bowels, should be promptly rectified by Ayer's Cathartic Pills. These Pills (tried triple), are perfectly safe to take, and remove all tendency to liver and bowel complaints.

An system has recently discovered that the planet Mars is lighted by great canals about 2,000 miles long and nearly as wide as the Strait of Dover. We hope to try it the Mars Legislature.

A man recently astonished his wife by coming home with two black eyes. 'What have you been doing?' said she. 'Getting a pair of socks,' he replied.

When blooming in the garden beds,
The flowers exhale their sweet perfume,
And man has thinnest flannels shed,
The dog his summer pants assume.

Arbor Day is now observed by schools of two-thirds of the States.

Miscellaneous.

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