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The Death of the Flowers.

WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT.

The melancholy days are come, the saddest of the year,
Of wailing winds, and naked woods, and meadows brown and sere.
Heaped in the hollows of the grove, the autumn leaves lie dead;
They rustle in the eddying gust, and to the rabbit's tread;
The robin and the wren are flown, and from the shrubs the jay,
And from the wood-top calls the crow through all the gloomy day.

Where are the flowers, the fair young flowers, that lately sprang and stood
In brighter light and softer airs, a beauteous sisterhood?
Alas! they all are in their graves, the gentle race of flowers
Are lying in their lowly beds, with the fair and good of ours.
The rain is falling where they lie, but the cold November rain
Calls not from out the gloomy earth the lovely ones again.

The wind-flowers and the violet, they perished long ago,
And the briar-rose and the orchids died amid the summer glow;
But on the hills the golden rod, and the aster in the wood,
And the yellow sun-flower by the brook in autumn beauty stood,
Till fell the frost from the clear cold heaven, as falls the plague on men,
And the brightness of their smile was gone, from upland, glade and glen.

And now, when comes the calm mild day, as still such days will come,
To call the squirrel and the bee from out their winter home;
When the sound of dropping nuts is heard, though all the trees are still,
And twinkle in the smoky light the waters of the rill,
The south wind searches for the flowers whose fragrance late he bore,
And sighs to find them in the wood and by the stream no more.

And then I think of one who in her youthful beauty died,
The fair meek blossom that grew up and faded by my side.
In the cold moist earth we laid her, when the forests cast the leaf,
And we wept that one so lovely should have a life so brief;
Yet not unmeet it was that one, like that young friend of ours,
So gentle and so beautiful, should perish with the flowers.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Scrapple, Scalloped Apples, Oyster Omelet.

SCALLOPED APPLES.

Three cupfuls of bread crumbs, one quart of chopped apples, one fourth cup of butter, one-fourth cup of sugar, one-quarter teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, one half lemon (grated rind and juice). Do not use hard, dry crumbs; a stale loaf from which the crusts have been cut is better. Melt the butter and add it to the crumbs, stirring lightly with a fork. Butter a pudding dish, covering the bottom with some of the crumbs, and add half the apple. Make a mixture of sugar, spice and lemon juice and rind, divide into two quantities, and add one to the top of the apples, then repeat with crumbs, apples and spice, finishing with the remaining crumbs. It is well to reserve one cupful of the crumbs for the top. Bake for 40 minutes in a good oven, covering the dish the first 20 minutes to prevent the crumbs from browning too fast. Serve with foamy sauce.

SCRAPPLE.

Take one liver of a hog, cut in small pieces, the meat from the head and the scraps that will not grind up in sausage. Cook till all the bones will drop out readily, then remove to the chopping bowl and cut very fine. Season with salt and pepper to taste and add a tablespoonful of sweet marjoram and half a tablespoonful of sage. Return to the stove, having strained the liquor in which the meat was boiled. The liquor should be sufficient to more than cover it. Take equal parts of cornmeal and buckwheat flour and stir in until it is a thick mush. Let it cook thoroughly, then put into shallow pans or dishes, and run lard over it, just as you do over sausage, to keep until used.

OYSTER OMELET.

Pick over and wash 25 good-sized oysters. Cut half of a dozen of them in bits with a silver knife. Prepare a cream sauce with one tablespoonful of butter, one tablespoonful of flour, one-half of a teaspoonful of salt; one-quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper and one cupful of rich milk. Simmer for five minutes. When the eggs are turned into the pan drop the whole oysters in the simmering sauce.

Break six eggs in a bowl, add two tablespoonfuls of the strained oyster liquor and beat with a fork until well mixed. Add one-half of a teaspoonful of salt and drop in one-half of a teaspoonful of butter, also the cut oysters. Melt one teaspoonful of butter in a very hot frypan. Turn in the prepared eggs and with a spatula turn through and shake until the eggs are well set. In the centre put a spoonful of the creamed oysters, roll up, turn out on a hot platter, pour round it the oysters. Sprinkle a little finely-chopped parsley and send quickly to the table.—*Table Talk.*

Questions and Answers.

Here are some more queries propounded by the *Bookman* together with appropriate answers. They concern well-known authors, about whom, apparently, we did not know enough.

What does Anthony Hope?
To Marietta Holley.
What happens when John Kendrick Bangs?
Samuel Smiles.
When is Marian Evans Cross?
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A novelty in the shape of an election bet was won by an Exchange-place coffee importer. He wagered that the Republican party would carry the city of Baltimore by 1000 plurality, and the conditions provided that if the plurality was greater he was to receive a penny for each vote in excess. The candidates for State Comptroller headed the ticket, and the unofficial returns show a plurality for the Republican candidates of over 3000. This would indicate that the confident believer in Republican success had not only won the stake money, but about $20 additional. He stood to lose the stake money if the plurality had been less than 1000 This bet recalls a similar one made by two New Yorkers on the result of the Guberpatorial election in New York in 1882, when Grover Cleveland, then Mayor of Buffalo, was the Democratic nominee for Governor, and Ex-Secretary of Treasury, Charles J. Folger was his opponent on the Republican ticket. Mr. Cleveland carried the State by over 192,000 plurality. The Republican loser of the bet was nearly swamped financially in making good his obligation.

An example of the laborious efforts required in counting the new ballots comes from a polling place in the Northeastern district. After the polls were closed, the judges set out to count the votes, and had counted exactly two ballots when they came upon a defective one. After half an hour's wrangle as to whether it should be counted or not they decided to lay aside all the disputed ballots and fight it out afterward, when the others had been tallied. At midnight one Judge declared that he was too sleepy to count another one, and lay down on the floor to take a nap. He was followed by another judge soon afterward, and presently loud snores and an occasional sigh from the blue coat on duty in the place were the only sounds which proceeded from it. They awakened at 6 A. M. and proceeded with the counting, and had nearly finished when one declared that an adjournment for breakfast was necessary. It was quite 11 o'clock Wednesday morning before the books were signed and carried to the Court house by the weary officer.

"Nigh onto 90 years hab I ben votin' but dis ticket beats 'em all," said an old colored man on Tuesday to the election officials at a polling place on Sharp street, near Lee. This remark was made after a more or less successful attempt to vote the ingenious ticket adopted at the extra session of the Legislature. The old man was in the booth for 15 minutes, it was said, and when he reappeared drops of perspiration stood on his brow. By referring to the registeration books it was found that he had exaggerated in saying that he had been voting for 90 years. The man was 87 years old.

WOMEN AND WISE MEN.

The society of ladies is the school of politeness.—Monfort.

All I am, or can be, I owe to my angel-mother.—Abraham Lincoln.

Earth has nothing more tender than a pious woman's heart.—Luther.

Disguise our bondage as we will 'tis woman, woman, rules us still.—Moore.

No man can either live piously or die righteously without a wife.—Richter.

Even in the darkest hour of earthly ill, woman's fond affection glows.—Sand.

Heaven will be no heaven to me, if I do not meet my wife there.—Andrew Johnson.

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