

In the Wheat Field.

When the birds of the virgin dove uncloze,
When the earth is fair and the heavens are
When the early breath of the waking rose
Flows on the air in bloom,
I stand breathless in the poetry wheat
That thrills and thrills to a sportive breeze,
As he who rides with his Hermes feet,
And its subtle odor of southern sea.
White on the infinite azure deep
The flashing wings of the swallow sweep,
Pendant and beautiful, wild and free,
Over the waves of the shimmering sea.
Amora faints in the balustrade
Of the Monarch of Morning's bright em-
brace,
And the summer-day climbs higher and higher
On the verdant slope;
The wind is ruffled by the radiant grain,
And the sportive breeze of the ocean dies,
And soon in the moonlight's somnolent rain,
The field seems green with a million eyes,
As bright as a gem in his mine of gold,
While the slumberous glimmer of beam and
glide over and under the window west.
Yet the largest spirit of lazy noon,
With its minor and morphean misty rife,
Is pulsing in low voluptuous tune
With summer's soft life,
Hark to the death of the wings,
To the honey-bees as they come,
To the "boomer" scarce rattling his satiny
rings,
The small brown and the beetle's hum,
And here to the loon's wailing son-
song,
Take the tingling steel of an elm's goos,
As here he bows and here he bows
To swoon on the dazling and distant coast
Now day declines and the shafts of night
Are sheathed in a quiver of opal haze;
Still thro' the ethereal, but magic light,
What sunset grandeur abides!
How the sky, in its purple, seems
Like the realm of a master poet's mind—
A shifting kingdom of splendid dream,
With faller and fairer truths behind!
The sun is low, the moon is high,
Ebb like the tides of a living breast,
As the splendor melts and the shadows melt,
And the trees of twilight trail over the
wheat.

CHIPS.

Chips was hungry. Well, there was nothing remarkable in this, at least to Chips, as he was often hungry. He bill of fare for the day ran thus: For breakfast, one bowl, with crust; dinner, nothing; supper, ditto; moreover, if moribund reflections, you see, the remarkable fact would have changed had he not been hungry.

"Why are you so carnisariously disposed to become exalted in rank, the height of his position depending upon the amount of his grub?" asked the philosopher. "Well, but I am a lord; if hungry, he became duke; at the very hungriest—a prince.

At this epoch he was a prince.

When in this state Chips often held imaginary conversations with invisible individuals, wherein he was expected to be answering such questions as, "What is the meaning of this salad?" or, "Will your royal highness condescend to accept this mutton?" with the general answer, spoken in an undertone, "No, thank you, my good fellow, I have sufficiently dined."

Chips palace overlooked the sea—being at the foot of Liberty street. It was a magnificent structure, and well ventilated. "Well," soliloquized Chips, "folks never fresh air in winter as well as summer, and when they want things to keep them alive, put 'em in the cold." And again, "A feller might grow, but Old Jack wouldn't let up on his toes all the same."

In addition to being a prince, Chips was a philosopher. Every morning his royal highness emerged from his palace with his implements of trade—his box and brush, and a pipe. "What are you?" he exclaimed, "I wonder. Well, why not? When it pleases our noble lords of the present day to metamorphose themselves into stage-actors, cannot they do so in any other right, be a bookish? Every evening he returned to his palace and bed of straw. "Straw?" you cry. Well, why not? A few centuries ago, the personages received visitors of state sitting upon rushes. It was merely a revival of ancient customs. Chips was not always rejoiced in a title. He could remember a time once when he had slept under a roof and washed his face.

"Far from it," he said, "I have seen the shadows of that strange distant past he could dimly trace a ray of light. It was the thought of a general who had once been over his eyes with his light of love shining into his lips with a tender curving, whispering low, "My son."

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THE FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Leached Ashes.
The New Hampshire Mirror and Farmer says: Leached ashes are good for almost any crop, but should be applied with other fertilizers that contain vegetable substances, like barn manure; thus applied on most soils, and for nearly every crop, twenty bushels applied to an acre of land in a manure would produce better results for most crops than 150 bushels applied without other fertilizers, or five cords of stable manure applied with no other fertilizer with it.

Cracked Corn for Cattle.
The proper way to feed corn to live this grain in a "crushed" or "cracked" condition. Common cracked corn may be fed to them or it may be fed to them in a certain degree of moisture, and when not cultivated it will be dry as powder several feet deep. This will be of little use to the stock, and is truly wonderful, and especially when the subsoil plow has been employed. This greatly increases the power of the soil, and the moisture from below in a line of drought.

The Drovers' Journal says: The man who makes the business pay is the man who carefully selects his breeding ewes, annually culls out the old and inferior stock, and keeps the flock at a thoroughbred male, if he cannot afford to start with pure bred ewes. In any kind of flock raising, sheep growing if properly attended to, to be a successful flock master you must keep your flock young, feed well and constantly, and judge of the quality of the flock by the quality of the wool.

Gravities can be grafted, although grafting has not been much practiced in this country. Various methods of grafting have been recommended, but the following is the one that is most successful. The old vine should be cut off below the ground early in the spring and before the sap has started, and cleft in the same manner as an apple tree. The new graft, which is prepared and inserted in the manner usual with other grafts. The stock is bound up and the graft replaced. The soil around the graft is kept clean at a feeding-ground—Levinson Journal.

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Rolling on Light soils.
A New Jersey farmer, writing to an exchange, says: Rolling is another popular process that may do much mischief upon light soils. The soil is broken up, and the water is driven out, and the soil is left in a condition that is not favorable to the growth of the crops. The soil is left in a condition that is not favorable to the growth of the crops. The soil is left in a condition that is not favorable to the growth of the crops.

Training the Tomato.
In small gardens, where it is desirable to keep everything in neat trim and to make the most of the limited ground, the growing of tomatoes in training to plants is a very profitable method. The plants are trained to grow in a row, and the soil is kept clean and free from weeds. The plants are trained to grow in a row, and the soil is kept clean and free from weeds. The plants are trained to grow in a row, and the soil is kept clean and free from weeds.

Condensing a Telegram.
There was a big smash on the railroad at Dallas, Texas. To announce his escape from a horrible death one of the passengers, a tall man with a mustache, and a telegraph operator, the following message:

MR. SAMUEL H. FOLLEMER, DALLAS CENTER, TEXAS: My dear wife: I left this city this morning at 10 o'clock for Dallas. I was delayed by a terrible railroad accident on the road between Dallas and Fort Worth. I am now in Dallas, and I am well. I am now in Dallas, and I am well. I am now in Dallas, and I am well.

NEWS SUMMARY.

Eastern and Middle States.
Wash. has been quite generally named at the recent general election. At a meeting of the state committee of the New York Anti-Monopoly party, held in New York city, it was decided to hold a State convention at Saratoga on September 13.

The American Bankers' convention held their annual meeting in Saratoga, N. Y., selected President G. C. Cox, of New York, and listened to the reading of various papers on financial topics. Delegates from all classes were present, and a full report was made by the President.

Wm. Alexander and John G. Clark were in the sitting-room of their residence in West Chester, N. Y., at 9 o'clock, when the front door was broken down and five men entered the room with drawn revolvers. Two of the men, John G. Clark, and one Alexander, were immediately shot and killed. The other three men were wounded.

From Washington.
Mr. Long, the American consul at Alexandria, was attacked by about forty natives in a public square. The consul was wounded and taken to the hospital. The natives were dispersed, and the consul was taken to the hospital.

Foreign News.
Both houses of the British parliament have adopted a resolution in regard to the situation in the Balkans. The resolution is in favor of the maintenance of the status quo in the Balkans.

HEALTH TIPS.

A sun-bath is a ready remedy for rheumatism. Health should be the rule, and sickness the exception, in human life. No sick person ever gets well until the weakest organ in the body is made healthy. Air is food. To have good health human beings should live more in the open air. Those who are sick have added to their sickness by the poisons they have taken medicinally.

To treat sprains give the affected part rest in a well-ventilated room, and apply liniments or poultices made of bread, vinegar and water.

An excellent medicine is sunshine. The world requires more of it, morally and physically. It is more soothing than morphine, more potent than opium. It is good for liver complaint, for neuralgia, for rheumatism, for indigestion, for everything. Make your room sunny and cheerful; build your house so as to command the sunlight all day long.

Low vitality may result from anxiety, watching, over-work, intemperance, or from excessive indulgence in amusement. High health offers little lodging-place to the germs of disease. Some what as the needs of woods find no room in a well-ventilated grass field. Low health opens a chasm into which every evil falls. Few things, however, so let down the system as insufficient or improper food and want of sleep.—Dr. Foster's Health Monthly.

Merchant's CARBOLIC LINIMENT.

For Burns, Sores and Aches, this liniment is the best. It is made of the finest ingredients, and is the only one that will cure all kinds of skin diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of skin diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of skin diseases.

GRANITE'S Disputed.

One of the principal reasons for the success of Granite's Carbolic Liniment is that it is made of the finest ingredients, and is the only one that will cure all kinds of skin diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of skin diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of skin diseases.

JOHN HODGE'S SECRET.

For Coughs, Croup, and Whooping Cough, this medicine is the best. It is made of the finest ingredients, and is the only one that will cure all kinds of respiratory diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of respiratory diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of respiratory diseases.

STOMACH BITTERS.

For Indigestion, Stomach Aches, and Loss of Appetite, this medicine is the best. It is made of the finest ingredients, and is the only one that will cure all kinds of digestive diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of digestive diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of digestive diseases.

"HAINES" PIANOS.

For Music, Entertainment, and Education, these pianos are the best. They are made of the finest materials, and are the only ones that will give you the best of music. They are the only ones that will give you the best of music. They are the only ones that will give you the best of music.

GOOD NEWS.

For Health, Wealth, and Happiness, these are the best. They are made of the finest ingredients, and are the only ones that will give you the best of everything. They are the only ones that will give you the best of everything. They are the only ones that will give you the best of everything.

NEW BIRD BLOOD.

For Weakness, Anemia, and Poor Blood, this medicine is the best. It is made of the finest ingredients, and is the only one that will cure all kinds of blood diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of blood diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of blood diseases.

TEAS.

For Refreshment, Relaxation, and Entertainment, these teas are the best. They are made of the finest ingredients, and are the only ones that will give you the best of tea. They are the only ones that will give you the best of tea. They are the only ones that will give you the best of tea.

MAKE HENS LAY.

For Healthy, Productive Hens, this medicine is the best. It is made of the finest ingredients, and is the only one that will cure all kinds of hen diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of hen diseases. It is the only one that will cure all kinds of hen diseases.

THE MARKETS.

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