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And, clasping it above,
One jeweled star shines clear and bright—
It is the Star of Love!
Yet cold and cheerless seems its ray,
Sweetheart! while you are far away.

The fountain, like a fairy lute,
In tinkling cadence falls;
And through the wood, with fitful hoot,
His mate the owlet calls.
The crescent moon behind the hill
Creeps up, with silvery light;
Yet round your bower I linger still,
While evening grows to night,
And count each weary hour a day,
Sweetheart! while you are far away.

—James Walter Brown in Chambers' Journal.

Articles Lifted by Electricity.

It is a well known scientific fact that a ruler made of hard rubber or gutta percha may be so charged with electricity by friction with a woolen cloth that it will cause to be attracted to it small pieces of paper. This fact has been made use of in a machine devised to pick up separately single sheets of thin and light material, like paper, hight fabrics, etc., in such a manner that each sheet may be removed and examined. This machine consists of a roller formed of a substance capable of being charged with electricity and a roller covered with fur, which is rotated at high speed.

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Dwarfs Live to a Great Age.

Contrary to their huge rivals in interest, dwarfs frequently attain great age. Richebourg, who died in Paris in 1858, was ninety years old. He was only twenty-three inches high, something less than the stature of our own most celebrated dwarf, General Tom Thumb. The first English dwarf of whom there is authentic record was only 1½ feet high till thirteen years of age, though he afterward attained the height of 3 feet 9 inches. This was Jeffery Hudson, who was presented to Queen Henrietta by the Duchess of Buckingham.

Hudson on that occasion surprised the company by stepping out of a pie. He is said to have fought two duels—one with a turkey cock and one with a Mr. Crofts, whom he shot and killed. Hudson died in his sixty-third year in the Gate House prison, having been accused as a conspirator in the popish plot.—New York Times.

What the Barber Pole Represents.

The barbers of long ago were barber surgeons, but the rapid advance of surgical science has caused them to fall from their high estate. The gilt knob at the end of the barber pole of today represents a brass basin, which but a few decades since was actually suspended from the pole. The basin had a notch cut in it to fit the throat, and was used in lathering the customer, preparatory to shaving him. The pole represents the staff held by the patient who came to the barber surgeon to be bled. The two spiral stripes painted around it signify the two bandages, one for twisting around the arm previous to the act of phlebotomy, or blood letting, the other for binding when the operation was completed.—St. Louis Republic.

A Feminine Carpenter.

A plucky and independent girl is Miss Elizabeth More, of Edgeworth, Pa. With her own hands she recently built a neat little cottage, laying the foundations, plastering the walls of the different rooms and performing all the carpenter work to a builder's taste. To do this she found it necessary to don male attire, and a young girl friend helped her over the hardest part of the work. Miss More is said to be as pretty as she is energetic. She was once a protege of Jane Gray Swisshelm, and the lessons that stern champion of woman's rights taught her apparently have not been forgotten.—Buffalo Commercial.

How One Proverb Originated.

When the ginseng trade was at its height it was considered more profitable to gather ginseng than to cultivate the farm, and agriculture was almost entirely neglected. The result was that the plant almost entirely disappeared. It came to be a proverb among the people, when speaking of some matter that had failed, "C'este tombe comme le ginseng" (It has gone down like ginseng).—J. Jones Bell in Popular Science Monthly.

A suggestion offered by a German physician as a precaution against poisoning from preserved meats is that the date of original preservation be stamped upon each and every can or package containing meat foods. It is held that preserved meats, hermetically sealed, may remain wholesome for a year or so, but that there is danger in the use of such foods after this period.

During the reign of Henry VIII pins were in great demand, and an act was passed cautioning manufacturers to "avoid the slight and false making of pins; only such are to be sold as are double headed and have the heads fast soldered to the shank of the pin, well smethed, the shank well shaven, the point well and round filed, canted and sharped."

A wax palm grows in Brazil. The young leaves are coated with wax, which is detached by shaking them, and melted, to be finally run into cakes. It is hard than beeswax and is utilized for candles. The upper part of the young stem of this tree yields a kind of sago.

From eastern Asia comes a plant the flowers of which contain a quantity of juice that rapidly turns black or deep purple. It is used by Chinese ladies for dyeing their hair and eyebrows, and in Java for blacking shoes.

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"Open that drawer," said Arago, "and take whatever you want."

In that drawer were all the crosses and ribbons which kings and emperors confer.

While Arago wished above everything to promulgate science and to make his researches useful, he did not attempt to identify himself forever with his discoveries by writing books. He had no time for writing, but contented himself with noting the results of his work in the record of the bureau of longitude, or announcing it verbally to the academy.—Youth's Companion.

Salt Making Among the Chinese.

A wonderful example of patience in the Chinese is afforded by a consular report dealing with the manufacture of salt in central China. Holes about six inches in diameter are bored in the rock by means of a primitive form of iron drill, and sometimes a period of forty years elapses before the coveted brine is reached, so that the work is carried on from one generation to another. During this time the boring, as may be imagined, goes down to an immense depth.

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