

The Poet's Corner.

Life.
Life is not living
Just for to-day;
Life is not dreaming
All the short way,
To live is to do
What must be done;
To work and be true,
For work is soon done.
'Tis living for others,
To lighten their load;
'Tis helping your brothers
And trusting in God.

Pegging Away.

There was an old shoemaker, sturdy as steel,
Of great wealth and a reputation in his day,
Who, if questioned his secret of luck to reveal,
Would chirp like a bird on a spray.
'Tis him so much the vocation you're in,
Or your liking for it, he would say,
'As it is that forever through thick and thin,
You should keep up a pegging away.'

I have found it a maxim of value, whose truth
Observation has proved in the main;
And which well might be vaunted a watch-
word by youth.
In the labor of hand and of brain;
For even if genius and talent were cast
Into work of the strongest display,
You can never be sure of achievement at last
Unless you keep pegging away.

There are shopmen who might into statesmen
Have grown,
Politicians for handiwork made,
Some poets who better in workshop had shone
And mechanics best suited for trade;
But when once in harness, however it fit,
Buckle down to your work night and day,
Secure in the triumph of hand and of wit,
If you only keep pegging away.

There are times in all tasks when the fiend
Discontent,
Advices a pause or a change,
And, on fields far away and irrelevant bent,
The purpose is tempted to range;
Never heed, but in sound recreation restore
Such traits as are slow to obey,
And then, more persistent and staunch than before,
Keep pegging and pegging away.

Leave fitful endeavor for such as would cast,
Their spendthrift existence in vain,
For the secret of wealth in the present and past,
And of fame and honor is plain:
Lies not in change, or in sentiment nice,
Nor in wayward exploit and display,
But just in the shoemaker's homely advice
To keep pegging and pegging away.

Fun and Fancy.

Sweet home—A beg-hive.
Well drilled—The oil region.
One act of charity is worth a century
of eloquence.

The next sensation is to be a woman
won't speak for forty days.
A faint heart never won a fair lady,
but a faint whisper often catches her.

Men are frequently like tea—their real
strength and goodness are not properly
drawn out until they have been in hot
water.

It is claimed by some medical men
that smoking weakens the eyesight.
Maybe it does, but just see how it
strengthens the breath.

Professor Huxley calls it a "corollary"
of the monophyletic corolla and a central
"centra." If you are in a hurry you can
call it a primrose instead.

"Sit down," said a handsomely-dressed
and vigorous young lady to a companion
at a fashionable watering place; "sit
down: it's the only thing you can do
here without being obliged to pay for it."

A hardy seaman, who had escaped one
of the recent shipwrecks upon our coast,
was asked by a good lady how he felt
when the waves broke over him. He re-
plied, "wet, ma'am; very wet."

Some men fail to get rich because they
are too honest to make money in for-
bidden ways, while others deliberately
fail to get rich, paying ten cents on the
dollar and receiving the ninety per cent.
for future use.

"Mr. Smith," said a lady at a fair,
"won't you please buy this bouquet to
present to the lady you love?"
"I would not be right," said Mr. Smith;
"I'm a married man."

A good-natured traveller fell asleep in
a train and was carried far beyond his
destination. "Pretty good joke this is,
isn't it," said he to a fellow passenger.
"Yes, but a little far-fetched," was the
rejoinder.

While ten men watch for chances, one
man makes chances; while ten men wait
for something to turn up, one turns
something up; so, while ten fail, one
succeeds and is called a man of good
luck.

The sale of the penny Testament, the
cheapest edition ever published, has al-
ready reached nearly 400,000, and the
publisher, Mr. Elliott Stock, confidently
expects that a million copies will be dis-
seminated in twelve months.

The memorial cross of the Prince Im-
perial, on Chiselmere Common, is made
of gray granite, on which are sculptured
the imperial bea. On one side is in-
scribed this sentence from the Prince's
will: "I shall die with a feeling of pro-
found gratitude to her Majesty the
Queen of England and for all the Royal
family, and for the country where I have
received during eight years such cordial
hospitality."

The Rev. Joseph Cook was entertained
at breakfast in London ten days ago by
the treasurer of the Christian Young
Men's Association, a large number of the
lights of British nonconformity being
present. Mr. Spurgeon wrote: "I
should regard it as a great pleasure to ac-
cept the invitation to meet so distinguish-
ed and useful a teacher. But, alas, I
am an invalid, and must be denied many
of the joys of social life for a while. Per-
mit me, however, to charge you with a
message of grateful respect for Mr. Cook,
for whose appearance at this juncture I
have blessed God many times. Right
heartily I hope that England may be
favored with some of those confirming
words which have been so useful to the
staggering, and those confounding argu-
ments which have scattered the design-
ing, sceptical hands."

Words of Wisdom.

Proud hearts and lofty mountains are
always barren.
Traits of character which you seek to
conceal you had better seek to reform.
Never judge by appearances. A steady
cost may cover a heart in full bloom.
The sublimity of wisdom is to do those
things living which are desired to be
done when dying.

It is no vanity for a man to pride him-
self on what he has honestly got and
prudently used.
Let him who regards the loss of time
make proper use of that which is to come
in the future.

Idea generate ideas like a potato
which, cut in pieces, reproduces itself in
a multiplied form.
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with fine sense is like attempting to hew
blocks of marble with a razor.

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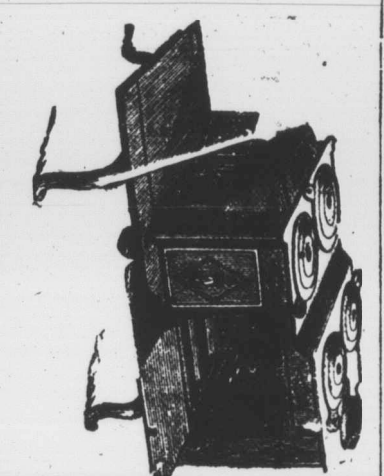
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