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THE SPICE OF LIFE.

The late Duke of Buccleuch—one of the best men—returned to Drumlanrig after a considerable absence. Shortly after his return he was sauntering along the banks of the Nith, when he met an elderly man who had long been employed on the estate. The Duke shook him cordially by the hand, and with characteristic kindness inquired after his health and welfare generally. 'A'm very weel, thank your Grace for speirin'. A'm rael pleased tae see your Grace back again; theyre a' Dukes when you're awa'!

FAVORITE AUTHORS.

Senator Hoar, rather against his will, once found himself at a sort of literary reception. Members of reading clubs, Browning societies and similar earnest folk were thick about him. The Senator bore up well for some time, but was finally forced to seek relief in his famous bunch of keys. About this time a lady of the gusher variety resolutely cornered him and began to "talk literature."

"Oh, Senator," she chirruped, "how I dote on Rossetti. Browning, of course, I love, and, in prose, Walter Pater, but always I find myself returning to Dante Gabriel Rossetti. Tell me, Senator, who is your favorite author?"

"Bill Nye," came the answer with a twirl of the keys.

UNCONSCIOUS HUMOR.

Nothing has added more to the merriment of the world than the unintentional, unconscious humor of writers, public speakers and, in fact, all classes and conditions of men and women. And there is none so delightful. It far exceeds in mirth-provoking quality the cold-blooded humor of the professional wits.

One could not well instance a more amusing blunder than that in a painting of the Blessed Virgin in an old church in Spain. In this painting the Virgin is represented as sitting on a red velvet sofa fondling a cat with one hand, while with the other she is pouring coffee from a silver coffee-pot. This is as amusing as a painting in a German church representing the sacrifice of Isaac by Abraham. In this painting Abraham is about to discharge a huge pistol at Isaac, when an angel descends and pours a pitcher of water on the pan of the pistol, thereby saving Isaac. The writer once saw a crude painting of King Herod, with a pair of spectacles painted on his nose.

Those who are on the lookout for them will find many amusing blunders in the daily papers and in periodicals of all kinds. It was but the other day that the writer saw Miss Fanny Crosby referred to in a religious paper as the "author of so many blind poems." And it was a great metropolitan daily that one morning gave its readers the following information regarding the wrecking of a ship the night before: "The captain swam ashore and succeeded in saving the life of his wife. She was insured in the Northern Marine Insurance Company, and carried a cargo of cement." Equally amusing as an instance of unconscious humor was the statement made by another paper regarding the capsizing of a boat at sea. It said that "but one life was lost, and that was found afterward."

He must be sadly deficient in humor who does not find himself amused by a sign like the following, seen in the window of a shoemaker: "Any respectable man, woman, or child, can have a fit in this shop." It was an enterprising furrier who placed a card in his window, stating that for the benefit of the ladies he would make "muffs, boas, etc., out of their own skins."

A prolific source of amusement to manuscript readers is the surprising way in which aspirants for literary honor and glory often "puff things." We find one young woman saying of her heroine: "The countess fell back in a deadly swoon. When she revived her spirit had fled."

A charming bit of purely unconscious humor was that noticed by some visitors to a great English coal mine. At the mouth of the great central shaft hundreds of feet deep was a placard bearing these words:

"Please do not tumble down the shaft."—[Detroit Free Press.

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