A POST-NUPTIAL TRANSFORMATION.

There was a man of knowledge deep commanding sweep, who knew a heap, a man who studied day and night, and hardly spared the time to sleep.

This man so staid he knew a maid, demure' afraid, and half dismayed, shy as the nymph of ancient myths sequestered in some sylvan shade.

This maid so rare, with golden hair and modest air, so debonair, she charmed this man of learned lore and caught him in her witching snare.

This man of thought and learned lore, his hair he tore, and o'er and o'er, he loudly swore that he would cherish her for aye, and he would love her evermore.

Now they are wed, in his library nooks among his books his knees he crooks, and sees his wife so seldom now that he's forgotten how she looks.

The wife to whom the man before so loudly swore he would adore forevermore, lives with her mother and declares her husband is a regular bore.

—*From the Lynn (Mass.) Union.*

PLANTING TOBACCO BEDS.

How they Carry on the Great Local Industry Down in Maryland.

Dunkirk, Calvert Co., Md., Corr. of the Baltimore Sun.

The second week of March is an important period for farmers in the tobacco growing counties of the state. As early as January sometimes a bed is made to give a small planting extra early, but there can be no regular dependence upon these winter beds, and frequently no good results from them. If made at all, they have to be made in such a warm southern hillside that when the warmer seasons come on they burn like tinder. Many farmers now do not make these winter beds at all, but save their fertilizing material for a large spring bed. These farmers seem the most successful after all, and the custom is becoming more general. This spring bed is supplemented usually by a "branch bed," made in a low, moist spot, so that in case of a severe drought, which may burn the winter bed, or even the spring bed, the branch bed may hold sufficient moisture to withstand the effects of the heat and drought. These branch beds may be made any time in March, and they often save a crop, although it can never be a full crop, as the plants come out juicy and tender, and the hot suns of June and July will burn them to a cinder when planted unless there happens to come a cloudy spell at the time, which seldom occurs. All things taken into consideration, and the experience of the oldest and best farmers has thus made the early part of March the favorite time for tobacco-bed making. That the spot selected must have a southern exposure or be protected from the northern winds, all successful planters are agreed, but the character of the soil and the fertilizers to be used are subjects upon which there is a diversity of opinion. Some farmers prefer the light gray soil, which is usually covered with holly and ivy bushes; others prefer pine land, well covered with shatters, or a black, loamy spot. It seems that as a fertilizer stable cleanings are preferred, as they cause considerable heat by fermentation. Hog pen and hen house scrapings are preferred by others, as they claim that the stable cleanings produce too much heat and will cause the plants to burn. A number of farmers object to using any farm fertilizer on the beds. They claim that it is better to use what can be gathered on the farm for top dressing for grass and to use on tobacco beds commercial fertilizers. This practice is obtaining considerable following now, and farmers who have tried it say that they are better pleased with the results than they were with the old way. As a top dressing after the plants have come up commercial fertilizers only seem to give satisfaction. A former practice was to top-dress with rich dirt and scrapings around barns and under the sheds, but it is now generally believed by some of our best tobacco planters that this top dressing induces a ravage by the dreaded tobacco fly which so often blights the hopes of the farmer by destroying the tobacco plants. It is thought that these flies are kept from freezing in their embryo state from the protection afforded by the shelter, and, being carried to the bed with the fine scrapings, they are on the spot to begin operations as soon as the plants come up. Thus it is that in making beds the barn scrapings are not now being used for fear of the fly. But for this objection this would, it is stated, be a superior fertilizer for the beds as it would not induce burning as the stable cleanings do and would be used largely on spring beds.

Is the Cowboy Pianist a Fraud?

From the American Music Journal.

A recent notice of the performance in New York of Babel, the cowboy pianist attracted the attention of a leading jeweller of Temple, who address the following letter to Mr. J. N. Pattison, of this city:

TEMPLE, Texas, Feb. 28, 1885.

DEAR SIR: Enclosed you will find a clipping in regard to one Babel. I cannot help answering such barefaced falsehoods as it contains. Babel is a professional pianist, and his father was a first-class teacher of music. He was raised in Seguine, Texas, can read music at first sight, and play as well as most professional pianists. The last time I saw him he was travelling for a music house at Benham, Texas. He played in J. S. Wheeler's beer saloon here for more than a year. For the truth of what I saw I refer to L. Barr, grocery merchant, of Temple, Texas, as he has known Babel from a child. Yours, &c.

H. SANDHAM.

A Great Rivalry.

From the Estelline (Dak.) Bell.

Said the mayor of Minneapolis to an alderman:

"I hear that another family moved into St. Paul yesterday."

"Yes."

"How large?"

"Man an' wife and four children."

"That's bad. What are we doing?"

"Well, one pair of twins is reported from the Fourth ward, and two immigrants from New York have just got here. I expect a friend and his wife and one child to arrive on the noon train. I think we'll manage to keep up with that one-horse town down the river.

Sad Scene in Court.

From the New York Times.

Uncle Rastus (to magistrate)—Yo' musn't be too ha'd on er poo' ole man, sah. I's a orphan.

Magistrate—How old are you, Uncle Rastus?

Uncle Rastus—'Bout sebbenty, sah.

Magistrate—It's hard lines to be an orphan at your age.

Uncle Rastus—'Deed 'tis, sah. My poo' ole mudder died two months befo' I was bo'n.

Magistrate—Don't you mean your father?

Uncle Rastus—P'raps I does, yo' honah. I spec I's not in my right min' or I wouldn't 'tempt ter steal chickens from a man what keeps a yaller dawg.

An Exodus of Farm Hands.

A Raleigh dispatch states that since the first of the year not less than 7,000 and probably 10,000 laborers have left North Carolina for the states south and for Arkansas, and there is now demand for farm hands that cannot be supplied. The cause for this exodus, it is said, is to be found in the lien laws, the system of farming, and the bad crops of the past three years.

Our Progress.

As stages are quickly abandoned with the completion of railroads, so the huge, drastic, cathartic pills, composed of crude and bulky medicines, are quickly abandoned with the introduction of Dr. Pierce's "Pleasant Purgative Pellets," which are sugar coated, and little larger than mustard seeds, but composed of highly concentrated vegetable extracts. By druggists. m15-M,Th&w

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For Chickies at 7.15 a. m. and 6.10 p. m.

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For Reading at 7.30 a. m., 12.35 and 3.40 p. m.
For Lebanon at 12.35 and 3.40 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE QUARRYVILLE

For Lancaster at 6.25 and 7.15 a. m. and 2.35 p. m.
For Reading at 6.25 a. m. and 2.35 p. m.
For Lebanon at 2:35 p. m.

LEAVE KING STREET (Lancaster,)

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For Lebanon at 6.40 a