Poetry.

THE EVENING HEARTHSTONE, Gladly now we gather round it. For the tolling day is done, And the gray and solemn twilight, Follows down the golden sun Shadows lengthen on the pavement, Stalk like giants through the gloom, Wander past the dusky casement. Creep around the fire-lit room,

Draw the curtains!—close the shutters! Place the slippers by the fire! What care we for the wind-spire's ire.

What care we for our outward seeming? Fickle Fortune's frown or smile,
If around us love is beaming, Love can human ills beguile! 'Neath the cottage roof and palace, From the peasant to the King; All are quaffing from life's chalice. Bubbles that enchantment bring Grates are glowing-music flowing From the lips we love the best : Oh, the joy- the bliss-of knowing There are hearts whereon to rest

Hearts that throb with eager gladuess-Hearts that echo to our own-While from care and haunting sadness Mingle ne er in look or tone Care may tread the halls of Daylight-Sadness haunt the midnight hour— But the weird and witching Twilight Brings the glowing Hearthstone dower. Altar of our holiest feelings! Childhood's well remembered shrine, Spirit yearnings -- soul-revealings, Wreaths immortal round thee twine

Miscellaneous,

come to pay him money. It beats acoustic oil all hellow.

crops in other countries. It goes too much against the grain. To kill Cockroaches,-Get a pair of

· How long did Adam remain in Paradise

take it up.

the pricest? "And sure we did," said connections, wholly Michael, and he tould us to go to the devil, teachings of nature. and so we came to you."

EXTREME DELICACY .-- The disposition to be agonizingly delicate is well ridicul-ed in the following:—"Is there anything the matter?" "There is, sir," was the host's reply,—"Ilave I given any offence?"

float around the ear like music, or the claims of Sabbath bells. Without her, society would loose its truest attraction, on sories girls, by some man who rive the every feet and company. Her influence and generosity restrain the vicious, straighten the week, raise the world udvisedly; for even in a cell of a prison I have seen to make the familiance strengthen the familiant strength and benautify the bure walls with wondry, flamed-shift the familiant strength and benautify the bure walls with some rude colored print. Thank strength from the unity wone rude colored print. Thank strength from the unity wone rude colored print. Thank some rude co

HEREDITARY QUALITIES.

Like begets like, and hence the qualities of a family will continue, if not every generation, at least ap-pearing prominently now and then, as much as will the qualities of all lower classes of animals. Every cattle breeder knows this, and hence his desire to secure the best breeding stock. Every horse raiser re-cognizes the fact, and the celt, before it comes to maturity, is examined for the marks of the sire, and sells at a higher or lower price, as sells at a higher or lower price, as these are more clear or less distinct. So it is with the dog. Even acquired habits, as with the Pointer, are transmitted. Nor is it different with men. The old Greeks understood this, and provided that the race should not deteriorate during their wars. their wars. We have the most interesting

facts relating to this subject-facts indisputable, and which are worthy of remembrance. Thus we see the entire population of France diminish in stature, when the larger men were called abroad in war; and on the other hand, the inhabitants of Potsdam, in Prussia, descended from the gigantic guards of Fredexick I., are tailer than any other people in Prossia. Nor is size hereditary more than feature. The Jewish physiognomy has not changed since the days of Abram. We are led to infer, at the carliest times, that male Jews were not remarkable for beauty, and the females were the admiration of the rough sex.— Hence it was that the father of a race desired to pass his wife as his To cure deafness, tell a man you've sister, to save her from the king of ome to pay hun money. It beats acous-Young ladies are like arrows—they are all in a quiver till the beaux comes, and can't go off without him. all in a quiver full the beaux coines, and can't go off without him.

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'Father, what does the printer live on?'
"Why, child?" Because you said you hadn't paid him for four years, and still take the paper?" Wife spank that child."

Welsh, or Germans, have in differ-Farmers never relish the news of good cops in other constructs. It goes too much Sometimes we see the family

mark in a single feature. Thus the Bruces of Scotland to-day have the To kill Cockroaches.—Get a pair of heavy boots, then catch your roaches, put them in a barrel, then get in yourself and dance.

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from Jagellon, the Foic; and Victoria has a lateral follows in the face which has marked the royal family of England from George I. All the Barons de Vessins had a peculiar mark between their shoulders, and to her husband. 'Till he got a wife,' was the reply.

You may wish to get a wife without a failing; but what if the lady, after you find her, happens to be in want of a husband of the same character.

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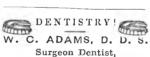
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