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Poetry.

Summer and Winter.
The mellow month of June
When the yellow cowslips sing,
And the meadows are in bloom,
When in daisy forest nook,
Eden huntmen wind the horn,
And the clover-scented morn
Ripens into grassy green,
Then I have to leave you,
In the grass on some cool hill,
While the meadow-larks all sing,
Life is music, Care and pain
But the Summer's reign.

Select Tale.

GIVE AND TAKE.

"O dear, dear! what a wonderful success of 'the' is!" said Katie.
She looked across her face, and then at the old man, who was sitting in a high-backed chair, and looking at her with a smile.
"Thank you very much," she said, "but I don't think I should have been so successful. I don't know what it is, but I feel as if I have been very lucky."

A Chatter-Box.

Toxes of various kinds play an important part in our lives. From our earliest days, when rocked in a cradle, until the hour when our mortal remains are boxed up to be conveyed to mother earth, we are in one kind of a box or another.
"Boxing" is a very old word, and is derived from the fact that we were often put in a box by our elders, and were called "boxed ears" for being so. In both cases it was a bad box for us—indeed, in the first case, it was a very bad box, being a very Paulina of a box.

A Dutchman's Lesson.

Any sheltman vod vill go round pinning your face and talk in front of your pack about so matters, was a shelder. I. B. eddot Brown says veek pofen next about me I was a heek-poked chasp. Dot vas a heek. De proof of deesting vas in de puddings:
I am married twenty y already, and I was yet not p d heard. I don't wonder some petty-goats gofe a neat; still I think it was better if a feller vill insert mit his vife and got her adios about somethings or odes.

Wonders of the Atmosphere.

The atmosphere rises above us with its cathedral dome arching towards heaven, of which it is the best synonym and symbol. So massive is it that when it begins to stir it tosses the great ships like playthings, and sweeps cities and forests like snow-drifts to destruction before it. And yet it is so mobile that we have to live for it as it before we can be persuaded that it exists at all; and the great bulk of mankind never realize the truth that they are bathed in an ocean of air.

Burdelle on the Rail.

At Lyon Falls the ventilation fiend gets on the train. She is a woman this time. Would I open the window for her?
I would and did.
"Did it any mo?"
"Ob no; I rather liked to see the snow blow in and beat down on neck and back. It soothed me and braced me, as it were, up."
She was faded away, she told me, with consumption.

Setting the Fashion.

"Where comes the fashions?" is a question often asked. Can you know where one fashion comes from. Some years ago a leading New York house imported, through a blender, a large amount of a certain very ugly material which would not sell and lay dead upon the hands. Something had to be done. The proprietors of one or two fashion papers were consulted. Next week their columns told thousands of eager readers that there had recently been shown a new and stylish fabric which promised to be very fashionable; and the statement was widely copied by the daily press. Retail dealers found their customers flocking for it and sought it in the jobbers' stores in the form of the importers, who quietly unloaded their whole stock at a handsome profit. The goods were voted 'beautiful' and 'stylish' and the fabric in question was the rage for a time. Just how much the fashion papers were paid was never divulged. All of which shows how one fashion was set and what fools these mortals be!

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