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"I have used your pills for my rheumatism and neuralgia. I am always glad of the opportunity for praising Dr. Miles' Remedies."—Charlotte Becker, in Pack.

Freedom and Love.

How delicious is the winning of a kiss at love's beginning. When two mutual hearts are shing for the knot there's no untying!

Yet remember, 'midst your wooing, Love has bliss, but Love has ruin; Other smiles may make you tickle, Tears for other charms may trickle.

Love he comes, and Love he tarries, Just as fate or fancy carries; Longest stays, when sores't children; Laughs and flies, when press'd and bidden.

Bind the sea to slumber still, Bind its odor to the lily, Bind the aspen ne'er to quiver, Then 'bind Love to last forever.

Love's a fire that needs renewal Of fresh beauty for its fuel, Love's wing moults when caged and captured, Only free, he soars enraptured.

Can you keep the bee from ranging Of the ringdove's neck from changing? No! nor fetter'd Love from dying In the knot there's no untying.—Thomas Campbell.

READING AS A SCIENCE.

The Acquisition of Knowledge Properly Portioned Out.

Edith Wharton writes: "The mechanical reader, as he always reads consciously, knows exactly how much he reads, and will tell you so with the pride of the careful housekeeper who has calculated to within half an ounce the daily consumption of food in her household. As the housekeeper is apt to go to market every day at a certain hour, so the mechanical reader has often a fixed time for laying in his intellectual stores; and not infrequently he reads for just so many hours a day. The statement in one of Hamerton's youthful diaries, 'I shall now commence a course of poetical reading, beginning with fifty hours of Chaucer, and I gave him one and one-half hours last night it leaves me exactly forty-eight and one-half,' is a good example of this kind of reading."

WORTHY TO RECEIVE PENSION.

Italian Woman's Large Family Entitled Her to It.

A certain charitable organization in the city had a request the other day from a young Italian threatened with consumption who wanted help to get back to Italy in the hope of saving his life. An agent was sent to investigate, and, as usual, asked the young man's mother for a list of the members of the family. The blanks furnished for this formality have nine spaces left for children. The agent filled up one blank and still the list went on. She filled two blanks without a word, the list of children stopping at eighteen. When she turned in her report it embraced the following official recommendation: "That the boy be sent to Italy, and that the mother be recommended to President Roosevelt for a pension."—New York Times.

The Horse—Here's to Him.

The Horse: "Here's to that bundle of sentient nerves, with the heart of a woman, the eye of a gazelle, the courage of a gladiator, the docility of a slave, the proud carriage of a king and the blind obedience of a soldier; the companion of the desert plain, that turns the moist furrows in the spring in order that all the world may have abundant harvest, that furnishes the sport of kings, that with blazing eye and distended nostril fearlessly leads our greatest generals through carnage and renown, whose blood forms one of the ingredients that go to make the ink in which all history is written, and who finally, in black trappings, pulls the humbled of us to the newly sodded threshold of eternity."—Rider and Driver.

Down in a Bear Pit.

While returning home late one night recently the horse for drink, a man fell into the bears' pit at Berne, Switzerland. Fortunately he fell into the part reserved for young bears, and he went to sleep, surrounded by the animals. On discovering his plight next morning, he shouted for help and with the aid of ropes and a ladder he was drawn up into the street apparently none the worse for the adventure. His sleep might have been of a longer duration if he had fallen a few yards to the left, where the full-grown animals are confined.

Dugald in Edinburgh.

Dugald McTavish, when on a visit to Edinburgh, was taken by a fellow-Highlander to see the sights of the city. The visitor was thirsty and determined to give Donald, his guide, a hint as to his condition. Consequently on passing a bonded warehouse, he said: "Donald, what was pe in these barrels?" "What was pe in them but whiskey?" replied the guide. "Then," said Dugald, "I wish I was a parrel."—Scottish American.

Dances Sold by Auction.

A custom that has existed for several centuries is still maintained in some towns on the Lower Rhine. Early in the year—on auction day—the town crier or clerk calls all the young people together, and to the highest bidder sells the privilege of dancing with the chosen girl, and her only, during the entire year that follows. The fees flow into the public poor-box.

Villanelle.

Love knocks at my heart to-day,
Begging me for warmth and cheer,
Should I bid him go away?

Sweet his smile as rose of May,
And his laughter silver-clear,
Love knocks at my heart to-day.

Lonely are my twilight gray,
Empty is my house and dream—
Should I bid him go away?

Now a wistful song and say,
Low he murmurs in my ear,
Love knocks at my heart to-day.

Ah, I know what I would say—
Yet I tremble—in it fear?
Should I bid him go away?

Wisdom, at thy shrine I pray—
Though, but seeking for a vent,
Love knocks at my heart to-day,
Should I bid him go away?
—Charlotte Becker, in Pack.

WHEN CLOUDS ARE WELCOME

Baseball Players Have No Use for Clear Skies.

The professional baseball player does not let a day go by without an anxious look toward the sky as the time draws near for the day's game, to see whether there any "angels" hovering overhead. If there is anything in nature which the ballplayer dislikes more than another it is a cloudless sky. An absolutely clear sky is to the ballplayer a "high" sky, and on such days it is more difficult to judge a fly ball than under any other conditions. The glare or shimmer in the air when looking at a bright blue, cloudless sky has its effect on the eye and in a sense disturbs vision and accuracy in judging the course of the descending ball. At least that's what all ballplayers say, and they ought to know. So the clear sky, or high sky, is their pet aversion.

What a Lord Mayor's Banquet Costs.

Fourteen tons of coal are consumed in cooking the banquet given at the London Guildhall in honor of Lord Mayor's day. Forty turtles are slaughtered to provide 250 turkeys of soup, each tureen holding a pint and a half, while the serving of the banquet requires 250 waiters and 8,000 plate changes, the total cost being about £7,000.

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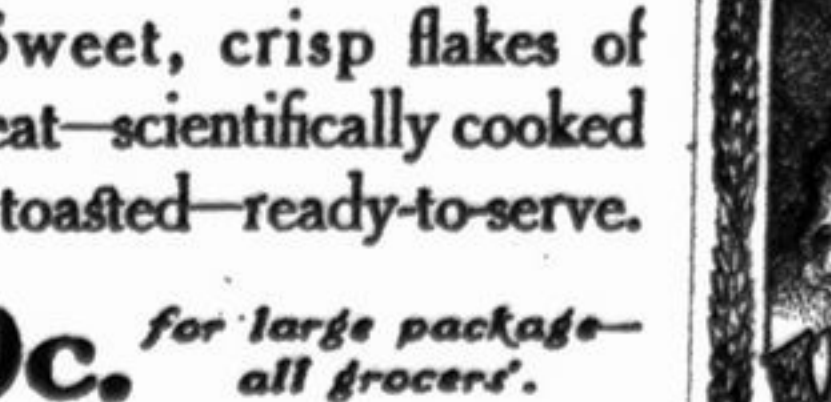
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