Poetry.

WHEREFORE AND WHY!

'O the world is a happy and beautiful world!'
Said a child that I met by the way,
'For hark! how the wild winds rush through the pines;
And see how the sunlight dances and shines
Where the rippling waters stray,
O the woodlands are filled with wonderful things,
There the woodpecker taps, and the storm-throstle sings,
And the squirrels are every at play:
There the startled water-hen claps her wings,
And the dragon-fly airy summersaults flings!
And the trout breaks the pool into sparkling rings,
And the the bulrush waves in the tangled springs
Where the white-lily floats all day.'

'Ah! the world *is* a beautiful world!' I said
'To a shadowless spirit like thine!'
As from forest and field through the shining hours,
He heaped up his treasures of eggs and flowers,
And fairy-stones and fine.
At times, from coppice and hollow hard-by,
Rang out his blythe and exulting cry,
Till the sunlight had ceased to shine.
When the blue veil of twilight covered the sky,
And the spirit-like stars came out on high,
And slumber fell soft on his weary eye,
Still he murmured—'How fast the hours do fly
For a life so happy as mine!'

'O this world is a dark and a wearisome world!'
Said a man that I met by the way;
'I look on my lifetime of fourscore years,
And alas! what a picture of gloom it appears,
Scarce touched by a golden ray,
What fearful phantasies fill the brain;
For the past with its visions of sorrow and pain
Still haunts me by night and by day.
What is life, when our pleasures so quickly wane—
When all that we toil for, and hope for, is vain;
And long in the dreary churchyard have lain
The dear friends of youth; and alone I remain,
O, would that I too were away!'

O the world goeth round from sun to sun,—
Now moonlight and starlight shine—
Surely wiser we grow; yet the Wherefore and Why,
That this thing or that thing first should die
Poor man hath no wit to divine.
The grey morn is breaking; the cock may crow,
The wind and the rain may beat and blow,
And the dark sky redden and shine:
Bt the child so light-hearted some hours ago,
Is mute—aye! and blind—in death lying low;
Whilst the old man wakes up, and rocks to and fro,
Moaning over,—'O, would that I too might go,
What a wearisome life is mine!'

Miscellaneous.

DOBBS says some tailors would make splendid dragoons, they *charge* so!

WHERE did you get that lovely perfume. It was sent to me.'

AN architect proposes to build a Bachelor's Hall,' which will differ from most houses in having no *Eves*.

LADIES, take in your crinolines and let out your minds.

THERE is this paradox in fear—he is most likely to inspire it in others who *has none himself*.

WHATEVER Maids touched was turned into gold. In these days, touch a man with gold and he'll turn into anything.

'THELESINA,' said lisping Billy, 'if you love me thay tho; and if you love me and don't like to thay tho, sqeeth my hand.' Celestina squeezed and Billy saw lightning

THE LOVER'S PUZZLE.—To read the following so as to make good sense of the mystery:—

I thee read see that me.
Love is down will I'll have
But that and you have you'll
One and up if you if

WHEN is a cloth cloak not a cloth cloak, asked one of our City Solomons at the Lord Mayor's feast the other day, 'Give it up?—When it's well wet (velvet) to be sure.'

IN St. Giles's, the following notice was lately posted in the window of a lodging-house; 'Hay sack of flour to let, chickens and carrot.'—The purport of the notice was:—'A second floor to let, kitchen and garret.'

PUZZLE.

Every lady in the land
Has twenty nails on each hand
Five and twenty on hands and feet
All this is true without deceit.

THE ART OF NOT QUARRELING.—Sensible Husband:—'How is it we never quarrel, Mrs. Xantippe? Well I will tell you. You see, for a quarrel, and especially a good quarrel, it is necessiary to have two parties. One person can't make a quarrel. Now, if I am in a quarrelsome humour, and break out, my wife remains cool and collected, and dosen't say a word. If my wife is peevish, and displays more temper than is becomng to one of her beautiful sex, I, her husband, remain as unmoved as a Monument, or else cheat myself into the belief that I am listening for the moment to one of the Girl's heavenly songs. Thus, while one party is volcanically fuming, the other is as calm as a cold potatoe. In all our quarrels, there is in this way always controlling power. Seriously, we never quarrel, because there is a philosophic compact between us never to quarrel togeather. We only quarrel one at a time; and it is astonishing, if you leave a quarrel alone, how very soon it dies out! That's our secret, Madame, and I should advise you, and all Xantippes, to follow it.

T. J. WHEELER,
WATCH & CLOCK MAKER,
JEWELLER, &c.
RICHMOND HILL.
Dec. 3, 1859. 53-1y

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SURGEON Dentist, will be at Hall's Hotel, Markham Village, on the 24th, 25th and 26th of each Month. Teeth extracted free. Teeth Filed, each 25cts. Dentistry done cheaper than by any other Dentist in the Province. Approved Credit will be given if required. All work Warranted.
June 30, 1859. 31-1y

Auction Notice.
THOMAS BOWMAN,
Licensed Auctioneer,
FOR THE
COUNTIES OF YORK & PEEL.
All letters addressed to "Almira," P.O. will receive prompt attention. Orders received at the "York Herald" Office, Richmond Hill; Mr. Henry Lemon, Thornhill, and Mr. James Cavanna, Mansion House, Sharon, where Terms, &c. may be obtained.
Almira, Nov. 25, 1859. 62-tf.

GO TO
B. BOWMAN'S MILLS!
WITH YOUR
CARDING & GRISTING,
where parties from a distance can have it done to take with them on their return home.
Almira, May 13, 1859. 24-tf.

WILLIAM HARRISON,
Saddle and Harness Maker,
RICHMOND HILL.
Richmond Hill, Dec. 1858. 1-tf

JAMES JENKINS',
Grocery & Provision Store
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The above is the oldest established Grocery and Provision Store on the Hill.
Dec. 2, 1858. 55-1y

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Markham, June 1859. 26-tf

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GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR TRAVELLERS.
RICHARD NICHOLLS,
Proprietor.
Richmond Hill, Dec. 18, 1858. 1-55

G. H. Husband,
SURGEON Dentist, will be at Nicholl's Hotel, Richmond Hill, the FIRST MONDAY of every month, and, the remainder of the month at his residence Thornhill. All Work Warranted.
July 8, 1859. 32-1y.

HALF-WAY HOUSE, RICHMOND HILL.
THE Subscriber begs to inform his numerous Patrons and the public, that he has removed from the White Swan Hotel to the above Premises, where there will be found excellent accommodation for Travellers, and Good Stabling.
☞ Horses and Buggies for Hire.
JOSEPH GABY,
Proprietor.
Richmond Hill, Oct. 22. 1858. 72-7

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WHOLESALE and Retail Copper, Tin and Iron Plate Workers, and Furnishing Ironmongers. Parties giving this house a call will find their orders punctually attended to and the lowest prices charged.
Richmond Hill, Dec. 1858. 54-1

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Thornhill, Dec. 1858 41-1tf

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December 1858. 1-m

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OFFICERS ELECT:
THOMAS SNOWDEN, *Master.*
JAMES NEAL, *Deputy.*
JOHN GAULEY, *Treasurer.*
JOHN BUTTON, *Secretary.*
Victoria Square, May 7, 1858. 48-1

Richmond Victoria,
LOYAL ORANGE LODGE No. 778, meets at Brother Robert Wiseman's, Masonic Hall, the first Friday evening after the Full Moon in each month.
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January 21, 1858. 133

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ALEX. STEWART, Manager, B. N. America
A. LAW, Agent, Richmond Hill.
December 23, 1859. 55-6m
To the Editor of the Herald.

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STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY GOODS
WOULD respectfully intimate to his Customers and the Public generally, that he has now received the greater portion of his
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His STOCK will be found well assorted and marked at prices that will compete with the best House in the trade.
An Inspection is Respectfully Solicited.
No Second Price.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
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Toronto, October 21, 1859. 9-1y

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Richmond Hill, Sept. 9, 1859. 41-tf

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Newmarket, September 2, 1859. 40-6m

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Richmond Hill, July 29, 1859. 35-6m

NARRATIVES OF
THE JESUIT FATHERS!
LAST year the French reading part of the Canadian people were edified and delighted by the publication of the original Narratives of the Jesuit Fathers, who were the pioneers of religion and its attendant civilization in Canada. This work, important as it is to the French Canadian, is not less so to the English-speaking part of the population of North America. All inhabitants of this great continent, especially all Canadians, will assign it an honored place on the shelves which bear the stirring narratives of the first English and Dutch adventurers.
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The early history of Canada is at this moment attracting much attention. The French Government has made large and precious contributions of historical matter to our Provincial Library, both manuscript and printed, relating chiefly to Canada, its settlement and wars: the Government of the United States has been ever zealous in collecting documents relating to the acts and sufferings of their hardy and adventurous founders; and the encouragement which our own Government could afford in aid of enterprizes of the same character, has always been promptly and effectually granted.
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