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Select Poetry.

Happy Hours.

Happy Hours. BY E. A. WESTON. Earth has a thousand happy hours, To cheer the darkest lot, A thousand bright moments That will not be forgot...

Communications.

Human Ills—Why so Many?

BY E. A. WESTON.

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For everything there is a cause. What marvel that so many ills embitter life. Subject a child to the agglomeration of the ordinary taints descending from one generation to another...

perumery; caution him that daily ablutions would produce "colds;" let him eat when he craves it "his every hour of the day; in a few years, make him toil unremittingly, else house him altogether in there's nothing else to do...

are pointed to the presence of debility and pain. Religious men teach us to accept weakness and debility suffering as the appointed lot of humanity. Hence the conditions of health and longevity are not, merely disregarded but ignored, and men of the profoundest learning on other subjects, are here ignorant of elements, university professors know how to take care of the solar system, but do not know how to take care of their systems...

his life—as though they thought the Omniscient could be enjoined into forgetfulness of the difference between "holy water" or "holy earth," and the pure in heart and the obedient in life. But besides defying all the laws of God in regard to pure air, cleanliness, diet, exercise, and the selection of healthful occupations, and healthful sites for residences, besides these sins of omission, how numberless are the sins of commission which we commit,—"sins" which are expelling all manly power and womanly endurance from the race. "To say nothing of stimulants taken in our common morning and evening beverages, (which are no more necessary or useful to enable healthy men or women to perform their labor than a morning dram is for the lark or the eagle, for the buffalo or the leviathan)—to say nothing of these the people of this nation annually swallow their brains with two hundred millions of gallons of intoxicating liquors; and not only stupefy and debilitate themselves, but transmit irritable nerves and contaminated blood to their children by the consumption of more than thirty million dollars' worth of tobacco...

Miscellaneous. Using a Whole Egg. A friend told us a story a few days since illustrating the free, generous character of the Irish, which we consider too good to be lost...

Don't Speak so Cross. "Don't speak so cross," said one little boy yesterday in the street to another. "Don't speak so cross, there is no use in it," we happened to be passing at the time, and hearing the injunction, or exhortation, for it was uttered in an exhortatory manner, we sat the juvenile speaker down as an embryo philosopher...

A Good Reply. Two Quaker girls of our acquaintance were ironing on the same table. One asked the other which side she would take the right or left. She answered promptly—"It will be right for me to take the left, and then it will be left for thee to take the right."

Premium List of the Susquehanna Agricultural Society. Fair and Cattle Show to be held in Montrose, Oct. 11th, 1855. NEAT CATTLE. For the best Durham Bull, two years old and upwards, \$5.00...

BLACKSMITHING. For the best lot of Horse Shoes for the road, 1.00 For the best for the farm, 1.00 To the Farmer who will show the greatest results from his farm, for the past year, in proportion to the number of acres improved, a certificate of merit, and 5.00...