

Aged One Hour. A tiny barge from a hidden shore— No chart, no helm, no sail, no car— Drifting out on the unknown main, Only to sink from sight again.

The Cow-bell. Down through the woodland and over the heather, Mingling with scent of the asphodel, Comes to me often, in days later forgotten, The drowsy sound of the old cow-bell.

How they fly in its tinting of eye, The chirp of the cricket from tangled grass-thicket, How kindly in memory they ever will cleave.

Faintly, distinctly, through green, dewy vistas Where fir, spruce and hemlock perfume the fall, Make dim, evening twilight, mysterious the low flight, Plaintive the call of swamp-robins' notes,

Stretching down through the seasons and months intervening Since last through the green of the sweet pasture-dale, Closing with Rover through closely-cropped clover, We welcomed the sound of the tinkling cow-bell.

And through the warp and the woof of the weaving Daily spun out for ill or for well, Golden, the facing—sorrow displacing— Is woven from sweetness of Brindis's old bell.

As Strange as Romance. These are days of great and surprising financial bonanza. Twelve years ago a young man lived in a Maine town. His parents were poor, so poor that they required help from the town.

The newspaper known as A Shore and Afloat gives the following as a drunkard's will: "I leave to society a ruined character, a wretched example and a memory which will soon rot. I leave to my parents, during the rest of their lives as much sorrow as humanity in a family, and declining state can sustain. I leave to my brothers and sisters as much mortification and injury as I could bring on them. I leave to my wife a broken heart, a life of wretchedness and shame to weep over my premature death. I give and bequeath to each of my children, poverty, ignorance and low character, and a remembrance that their father was a monster.

The Evil of Alcohol. The evil wrought by alcoholic drink are now acknowledged and proclaimed by all the organs of public opinion. It undermines health, enfeebles the will, coarsens the mind, and enflames animal passions. It separates husbands and wives, divides families, and deprives children of the home influence which no other else can supply. It lowers the standard of morals, fills prisons and insane asylums with its victims, and feeds the germs of corruption in the body politic. It is in a word, the cause of the occasion of four fifths of the crime by which our national life is disgraced.—F. W. Spalding.

Queer world! Queer people! Here are men and women by thousands suffering from all sorts of diseases, bearing all manner of pain, spending their all on physicians and "getting no better, but rather worse," when right at hand there is a remedy which says it can help them because it's helped thousands like them.

He Was a Stranger in the City. A very swell looking, middle aged man, apparently every inch of what is termed a man of the world, entered a Broadway car coming down town recently at Thirty-fourth street. When the conductor came for his fare the swell looking, middle aged man addressed him very politely saying: "Kindly let me know, when we reach Fifth Avenue hotel."

The car rolled along. The street crossing leading to the entrance of the Fifth Avenue hotel was reached, and the car was brought to a halt by the conductor. The swell looking, middle aged man was sitting sideways gazing out upon the beauties of Madison square.

"Fifth Avenue hotel!" the conductor, shouted in the door. "The swell looking, middle aged man bolted around in his seat and began to stare at the big hotel. "Fifth Avenue hotel!" shouted the conductor again, coming into the car. Then, as the swell looking, middle aged man did not move he added somewhat hastily, "Here is the Fifth Avenue hotel, sir; are you going to get out?"

"Why, no," responded the swell looking, middle aged man, surprisedly. "I only wanted to see the hotel. Heard so much about it, you know."

The passengers laughed in spite of themselves, and the conductor went back to his station and jerked the bell strap viciously. "Of Special Interest. The object of this article is to call attention to Beave's East India Liniment. It is the best remedy for all the ailments of the system, and it is so simple and so easy to use that it can be used by anyone.

A Lesson from Denmark. The New Zealanders are pushing boldly forward in hope of building up a profitable butter trade with Britain. Last year Denmark exported nearly 90,000,000 lbs. of butter, of which 83,000,000 went to England, Canada, with all its splendid natural capabilities, exported less than 2,000,000 lbs. Denmark is not one tenth the size of the province of Ontario. The astonishing development of Danish dairying is attributed to the centrifugal separator system, by which much more butter can be got from the operators to work greater quantities than the old system. As associated dairies are increasing, and old ones are being changed and improved, Canada must move forward.

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Have you read this description of rheumatism and neuralgia? "Put your hand in a vice, turn the vice until you can't bear another turn, and that's rheumatism; give it another turn that's neuralgia." And you'll suffer these tortures when for 25 cents you can buy a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT and be relieved.

Once Judge Broady, of Omaha, left his office and on the outer door posted a card with the words, "Back again in 10 minutes. Take a seat and wait." At the foot of the stairs he happened to remember that he had forgotten something. Slowly he climbed the steps, and once he became submerged in his own thoughts. At the door of his office he passed and read the card on the door. Then the judge sat down deliberately and waited for himself to come back.

Medicine: "Whom do you wish to see? Melanio: "My husband. He was bitten by a snake in this world." "Is it that enough for you?" and now I want to put the same question to him."

ITEMS OF INTEREST. Minard's Liniment cures Distemper. There is nothing like giving faith to a wrong idea and being scratched by the pin.

Minard's Liniment the Lumberman's Friend. There are lots of women who wouldn't marry the best man on earth. They didn't, anyway.

Minard's Liniment cures Garnet in Cows. The most difficult ups and downs of this life are keeping expenses down and appearances up.

Arguments are wasted on a wasp, and a man generally finds this out just as soon as the wasp has submitted his premises.

"Oh hooh! A patent medicine." Wait until you try Johnson's Anodyne Liniment my friends. Somehow a man can't help blaming the postman a little when the friend from whom he expects to here has neglected to write.

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"Hallo! where is your engagement ring? Is your engagement with Harold off?" "Oh, so indeed! He took me out to get some ice cream last night, and we had to leave the ring as security for the cream. Harold didn't have a cent.

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"Ah, play a little before you go, Professor." "I would like to, Miss Emma but it is rather late, and it might disturb the neighbors." "Oh, don't bother about the neighbors. Besides, they poisoned our dog last week."

"No, Bobby," said his mother, "one piece of pie is quite enough for you." "It's funny," responded Bobby, with an injured air, "you say you are anxious for me to learn to eat properly, and yet you won't even give me a chance to practice."

An eastern publication offered a prize of \$500 for the most astounding fish story, and the prize was awarded to one F. T. Hodson, who sent the following: "Several days ago a friend and I went fishing in Silver Lake and didn't catch anything."

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