

Poetry.

OUR WEDDING TRIP.

Our wedding day, dear John's and mine
At last, at last had come;

How eagerly we talked about
The places where we'd go;

The words were said that made us one—
We wept our last good-bys;

Where Arno's waters swiftly slip
'Neath Ponte Vecchio's stones;

Where gleam the gems of art divine
On church and palace walls;

Across fair Naples' azure bay,
Where Capri's smiling shore,

Through all that land of art and song,
Where love holds sway supreme,

Was this indeed our wedding trip?
No. Only what we talked,

-Sunday Mercury.

Household.

LIGHT AND PUFFY ICING.

White of one egg beaten to a stiff froth,
beat in gradually a quarter of a pound of powdered sugar,

TOMATO CATSUP.

Twelve quarts of ripe tomatoes,
wash and cut up in the preserving kettle without any water;

OLD FASHIONED ELECTION CAKE.

This is made of four pounds of flour,
three fourths pound of butter four eggs,
one pound of sugar and one-half pint of good yeast.

ROAST TURKEY.

A turkey weighing not more than eight or nine pounds (young) is the best.
Wash and clean thoroughly,

hours. Having left in the chopping bowl a little stuffing take out the giblets and chop fine.

CHOWCHOW PICKLES.

Half a peck of green tomatoes,
twelve cucumbers, one dozen green peppers,
twelve large onions, two heads of cabbage,

SOME USES OF AN EGG.

For burns and scalds nothing is more soothing than the white of an egg
which may be poured over the wound.
It is softer as a varnish than collodion,

TO CLEAN STEEL KNIVES.

Have a smooth piece of board and bath brick.
Rub the brick on the board, which is better than to scrape it with a knife;

A HINT TO MISTRESSES.

Find fault, when you must find fault, in private, if possible,
and some time after the offense rather than at the time.

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