

Poetry Worth Reading

The Boys of Long Ago. When I go down to Gungawamp. As now and then I do.

"By course," says he, "yew understand I ain't a-nosin' 'ound Inquirin' intew yewr affairs."

And Aunt Eliza, good old soul. She meets me on the street. And makes inquiries for "the folks"

Another one will hem and how And say: "Bill, is it true That yew hev trouble with yewr wife"

The Deacon's Compromise. Deacon Eliakim's conscience so strong Told him the circus was wicked and wrong;

Nevertheless, when the music would play, Kib tickling jollity holding its sway.

Thus on this multiple circus of life Deacon Eliakim's scruples were rife;

Nevertheless, when the fan reached its height, Deacon Eliakim saw a great light;

The Endless Day. Sometimes I dream of following the sun. With even pace, from land to land afar.

And yet—no more to see the sun arise And mount the sky, the conqueror of night.

A Home in the Heart. Oh, ask not a home in the mansions of pride. Where marble shines out in the pillars and walls;

Oh, link but one spirit that's warmly sincere. That will heighten your pleasure and solace your care;

Then the frowns of misfortune may shadow our lot. The cheek-bearing tear drops of sorrow may start.

Celestial Gab. Just look at the bang of that blonde angel's wings! Just glance at her robe! How absurdly it clicks!

The Banqueting Board. The earth is a banqueting board Which all of us well can afford; Fresh moment life gives us of breath

DR. HUMPHREYS' SPECIFICS.

- 1. Fevers, Concessions, Inflammations... 2. Worms, Isoria Fever, or Worm Disease... 3. Colds, Crying and Wakefulness of Infants...

AUTOMOBILE WEAR ON ROADS.

Remedy Presents a Serious Problem to Road Builders.

The damage done in macadam roads by automobiles in travelling at a high rate of speed is a subject of no little discussion at the present time in the public press and by road builders.

As an illustration of the serious financial side of the question, attention is called to the fact that the Massachusetts State Highway Commission, according to reports, will ask for a very materially increased appropriation in order to repair the damage done to the roads in that State.

Some Expensive Animals.

A spinster with money to burn recently paid \$5,000 for a bulldog. A man in Massachusetts has just bought a cow for \$8,000. Walter Garvey has a hog for which he refused a cash offer \$4,000.

To Cure Gnawing Horses.

Some horses have a very ugly and annoying habit of gnawing their feed boxes, mangers and, in fact, every piece of wood in reach of them when tied in the stable, to a rack, fence or gate.

Prime Beef on Alfalfa.

To make prime beef on alfalfa hay alone the cattle must be humored a good deal and the quantity of the hay must be all right.

Way to Dry Thin Glasses.

"Our maid certainly worked destruction on those sherry glasses, those delicate little glasses," said the customer to the dealer.

"Oh, you got off easy, judging from the stories that come to us," replied the storekeeper.

"Well, I see how it is," said the customer. "I tried wiping a few of these glasses myself, and the first thing I knew I wiped the side right out of one."

"Now if you would wait until they are nearly dry," remarked the dealer, "you'd never break any at all. Take this cordial glass, with the very thin stem. You naturally seize it by the foot and turn it while you wipe the bowl with the other hand."

"Doesn't that make streaked glasses?"

"No, not if the water and towels are clean. Do not use greasy dish towels."

Work Dresses.

The neatest and most serviceable work dresses are shirt waist dresses of percale or gingham, made to button together at the waist, so that there can be no slipping or pulling out at the belt.

Brandy Peaches Without Brandy.

In peach season fill a Mason jar with cling-stone peaches, carefully selected and pared. Then fill in all spaces in the jar with granulated sugar. Screw on top to jar very tight, and bury three feet in the ground for six months.

Good Ration for a Horse.

A good ration for the horse of any kind of feed is about a pound of grain and one and a half pounds of hay to each hundred pounds of horse. And this would apply to alfalfa. In fact, the horse should do better on the alfalfa than with the other hays and with less grain.

Feeding Beet Pulp.

In feeding beet pulp absolute cleanliness should be observed. It should be fed in troughs or bunks provided for the purpose and only such an amount of pulp should be fed at one time as the cattle will clean up with reasonable waste.

A Good Combination.

We have found that speltz and corn, mixed and ground half and half, make good feed for milk cows. Sprouted wheat is usually so cheap that it will pay to grind and feed some of it but like speltz it should be mixed with some other grain. One thing we like about speltz is it gives bulk to a mixture of ground feed. The trouble with ground corn is its great weight compared with its bulk. Speltz evens this up.

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