

POETRY.

Friend and Foe.

More dangerous than an open foe
Is the false and faithless friend
Whom stoop to means debased and low
To gain a selfish end.

The open foe's an honest man
Who hates and lets you know it;
The faithless friend's a paltry knave
Who hates, but dares not show it.

Such have I met, and found to be
To sense and justice blind,
Beneath the standard of a man
In body and in mind.

Sure such a one will freely take
A favour kindly meant,
And then your wretched assail
With empty compliment.

Perchance this same designing "friend"
On others may confer
A favour, ay, and that unask'd,
Or if, without demerit.

He favour on himself bestow'd
By lying he'll disclaim,
But his good deeds of clarity
With boasting tongue proclaim.

As mariners the quicksands dread,
Or whirlpool's dangers shun,
May he who knows not friendship's rights
Be shunn'd! I every one!

Give me the friend with honest heart,
Whom I can trust and trust
And let the false and faithless one
Be humbled to the dust.

Wit and Humour.

It is said that the acknowledged right of an editor to kiss a pretty girl on sight, is a part of the "liberty of the press."

In these days of crinoline the world of fashion is truly "a wide wide world."

"Sir," said a little blustering man to a religious opponent, "to what sect do you suppose I belong?" "Well, I don't exactly know," replied the other, "but to judge from your appearance, and the buzz you are making, I should think you belong to the class called in-sects."

Why are presidents like vagabonds?—Because they are associated with vices.

Oftentimes the "fastest" young women are the most easily overtaken by the galloping consumption.

Fish, at least, if no other animals, have cause to believe that it is a bad practice to think of rising in life upon somebody else's hook.

We have heard of asking for bread and receiving a stone; but a gentleman may be considered as still worse treated when he asks for a lady's hand and receives her father's foot.

A young gentleman who had just married a little undersized beauty says she would have been taller, but she is made of such precious materials that Nature could not afford it.

Quilp and his wife had a bit of contention the other day. "I own you have more brilliancy than I," said the woman, "but I have the better judgment." "Yes," said Quilp, "our choice in marriage shows that." Quilp was informed that he was a brute.

Young Dawkins married a lady for her money, but cannot touch it till she dies, and he treats her very badly on account of what he calls her "unjustifiable longevity." The other day, Mrs. Dawkins finding herself ill, sent for a doctor, and declared her belief that she was poisoned, and that Dawkins had done it. "I didn't do it," shouted Dawkins; "it's all gammon—she isn't poisoned! Prove it, doctor; open her upon the spot—I'm willing."

WITTY PERVERSION.—Dr. Williamson had a quarrel with one of his parishioners by the name of Hardy, who showed considerable resentment. On the succeeding Sunday the doctor preached from the following text, which he pronounced with great emphasis, and with a significant look at Hardy, who was present: "There is no fool like the fool Hardy."

A HINT.—A widower, who wishes to marry again, must buy his departed wife a beautiful monument. This succeeds invariably.



Agriculture, &c.

To Promote Fertility in Fruit Trees.

From the American Agriculturist.

Every orchardist must have observed that some fruit trees of superior quality and of luxuriant growth, are yet slow in coming into a bearing state, and are afterwards inconstant. This is the case especially with the pear tree. Let us lay down some of the methods proposed for remedying this evil.

An abundant and rapid flow of sap tends to the growth of new wood and leaves, rather than to the formation of fruit-buds. Whatever checks this flow, will excite the production of flower-buds. For example, select a vigorous evergreen which has thus far shown no cones, and transplant it, and next year it will be covered with seed-vessels. So it is often with fruit trees. The check thereby given to the growth of roots and branches, causes the organizable sap to accumulate in the branches, and directs it to the formation of fruit. Hence it is, that formal root pruning is sometimes practised. As this process is described in nearly all fruit manuals, we will only remind the reader that it should be practised only in the fall or winter. Mr. Rivers of England, as nearly everybody knows, no sooner catches any of his dwarf pears napping, than he lifts them from the ground and sets them back again. Fruit bearing is sure to follow.

Ringing the branches is another method. This consists in taking out a circular section of bark, about an inch wide, on several branches of the tree.—The effect of this is to prevent the return of elaborated sap from the tops of the branches to the roots and limbs below, and almost always produces the formation of fruit-buds. This practice is not to be generally commended: it robs the lower portions of the tree of the proper food, and renders the girdled branches useless afterwards.

Bending the branches downward, is another and better method. This impedes both the ascent and descent of sap, and causes its accumulation all along the branches in the form of fruit buds. Who has not observed that a crooked apple-tree often bears better than a perfectly straight one? And one with a flat, spreading head, better than a pyramidal one? Hence we see the wisdom of a practice common among nurserymen, of removing the central branches of young apple trees. This bending down of the branches should be done in June or July, while the shoots are most flexible.

Training the branches to a wall or trellis, is another method. The slight compression of the ligatures, and the bending of the branches, causes a check of the flow of sap, and so induces fruitfulness.

Useful Receipts.

To transfer engravings to white paper:—Place the engraving for a few seconds over the vapor of iodine. Dip a slip of white paper in a weak solution of starch, and, when dry, in a weak solution of the oil of vitriol. When dry, lay a slip upon the engraving, and place them for a few minutes under the press. The engraving will thus be reproduced in all its delicacy and finish. The iodine has the property of fixing the black parts of the ink upon the engraving, and not on the white. This important discovery is yet in its infancy.

The Saturday Evening Post

Still Greater Inducements,
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Two Handsome Steel Engravings

HAMILTON'S
VIEWS OF NIAGARA FALLS
FICTION, NEWS, HUMOR, AGRICULTURE, THE MARKETS, &c., &c., &c.

The Proprietors of the SATURDAY EVENING POST—the oldest and best of the Weeklies—have the pleasure to announce to the reading public, that they have made an excellent arrangement with an author whose powerful Stories have of late attracted great attention and they will open the year 1860 with a novel, written expressly for THE POST, called

THE EARL'S DAUGHTERS.
By the AUTHOR OF "THE RED COURT FARM," "THE ROCK," "THE HESTER HALLWELL," "THE SIX GRAY POWDERS," "THE DIAMOND BRACELET," &c., &c.

In this story, written expressly for THE POST, this powerful writer's genius has had full scope afforded it; and we are able to state—having read it in manuscript, for it is already in hand—that it will make a sensation, unless we are greatly mistaken, as one of the most powerful and interesting stories ever published.

To enable those unacquainted with THE POST to judge of the richness and variety of its general contents, we may state that during the past year we have published novels, stories, poems, essays, &c., from the pens of the following gifted writers:—G. P. JAMES, MARY HOWITT, CHARLES DICKENS, ALFRED TENNYSON, CHARLES READE, AUTHOR OF "FARM H. W. LONGFELLOW," CHARLES MACKAY, WILKIE COLLINS, DR. O. W. HOLMES, T. S. ARTHUR, AUTHOR OF "THE SCOUT," ALEXANDER DUMAS, JOHN G. WHITTIER, OWEN MEREDITH, P. J. BAILEY, (Author of "Festus"), LIEUT. HABERSHAM, MISS MARTINEAU.

The writings of the above and other distinguished authors make up, in a great degree, the yearly contents of THE POST—many of the above list written expressly for our columns, and the choicest contributions of the others being obtained as soon as possible from the English and other Periodicals in which they appear. In this way we are enabled to make up a sheet unsurpassed, as we think, for the variety and brilliancy of its contents.

THE POST does not confine itself, however, to works of the imagination, as so many Weeklies do. It generally devotes a fair portion of its ample space to the News of the Week, Foreign and Domestic, to Letters from Paris, to an Agricultural Department, to Bank and Stock Lists, and to a Weekly and Accurate Prices Current of the Produce Markets, &c., &c.

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The subscriber would be happy to furnish purchasers of PRINTING MATERIALS with PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL TYPES, RULES, BORDERS, &c., made from UNRIVALLED HARD METAL. Also, GERMAN, GREEK, HEBREW, and a new and elegant FONT OF AGATE MUSIC TYPE, from which the "Musical Review" and "Friend" are now printed; with Presses, and every article required for Printing, at the very lowest price, for cash or approved paper.

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P. C. CORTELYOU.
INFORMATION WANTED.
OF ROBERT RALPH, Chairmaker, who left his home in the township of Sullivan, county of Grey, Canada West, six years ago, and has not since been heard from. Should this meet his eye, it is hoped he will at once communicate with his sorrowing parent. Any communication respecting him, addressed to WILLIAM RALPH, Sullivan P. O., Canada West, will be gratefully acknowledged.
Sullivan, Nov. 24, 1859.

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GEORGE A. PRIVAT.
Durham, April 19th, 1860. 72-11.

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Below will be found our Premium List for 1860. Our Specific Premiums are the same as last year, except that we do not offer specific premiums for larger lists than twenty-four, for the reason that any larger list than this will probably take a great premium in the January Cash Premiums are larger and more numerous than ever before. Few persons compete for them, and very small lists will secure them. A few hours spent in canvassing is all that is necessary.

If there is no agent for the Farmer in your town, will not you, kind reader, act as agent for us in your neighborhood? The Genesee Farmer is so cheap that everyone interested in the cultivation of the soil will subscribe, if asked; and few do so unless they are asked. Show them a copy of the paper, and tell them its price, and they can not help but take it. Will not all our friends—will not you, sir—make an effort to increase the list of subscribers for 1860? We will gladly send you show-bills, specimen copies, &c., if you will act as agent.

LIST OF PREMIUMS.
The terms of the GENESSEE FARMER are: Single Subscribers, Fifty Cents a year, in advance: Five Copies for Two Dollars; Eight Copies for Three Dollars; and any larger number at the same rate. All subscriptions to commence with the year.

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SPECIFIC PREMIUMS.
1. To every person who sends us Eight Subscribers, (at our lowest terms of thirty-seven and a half cents each,) we will send, postage paid, a copy of our beautiful twenty-five cent book, the Rural Annual for 1860.

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3. To every person sending us TWENTY-FOUR subscribers, as above, we will send two extra copies of the Farmer, or two copies of the Rural Annual and one extra copy of the Farmer.

JANUARY CASH PREMIUMS
For the Greatest Number of Subscribers.
Thousands of our readers delay sending in their subscriptions till several numbers of the volume are out. In order to correct this practice as much as possible, we offer a liberal and very numerous list of Cash Premiums for the greatest number of subscribers sent in by the fifteenth day of January. The names of successful competitors, together with the number of subscribers, will be announced in the February, and the premiums immediately paid.

- 1. Twenty-Five Dollars, in Cash, to the person who shall send the largest number of subscribers (at the lowest club price of 37 1/2 cents each) before the 15th day of January, 1860. (The money must be received, not mailed, on or before the 15th of January.)
- 2. Twenty Dollars to the person who shall send the second highest number, as above.
- 3. Nineteen Dollars to the person who shall send as the third highest number, as above.
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- 5. Seventeen Dollars to the person who shall send as the fifth highest list, as above.
- 6. Sixteen Dollars to the person who shall send as the sixth highest list, as above.
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Any person sending us Three Dollars for a club of eight of the "Genesee Farmer," shall receive one copy of the "Rural Annual" for his trouble.

We send the club to one address, or write the name of each subscriber on his paper, as requested.

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ALEXANDER STEWART,
Manager for B. N. America
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Durham, Dec. 9, 1859. 63-11.

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"HAMILTON SPECTATOR."

A POLITICAL, Commercial, and General Newspaper, published at Hamilton, C. W., by the proprietors, WILLIAM GILLESPIE and ALEXANDER ROBERTSON. It is issued daily, semi-weekly, and weekly, and has the largest circulation of any Canadian paper west of Toronto.

From the particular attention paid to Commercial intelligence, the Spectator has acquired a reputation for reliability, which has secured for it the Patronage of the Mercantile Community of Western Canada. The geographical position of the City of Hamilton, with its superior Railway connection, affords great facility for the speedy transmission of the Daily Spectator to the numerous thriving towns and villages between the Niagara and Detroit Rivers,—an advantage of which the proprietors have not failed to avail themselves. The Semi-Weekly and Weekly editions (made up from the reading matter in the Daily) containing a great amount of news, at an extremely low price, enjoy a large and extended circulation among the agricultural classes, and those not immediately engaged with the cares of politics or commerce, to whom the stimulus of a daily paper is not a necessity.

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The success of the clubbing system as a means of supplying the public with CHEAP NEWS has already been tested by the Spectator. The plan, which was at first only applied to the Weekly has now been extended to the Semi-Weekly edition, and the rates payable in advance, on account of the Spectator, 5 or more copies, \$2 a year per copy Weekly, 10 or more copies, \$1 a year per copy.

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THE CASH SYSTEM
In announcing to the public the adoption of the Cash System as applied to subscriptions, the proprietors of the Spectator may remark, that it has already been approved by all, and adopted by many Canadian newspapers, with mutual profit to the publishers and the public. The Credit System, however advantageous in other departments of business, has nothing to recommend its application to Newspapers, for while the individual Subscriptions are so trifling that neither hardship or difficulty can result from payment in advance, the aggregate amount is a matter of serious consequence to the publisher, and the expense of collection and losses form a heavy item which he is compelled to levy on the honest subscriber who takes the benefit of the credit; hence the public can understand why newspapers cost 20 or 25 per cent. more at the end than at the beginning of the year. The abolition of such a system will no doubt meet with the approval of the public, and while we will give every subscriber now in our books reasonable time to pay up arrears, we shall not in future receive any subscribers but those who pay in advance. Complete arrangements will be made for notifying subscribers before the expiration of their terms of subscription.

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GILLESPIE & ROBERTSON,
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Hamilton, C. W., July, 1858. } 1

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