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TWO WAYS TO LIVE ON EARTH.

There are two ways to live on earth;
Two ways to judge, to act, to view;
For all things here have double birth—
A right, a wrong; a false, a true.

Give me the home where kindness seeks
To make that sweet which sweeteth sweet;
Where every lip in kindness speaks,
And every mind hath care for all.

Whose inmates live in glad exchange
Of pleasures, free from vain expense;
Where love hallows their home as far range,
Nor wine drinks give offense.

Who is a neighbor's fortune find
Be sick, or implore to complain;
Who find not—never fish—the ear mind
To every yet another's pain.

Who frown not of the marking tide
Another's filled endeavor smoke;
The bitter pangs of wounded pride,
Nor fallen power that down the streets.

Though Fate deny its glittering store,
Love's wealth is still the wealth to choose;
For all that gold can give have more
Are gentle—it is not too to lose!

Some beings, whereever they go,
Find naught to please or to cheer;
Their constant study but to show
Perpetual modes of finding fault.

While others, in the ceaseless round
Of daily waste and daily care,
Can yet still find on their common ground,
And twine enjoy the joy they share!

Oh, happy they who have naught
Who, blessing, still themselves are blest!
Who something share for others' sake,
And strive, in all things, for the best!

—New York Ledger.

The Last Gladiatorial Combat.

Gladiatorial games were prohibited by an edict of the Emperor Constantine in A. D. 325, but from some cause, probably the lonely expressed disapprobation of the people, the edict was allowed to fall into disuse, and its penalties were never visited on its violators. During the reign of Honorius the defeat of the Goths in Italy was celebrated by games, but in the midst of the fights in the amphitheater of Vespasian a monk named Telemachus found his way into the arena and parted the combatants with a large processional cross.

The populace swarmed over the barricades and tore the monk to pieces, but the moral effect of the heroic act was permanent, and in A. D. 404 an imperial edict abolished gladiatorial sports in the Coliseum, and shortly after throughout the Roman empire. The fight stopped by Telemachus was the last in the Coliseum, and that structure is now consecrated to the honor of Telemachus and the Christian martyrs who perished in the persecutions by Nero and other emperors.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Feed a Petrified Turtle.

Mr. J. Lewis, of Arlington, has a curiosity that he discovered while breaking up rock to make pillars for his house. He broke a large rock open, and in the center of it was found enclosed a turtle. Not a live turtle, but a petrified one. He says it did not crawl off, but it looked so natural he expected to see it do so.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Duke of Devonshire's conservatory at Chatsworth is universal. It covers nearly an acre of ground, measures 350 feet in length, 145 feet in breadth, is 65 feet high, and has 70,000 square feet of glass. There is a carriage road through it from end to end. The orangery at Chatsworth is 180 feet long, 27 feet wide, and 21 feet high. It is lighted from the top by a glass roof.

There is scarcely a day but sees one or more funeral trains running out of the Grand Central station in New York to Woodlawn cemetery. Two cars have been fitted up especially for funeral purposes by the elevated road. They are called Woodlawn cars, and each has a compartment forward for the casket.

There is said to be a large field for the growth and manufacture of tobacco in Victoria, but so far the efforts made in this direction have met only with indifferent success, owing to the defects arising from want of knowledge in the drying and treatment of the leaf after it has been cut.

In the United States there are eaten every day 2,250,000 pies. Each week, 16,750,000. Each year, 873,000,000, at a total cost of $164,500,000—an amount greater than the internal revenue and more than enough to pay the interest on the national debt.

The governor general of India, the viceroy, receives a salary of $250,000 a year, with allowances that include a gorgeous palace at Calcutta and a summer residence, all making his position worth $500,000 a year.

The poisonous elements called ptomaines accumulate in cans and metal vessels of all kinds with great rapidity. A single hour under favorable conditions will develop millions of infinitesimal pests.

Vermin on Live Stock.

Good feeding is the best preventive of lice on farm stock. Those never attacked by animals that have plenty of fat, the oil standing from the skin destroying the vermin by filling their breathing apparatus and thus suffocating them. When lice are on cattle their effect is seen by a coarse, staring coat. A little oil of any kind except turpentine brushed over the hide lays this coat smooth, and at the same time destroys any lice that may be living. A second application a few days later destroys those that hatch out afterward.—Northwest Farmer.

A divorce suit and a naughty, naughty scandal were the result of the finding of a strange overcoat button in his house by a Judson husband recently. Everlasting things hang on a very small button sometimes.

A HAIR CUT THAT WAS TORTURE.

The Barber's Dog Watches During the Operation, Hoping for Flesh.

A subject of frequent complaint among American men who travel in Europe is the lack of skill on the part of barbers, who seldom know how to use their razors without inflicting suffering upon their customers. So few men, comparatively, depend upon barbers to be shaved in the Old World that the art is not always mastered by those who practice it. A traveler in England relates an incident, however, which seems to indicate that barbers in the country districts are no more expert in cutting hair than they are in shaving.

"I was traveling leisurely through Warwickshire, the country of Shakespeare," the traveler says, "when, seeing a rather neat barber shop and being aware that my hair needed cutting, I went in and submitted myself to the shears.

"I did so with some little uneasiness, for these shears were vast and murderous looking weapons, which looked as if they were ordinarily employed in cutting shock iron instead of men's hair.

"The barber went through many preparations, which gave me a chance to observe that his dog, a wiry looking little bull terrier, with a singular droop to his left eye and a vicious expression about his cropped ears, was eying me intently from a point a little to one side of me, on the floor.

"The barber at last set at work at my back hair very deliberately. The bull terrier still eyed me as a cat watches a mouse, now tipping his head a trifle on one side, now on the other.

"I stood this eager scrutiny in silence for a few minutes, but presently my curiosity led me to speak.

"'Hum!' I said; 'a sharp looking dog, that of yours.'

"'Sharp!' the man laughed. 'No more intelligent beast than 'im in all War'ickshi'e today, sir!'

"'Can you tell me why he is watching me in that way?'

"'Ah, there's the hintelligence in 'im, sir. Sometimes it happens, you know, sir, as 'ow, when I'm a-cuttin' a gent's 'air, sir, as 'ow I slips a little bit off the top of the gent's hear with the shears, sir. An' then you should see, sir, as 'ow Sir Garnet—that's the dog's name, sir—as 'ow he lights on that bit of hear in a kinstant, sir!'

"This very interesting piece of information sent such a cold chill down my back as I had seldom felt before. I did not dare to speak and beg the man to be careful, lest my agitation should cause him to make the unlucky stroke with the shears.

"I certainly did not dare to move. The man took a long time with his hair cutting, and all that time Sir Garnet eyed me keenly and hungrily from the floor, while the cold drops of perspiration were starting out on my forehead.

"Fortunately I escaped mutilation, but in my dreams for weeks I was haunted by the vision of that expectant bull terrier, watching me with his malevolent eye out for the tip of my ear. I see him in an occasional vision still, and I never expect to be quite rid of him."

Some of Cabby's Remarks.

In the matter of free and easy conversation the London John has probably no equal. For shrewdness and originality his observations will compare favorably with the utterances of any other class of men. It is, however, as a street humorist that cabby displays to most advantage his natural gifts, and it is no exaggeration to say that he never misses an opportunity for turning his talent to good account.

One member of the genus was being chaffed once in regard to his baldness. "I was always bald," replied cabby. "You why? My mother 'ad so often to put me on the 'ed an' say, 'Well done, Sam, my boy!' so she wore all the 'air off." Again, a bus horse had fallen down on the slippery asphalt in Oxford street, and for a time traffic was greatly impeded. Just then cabby came along on the off side and took the situation in at a glance. Addressing himself to the policeman in attendance, and pointing with his whip to the prostrate steed, he said, "Why don't yer take 'is name an' address, *sir*?"—London Tit-Bits.

A Question of History.

Quiz—I say, Sophomore, you are posted in the early Germanic history. What color was the hair of the old Germans?

Soph (pompously)—Blonde or red, of course.

Quiz—You are mistaken; the old Germans had gray hair.—Munsey's Weekly.

Correct for Once.

Western Boy—The weather prediction was right today.

Father—Was it?

Boy—Yes, sir. It said "slight changes in temperature."

Father—Humph! The thermometer has fallen a good deal, hasn't it?

Boy—No; only about six inches.—Good News.

Too Slow Already.

Patterson—If you would only speak slower there would be no need of stuttering.

Chatterton—S-s-speak slower? Why—why—why, it takes me a m-m-minute to get out a w-w-word now—Puck.

Suppose those speakers and writers who are perpetually howling about the corruption, depravity and wickedness of people were to turn about and look for the good in humanity, the honesty and truthfulness, and then sing that anthem for a change. The world can be made good by praise far more effectually than by the eternal ding dong of blame. Then, too, when all is said and done, there is far more of good than evil in the world. If it were not so the majority of mankind would be liars, cutthroats and horse thieves, whereas as it is the majority of mankind are at least half way decent, honest people.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL GARDENING FOR COUNTRY HOMES.

How to Insure Vigorous Growing Plants in Hanging Baskets—Two Rustic Baskets Illustrated and Directions Given for Making and Filling Them.

Hanging baskets are often a failure where they do not afford the proper conditions for a thrifty growth of plants. Some are too shallow, others are devoid of means for proper drainage, etc. Country Gentleman calls attention to the baskets illustrated, as being not only attractive in appearance but furnishing the requisites for growing plants. These baskets can be made at home.

RUSTIC HANGING BASKET NO. 1.

The first was made of a box ten inches square and seven inches deep. A sufficient number of heavy, rounded pieces of bark, the rougher and more irregular the better, to cover the outside of the box, were selected and trimmed to fit. They were neatly tacked on with small brads. Strong wires were fastened to each corner and the ends twisted into a ring.

The other basket had for a foundation a small wooden tub some twelve inches in diameter and eight deep. The ornamental staves were whittled out of stained shingles, and the tacks that held them in place concealed by two hoops made out of grapevine. Three wires were fastened in the top at equal distances apart and secured to a ring, as in the other basket.

Plants of a trailing or branching growth should be selected for basket culture, and the success of those by the observance of a few simple rules is sure. The authority quoted advises a basket that holds sufficient soil; plants to suit the situation in which it is to be placed; where more than one variety is planted in the same basket, to select those which require the same amount of water and sunshine, and that the earth is never permitted to become perfectly dry.

RUSTIC HANGING BASKET NO. 2.

The Japanese climbing fern, the sword fern, combined with the club moss, are good plants for baskets in shady places. Other plants that grow well with but little sun are the German and Kenilworth ivies, also certain begonias. When the last named are used it is well to plant some drooping vine around the edge of the basket. Nasturtiums grow well and make a beautiful basket. Every one knows the virtues of Tradescantia. Othonna is pretty and Thunbergia is fine for baskets. In the basket shown in the second cut, and designed to hang in a sunny place, Mauranlya was planted to climb up the wires, sweet alyssum and coralis in the center. Before the closeness of the summer the alyssum almost concealed the sides of the tub.

Practical Points in Tomato Culture.

The essential general points to profitable tomato culture are these:

Careful selection and breeding, early sowing, frequent or at least occasional transplanting to obtain stocky plants, rich soil, well prepared and tilled.

There is evidence that varieties of tomatoes run out even under good culture.

The best market tomatoes appear, from tests, to be Ignotum, Favorite, Bay State, Atlantic, and perhaps Italy; among the red varieties; Beauty, Mikado, and possibly Potato Leaf, among the pink or purple varieties; Golden Queen among the yellow sorts.

Among the novelties Italy and Cincinnati Market are named as the most promising.

Very heavy manuring does not lessen productiveness.

Neither nitrate of soda nor muriate of potash alone is a profitable tomato manure upon rich soil.—Cornell Station.

A Tree Tomato.

If you want a tree tomato, says Rural New Yorker, set out in rich soil and at the base of a pole or other upright support a single plant of any of the strong growing varieties, such as Ignotum, Perfection, Potato Leaf or Long Keeper, and as it grows pinch out every lateral bud and secure the main vine to the support. Before frost the vine will have grown ten or twelve feet. A more rapid growth may be secured by picking off the flowers as they bloom. There is no variety which more than another is entitled to the name of "Tree Tomato."

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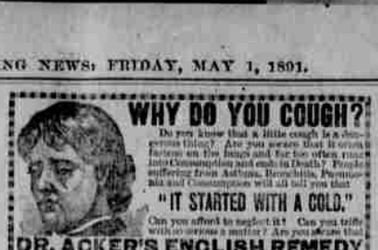

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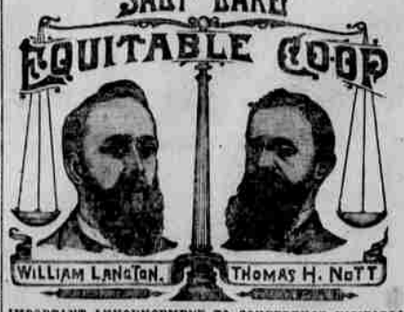

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