

ONLY A BOY.

Oh, for a glimpse of a natural boy—
A boy with a freckled face.
With forehead white, hair tangled
And limbs devoid of grace.

Who knows an orphaned child?
Who turns an eye on a fosterer when
You give him a word of praise?

A boy who, born with an appetite
Who seeks the pantry shelves
To eat his "piece" with rousing
Smack!

Who has gone on himself
It's true he'll sit in the casket chair
With his hands and feet as every
where.

For youth must have room to
grow.
But he doesn't call his father "old
man"
Nor deny his mother's call.
Nor ridicule what his elders say.

Or think that he knows it all.
A rough and whiskered natural boy—
Of a good old-fashioned type
And bless him, if he's still on earth
He'll make a man some day.

One way to be unhappy is to envy
the happiness of others.
If you want to oblige a friend, do
something for him by way instead of
your own way.

A great many people see themselves
as others see them, but they don't
believe what they see.

He there a Will Wisdom Points the
Way.—The sick man pines for relief,
but he dislikes sending for the doctor,
which means bottles never consumed.
He has not the resolution to load his
stomach with compounds which smell
offensively and taste worse.

But if he has the will to deal himself with his
illness, wisdom will direct his attention
to Paro's Vegetable Pills
which is an antidote for indigestion and
disorders of the digestive organs, have
no equal.

A lucky man always points with
pride to his good judgment.
"Man is filled with misery."—This
is not true of all men. The will,
sound of lung, clear of eye, alert and
buoyant with health, are not miser-
able, whatever may be their social
condition. To be well is to be happy,
and we can all be well by getting and
keeping our bodies in a healthful state.
Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will help all
to do this.

How many things are there in a
grocery store you never will call for?
If attacked with cholera or summer
complaint of any kind send at once for
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rapidity in subduing that dreadful
disease that weakens the strongest
man and that destroys the young and
delicate. Those who have used this
cholera medicine say it acts promptly,
and never fails to effect a thorough
cure.

An exchange prints a story which
may be commended to the attention
of all public speakers who have the
dangerous gift of fluency.
A young lawyer talked for several
hours to a jury in Indiana, to the wear-
iness of all who were obliged to listen.
At last he sat down, and the opposing
counsel, a white-haired veteran, rose
to reply.

"Your honor," said he, "I will follow
the example of my young friend who
has just finished, and submit the case
without argument."
With that he took his seat, and the
silence was oppressive.

PROVISIONAL.
The Syracuse Post prints a story
containing an excellent hint, which
fathers and mothers who have babies
to name may well consider.
A girl baby was brought to a clergy-
man of Syracuse to be baptized. He
asked the name of the baby.

"Dinah M.," the father responded.
"Is that what you call it?" asked the
minister.
"Well, I don't know yet; it depends
upon how she turns out."
"Is she turns out?" asked the min-
ister.

"Oh, if she turns out nice and sweet
and handy around the house, like her
brother, I shall call her, Dinah May.
But if she has a fiery temper and a
boresome disposition like mine, I
shall call her Dinah Night."

DIE WON.
"Mary," said Mr. Thomas, when a
silence fraught with unpleasant mean-
ing had followed his first altercation
with his young wife.
"Who said that?" asked Mr. Thomas,
with a judicial air, "and each considers
the other at fault, which of the two
do you think should make the first
advance toward reconciliation?"
"The wiser of the two," said Mr.
Thomas, promptly; "and so, my dear,
I'll say at once that I'm very sorry."

It occurred to Mr. Thomas that it
might have been as well for him to
make the first advance, after all, but
he thoughtfully refrained from saying
so.

NBODDY EVER "AT" LONDON.
A case of irregularity occurs in a
columnar that announces from New
York the residence of a certain notable
person—"At London." You will
perceive at once the absurdity of those
words—"At London." A New York-
er may want to get at London, but
those who live there live "in London."
And it is one of the triumphs of Lon-
don and language (though most irreg-
ular that no one is ever "AT" London.
You can drop off "AT" Paris on the
way to anywhere, or you may spend
the winter "AT" St. Petersburg or
"AT" New York. You may change
your "AT" Chicago. But there is no
moment when the English language
gets irregular. It is when the fifth
million is passed? No Englishman
was ever "AT" London. It would be
as irregular as being "AT" Athens or
"AT" heaven.—London Standard.

NEVER FORGOT IT.

"You must have met a great many
queer people in your time," said a
friend to an old "elevator man" who,
for nearly a quarter of a century, had
taken passengers up and down in one
of the large buildings of a crowded
city.

"Queer people?" replied the old
man, reflectively. "No. People are
all alike—except one."

"The number face lighted up a little,
and he went on as I opened the door
to the elevator. "I've met just one person in all these
years who wasn't like the rest. She
was a curly-haired little girl from the
country. She had never been in an
elevator before. I took her up to the
sixth floor, and as I opened the door
to let her out she looked at me with
the sweetest smile in the world—and
thanked me. Only human being I
ever met that didn't seem to think an
elevator man was a mere machine. I
think she must have died years ago."

And the old man was silent for a
long time.

ADVERTISING PAY.
It was a surprise to the summer
boarder to learn that one of the group
of graduates from the university, to the
"grads" association, of which she had
been a member, was married and
settled in a home of her own.

"I remember her," said the summer
boarder, "but she did not strike me as
being as attractive as most of the
other girls."

"Well, I guess 'twas her graduating
essay that carried her off so quick,
maybe. Her subject was 'How to
Keep House on Six Dollars a Week,'
and it fetched most every young man
in town, they tell me. By white I
hear, all she had to do was to sit at
home and pick and choose."

It is sometimes difficult to distin-
guish between a sympathetic person
and a curious one.

There is a little wolf and a little
rabbit in every man.

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VERY DIFFERENT. A young minister had gone to the house of his boyhood to preach, says an exchange, and of course the villagers were full of curiosity to hear him. At the close of the service one of the deacons engaged the young preacher's wife in conversation.

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