

POETRY.

Remember Thy Mother.

Lead thy mother tenderly
Down life's steep decline;
Once her arm was thy support,

Ne'er forget her tireless watch
Kept by day and night,
Taking from her step the grace,

Thank God for thy mother's love,
Guard the priceless boon;
For the bitter parting hour
Cometh all too soon.

THE CHILDREN.

Grandpa's Saturday Afternoons.

Saturday afternoon was the time of all
the week looked forward to with pleasure
by Grandfather Chery's little folks.

Then all romping was laid aside. Grandpa
expected each one to take his place
in a quiet, orderly manner, and after the
blessing of God was asked, to enjoy their

After tea came the children's hour in
grandpa's large and airy sitting room,

"How nice it always seems here," said
little Nelly. "How is it, grandpa, that you
are always so pleasant and like to have us

"It's because I've kept my heart young,"
I suppose, dear." "I should like to keep my
heart young too, grandpa," said Frank.

"Fight hard with a hasty temper, my
boy. There is nothing which makes the
heart grow wrinkled and old like anger.

"He that ruleth his spirit is better than
he that taketh a city," said Claude.

"Very well remembered, my son. Now
let us all put it in practice this week.

SAD AFFAIR.—On Saturday night
last, the up-passenger train, on the N. E.
R. R., ran over the body of Mr. Noel

It seems that Mr. Summerford was in
a state of intoxication, and was on his
way to his home—about two miles from

The sweet potato vine may be
saved during the winter and used the
following spring in propagating a new

In the fall (at any time before frost)
the vines may be cut in any convenient
length and placed in layers on the surface

Trying to do business without advertising
is like winking at a pretty girl through
a pair of green goggles.

Farm and Garden.

THE USE OF SODA AND SALERATUS.—
I have seen housekeepers who seem to be
ignorant of the effect of soda upon the
materials used in cooking.

I often see yellow picrust, especially
upon chicken and meat pies, plainly showing
that soda has been used. Soda or

When using soda, be careful to use
only enough to neutralize the acid.—
Some persons consider the use of soda at

When too much soda has been used in
bread or biscuit, it is readily manifested
by the color. In cookies or sponge-cake,

There are those who consider the free
use of soda as very beneficial to health.
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As long as the matter was involved in some doubt, it was better to fix the rate too high than to
incur the risk of making it too low; because, in the former case, the error could be easily remed-

Experience, however, having satisfactorily demonstrated that these rates are excessive, what
possible excuse can there be for maintaining them?

It also appeared, inasmuch as the rates so established were as near as could possibly be deter-
mined fair rates, and not in excess of what Insurance has previously cost the policy-holders in