

The Acton Free Press  
THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 1893.

The Young Folks.

LIFE AND DEATH.

What's for the boy?  
Why, mother's eye,  
Twin patches of those summer skin  
That beamed in Paradise.  
What's for the child?  
A tiny, tiny teat,  
To taste the home-made milk,  
The butterfly's companionship.  
What's for the boy?  
The hunted gold,  
The squirrel's nest in leafy bough,  
The rainbow's folded pot of gold.  
What's for the youth?  
To taste the sun,  
In shifting robes to write his name,  
With right to fan a passing dame.  
What's for the man?  
Courage to bear  
The load of wisdom and of care,  
And some true heart's weight to share.  
And what's for the wife?  
Pain's own law,  
Contentedness, every wife's man,  
Dinner and feast—and then the stars!  
—Harper's Weekly.

THE TRAVELLING MAN.

There is probably no school so complete as a few years on the road. It schools the mind for thought, makes him a student of human nature, a philosopher, a poet, and a polished gentleman. A commercial traveller encounters all classes of mankind. He meets with almost every kind of humanity, from the educated gentleman to the coarse, illiterate hawker, by whom some means, has a stock of goods, and is a merchant.

The successful travelling man must be well posted in not only his line, but on almost every subject. He may be called upon to discuss the merits of the military bill, that is keeping Emperor William and his subjects guessing, while his next customer may want his ideas of the coming Hallitzschmann fight.

One of his customers may be a strict churchman, in whose place to let slip a "cuss word" would cost an order, while his next door neighbor may be the most profane being on earth. One man will buy if he needs anything in your line after five months talk; another expects you to sing him a song song, before he will give you the slightest encouragement.

THE HOMES AND HOME LIFE OF ROBERT BURNS.

One stormy morning, when he was only a few days old, a part of the gable of the house fell off, and

"A blast o' Januar' win'  
Blew hame" (as a first gift) in on Robin." Mother and child had to be carried through the storm to a neighbor's house. Burns referring to this in after years would say, "No wonder that one gathered into the world such a tempest should be the victim of stormy passions."

This strong sense of nature's sympathy is the very essence of the lyric mode. No poet has ever known this sympathy better. Take as illustrations "Aloft Water," where nature's sympathy is invoked, or the "Lass o' Ballochmore," where his "heart rejoiced in nature's joy."

So too, how the depths of pathos are touched when nature refuses her sympathy in "Bonnie Doon" or "My Nannie's Aw-a"-Clastayuan.

A BACHELOR'S REASON.

The people of Wyoming who permit women to vote are apparently not in sympathy with the English bachelor of long ago, who got himself into a controversy on the subject of women's rights with his sister at dinner. After preying and conning for a few minutes, the lady asked, "Candidly, sir, why do you oppose giving the franchise to women?"

"You will excuse me for saying it madam," he replied, "but I have not sufficient confidence in their capacity to conduct government affairs."

"But what evidence of mental inferiority to man can you advance?" persisted the lady.

The bachelor thought a moment, and then answered, slowly, "A simple fact is enough to satisfy my mind, and that is the frightened way in which they do up their back hair."

THE CLOSE OF THE WEEK.

Blessed be Saturday night! when the labors of the week are ended, and human misery takes, or should take, one long breath of repose; when the noise of the ax and the loom is still, and silence reigns for one day where Mammon and busy care have sat enthroned. With the dust washed from his brow, the son of toil sits a king, with his baby subjects on his knee. All the week he has obeyed orders; this day he gives them. Here by the hearthstone, master and operative stand in a scene independent and equal. It is blessed and soul-saving that the latter has time to cherish this cooling influence one day in seven. With these heart-sates and responsibilities, he leaves those dependent upon him by the hand, and walks proudly forth with the pride of this blessed day of rest. On Sunday eyes follow such little homely groups with a benediction.

RESCUE.

The rescue depends on the daily encounter with small emergencies of life, to degree from those vast epidemics which genius is sometimes permitted to exhibit on a grand scale. But even the most insignificant break in the routine of ordinary life is often sufficient to point out the man to whom it may be given to provide into stepping-stones. It is almost impossible for half a dozen persons to make even a few weeks' tour in company without one of their number unconsciously coming to the front and becoming invested with a tacit leadership by his friends. If he may not perhaps have ever been over the ground before; and yet, as in his natural aptitude for dealing with new or shifting circumstances, that this faculty is felt to be worth more than the experience of all others.

You will find it to your interest to read Kelly Bros. advertisement.

**THE MOST STUBBORN SKIN and Scalp Diseases, the worst forms of Scrofula, all blood-taints and poisons of every name and nature, are entirely rooted out by Dr. Pictet's Medical Discovery. For every disease caused by a torpid liver or impure blood, it is the only remedy so certain and effective that it can be guaranteed. If it fails to benefit & cure, you have your money back.**

Dr. Pictet, Salicinum, Ergenides, Bellis, Carbuncles, Enlarged Glands, Tumors, and Swellings, and every kindred ailment, are completely and permanently cured by it.

NOTES HERE AND THERE.  
Items of General Interest to Free Press Readers.

To the Point.

We say our remedy is a permanent cure, and then prove it thus: Toronto, Oct., April 17, 1887. "I would state that Dr. Jacobs Oil cured me effectively of scrofula, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return since of the pain which I endured for months past. It is a strong oil, and I have applied it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. Ananias, Physician, Agent, 61 York St. A seven year's test.

The man who never looks back in this world frequently sits on a tack.

To Prevent the Grip.

Or any other similar epidemic, the blood and the whole system should be kept in healthy condition. If you feel worn out or have "that tired feeling" in the morning, do not be guilty of neglect. Give immediate attention to yourself. Take Hood's Saraparilla to give strength, purify the blood and prevent disease.

Hood's Pills' cure liverills, jaundice, biliousness, sick headache and constipation.

Women seldom tease men they do not love.

Why suffer from disorders caused by impure blood, when thousands are being cured by Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery? It removes Pimples and all Eruptions of the skin. John C. Fox, Oils, writes, "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is giving good satisfaction. Those who have used it say that it has done them more good than anything they have ever taken."

It is a man around out of his sleep like a colt hat in a storm?—Because his nap is disturbed.

Truly Recommended.

Gentlemen—I can truly recommend Higgyard's Pectoral Balsam, for all coughs and colds. Less than one bottle cured my brother of a severe cold.

Miss Maggie Thompson, Vasey, Our Curious Discovery. An Irishman, writing a sketch of his life, says he ran away from his father because he discovered he was only his uncle.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.

Mr. T. S. Hawley, Chantaberry, Tenn., says: "I have used Dr. Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy for 24 years, and have found it to be a great blessing. I have had no trouble since taking it."

I have used Dr. Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy for 24 years, and have found it to be a great blessing. I have had no trouble since taking it."

Prisoners Liberated.

Many who have been confined to their beds for years by rheumatism, lame legs and bilious complaints, have been liberated from their bed prisons by the wonderful regenerating and purifying action of Burdock Blood Bitters which drives out the acids from the blood and restores health to the afflicted.

An Irish magistrate asked a prisoner if he was married. "No," replied the man, "then," said his worship, "and paid of his wife?" "I am a good thing for your wife!"

Don't experiment with your health. You may be sure of the quality of your medicine, even if you have to take much of your food upon trust. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Saraparilla, and no other. It is the standard blood-purifier, the most effectual and economical.

Nature is on the road along with the other fall travellers. Her samples of color are unusually beautiful.

Perfect Satisfaction.

GENTLEMEN—I have found B. B. B. an excellent remedy, both as a blood purifier and general family medicine. I was for a long time troubled with sick headaches and heartburn, and tried a bottle, which gave me such perfect satisfaction that I have since then used it as our family medicine.

E. Bailey, North Bay, Ont.

If you want to buy an oil farm, advertising in the Toronto Weekly Mail for

Wild Cherry and Hypophosphite builds up and strengthens the entire system.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Cold, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and Consumption if taken in time.

Canada is soon congratulated on the excellence of their manufactured Art Stained Glass is produced by the famous rank of their implement makers to McClelland & Son, of Toronto, who for 20 years have labored, not only to accomplish beauty, but to make Stained and Ornamental Glass of all kinds a credit to the Dominion.

You need not cough all night and disturb your friends; there is no occasion for you running the risk of contracting inflammation of the lungs or consumption, while you can get Hickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. This medicine cures coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs and all throat and chest trouble. It promotes a free and easy respiration, which immediately relieves the throat and lungs from violent phlegm.

Just starting on a wedding trip: Young Wife—"I am afraid, dear, that our trip to Europe will be expensive." Young Husband—"It may be a trifling expense, but just think what a delightful time we shall have. Just ending the wedding trip: Young Wife—"What a delightful time we had, dear!" Young Husband—"Yes, we have had a pleasant enough time, but just think what an awful expense it has been!"

Entomological professor of physics, distinguishing the ornitho and entomological wings of the insect world, and dry my hands and don't move, you would say I was a fool. But I move, I move, I run, then what do you call me?" Voice from the rear: "A clochop!"

A thief caught coming out of a store on the wharf the other night with three sheepskins under his arm, is reported to what he was doing, said he "went in for free wool." The policeman, however was on hand for protection.

Bachelor of Hearts—Cupid.

When a man pictures a heaven for himself he always has his own mansion right in the centre of it.

On Perfect Satisfaction.

When you have to buy an oil farm, advertising in the Toronto Weekly Mail for

Wild Cherry and Hypophosphite builds up and strengthens the entire system.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Cold, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and Consumption if taken in time.

Rich is the long-healing virtues of the Pine Syrup, which is the best tonic and restorative properties of other popular herbs and herbs.

A PERFECT CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLD'S.

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP.

For Coughs and Cold's.

PRICE, \$1.00, PER BOTTLE.

PRICE, \$1.00, PER BOTTLE.