

Rock of Ages.

"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Thou hast the maiden sung,
How sweetly and how gently,
From her girlish, guileless tongue,
Sang as the birds in June;
Full the words like light leaves down
On the current of the tune—
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee."
Felt her soul so need to hide;
Sweet the song as she could be,
And she had no thought beside.
All the words unheeding
Fell from lips untouched by care,
Dreaming not each might be
On some other lips a prayer—
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee."

"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,"
"Twas a woman sung them now;
Sung them slow and wearily—
"Wan hand on her aching brow,
Ro of the song as storm-tossed bird
Beats with weary wing the air;
Every note with sorrow stirred,
Every syllable a sob was heard—
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee."

"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,"
Lips grown aged sung the hymn,
Trusting and tenderly:
Voice grown weak and eyes grown dim—
"Let me hide myself in thee."
Trembling though the voice was low,
And the sweet strain peacefully
Like a river in its flow.
Sung as only they can sing
Who life's thorny paths have pressed:
Sung as only they can sing
Who behold the promised rest—
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee."

The Queen and the Lord Laddie.

One day, some years ago, when her Majesty was standing on the public road, near Balmoral, sketching the castle from a particular point, a flock of sheep approached. Her Majesty, being intent on her work, took little notice of the flock, and merely moved a little nearer the side of the road. A boy in charge of the sheep shouted at the top of a stentorian voice:—
"Stan' out o' the road, 'oman, an' let the sheep gae by!"

Her Majesty not moving out of the way quite so fast as the shepherd wished, he again shouted:—
"Fat are ye stan' in there for? Gang out o' that, and let the sheep pass!"

One of Her Majesty's attendants, who had been at a distance, on hearing his Royal mistress thus rudely assailed, went up to the shepherd and thus addressed him:—
"Do you know whom it is you have been speaking so rudely to, boy?"

"Na—I neither ken nor care; but he she fa' like, she suda be 'a' the sheep's rood."

"That's the Queen," said the official. The boy looked astonished, and after recovering his senses, said, with great simplicity:—
"The Queen! O! fat way dinna she pit on clais that fouk can ken her?"

A Moving Palace.

This is truly an age of wonders, and among them are, talking by lightning, walking on air, riding on the wings of the wind and transferring, as it were, a whole orchestra over hundred miles of wire. These are no greater than the rapidity of travel on the railways, however, as the hurrying trains every day show. There are always new conveniences and improvements in the manner of travel which add greatly to the comfort of those who are journeying. One of the latest, though it has been in use some time, is the Pullman Hotel Car, where one is always "at home," and can eat, walk, talk, or sleep, as he chooses. Go down to the Chicago & North-Western depot any evening, or any morning, and you will see the moving palace. The Pullman Hotel Cars were put on the Chicago & North-Western Railway about the first of July, last year, and they have proven to be an unquestioned and decided success. The cars are beautiful, and a person can get aboard at Chicago in the morning and ride about to Council Bluffs without leaving the car, and still have all the conveniences of any of the most elegant hotels. They are on the European plan. "You pay only for what you get." If you have never seen them, it will pay you to go down to the depot some evening and go through the train—
"Cedar Rapids (Ia.) Daily Republican."

In these Hotel Cars the meals are a la carte—you pay for what you get, and nothing more; and this at very reasonable rates.

The managers of the Company have determined to omit nothing which will add to the convenience, safety and comfort of the travelling public who favor them with their patronage; and further, that they will not be eclipsed in this direction by any other railroad in the world. Hence these cars, constructed by the Pullman Palace Car Company especially for the Pioneer Line, are the finest ever built.

It is not exaggeration to say that no road in the world can produce the equal to these magnificent cars and as the average traveler wants the best of everything that can be had, he must of necessity use this line in his transcontinental trip.

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Remember! Pullman Hotel Cars are now running regularly between Chicago and Council Bluffs, on the Denver and California Express Trains of the Chicago & North-Western Railway. West-bound, they leave Chicago daily, except Sunday, (and on every third Sunday), at the Wells Street Depot, at 10.30 a. m., and arrive at Council Bluffs next morning. East-bound, they leave Council Bluffs at 5.30 p. m., daily, except Saturday, (and on every third Saturday), and reach Chicago the next afternoon.

Bear in mind! No other road runs Pullman Hotel Cars, Pullman Dining Cars, or any other form of Hotel, Dining, or Restaurant Cars through between Chicago and the Missouri River. On no other road can you get all the

meals you require between Chicago and Omaha without leaving the car you start in. This is the only line that has through eating cars of any sort.

Fighting the Devil with Fire.

If one thing more than another annoys a good wife, who is nervously sensitive to all that is gross and ill-timed, it is the habit some husbands have of using profane language in their homes. In many cases this is more thoughtlessness on the part of the good man, who never gives a heed to the fact that his language gives a better half, and, even should she mildly remonstrate, he pays no attention to the rebuke.

We have just had a case in point, which happened in Halifax, where two ladies here ought to know something about it.

A lady whose husband was addicted to the bad practice we have alluded to, came to her pastor, laid her grievance before him, and said:—
"Now Mr. D., won't you remonstrate with him, and try to break him off his habit? I know he will listen to you."

"Why, madam," said the clergyman, "he would pay no attention to anything I could say to him; but as you have come to me, although somewhat out of my line, I will recommend a prescription, to be administered by you, that will certainly cure him. It is an infallible remedy."

"Oh what is it Mr. D.?"

"Well, when John comes home again and swears you swear back again at him. Of course I don't want you to take the name of the Lord in vain but I—things a little for his benefit."

And she did.

The next day John came in and inquired whether dinner was ready, and was told it was not.

"Well, why the devil isn't it?" said he.

"Because," she coolly replied, "the wood was so d—n wet that the fire wouldn't burn."

"Why, Mary, what is the matter with you? Are you crazy or have you been drinking?"

"Neither," she said, and quietly proceeded to put on the dinner.

The beef didn't melt like butter between the teeth—it rather resisted all efforts at mastication, like so much Indian rubber; and finally John blurted out:—
"What makes this d—n beef so infernal tough?"

Mary looked up archly and replied:—
"Well, John, I suppose you were down to the butcher's, and, without knowing it, difference, picked out a piece of d—n old stag that hadn't been fed for a month."

John jumped up, looked at his wife in dismay, and wanted to know what such language from her lips meant.

"It means just this, John: You are the head of the family, and just as long as you think it manly to swear in my presence I intend to do the same. If you don't like to hear it, you know how to prevent it."

The cure was radical, and to this date Mary has never been compelled to administer another dose of Mr. D.'s prescription.

NEVER—Three old gentlemen are sitting around a table on a steamerboat waiting to get another party to a game of cards. Presently they espied a nice-looking young fellow. One old party goes up to him and says:—
"Pardon me, young man; we want somebody to join us in a game of cards; would be happy to have you with us."

"Thanks; I never play cards."

"Take a drink with us."

"Thanks; I never drink."

"Well, have a cigar."

"Thanks; I never smoke."

"Eh! Now I rather like that in a young man. Come into the cabin and I'll introduce you to my wife and daughters."

"Thanks," said that demure young man; "I shall never marry."

The Baldwin Locomotive Works, of Philadelphia, have at the present time no less than 2,250 names on the mechanics' pay-roll. Six years have elapsed since anything approaching this number of men were in the shops. The total production of locomotives for the year will reach 400. This is the largest manufacture for any one year since 1873.

One of the returned warriors from Zululand was at Rorke's Drift and witnessed the following incident: A clergyman in clerical attire was hard at work handing out cartridges to the men, and he did it with a will. A private near was taking shots at the Zulus and cursing the while in the most ingenious manner. "Don't swear, man!" shouted the clergyman. "Don't swear at them; shoot them!"—
"London Truth."

Good Advice.

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