

Choice Miscellany.

The Echo of the Shepherd's Praise.

The Alpine shepherd cries,
White fade the sun's last rays.
The Lord God praise—praise God!

Upon the plains below
The peasant hears the word,
And shouts with longing heart.

O shepherd on the peaks,
Who still can see the light,
While shadows fall upon

And I will answer from
The plain, though dense and drear
The shadows, "Praise the Lord!"

And echoes, myriad-voiced,
Thy joy, my tears shall wake.
Despairing souls shall hear

Editors sit in their sanctuaries
And hangings do not decrease the number
Of murders. Senators and Representatives

Did you ever witness a public hanging?
If you have you do not believe with
either the editors or the solons.

The law which sternly demands a life
for a life is the terror of evil men.
A public execution does more to awe

Five hundred of us have been standing
about the foot of the gallows for an hour.
There has been no jostling or pushing

First comes the Sheriff. He is followed
by the condemned and a minister of the gospel.
Behind them are two friends

God says: "Thou shalt not kill."
The Bible says: "No murderer can inherit
the kingdom of Heaven." The law of the land

Then why the clergyman with his prayers
and hymns? It is the basest hypocrisy
to lead the murderer to hope—to throw
over his horrible crime and terrible death

Up—up—up! It is a high platform—
eight steps to reach the trap.
There are three hundred things, thieves

Show me one single face which has not
paled since the man was led out. Do you
hear a just—a rough word? Not one!

My friends, I am on the brink of the grave.
I ask you to show the path which brought
me here. Let wretches alone

Print that speech and men may meet
at it. Listen to the words as they fall
from the lips of a man that has less than
ten minutes, and the case is different.

Then they bite. They burn. They sink
into the heart to remain forever. There
is the dangling noose back of them.
There is the hangman to the left—the Sheriff
to the right. Let no man tell you

Very soon now! The Sheriff is tying
his sash, and the condemned is taking
his last view of earth. His eyes take in
the green trees at the left—the beautiful
hills to the front—the meadows and orchards

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a wonderful work in reforming this sad
business and making the American people
so healthy that they can enjoy their
meals and be happy.

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Now the Sheriff adjusts the noose.
Did you feel that shudder go through
the crowd? It was like a ripple over the

bosom of a placid lake, and two scores
of faces turned away from the scaffold.
Not one whither in all this great crowd!

Now there is prayer. More mockery!
More hypocrisy! Praying to God to
pardon one who has sinned against the
laws of Heaven and earth! Praying to
God to receive him as he received his
childish victims! Half a thousand men

Watch! The hangman has his hand on
the lever! The man is alone on the trap!
The seconds are horribly long to him.
He straightens up, draws a full breath

No, it is not! Follow these men out
into their daily life—by daylight and
by darkness. It will be hours before
some of them will smile—days before
they will jest. Some will put knife and
revolver away, where sudden temptation

I proclaim here, as I proclaim there,
that when a reformed drunkard sits
down in a pew, and finds his neighboring
church-member a moderate drinker, and
his pastor holding up his tithle in one
hand and the glass for moderate drinking

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for Neuralgia. Also, to Mrs Terrell, who
has found it a great relief for Toothache.
Yours, &c.,
EDWIN MCKINNON.

"Boy, can I go through this gate to the
river?" politely inquired a fashionably
dressed lady. "Yes; in a load of hay
passed through this morning!" was the
urchin's horrid reply.

C. C. RICHARDS & Co.,
Gentl.
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from Neuralgia in my head, so that all
my hair came out and left my head ex-
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my neuralgia, and after using several
bottles, to my astonishment I found the
hair rapidly growing on my head, and
now I have as good a head of hair as I ever
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