

ORANGE AND GREEN.

BY EUGENE DAVIS. I ate not what your color be, If but with you still I had... A noble heart is the only hand To shape a noble deed.

IRISH NOTES.

The long drought was broken in Ireland on July 4, when rain fell over all parts of the country to the great advantage of the crops. The Assize reports disclose an almost complete immunity from crime in Ireland.

Among the deputations of English ladies who recently presented an address of sympathy to the women of Ireland were Miss Cobden, Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. W. Bright McLaren.

Father O'Byrne, formerly of Cork, but now of Northern Queensland, is visiting his native land. He was the man who in 1851, by the aid of a round sum of money from the Irishmen of Northern Queensland, who promise a handsome yearly subscription if it be useful.

In a letter to a Cork friend, a London Liberal Unionist of much social influence says: "I will content myself with saying that I believe public opinion is veering Home Rule ward, and many of us are asking ourselves why we should have to give up a territory that which we all feel must inevitably be accorded in the immediate future, spite of present prejudice and opposition."

In answer to Dr. Tanner, Colonel King-Harman, in the House of Commons, has admitted that nearly \$32,000 of the \$35,000 of the sum granted to the Irish last year, was spent in the cost of collection and in increases of salary to petty sessions clerks.

A duel is very quickly managed. It only takes two seconds to arrange it. An old favorite, that has been popular with the people for nearly 80 years is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for all varieties of summer complaints of children and adults.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

USEFUL RECIPES FOR THE HOUSEHOLD.

Ca'ta brains fried—Take the brains and bat up with an egg, salt and pepper; fry in hot lard. Cookies—Two cups of sugar, two eggs, one cup of butter, one-half cup of sweet milk, one teaspoonful of soda.

Snow cake—One cup of white sugar, half cup of butter, one cup of flour, one-half cup of sweet milk, teaspoonful of baking powder, whites of four eggs; flavor with almond. Corn cake—Two cups of Indian meal, two cups of cold water or milk, one-half cup of flour, one-half cup sugar, one egg, two teaspoonfuls cream of tartar, one teaspoonful of soda.

White Mountain Cake—Three eggs, one cup of sugar, one-half cup of new milk, one half cup of butter, two cups of flour, one teaspoonful of soda, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar. Flavor to taste. Fig cake—Three pits of flour, one cup of butter, one of sweet milk, two and one-half cups sugar, whites of sixteen eggs, three teaspoonfuls baking powder, one and one-half pounds figs, flavored and cut in strips.

Gooseberry pudding—Prepare a pie paste, as light as convenient, cover the bottom of it with powdered sugar, then place alternately a layer of pickled and washed gooseberries and one of sugar. Bake it three quarters of an hour. To dress cucumbers—Gather or buy from market early; peel and cut in small diamonds; cut in slices; salt in a dish; set and pepper freely; pour a cup of vinegar over them, and lay ice on top.

White fruit cake—One pound of flour, one pound of sugar, one pound of butter, one pound of blanched almonds, three pits of citrous, one grated coconut, whites of sixteen eggs, one teaspoonful of baking powder; flavor to taste. Egg omelette—One pint rich sweet cream, three tablespoonful flour, three eggs well beaten, half-teaspoonful salt and pepper. Stir flour and milk smooth, add the eggs. Melt a large spoonful of butter in a baking pan, pour in and bake twenty minutes.

Lily Cake—Two cups of sugar and one cup of butter mixed together, one cup of sweet milk, one-half teaspoonful of soda, one cup of corn-starch, two cups of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, whites of five eggs. Flavor, and frost with chocolate frosting. Gooseberry pudding—Make a paste of flour and beef suet chopped fine, five well beaten eggs, half a nutmeg grated, a little ginger or spice and some salt; roll out the paste, put it into a cloth, fill it with gooseberries and sugar and let it boil three hours. This is an English recipe.

Break an egg into a tumbler, rub two lumps of sugar on the rind of a fine lemon, put the sugar into the tumbler, squeeze the lemon into it with a squeezer and half fill with ice broken small; fill up with water and with a shaker shake the whole thoroughly a few seconds; then add a little nutmeg over the top. If you have no shaker, beat the egg with a fork. Simple lemonade is greatly improved by rubbing the peel with sugar. When made for patients recovering from fever a far more grateful drink than strong lemonade is made by using one lemon to a quart of water, with one cup of sugar added to the water, and a very little lemon juice. This given in teaspoonfuls when the mouth and tongue are parched, is inexpressibly refreshing.

flavored soda at a moment's notice. In fruit season half the glass with fresh fruit syrup and sweet fill up from the siphon, and you have a drink for the gods.

SODA MILK. This is an excellent and nourishing drink in hot weather, and will remain on the most delicate stomach when anything but koumiss would be rejected, and is simply soda from the siphon and milk.

CLAIRT OUP WITH SODA. This is excellently made from California wine. Pour a bottle of claret into a pitcher, add a sliced orange, leaving out the first and last slice, and a strip of cucumber peel as long as your finger; sweeten with syrup; add, if liked, a wineglass of Santa Cruz rum; set this in a crushed ice and just before drinking strain and add the contents of a siphon of soda water; stir and serve at once.

Of all cups except champagne perhaps cider is the best. Pour a quart of cider into a pitcher, slice an orange into it or three slices of lemon; stir or not according as the cider is sweet or sour, add a glass of sherry and one of brandy, with a pint of crushed strawberries, if in season, otherwise a cup of chopped pineapple and a few drops of almond flavring. The champagne cider is used in the best hotels. Let all stand until chill. Then strain and add a siphon of soda. The soda water must always be used, the last thing, and when there is time to have the "cup" cold enough without do not add ice to it, as it stands it gets pour. Sweeten all cups with syrup made thus:—Four boiling water, a pint, one pound of white sugar. When dissolved bottle for use. The use of the syrup prevents the last of the cup being too sweet.—Philadelphia Press.

Consumption Surely Cured. TO THE EDITOR— Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and P. O. address. Respectfully, DR. T. A. SLOUM, BRANCH OFFICE: 37 YONGE ST., TORONTO. 32-L

SUCCESSFUL MUSICAL COMPOSERS. THE EARNINGS OF SOME OF THE MOST POPULAR SONG WRITERS. It is a well recognized fact in the "profession" that directly an author or a musician writes a successful love or a popular song, thousands of men and women throughout the country try their hands at the different art of literature and music under the painful delusion that they are about to speedily make their fortunes. At such a time the houses of the leading publishers are deluged with three volume novels and reams of music in manuscript.

Mr. Gounod, who obtained but a £100 or £150 for his rights of "Faust," receives £80 or £100 for every song he writes, and is content to do without a royalty; but a majority of our more well known English musicians work on the royalty system, and receive a cheque for £100 or £150 as well. Mr. Tosti can command £250 for a ballad, and his publisher is probably a gainer on that. The same amounts will be readily attained by such well known writers as Mr. Milton Wellings, Mr. Stephen Adams, Mr. Mulloy, Mr. Marzials, and the other dozen composers who form the sum total of the recognized genius of the country.

We are speaking here of the average songs of our successful musicians. From time to time, however, a "strike like," that is, they will write a melody that will carry the town by storm. Such songs as "Punchinello," "For Ever and Ever," "Some Day," "Nancy Lee," and "The Maid of the Mill" will run into one hundred thousand copies or more, and will bring £700, £800 or to their credit. Such a man can hope, at the best, to secure but one such success during four or five years of hard work. As an instance, we can only point to a couple of really successful songs during the past two years, and these from the pen of Mr. Stephen Adams and Mr. Hope Temple.

ENJOY LIFE. What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but the majority of people feel like giving it up, disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof that Green's August Flower will make them free from disease as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Constipation, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10c. Try it.

The fisherman's favorite musical instrument is the casiane. Henry Clement, Montreal, writes: "For a long time I was troubled with Chronic Rheumatism at times wholly disabled; I tried everything and everything recommended, but failed to get any benefit until a gentleman who was cured of Rheumatism by Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil told me about it. I began using it both internally and externally, and before two bottles were used I was radically cured. We find it a household blessing; it has no equal." A pretty compliment for a lady's shoe.—It could not be seen because of the shoe buckle.

What Toronto's well-known Good Samaritan says: "I have been troubled with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint for over 20 years, and have tried many remedies, but never found an article that has done me as much good as Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure." CLARA E. PORTER. To make a penny go a long way, draw it out into 5,700 feet of wire, as was lately done in Scotland.

The Horse—nobles of the brute creation—when suffering from a cut, abrasion, or sore, derives as much benefit from a plaster in a like predicament as when the healing, soothing action of Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil, Lamenax, swelling of the neck, stiffness of the joints, throat and lungs, are relieved by it.

OUR WIVES.

Ruckin, in speaking of the wife, says:—"A judicious wife is always nipping off from her husband's moral nature little twigs that are growing in the wrong direction. She keeps him in shape by pruning. If you say anything silly she will affectionately style you an idiot, and be sure you will do some absurd thing she will find some way of preventing you from doing it. And by far the chief part of all the common sense there is in the world belongs unquestionably to women. The wisest things which a man counselly does are those which his wife counsels him to do."

"DON'T MARRY HIM!" "He is such a fickle, inconstant fellow, you will never be happy with him," said Esther's friends when they started her engagement to a young man who bore the reputation of being a sad flirt. Esther, however, knew that her lover had good qualities, and she was willing to take the risk. In nine cases out of ten it would have proved a mistake; but Esther was an uncommon girl and to every one's surprise she proved a model husband. How was it? Well, Esther had a wonderful temper and a great deal of tact. Then she enjoyed perfect health and was always so sweet, neat and wholesome that Fred found his own home most pleasant, and his own wife more agreeable than any other being. As the year passed and he saw other women of Esther's age grow sick and aged and querulous, he realized more and more that he had a jewel of a wife. Good health was half the secret of Esther's success. She retained her vitality and good looks, because she sharded off feminine weaknesses and ailments by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Holloway's Pills.—Pure Blood.—When the Blood is pure, its circulation calm and equal, and the nerves well strung, we are well. These Pills possess a marvellous power in securing these essential elements of health by purifying, regulating and strengthening the fluids and solids. Holloway's Pills can be confidently recommended to all persons suffering from indigestion, constipation or worried by nervous diseases, neuralgic pains. They correct acidity and heart-burn, dispel sick headache, quicken the action of the liver, and act as alteratives and gentle aperients. The weak and delicate may take them without fear. Holloway's Pills are eminently serviceable to invalids of irritable constitution as they restore the action of every organ to its natural standard, and universally exercise a calming and sedative influence.

A man with two wooden legs is the accepted savior of a widow with a wooden arm and a gasser eye. Let them be happy.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE. FOR EXHAUSTION. Dr. A. N. Knott, Van Wert, O., says: "I found it decidedly beneficial in nervous exhaustion. Young husband (meeting his wife at the railway station)—Didn't I telegraph you not to bring your mother with you? Young wife—I know. That's what she has come to see you about. She read the telegraph."

PRASEWORTHY. "Last summer I was entirely laid up with liver complaint, a friend advised me to use Burdock Blood Bitters, I did so, and four bottles cured me. I cannot praise this remedy too much." John H. Rivers, Orr Lake, Ont.

Professor.—Next time, ladies, I will bring to your attention a new and superior medicine, the past. Delightful Young Lady (to her neighbor)—I should prefer to make the acquaintance of one of the young men who hasn't passed yet.

DRESSING DYED WITHOUT KEEPING. Coloring dresses and any heavy garments can be done without ripping, by using Diamond Dyes. Be careful to have a kettle or a tub large enough to allow the goods to be easily moved about.

"Suppose I should quit you about your bald head, you wouldn't get angry, would you?" said a young top to an indignant old man in a railway station. "Not at all, I should only say that when my head gets as soft as yours I can raise hair to sell, or something of that sort," smilingly replied the old man.

MALADIES MULTIPLY ONE ANOTHER. A simple fit of digestion may—especially if the constitution is not naturally vigorous—throw the entire mechanism of the liver and bowels out of gear. Sick headache follows, poisoning of the blood by bile ensues, and there is grave and serious disturbance of the entire system. Check the threatened dangers at the outset with Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, the medicine that drives every impurity from the blood.

A sailor being asked how he liked his bride is reported to have remarked:—"Why, dy'e seen, I took her to be only half of me, as the parson says, but dash my buttons if she isn't twice as much as me, for I'm only a tar and she's a tar-bitch."

"There are a number of varieties of corns. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once.

A candidate shouted in his speech:—"We must return to the food of our fathers. And what was it? Ask. A deep voice across the hall replied:—"Thistles."

So rapidly does lung irritation spread and deepen, that often in a few weeks a simple cough culminates in tubercular consumption. Give heed to a cough, there is always danger in delay, get a bottle of Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, and cure yourself. It is a medicine unsurpassed for all throat and lung troubles. It is compounded from several herbs, each one of which has a powerful influence in curing consumption and all lung diseases.

Under-taker.—And what kind of trimmings will you have on the coffin? None whatever—a plain coffin. It was trimmings that killed him. Under-taker.—What? Widow.—Yes? delirium tremens.

LIBERAL LORDS AND THE COERCION ACT.

The following protest against the Coercion Bill has been placed by 26 Liberal Peers upon the Journals of the House of Lords:—"1. Because exception of criminal legislation weakens the ordinary administration of justice by inducing reliance on arbitrary methods, and is at the best only temporary in its effect, while it causes lasting irritation, and intense hatred and distrust of law."

HORRORS OF NIGHTMARE.

A French physician has recorded a very extraordinary case in which the nightmare attacked an entire regiment of soldiers. Dr. Laurent, the physician in question, said he was surgeon of the First battalion of the Latour d'Auvergne regiment, when it was garrisoned at Palmi, in Calabria. At midnight, in the month of June, the order to march with all possible speed to Tropea, forty miles away, was given. At seven o'clock on the following evening Tropea was reached, scarcely a single halt having been made by the way.

THE OLD SILVER SPOON. How I missed my mind are the days of my sickness, When I tossed me in pain all fevered and burning, The nausea, the nausea, the sinking and weakness, And even the old spoon that my medicine bore.

THE OLDEST TRIUMPH IN A MAN'S LIFE IS WHEN HE MAKES A FRIEND OF A FORMER ENEMY. The joy is then akin to that which angels feel as they rejoice over the sinner that repenteth.

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WHAT AILS YOU?

Do you feel dull, languid, low-spirited, lifeless, and indescribably miserable, a both physically and mentally; experience a sense of lassitude or bloating at eating, or other gastric troubles, or emptiness of stomach in the morning, tongue coated, bitter or bad taste in mouth, irregular appetite, dizziness, frequent headaches, blurred vision, floating specks before the eyes, nervous prostration, or exhaustion, irritability of temper, hot flushes, alternating transient pains, sharp, cutting, or burning pains in head and throat, cold feet, drowsiness after meals, wakefulness, or disturbed and unrefreshing sleep, constant indigestion, feeling of dread, or of impending calamity?

IF YOU HAVE ALL, OR ANY CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF THESE SYMPTOMS, YOU ARE SUFFERING FROM THAT MOST COMMON AND MOST AGONYING OF DISEASES, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will subdue it. It is taken by day, in a course of not more than a reasonable length of time. If not cured, complications multiply and Consumption of the Lungs, Skin Diseases, Heart Disease, Rheumatism, Kidney Disease, or other grave maladies are quite liable to set in and, sooner or later, induce a fatal termination.

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