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SLEEP. Come, sleep! Oh, sleep, the certain knot of peace. The baiting place of wit, the balm of woe.

BEATRICIA AND THE IMAGE VENDER. A Tale of Italy and New York.

The snow flurries were blinding the eyes of the passing throng, but Pietro stood valiantly at the curb holding out his plaster images for sale.

Oh, valiant heart of Pietro! For two years now he had molded plaster casts and images and sold his wares on street corners and boarded the meager gain to be able to get back to his Beatrice.

For one long, sad year of separation she wrote to him. She upbraided him for his slowness in winning the wealth she had dreamed of.

The plaster Venuses and Mercurys and sacred Marys stood side by side along the shelves of his shop, gazing down on him from their classic grandeur with cold, empty eyes.

He lived alone. Others in "Little Italy" sought to know him and to draw him out of himself. He was a handsome youth, perhaps 22 years of age.

He used to hear their uproarious laughter, but it did not attract him. He had no respect for them. Many were but provincial born, and he, why he, Pietro Gonzales, had been born in Rome itself.

But Pietro was beginning to learn that fortunes are slow in coming, even in young, thriving provinces, and his art was more than the art of chiseled marbles or of plaster casts.

would stop with a startled look and search the face of some passerby that reminded him vividly of his Beatrice.

For a year now he had not heard from her. "She must be dead," he thought at times.

A second summer of silence came, and Pietro wandered out into the country and walked among the wood ferns, crushing them to his breast with his passionate love of beauty.

The citizens of "Little Italy" forgot his very existence. When he did not appear, they concluded that he had returned to Italy for a time, and they did not even care to inquire.

It was some days after this occurrence that Pietro, walking in the country, saw a vision of his Beatrice stretching out her arms to him and crying out to him in a sad, distressed way.

"She is dying," he cried to the sky, "and she is sorry and would ask my forgiveness, and I cannot go to her. O God of the poor, I cannot go!"

"My mother," he whispered, "is with the saints and happy! What aunt thou mean?"

"Go, look for thyself, half witted sluggard and beggar," they bawled out. And they pushed him toward the door.

Pietro stepped cautiously and touched the handle. He did not know whom he might encounter, so his advance was timid.

"Beatrice, my beloved! Is it thou?" he gasped. "Dost thou love me?"

"Always!"

SICKENING CARGOES.

SUFFERINGS CAUSED TO SAILORS AT SEA BY THE SHIP'S LOAD.

Coffee is Bad Enough, and Pine Lumber is Still Worse, but the Fumes from Warm, Moist Sugar Are Enough to Kill an Ordinary Man.

It was in one of the little river front eating houses in Brooklyn frequented by sailors from the coasters which are loading or unloading.

"Do they feed them nothing but coffee on the coffee ships?" asked the landsman in the innocence of his soul.

"There are other cargoes," continued the ex-sailor, "that's just as bad. You might think guano was one of 'em, but it isn't. Guano's Rose of Sharon perfume compared to sugar, didn't suppose there was any smell to sugar, eh? Well, you take it in a bowl and steam ain't. But take a cargo of it and let it steam in a temperature of from 90 to 110, with plenty of damp to work it up, and I'd like to see what you'd think of it then.

"When provisions had to be got out of the hold, the cook went down with jute bagging tied over his nose and mouth to keep out the fumes, but after a couple of trips he fainted, and they sent me in. Two descents laid me out. I thought I was going to die. In my time I've seen folks that were tolerable seamen, but all they did was a maiden's sigh to my performances. It wasn't convulsions, it was so mighty near it that I thought I was gone and felt like I couldn't go too quick to suit myself. They brought me around with lime juice, but it was weeks after landing before I wanted any sweetening in mine.

"The fact is that in the tropics almost any cargo you have kind of tinges existence for you. Oil is pretty tough, particularly petroleum. A man'll dream of petroleum after he's associated with it for a month or so on shipboard.

"We were in port at Rio when a ship came in laden with pine lumber. More than that, the fool of a skipper had let somebody supply him with pine water butts. Well, the resin began to get into the water, and first they knew the crew was pretty well poisoned with it.

"Two little London girls who had been sent by the kindness of the vicar's wife to have a 'happy day' in the country," narrating their experiences on their return, said:

"Nothing but Draw and Paint. Visitor—I hear you've had the celebrated Mr. Abbey, the artist, staying with you down here. Proprietor of Old Fashioned Inn—Yes, sir; an he be the laziest man I ever come across. He do nothing but drow an paint all day."

THE COW IN SUMMER.

Unless Given a Well-Balanced Ration Her Milk Yield Will Shrink.

Comparatively few farmers would think of working a team of horses hard during the summer months without feeding a liberal allowance of grain along with pasture.

The cows, as a matter of course, does not expend so much of muscular strength in the elaboration of milk as does the horse in a hard day's work, but the draft on her nervous system is greater than that on the muscular system of the horse.

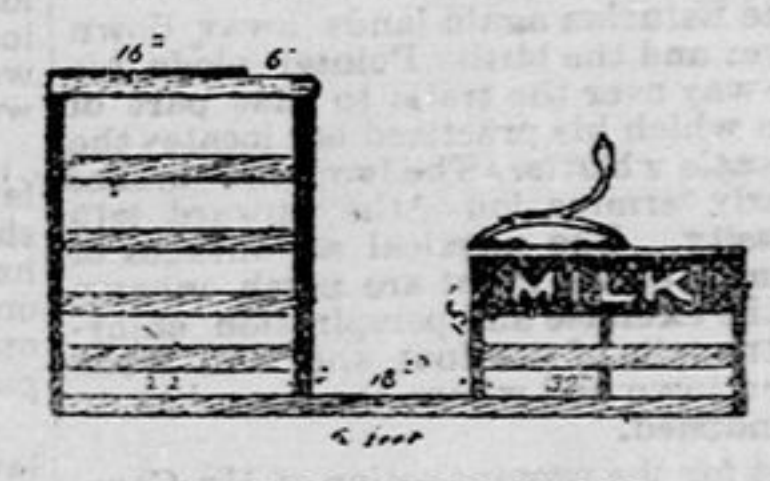
We hear a great deal about balanced rations for winter feeding and but very little about a balanced ration during the summer months.

AN OPEN MILK WAGON.

Directions From Which Any Intelligent Dairyman Can Build One at Home.

The wagon is a short reach, side spring, light vehicle capable of handling 100 quarts in bottles or 200 quarts in cans.

Here are the specifications of the wagon body: Length, 6 feet, width, 3 feet. Three 1 1/2x2-inch by six feet ash sticks and two 1 1/2x2-inch by 3 feet ash sticks; 6 rods 1/2-inch by 3 feet (count so as not to come through the sides), and 2 half-inch boards,



CONVENIENT MILK WAGON.

from the bed. Mortise sticks together, drive in rods and staple boards to rods. Instead of a dashboard the front is built up solid 29 inches high with half-inch boards fastened to the corner stakes mortised into the bed. 22 inches back from the front, an another stake 29 inches high is mortised into bed, and 5 slats, 2 inches by 9-16, on each side connect the side stakes.

On top 16 inches is tight-boarded. Rein-folds go through the front close to the top, and in the centre under the top board is a pigeon hole 8x7x16 inches, with a 3/4-inch strip

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across the bottom front. Handy for mail, front open other odds and ends. On each a space for a 40-quart milk can without hitting the top. Cans larger than thirties are lower front would do. This protects the cans from sun.

Subduing the Bean Weevil. The most successful way of doing the bean weevil is by those in the beans. The effort to the thoroughness with which task is performed, not only the farmer, but by all those in the neighborhood, for your neighbor can supply you with weevils if they are infested and remain there.

Extra Work Always Pays. When milk is made into butter home do not think that a little extra pains will not pay. This terminates the value of homemade butter and cheese.

The Effects of Overbearing. A tree has a certain amount of energy to be used in the production of fruit, and at first develops its growth by many parts as to be.

What Angora Goats Need. Dr. Stanley says: Angora goats require much the same care as sheep, and much the same food.

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