

Selected Poetry.

The School Boy's Lament.

(From the Richmond Dispatch.)

Teach, teach, teach,
On every day of the week,
And thrash, thrash, thrash,
From your head down to your feet.
Reading and spelling and writing,
Grammar and geography,
Till a poor boy's brains
Are full of pains,
And he's tired as tired can be.

Write, write, write,
The moment you're out of line,
And write, write, write,
Until it's half past nine;
Scratch and scribble and scrawl,
And blot and blur and smear,
Till the teacher comes
And warns your thumbs,
And makes you feel ever so queer.

Work, work, work,
Your examples until eleven,
And work, work, work,
Your examples home till seven—
Pounds and ounces and drachms,
Drachms and ounces and pounds,
Till you get so mad,
You are always glad
When the bell for the recess sounds.

It is, oh, for a beautiful place,
Where never a school house is,
And it's oh! for a happy land,
Where never a teacher lives;
Where tops, marbles and kites grow wild,
And a fellow can holler and shout,
And there's never a book,
But a cozy nook,
For to fish and swim about.

And it's oh! for the happy time
When I get to be a man,
And I can whistle and jump,
And beat on an old tin pan;
When I can put crooked pins
Down on the next boy's seat,
And I can put ink on his face,
With never a fear to be beat;
Jump and whistle and prance,
And holler and yell and shout,
And never a one,
To spoil the fun,
Nor to keep me from going out.

Household Hints.

Colouring Green.—Will some "Globe" reader please favour me with a recipe to colour bright and durable green on cotton?—Lillie.

To Renew Black Silk.—Cut a potato in thin slices, and pour over it a quart of water. With this sponge the silk nicely, folding each piece separately. When all are sponged, with a warm iron go over the silk on the wrong side, and iron till dry.

Pickling Artichokes.—Slice the artichokes as thin as cucumbers; boil until softened a little in strong salted water. Skim out into a jar, and pour over them boiling hot vinegar, spiced with pepper, cloves and cinnamon. A little chopped onion, added to the artichokes, gives them a better flavour.

"Curing a Cold."—In the "Globe" of Oct. 27 there was some good advice under the above heading, but it lacked the following good advice, viz.:—First wet the head with cold water, or apply a cold wet compress upon the head while the feet are in warm water, to prevent a rush of blood to the brain. Don't fail in this particular precaution.—Invalid.

To Clean White Ostrich Feathers.—To clean white ostrich feathers, let four ounces of white curd soap be cut small and dissolved in four pints of water, rather hot, in a basin. Make the solution into a lather by beating it with birch rods or wires. Introduce the feathers, and rub well with the hands for five or six minutes. After the soaping wash in clean water as hot as the hand can bear. Shake until dry.

Roly-Poly Pudding.—Take a quart of flour, rub into it three tablespoonfuls of lard, roll it out, cut into four pieces; place a lump of butter on each; roll well; place one above another, then roll out again about six inches wide and twelve long; take some preserve (plum is best), spread it on pretty thick, wet the edges of the paste to make it stick closely, then roll it over and over; tie it up securely in a well-floured cloth, boil two hours, and serve with nice melted butter.

That Case of Catarrh.—A New York Times correspondent mentions the case of a twenty-year sufferer from catarrh who smoked mullein leaves three times a day, directly after eating; two and sometimes three pipefuls. This cured the patient. It is some six or seven years since the cure was effected, but as near as she can recollect she received some benefit after smoking one week. Would advise fifteen-year sufferer to smoke until cured—let it be one year or two. Close the mouth and draw the smoke through the nostrils. The hearing was not effected in the case of catarrh of twenty years.

A Good Plain Pie Crust.—Sift one quart of flour into a bowl; chop into the flour (using a chopping knife) one half pound of good firm lard; chop until very fine; pour in enough ice-water to make a stiff dough, and work it in with your hands; flour your hands; work your dough into shape; handle it quickly and as little as possible; flour your pastry board, and roll out your dough very thin; always roll from you; have ready one half pound of good butter that has been washed in two or three cold waters to rid it of salt; spread the dough with butter; fold it up, then roll it out thin; spread with butter; fold again, and repeat the operation until the butter is all used up.

How easily one can tell whether a man is glad from within, or whether it is only the sunbeams that chance to fall upon him. Happiness is not the work of a chisel and mallet; not mortised into the soul; it is "put out" like the arm of a tree, whose green, unvalued leaves flutter with the life it shares.

It is the honest, "plodding" workman who rises to an elevated position in the world. Work is, as a rule, at the foundation of true success. Brilliant parts, fine education, powerful friends, are not to be despised, but they cannot supply the place of personal toil and patient, painstaking industry.

Pay no attention to slanderers and gossip-mongers. Keep straight on in your course, and let their backbiting die the death of neglect. What is the use of lying awake at night brooding over the remark of some false friend that runs through your brain like lightning?

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