

Poetical Gems.

(FOR THE SCRAP BOOK.)

PORTIA and NERISSA.

(The Merchant of Venice Act V.)
 PORTIA: That light we see is burning in my hall: How far that little candle throws his beams! So shines a good deed in a naughty world.
 NERISSA: When the moon shone, we did not see the candle.
 PORTIA: So doth the greater glory dim the less: A substitute shines brightly as a king, until a king be by; and then his state empties itself, as doth an inland brook into the main of waters—Music, hark!
 NERISSA: It is your music, Madam, of the house.
 PORTIA: Nothing is good, I see, without respect: Methinks it sounds much sweeter than by day.
 NERISSA: Silence bestows the virtue on it, Madam.
 PORTIA: The crow doth sing as sweetly as the lark, when neither is attended; and, I think, the nightingale, if she should sing by day, when every goose is cackling, would be thought no better a musician than the wren.
 How many things by season seasoned are, To their right praise, and true perfection! —Shakespeare.

SONNET XXVI.

Sweet is the rose, but grows upon a brier; Sweet is the juniper, but sharp his bough; Sweet is the eglantine, but pricketh the ear; Sweet is the firbloom, but his branches are rough; Sweet is the cyprus, but his hind is tough; Sweet is the nut, but bitter is his pill; Sweet is the broom flower, but yet sour enough; And sweet is moly, but his root is ill; So every sweet, with sour is tempered still. That maketh it the coveted morsel: For easy things that may be got at will. Most sorts of men do set but little store; Why then should I account of little pain. That endless pleasure shall unto me gain? —Spenser (1553-1598).

ORNAMENTS.

The world is still deceived with ornament. In law, what plea so tainted and corrupt, But being seasoned with a gracious voice, Obscures the show of evil? In religion, What damned error, but some sober brow Will bless it, and approve it with a text, Hiding the grossness with fair ornaments? There is no vice so simple, but assumes Some mark of virtue of its outward parts. How many cowards, whose hearts are all as false, As theirs assume but valour's execution. To render them redoubted, Look on beauty. And you shall see 'tis purchased by the weight. Which thence works a miracle in nature. Making them lightest that wear most of it. So are those crisped snaky golden locks, Which make such wanton gambols with the wind, Upon supposed fairness, often known To be the dowry of a second head. The skull that bred them, in the sepulchre. Thus ornament is but the gilded scabbard, To a most dangerous sword; the beautiful Indian beauty; in a word.

THE HEART THAT LOVED HER.

The heart that loved her, 'tis her privilege Through all the years of this our life, To lead From joy to joy; for she can so inform The mind that is within us, so impress With quietness and beauty, and so feed With lofty thoughts, that neither evil tongues, Rash judgments, nor the sneers of selfish men, Nor greetings where no kindness is, nor all The dreary intercourse of daily life, Shall e'er prevail against us, or disturb Our cheerful faith that all which we behold Is full of blessings. —Wordsworth (Tintern Abbey).

FROM THE GREAT MUSICIANS.

It is one thing to give ourselves up to reflection, and another to yield to inspiration. —Beethoven.
 Art and composition tolerate no conventional fetters; mind and soul soar above them. —Haydn.
 I am what I am because I was industrious; whoever is equally sedulous will be equally successful. —Bach.
 But from one source only something new is ever to be obtained—from John Sebastian Bach. —Schumann.
 Eccentricity will always be a sublime and enviable fault in every musical genius, but genius and invention are one. —Listz.
 Learn all that is to be learned, and then choose your own path. —Handel.

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Walking.

Walking is a despicable form of exercise which is performed when the legs as a substitute for a street car fare. If a man walks down town from 46th street every day for two years and puts the amount thus saved out at interest, until he becomes seventy, he will accumulate enough to keep a second-hand run-about in tires for several months.
 Walking was invented at a time when legs were an untried experiment and a great many people refused to try it at first for fear of losing their equilibrium and other valuables. When, however, they saw the humble chimpanzee striding through the forest with the perfect poise and freedom of a chaataqua lecturer, they began to realize that they had an unappreciated boon in their midst and from that time to this people have always walked when deterred from riding by a blow-out or bankruptcy in the coin purse.
 Walking is used to very good advantage by overworked business men who hesitate to send their digestion to a hospital for fear that they will not get it back intact. Many a man has seen the grim specter of a 3250 operation for appendicitis lurking behind the fourth helping of spring lamb and green peas and has tried to lull it to sleep by taking a long walk. Only to have it pounce on him nine miles from an internist and produce a consultation of doctors whose combined time is worth \$300 a half hour.
 The automobile has made walking about as fashionable as a red necktie at a church wedding. Nothing makes the average man more disgusted with walking than to have some neighbour who has owed him on book account for sixteen years whirl by a maroon touring car and flaunt the muffler cut-off in his face. If there were fewer folks in this country getting along without the daily newspaper and the clean boiled shirt, in order to burn up two-bit gasoline and non-skidding tires, walking would be a more popular form of locomotion.

THINKERS.

Those who have finished by making all others think with them, have usually been those who began by daring to think with themselves. —Colton.
 There are very few original thinkers in the world; the greatest part of those who are called philosophers have adopted the opinions of some who went before them. —Stewart.
 Thinkers are scarce as gold, but he whose thoughts embrace all his subject, and who pursues it uninterruptedly and fearlessly of consequences, is a diamond of enormous size. —Lavater.
 Our dispositions will be suitable to that which we most frequently think on, for the soul is, as it were, tinged with the color and complexion of its own thoughts. —Antonius.

NATURE.

Nature never did betray The heart that loved her; 'tis her privilege Through all the years of this our life, To lead From joy to joy; for she can so inform The mind that is within us, so impress With quietness and beauty, and so feed With lofty thoughts, that neither evil tongues, Rash judgments, nor the sneers of selfish men, Nor greetings where no kindness is, nor all The dreary intercourse of daily life, Shall e'er prevail against us, or disturb Our cheerful faith that all which we behold Is full of blessings. —Wordsworth (Tintern Abbey).

Complaint About Mails.

Editor Evening Telegram.
 Dear Sir,—I promised two weeks ago that I would give you a little more information respecting the Mail. It is ridiculous how the mails are handled in the post office at that place. Sometimes we get our papers after two weeks and then the name is torn off the paper given to somebody else, and poor Tom has to wait until all the Tories have been schooled in the reading of the day.
 Furthermore, Mr. Editor, I would ask you if a whole family is allowed to handle mail matter. The audacity of those parties would make you sick. I am really sorry for the Hon. Wm. Woodford, member for the district. He is too easily led by the clique that govern the place. They draw him over and make him believe what they want to. Such is the case. But the time is fast approaching when neither Paddy Mouse or Paddy Brick will be the majority. Tories will not buy what is in Harry Mann for one gallon of liquor. They may think so, and talk so. But they will soon find the difference.
 I beg to be excused, Mr. Editor, for the space that I have taken up, but will continue later on. At present I have no more time.
 Sincerely yours,
 THOS. J. EZEKIEL.
 July 24th, 1913.

Mount Cashel.

The Mount Cashel Garden Party takes place next Wednesday. This great event which appeals to the support of our charitable citizens needs no words of commendation. The object of the Brothers and their work is so well known that little may be said to impress on our citizens of all classes to give the event their hearty support. Besides being a day when all parties can join in such a worthy object it is also of great pleasure. A programme of attractive events has been arranged that will make the afternoon most enjoyable. All interested have been for some time engaged in preparations to surpass all former celebrations and all that is needed is a fine day to give the supporters and friends of the institution the best day's entertainment for the season. Let us hope that amidst the many summer attractions that Mount Cashel as usual will be patronized by an increased number of our citizens so that the good Brothers will be strengthened and encouraged in their philanthropic and unselfish work.

Stars Champions.

The Casuals and Star contested their last evening's football match, and the game resulted two goals to nil in favour of the former, thus giving the Stars the championship for this year. They have won the cup two years in succession and are to be congratulated. Their team is: Clare J. Barr, Dunn, Kavanagh, Evans, T. Duggan, Power, Brian, Morgan, W. Duggan, Murphy. The Casuals were close runners up and takes second place followed in turn by the Fellidians, Celticians, St. Bon's, Casuals and B.I.S.

Here and There.

Try Campbell's Delicious Ice Cream.—June 4, 11.

OLINDA ARRIVES.—The brig, Olinda has reached Pernambuco after a 35 days passage from this port.

Evening Telegram for sale at P. J. RAYNES', New Gower St. July 12, 1m, eod.

MOLASSES CARGO.—The brig, Lake Simcoe arrived in port last evening from Barbadoes, molasses laden. The passage was made in 24 days.

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BASEBALL MATCH.—The B. I. S. and Shamrock teams will try conclusion on Thursday next at the grounds on Stancombe's Field. A good game is expected.

DR. LEHR, Dentist, 208, Water St. Best quality Teeth, \$12.00 per set. Teeth extracted without pain, 25c.—July 13, 3m.

CITY'S HEALTH.—Five cases of infectious diseases were reported in the city during the week—two of smallpox, two of typhoid and one of scarlet.

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A POOR FARE.—The ship, Cactus arrived at Catalina from the Flemish Cap yesterday with the poor fare of 100 lbs. codfish. The vessel reported cod scarce.

A POLICE RECORD.—Last evening there was no arrests made by the police. This is the third day in succession not a single arrest was made. The police say they never saw the town as quiet.

ICE.—Order your daily supply of Ice from J. W. CAMPBELL, Ltd.—June 11.

DIPHTHERIA OUTBREAK.—Dr. Brechin has been apprised of an outbreak of diphtheria at Norris' Arm. Five persons are down with the disease and they are being attended by Dr. Cummings.

All the Leading Brands of Tobaccos and Cigarettes at P. J. RAYNES', 112 New Gower St. July 12, 1m, eod.

VETERAN HURT.—E. Power, of the Star team, while playing his final football match last evening received a severe kick. He had to stop playing for a while but after a rest continued to the finish.

CONVEYED TO HOSPITAL.—A young woman named Mary Colter, who came from Bell Island, was brought in the ambulance yesterday from Portugal Cove to be treated for a serious internal ailment.

All kinds of Temperance Drinks on Ice at P. J. RAYNES', 112 New Gower Street. July 12, 1m, eod.

NOTOR ACCIDENT.—Yesterday afternoon a man going down Water Street on a motor cycle, while trying to get clear of an express, ran into a sloven. His machine was badly damaged and he had a narrow escape himself from serious injury.

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WITH THE ADVENTISTS.—Sunday evening at the Cooktown Road Church, Elder Wm. C. Young will present another of his Bible studies upon the subject of Faith. The particular phase of this important theme that will occupy the hour will be: "A Weak Faith." All seats free.

GOOD NEWS FOR SOMEBODY. Ladies' Ready-to-wear Hats reduced to Half Price. Men's and Boys' Straw Hats reduced 25 per cent.

THE WEST END BAZAAR, July 26, 21. 51 Water St. West.

FISHERY (LOCAL).—So far the fishery for the hook and line at Quidi Vidi and the Battery promises to be a total failure. Those who have traps in the water, however, are doing fairly well. At Outer Cove and Middle Cove good "shilling" is being done. At the latter place many loads of caplin are taken daily.

That stubborn headache can likely be removed by properly fitted glasses. No doubt it is caused by one of the various forms of astigmatism or hypermetropia. Go to TRAPNELL, the Eye-sight Specialist and have your eyes tested.—July 11.

LEAVING FOR HOLIDAY.—Tomorrow afternoon, Mayor Ellis leaves by the Bruce express to attend the Convention of the K. of C. in Boston, and will be away with other members of the United States. Inspector General and Mrs. Sullivan will also leave by the express on a holiday, which certainly the Inspector General deserves. D.I. Grimes will be in charge during Mr. Sullivan's absence.

STOP FORGETTING. And remember that Aug. 20th the Grand Garden Party will be held at Ferryland in aid of New Convent. C. C. C. Band. Particulars later.—July 23, 21, w, s.

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