#### HONEST ABE, U. S. M.

The Rural Mail Carrier Relates a Case of Poetry.

Copyright, 1903, by C. B. Lewis 1 EVERAL times of late when I have had mail for Uncle Joe White at the Red Bridge farm I noticed that he was looking worried and out of sorts, but I asked se questions and he volunteered no in formation until the other day. Then, as I drove up, he said to me:

"Abe, I'm in a heap of trouble over any son Dan, and I want your advice." "And what's the matter with Dan?" Issked

"Well, about four weeks ago he took to poetry, and he's been actin' like a 'tarnal fool ever since. I can't get one day's work a week out o' him. He's at that poetry from morning till night, and many a night he's up till midnight. He's got an idea that he's a new Tenmyson and that he's going to become a great man. I've argued and coaxed and threatened, but it don't do no good.

"Here's some of the stuff he's written, and I want you to read it and tell the what you think." The first poem handed up read as fol-

She's false to me, the girl I loved; My happiness she's shattered; My heart will never love again Because my faith is scattered.

The second one read: Talk not to me of life and love, Talk not of roses red; Talk not of buds and sunny skies, But rather of the dead.

"Has he been in love and got the throw down?" I asked of Uncle Joe. "Not as I know of. He jest seemed to feel that way, you see. Here is one that is different." The one that was different read:

"To arms! To arms!" Sir Henry cried.
"To arms, my brave defenders!"
And each one buckled on his sword
And tightened his suspenders.

Then to the fray Sir Henry rode And to the fray was follered, And every time he killed a man Most gleefully he hollered. Most greefully ne hollered.
"I don't know a durned thing about poetry," explained Uncle Joe, "but I de know when a feller is making a Tool o' himself. That's what Dan is

doing now, and I want to stop him. I'm not going to board and lodge and ciothe him and let him sp'awl around or the grass and tinker poetry. He was eating dinner the other day when he jumped up to write this down:

The flowers of May are nothing to me, and nought are the roses of June; Wwould lay down and expire for the love of Mariah and die in the full of the moon.

"Abe, is Dan a fool or a poet?" asked Uncle Joe as I finished reading the

"A little of both, I think," I replied. Will he ever git tich as a poet? "Then, durn his hide, he's got to quit

this nonsense and git into the cornfield.

I want to do what's right by my children, Abe, but they've got to do what's right by me.

"Right now, when Dan ought to be hustling with a roe, he's out under an apple tree writing poetry with his tongue hanging cut and his eyes rolled up. If you say so I'll go out there and jump him two feet high and scare all the poetry out of him."

Joe," Lanswered.

"How too sudden?" "Well; I'd give him a little warnings little poetic warning. After I'm gone you might wander out that way and rarelessly say to Dan:

"A farmer named White he had a son,
And the son he was a great poet,
And verses wrote he of meadow and lea,
And fast was the pace he did go it."
"Yes, Abe, and what else?" asked

Dncle Joe.



THE PUET AT WORK.

n as if you were looking for some ng in the grass and continue ssoms of May don't blossom for

Unheeded the song of the crow; he old spotted cow is nought to me Because of m; heart full of wbe."
"That's it, Ale. I begin to see."

"Dan will probably stop writing poet-ry to look up at you, but don't give him any attention. Rest your hand on your beart and look up at the sky and re-nest."

"Talk not to rae of summer skies, Talk not of winds a-blowing; Talk not of plaws and drags and sich And crops that should be growing." "Keep 'er up, Abe—keep 'er up. I' Then you roftly side st toward in and carelessly spit on r hands

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"And with that I give Dan a h'ist?" queried Uncle Joe. "You do."

"With both hands?" "Yes."

"And as I lift him up my right boot bangs against him."

"And his first jump toward the cornfield is fully ten feet, and he won't even stop work when the dinner horn blows?"

"That's it, Uncle Joe." "And he'll let up on poetry and tend to business?"

"For evermore." "Abe, I'm your friend for life, and I'll have Dan cured of his poetry and working in the cornfield before you are out of sight or break a leg a-trying!" M. QUAD.

A Bad Advertisement.
"While my business has been steadily increasing for years," remarked a drug-gist, "I find I don't sell as much hair restorer as I used to."

"Perhaps people are not so credulous these days," suggested his friend. "Besides, after trying many of the reparations in vain a man would nat-

urally stop buying them."
"No," continued the druggist, "I don't think those are the reasons. Human nature is as credulous as ever, and the ranks of the baldheads are being constantly recruited. I guess I must look for the reason nearer home. Twenty years ago I wasn't bald myself."-Phil-

To Save Being Surfeited.

This youngster, like most boys, is very fond of his paternal grandmother. She took charge of the house while the mother went away for a week not long

One day he was rather obstreperous, and the grandmother remarked: "If I had the care of you all the time, Guy, I shouldn't allow you to do many things that I overlook this week. I am afraid you wouldn't love me so much then."
"Well," replied Guy, "I suppose it
would be like ice cream—if we had it all the time I s'pose we wouldn't care much about it anyway."-Chattanooga

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DRESS TRIMMINGS

summer gowns, and no gown is a success without a few of these little adornments.

Irregular chiffon appliques come in all the pale tints and are so designed that they can be cut up and joined to-gether to form collars, cuffs, etc. A flat stole seen recently was of finest point de venise laid on ivory satin, and

it had a border of marabou in the natural brown tint and round the collar many fascinating tails of the same feathers. Another superb stole of Irish point laid on lime green velvet had the round, flat collar finished with a deep frill of Irish lace.

cut shows a dainty fichu of mousseline de soie trimmed with silk fringe and embroidered. There is also a collar of louisine silk trimmed wit bands of lace. JUDIC CHOLLET.

FOR WARM DAYS.

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Dust coats of



The picture shows a tailor made hat of yellow straw trimmed with a twist of brown.

JUDIO CHOLLET,

Hot Weather Beauty

The fresh bloom and beauty which is so attractive in women—the beauty of perfect health—falls an easy victim to the enervating heat of summer. The roses fade and a sickly pallor takes its place: nervous headaches leave dark shadows beneath the eyes: the eyes themselves lose their sparkle and lustre: rashes and

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and blotches, retain your appetite, preserve the roses in your cheeks, or make them bloom where they never bloomed before.

cestor in Europe was feudalism—the fighting men, the natural aristocracy on one side and their victims and serfs

CASE RECALLED very dainty to wear over thin gowns and protect the gowns themselves from the fading effects of the sun. A coat of



TAILOR MADE HAT. this sort can easily be run up by the summer seamstress and merely

summer seamstress and merely trimmed with a loose collar of lace.

The plain straw tailor made hat is useful because it may be worn with gowns of any color simply by adding a chiffon veil of that hue. Among the novelties in veils, by the way, is one of pale lavender trimmed with an edge of corn lare.

of ecru lace.

Floral garnitures are very smart on chip and bass shapes, and the "crushed" roses, bare of foliage and arranged in heavy masses or conventional lines, are extremely popular. Flower trimmed hats also have the addition of feathers, and the plateau now has a broad harden of contensition. has a broad border of contrasting

on the other. Today, the traders and hucksters, grown rich, occupy the castles of their late baron masters and sport their titles, though a remnant of the genuine nobles still survives, terrible examples of what happens to a generation that has outlived its era. But

the physical force regime, while it last ed, stood on a sounder and juster fountion than does the present in possession, and the latter will hardly last as long as the former did. It is, I repeat, comparatively local as well as recent. It could exist only in countries given up as are those of Europe and America to industrialism. Nevertheless the world may still offer living examples of society in all its stages, from the most primitive to that which now passes. Africa and Asia has each its social organization and so have the Marquesas, Patagonia and Eskinoland.—Smart Set.

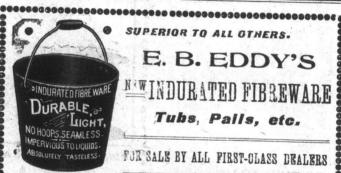
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