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Poetry.

SPANISH SONG

BY HELEN & CONANT. On lips of blooming youth There trembles many a sigh, Which lives to breathe a truth, Then silently to die.

Thou, who art my desire, Thy languishing sweet love In sighs upon thy lips shall oft expire. I love the sapphire glory Of those starry depths above,

Of human hope and love I love the shining star, But when I gaze on thee, The fire of thine eyes is brighter far.

Where I read the old, old story

The fleeting, fleeting hours, Leave only faded flowers And weary days of pain; And never more may pass

Sweet words of tenderness between us two The gentle breeze which plays On the water, murmuringly, And the silvery, trembling rays

Of the moon on the midnight sea-Ay! all have passed away, Have faded far from me Like the love which lasted only one sweet day Harper's Magazine.

"THE EARLY BIRD."

Daintily over the dew-wet grass, Tripped blue-eyed Milly, the farmer's lass, Swinging her milk-pail to and fro. As she murmured a love-song, soft and low. Many a suitor Milly had. From the squire's son to the herdman's lad; But she smiled on all with a merry glance, And gave each wooer an equal chi

Now faithful Donald, the herdman's lad. The more he loved her the more was sad. "For what with the squire's son," thought h She never will turn a thought to me!" But down in the meadow he raked the hav, When Milly went singing along that way. He watched her pass, and she cried, in jest, "Tis the early bird'-you know the rest!"

Then suddenly Donald grew so bold That the "old, old story" was quickly told; And blue-eyed Milly was nothing loth On that summer morning to plight her troth. "Oh! foolish Donald!" she cried, in glee, 'To wait so long for a hint from me! Tripped Donald and Milly, his own sweet Is -N.Y. Independent,

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through her mind, the carriage stopped, and looking out she found she had arrived at her future home. There was no one at the door to welcome her save no one at the door to welcome her save her uncle who with joy beaming on his countenance assisted her to alight, and having saluted her in a kind and having saluted her in a kind and fatherly manner whispered in her ear, fatherly manner whispered in her ear, not expect the could utter one word of remonstrance the was gone. house) but be assured that you will al-ways find a staunch friend in your uncle," his eyes filled with tears as he spoke, but he hastily wiped them away, and before she had time to thank him, the door opened and she was in the presence of her relations, her aunt merely gave her the tips of her fingers, without deigning to speak while her without deigning to speak while her comming Mr. By a war to her he said comming Mande lightly branch her on the

without deigning to speak while her seated glancing hastily around he espied cousin Mande lightly kissed her on the cheek, and thinking that she had done all that was necessary she drew back and stood at some distance from Amy, are the sole heiress of his wealth, it was a living the work of th looking at her as if she were a living curiosity. The tears sprang to Amy's eyes at this reception, but she forced them back, and with proud composure leaned against the wall as if waiting to is waiting," said her sunt, "the servant will show you to your room, and when you have laid aside your wrappings, you can come down and dine with us, but remember, this is the last time you will be permitted to be so familiar, but ence, for being a servant yourself you

herself up proudly she replied, "Aunt Esther you may call me a servant and treat me as one, but never, though you should close your doors against me, would I so demean myself as to sit at Miscellany.

the table with your servants." Her aunt, pale with anger, was about to strike her, when her husband sprang forward, seized her hands and holding them firmly, said, "I have hitherto remained A Strong Witness. silent and have listened with patience Some years ago a lawsuit occurred to all the affronts which have been Some years ago a lawsuit occurred to the destruction of a quantity of standing corn, belonging to a Mr. Wilson, by hogs owned by a Mr. Brown. Lotte owned by a Mr. Brown. Lotte owned eight hogs, and Wilson declared that they were all, in his field, and that, where all, in his field, and that, where all, in his field, and that, consequently, the havor was immense. consequently, the havoe was immense. Brown protested that he did not believe any of his hogs were in Wilson's field, but if any at all certainly not more than one or two, and therefore the damages could not have been so great as represented.

Wilson had a witness on his side mamed Jerry Parker, not a very bright young man, but noted for having a wonderful imagination. He came in late, and had not a very distinct idea as to how the case stood, but he had a witness on had not a very distinct idea as to how the case stood, but he had a witness on the repeated that he was at instance and the properly provided for not aword now; and therefore the damber of the comments of the place of the first of the hard and was never any need it, though there was a first of the horrible details of dynatic irrade against it may discovered that there was still some blieful field in the had read over the refinery, and was worth had a worth that dower the refinery, and was worth had a wort the refinery, and these pectacle of the selfish and cruel vindictiveness of a And, after all, this cannibism was discovered that there was still some blieful field in over the refinery, and was worth had a wort new selfish and cruel vindictiveness of a And, after all, this cannibism was discovered that there was still some belieful field in over the refinery, and was worth that any addition of the horrible details of dynatics insance tirade against it was discovered that there was still some belieful field in over the refinery, and was worth that far dover the refinery, and was discovered that there was still some blieful field in over the refinery, and was described in the red worth of the first man had seen the bodies, that it was discovered that there was still some belieful field in over the refinery, and was worth and the spectacle of the selfish and cruel vindictiveness of a And, after all, this cannibility field in over the refinery, and was worth in the double of the refinery in and the spectacle of the that it was discovered that there was

comers of his fine mouth, he relieved they themselves could possibly be care they themselves could possibly be care the paper kites drive by the wind and sequested the way, he strode up that was reserved to that lady's successor, her present it to said the way, he strode up that was reserved to that lady's successor, her present life to the stars, followed by the two quirks, on all the manure it well. I did cut it is selled the way, he strode up that was reserved to that lady's successor, her present life to the stars, followed by the two quirks, on modest retirement, and present it to said the manure it well. I did cut it is called the way, and emptided a bag of gains on one was reserved to that lady's successor, her present life to the stars, followed by the two quirks, on the sairs, followed by the two quirks, and having deposited the bundless saiely not be the day in the form bundless saiely and having deposited the units of the gas grings. This is called the gas springs. This is called the gas springs. This was considered the next the mounts in the large was suited by the two of the sair was previously of the way to the day is called the way. The day is called the way the sair sairly and having deposited the bundless sairly and them manure it well. I did cut it is and them manure it special of despair and often rewards him vith a pleasant shore.

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To need a coat is a better condition of the collar was looked, but with the strength of desperation, we dashed the type and burst it open. How con it left, after the fearful heat of the turnace we had just left! But head that perfect his without a subject to the bushed of grain into dough more labage.

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"Ab, well, I will try to kill time till to-morrow by going to bed," and light-ing a cigar he went, if not to bed, to

see what would be done next. "Dinner my own, for this reason, that I may news, and your kindness since I have ermitted to be so familiar, but been in your house, secondly, I forgive aunt Esther and beg her to accept half of my fortune, to Mr. Evans I will an will not object to eating with them. swer yes to that question he asked me Amy's eyes flashed fire, and drawing last night, and I want Maude if she will consent, to be my brides maid.

A Marvelous Escape.

About ten years ago I was employed late, and had not a very distinct idea as to how the case stood, but he had a very vague notion that it was for Wilson's interest to make the number of hogs appear as large as possible.

When he took the witness stand he was questioned by Wilson's lawyer, who asked;

"Jerry, did you see the hogs in Mr. Wilson's corn-field, on the day in question?"

"Yes, I did;" replied Jerry.

"Do you know exactly how many there were?"

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"To you know exactly how many there were the sugar house was an ways so hot that any additional heat way and extracted the own room, having dismissed the servant she could restrain herself no longer, and throwing heaven to a lamp, the room had no furniture. There was no inducement for watchers to go to sleep there. Blackwood's boy, when he came for the leak as a lamp, the room had no furniture. There was no inducement for watchers to go to sleep there. Blackwood's boy, when he came for the leak as a lamp, the room had no furniture. There was no inducement for watchers to go to sleep there. Blackwood's boy, when he c ways so hot that any additional heat rible experience.

AMY LESTER'S FORTUNE.

BY A WILMINGTON LADY.

BY A WILMINGTON LADY. deeply passionately, do you love me, will you be my wife. O think, darling Amy before you render me miserable for life." Well Carl, she said, I love you, but this is so sudden that I can not they and my face were fearfully knew, the significance of its name, and

had no alarms for me then.

The time during which I remained in this place seemed like weeks. I had no hope of escape, and as I knew above there must be an immense mass formed by the parts of the building which had reach the door. At last, when my pain had decreased a little, I fell asleep, or fainting, I cannot tell which; but when I awoke I felt somewhat relieved, and a longing for life. I managed .o get some beer, which revived me considerably. I tried to open the door, but was unable. The silence which per-vaded the place, and the consciousness of the presence of the two dead bodies, had their effect on my weak state, and I knew I was becoming delirous. I remember I laughed hysterically, and began to shout. When I stopped, I heard a faint sound far above me, this made me perfectly wild. There was a hammer, which my hand had accidently come against, and I took it and began beating an empty barrel in frenzy. as night watchman in a sugar refinery Then I heard a shout from above, but I

"Yes, I did," replied Jerry.

"Do you know exactly how many there were?"

"No, I didn't count'em; but I'll take mail mirror attached to it, a toilet tage may oath there warn't less than thirty."

The consternation of Wilson and his lawyer arts and said on Brown's lawyer arose and said.

"Your honor, as my client has only eight hogs, it is very evident that those which destroyed Mr. Wilson's corn belonged to some one else, and I therefore ask judgment for the defendant."

The contrigranted this request, and poor Wilson by having too strong a witness, lost the case

Poetry.

One of the rarest qualities to be found in poetry is the originality which springs from the poet being overcome and mastered by his subject. Most poets necessarily choose their subjects, and having choose their subjects, and having choose there wils date, and I alwade," said Aday, "you see that my head of the war are here," said Mand, throwing posts necessarily thouse they may teach or charm mankind. Some pay teach or charm mankind. Some provided as a vehicle by which they may teach or charm mankind. Some rows and lawde was a law of their company them. It was followed the said of the company them in turn, till two or three o'clock, and hen we dozed until it was time for use of goal. How the week or goal and loted to the week owing to the promise the day. There were cheap turn they be the whole furniture of the room, and after a tile, once charm his post of man; nay, worshiped and entreated when his race was honored and beloved to of man; nay, worshiped and entreated with sacrifices. The contract of the week owing to the promised the whole furniture of the room, and after a tile, one charm and the me dozed until it was time for use of color all the day. There were cheap trips on the Clyde in those days, as there are still, on Saturdays. Black-wood had fall promised to take his son a sail, and asked me one day if I would remained to the week owing to the regulated mind desires to revie that uncomfort wood had the week of the week owing to the p

fire-engines, and was luke-warm. I could not feel this with my hands, as they and my face were fearfully knew, the significance of its name, and scorched; but I did so with my tongue. scorched; but I did so with my tongue. I had called on Blackwood, but there was no answer; and, by wriggling over with great pain for a few yards, I found both he and his son dead. The scalding sugar had reached the place where they were, and had apparently stopped other animals began to waste, and man there. I could feel the hardened cake to droop. The Romans even sacrificed under the water. I conjectured that a brown dog to the evil-mined lumithey, like myself, had become uuconnary to appease his rage. We moderns
scious, and had been burned to death
by the boiling sugar. In the agony I
was enduring, I envied them. Death
Egyptians complimented a useful star

with canine attributes.

It is probably useless to remind the that that slandered orb twinkles at the comfortable distance of two trillions fallen. I had not strength even to proper planet, and that the illustrative reach the door. At last, when my pain four hundred and eighty miles an hour, might reasonably desire to rest before the end of the five hundred and twentyyears which it must take to reach there Under these circumstances certain pearance of the dog-star kindled the ires of our blazing July and August. And their doubt would gather strength from the well-known fact that the procession of the equinoxes constantly pospones the heliacal rising of the illreputed summer visitor, and, in the course of five or six thousand years, will bring about its annual advent in frosty November.

Science declared long ago that hy-

no more rabies in the poor creatures the invitation. than January. Men are certainly more irritable in the blaze of midsummer. We have no right to expect a superior to him. It is wisdom to be patient with him as with one another, and leave fellow-dog and fellow-man as much as possible to themselves on these scorebing days. A mad dog is a most horrible fact, and well nigh an unknown one. A mad man is hardly more agreeable, and, alas, by no means man who sold the cutting to me enjoined me to be careful to water it thoroughly every day. I did so, but it they would soon be converted into the mere tools of a few rich and artful men, who, having first stripped them of every sense of self respect, and every feeling unknown one. A mad man is hardly mentioned that I watered it daily he said:

"Re gracious Adeler that'd kill any moting their own ambitious objects."

"Re gracious Adeler that'd kill any moting their own ambitious objects." unknown one. A mad man is hardly more agreeable, and, alas, by no means uncommon. Just now there seems to one! A grapevine don't want any armone hardly and of them as passive instruments for promoting their own ambitious objects, and drink in any other business than that of school-keeping, it is astonishcity alone, and a mental quarantine

Mexican town will generally serve as a pattern for all, though there may be individual departures from the rule. The oddest feature of Mexican houses while engaged in the exercise, Cooley while engaged in the exercise, Cooley and leaned over the feature and leaned over the feature and individual departures from the rule. The oddest feature of Mexican houses is the sponts which carry off the rain from the roof. These spouts are of clayware, are cylinders, and some two or the fence and said:

"Adeler, you'll kill that there yine if have to take great care of him."

An architect says he has been in the habit for many years of bedding his other birds; and, in a quarrel, poor Billy got his eyes pecked so badly, that the became entirely blind. The children is the usual way, which leaves them subware, are cylinders, and some two or three inches in diameter at the mouth

e, or Batacks, were represented as point so long, and then to get only a the most intelligent and interesting; a small piece of dried salmon to sleep tribe or nation of about 350,000 souls, occupying the interior central portion of the island immediately south of the salmon to sleep. Some women get up a reputation for upon. If some wise dog would travel to that region and howl a little about the omnibus with them and making

they were the most remarkable people anywhere to be found—educated cannibals. They had a written language and books, and most of the people could read, and yet they were canni-They had an alphabet of their own, consisting of twenty-two letters and

feet long, making a letter, it might be

Their literary works were really numerous and yet not very wise, consist-ing largely of books of divination, jugglery and the most absurd fables about others. Besides, much of the island was nominally Mohammedan, and, so agreed to protect the Mohammedan religion from all assault and interference from without; but the Battas were

one above and one below-one good

logs have a right to their harmless ex- and killed and roasted, to be eaten for istence. They have a right, also, to the sins of his father, committed six an unmuzzled nose and unlimited years before the little fellow was born. water. Thus cared for, July develops The missionaries respectfully declined

I have not been very successful, says virtue in the uncatechised dog. If he is teased and trifled with, he very properly remonstrates in the only way open to him. It is wisdom to be patient that it is wisdom to be patient. It is wisdom to be patient that it is wisdom to be patient. It is wisdom to be patient.

tificial watering."

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Christian Union.

Then he advised me to discontinue the process and to wash the vine with soapsuds in order to kill the bugs. My anxiety to know why it didn't thrive was relieved some time afterward by overhearing a man in the cars remark that "some men kill their grapevines by their durned foolery in puttin' soapsuds on 'em.' He said that all a grapesud now and then with the woriginate.

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you don't stop diggin' at it. Nothin' hurts a vine wass than disturbin' the

it. It wanted pruning. I ought to cut it down within ten feet of the roots and then manure it well. I did cut it down, and emptied a bag of gnano over it; but as it seemed sort of slow, I

Youths' Column.

THE HUNGRY DOGS OF SIBERIA .-Poor fellows! Hungry from morning until night; hungry all the time except go a-fishing and help themselves! 1 wonder how their drivers would like to wait all day long for the first sign of missionary effort had as yet been made.

Parts of the island were in possession

Siberian dogs who live at home are re-over thirty-three million so quired to do even when they travel all

Dismal fate to be kept at starvation

of the island, immediately south of the emigration I think there would soon be him stand up and give his seat to some Atchenese, with whom the Dutch are too many dogs about this, Mr. Bush, body about twenty times during the new at war. Siberia a few years ago, tells us that inoffensive, though fierce and revenge-ful in time of conflict. In one respect of Siberia is about to be made the culty is that water when heated goes harness them up in pairs to long seal thongs, fastened between two trees, five vowel points. Their language was beasts, who have learned to look upon so many words into his thoughts that nal, yet simple and melodi- a journey as a task," the dogs respond he always obscures and frequently conous, much like the Italian, written like as promptly as could be desired, and ceals them. our own, from left to right, and easily are wild with excitement and delight at "Brutes find out where their talents lie; learned, and much used in all that reseeing the light sleds dragged from A bear will not attempt to fly; gion.

Their books are written on the inner bark of a species of palm tree, their pen bark of a species of palm tree, their pen be heard for miles on the still air, and leaf they are their pen be heard for miles on the still air, and leaf they are the tries a five-barr'd gate. In man we see the only creature consisting of a mere twig, or a fibre of a leaf, their ink made of a certain gum danger of the seal-thong being broken. Help someboly worse off than y and the juice of the sugar cane. For ordinary purposes they also wrote upon mell without the sleds. Mr. Bush tells self, and you will feel that you are amboo sticks, sometimes two of one poor little dog who excited all his better off than you fancied. You may inches in diameter and two or three sympathy; "In making up the teams subdue an angry man by bearing with big enough to knock a person down-convenient for lovers delivering their own epistle if they should not be gra-one poor little fellow had manifested it again. out three sleds. Of those left behind flint leave off giving sparks, by striking one poor little fellow had manifested it again. greatest delight at the prospect of a Give a man the necessaries of life and

walked up to the team and with an nir both in price and quality of the artiof quiet patience, took his place in the cles, line with the expectation of being harnessed. To prevent him from accompanying the teams, a strap was put ceeded in applying electricity to music. about his neck and he was tied fast to a and there is a possibility that the ex-

simple heathen, and beyond Dutch his intelligent countries are expressed ted to play with correctness. Will no control. They believed in two gods, the most intense discussions are the most intense of the mo the most intense disappointment. He one invent an automaton actor who will as night watchman in a sugar refinery in Greenock, a town where there are in Greenock, a town where there are probably more sugar refineries than any other in Britain. That in which I was engaged was the largest in the place, and on account of its size there was another watchman beside myself. His name was Blackwood; he was a blackwood; he was evidently felt the denial as acutely as do for the author what the new machine

consequently independent, and of conscientious duty to pay the accustomed to judge for themselves, and governed in their conduct by an enlightened view of their own best interests; if they are men of this sort, terests; if they are men of this sort, the mechanics, and especially the young mechanics, will form, in conjunction with the young armers of the country, with the young armers of the country, but the young armers of the country, but they are men of this said.

An old gentleman in Maine is preparing for the good time to come. He has caused to be erected in the cemea bulwark against monopolies and cor-rupt politicians, and save the republic. If, on the other hand they are ignorant, ory of himself and wife, setting forth idle, dissolute, and consequently poor, and dependent upon those who are willing to trust them—if our mechanics whenever those events may happen. It

in our house that we are all very fond of. We call him Billy. He is a very learning as we get older. sweet singer; but he cannot see.

came the word tariff, found in all raked out of the water, precipitately a list of goods with the duties that arrives at the border of the pool.

varieties.

Editor and Proprietor.

Duty on dry goods-That of husbands to buy them.

The good man's life is like the moun tain top, beautiful because it is near

The Japanese census shows only three breakfast; but that is just what the thousand criminals in a population of

That man is voted a bore who per-

sists in talking about himself when you wish to talk about yourself

of Siberia is about to be made the natives are astir at daybreak, and having called and whistled their does they off in steam. If it would only explode, called and whistled their dogs they of it would be far more powerful than

preparatory to attaching them to the The man who talks everlastingly and sleds. With the exception of a few promisciously, who seems to have an "slumber-loving, lazily-inclined old exhaustless magazine of sound, crowds

only thirty dogs were selected out of him, but not by answering him: that

ourney. None jumped higher or barked he wants the conveniences. Give him louder than he, and from the commence- the conveniences, and he craves for the the origin and destiny of the great Batta nation. It will be seen, therefore, that they had some ambition. If

placed by musical automatons warran

Let us have a spasm of sense. Worthless and dangerous curs should doubtless be dispensed with, but quietly, privately and painlessly. All other the missionaries were, how-boy seven years of age had been seized to the description of young mechanics. If they are intelligent, sober, industrious and the printer to the from the result of the private than upon the result of the private than up

are beneficial to nobody but the artful ing how ignorant he soon becomes, and few and base demagogues with whom with what awe he listens to little girls

have to take great care of him; for, if his perch is not put in the same piace every time, he cannot find his food.

But I believe Billy sings more than the assai way, which leaves them subject to be rattled by the wind, and to be broken by any accidental pressure. The cement soon sets and hardens, so that the roof becomes like a solid wall.