A LYRICAL ROMANCE.

The following, from a series of love poems by Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, connected by a slender thread into a lyrical romance, presents a striking example of her sympathy with powerful interior experiences, and her boldness and grace in their expression:

BLUSHES.

I cannot make him know — love;
Nor from myself conce...
The pangs that rankle in my breast,
Sharper than flame or steel.

Could I but reach a hand to him,
My very finger's thrill
Would close, like tendrils, round the strength
Of his beloved will.

Could I but lift mine eyes to his,
My glowing soul, unrolled,
Would flash like sunset on his sight,
In fiery red and gold.

Yet pause, my unflecked soul, and think
How vexed Penelope
Forsook her nuptial joy, that love
Should wait on modesty.

For gentle souls must keep their bounds,
Nor rudely snatch at bliss:
The very sun should lose his light
In giving it amiss.

So, when I die, cross tenderly
My palms upon my breast,
And let some faithful hand compose
My tired limbs to rest.

But thou shalt fold this kerchief white,
And lay it on my face,
Saying, "She died of love untold;
But she is dead in grace."

Another specimen in the same kind is marked by a sweeter melody, and a more natural versification than are often found in her poems of a more reflective character.

WISHES.

I would I might approach thee,
As the moon draws near the cloud,
With still and stately courtesy,
Clear-eyed and solemn-browed;
But, when their meeting comes, her face,
In his deep breast doth hide,
The heavens are still, in solemn joy,
The world is glorified.

I would I might approach thee,
As music, swift afloat,
Surprises, with its sudden joy,
A wanderer in a boat;
The sordid walls of life fall down
Before the clarion clear;
A passing rapture oft recalled
When days grow blank and drear.

I would I might approach thee,
As breezes fresh and pure,
Unsighted, breathe on fevered lips,
And throbbing temples cure;
As Joy and Love, and healthful Hope,
Visit some chosen heart,
And enter, softly welcomed there,
And never more depart.

The little plot of the romance approaches its close in the following tender appeal:

THE SUMMONS.

I expect you in September
With the glory of the year;
You shall make the Autumn precious,
And the death of Summer dear;
You shall help the days that shorten,
With a lengthening of delight;
You shall whisper long-drawn blisses
Through the gathering screen of night.

I will lead you, dream-enchanted,
Where the fairest grasses grow;
I will hear your murmured music
Where the fresh winds pipe and blow.
On the brown heath, well encircled,
Shall our noiseless footsteps fall—
We, communing with twin counsel,
Each to other all in all.

Leave the titles that men owe thee;
Like the first pair let us meet;
Name the world all over to me,
New created at thy feet;
Gentle task and duteous learning,
I will hang upon thy breath
With the tender zeal of childhood,
With the constancy of death.

What shall be the gods declare not—
They who stamp Love's burning coin
Into spangles of a moment,
Into stars that deathless shine.
Oh! the foolish music lingers,
For the theme is heavenly dear;
I expect you in September,
With the glories of the year.

The plot attains an exquisite rapture blended with dark foreboding in the succeeding lines:

WAITING.

I have set my house in order
For a stately step to grace;
I have bidden the mirrors keep record
Of a never-forgotten face;
I have brightened with thrifty cunning
The walls of my sylvan home;
They are beautiful in the shadow
Of him who vouchsafes to come.

I have swept the leaves from the greensward,
And the gray stones twinkle and shine;
I have loosened each fretful tangle
Of the twisted cedar and vine;
I have ordered the waters waste not
Their splendors upon mine eye,
But to wait, like my heart, for thy footsteps,
And sush when thou drawest nigh.

Myself I would dress for thy presence;
But there I must stand and weep,
Since the years that teach Love's value
His vanishing treasure sweep.
But words that are spells of magic,
And merciful looks and ways,
Shall brighten the rusted features
That faded when none did praise.

Thou gracious and lordly creature,
Do the trees, when thou passest by,
Let down their fair arms to enlace thee,
And the flowers reach up to thine eye?
Do they wait, all athrill, when thou passest,
For a touch of thy life divine?
Do they fold their meek hands when thou fleetest,
And die for a breath of thine?

My heart has leapt forth to embrace thee;
It clings, like a babe, to thy breast;
And my blood is a storm-stirred ocean
That waits for the word of rest.
Time loses his paltry measure
Now that Love's eterne draws near,
And the lingering moments that part us
Are endless in hope and fear.

Oh! what if, beyond thy sunshine,
Some gathering storm should brood?
Thy rapture, forsaking, shall leave me
Alone with God's orphanhood.
The heart thou hast blest so inly
Shall wait no inglorious breath;
Come hither, then, ye who walk twinly;
So enter here, Love and Death!

A RENCONTRE.—A party of four gentlemen, J. W. Freeland, of St. Joseph, Missouri, B. F. Freeland and brother, of Weston, and William A. Ammon were attacked by a party of ruffians when passing down in a hack from Weston and Kansas City. A desperate fight ensued. One of the ruffians was mortally wounded. The assaulting party fired about thirty shots, the party attacked returning the fire with revolvers. One of the Freelands and the hack driver are missing. The remainder of the party have arrived at Kansas City.

The Latest Lottery Swindle.

[From the Pittsburgh Chronicle.]

Among the many swindlers who prey upon the gullible public no class seems to meet with more success than the one known as "lottery dealers," and this is the more surprising from the fact that the press, time and again, has attempted to guard the credulous against imposition by exposing the schemes of these bogus concerns. Every day, however, some new scheme is put in operation, more liberal inducements offered for "investments," and new victims made. Among other plans adopted by these sharpers is that of sending "confidential letters" to parties, whose names and address they obtain. These letters are sent to all parts of the country, and a sufficient number of dupes are found to realize a handsome sum for the "enterprising" dealer. One of the latest circulars issued, purports to be from the office of Thomas Boult & Co., General Lottery Agents, New York, a copy of which we give below. The terms are certainly the most "liberal" we have yet seen, and as the design of Messrs. Boult & Co. is to increase their business, we have no doubt they will be greatly obliged to us for giving it to the public. Following is the letter:

OFFICE THOMAS BOULT & Co.—General Lottery Agents, New York City—*Dear Sir:* As we are determined to send a good prize in your neighborhood, and with this resolution we have been looking around for an opening in which, by presenting some discreet and reliable person with a prize of a few hundred dollars, it would have the desired effect to increase the number of our customers, we accidentally met with your address, and the idea occurred to us at once that you were just the person to aid us in our enterprise. We therefore make to you a proposition that must strike you as being no less novel than it is liberal; and that you may not suppose that there is any deception in it, we inform you that that the prize money does not come out of our pockets, but out of the pocket of the Lottery Managers; and we shall not lose by sending a few hundred dollars in prize money, but shall gain by it in the increased amount of business we shall expect from your neighborhood when you show the "greenbacks," and make it generally known that they are the proceeds of a prize drawn at our office. We make this offer to you in strict confidence. The proposal is plain: We are to send a certificate for a chance to draw a prize of a few hundred dollars. You are to show the money. The result will be that hundreds of dollars will be sent to us for tickets—you may be the gainer of a few hundred dollars—we shall be gainers by our sales, and the parties who send for tickets may be gainers by drawing prizes; every one that sends will, of course, expect to draw a prize, not knowing the offer we made privately to you, which is as follows: Send us $10 to pay the managers, and we will send to you, securely sealed, a certificate of a package of sixteenths of tickets in the enclosed scheme; and to set at rest any doubt you may have of our sincerity, we hereby bind ourselves to send you a second certificate in any of our brilliant extra lotteries, for nothing, if the first we send you does not draw you, clear of all expenses, twelve hundred dollars; and mark this fact, to send you twelve hundred dollars out of the managers pocket will cost us nothing, but to send you an extra certificate, will take money out of our pocket. We mention this merely to show you that it is our interest to send you a prize. We hand you an envelope with our address. Enclose us ten dollars, and state in your letter whether we shall send you a draft on your nearest bank, or shall we send you the amount in "greenbacks" by mail, which last, perhaps, will suit you better. Please let us have your order by return mail, as we shall have to order the certificate from the managers for you, and believe us, very sincerely, THOS. BOULT & Co.
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Ground Rents	25,806 54
Real Estate, (Office, Fifth and North streets.)	14,390 15
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	$909,557 46

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$100,000	United States 6 per cent. loan, '71	$95,000 00
120,000	United States 6 per cent. loan, '81	128,100 00
200,000	United States 7 3-10 per cent. loan Treasury Notes	194,375 00
100,000	State of Pennsylvania Five Per Cent. Loan	90,555 00
54,000	State of Pennsylvania Six Per Cent. Loan	53,250 00
125,000	City of Philadelphia Six Per Cent. Loan	122,812 50
20,000	Pennsylvania Railroad First Mortgage Six Per Cent. Bonds	20,000 00
25,000	Pennsylvania Railroad Second Mortgage Six Per Cent Bonds	23,750 00
25,000	Western Penna. Railroad Mortgage six Per Cent. Bonds	23,750 00
11,000	300 Shares Stock Germantown Gas Company, principal and interest guaranteed by the City of Philadelphia	13,537 50
7,150	143 Shares Stock Penna. Railroad Company	8,580 00
5,000	100 Shares Stock North Pennsylvania Railroad Company	3,250 00
40,000	Deposit with the United States Government, subject to 10 days call	40,000 00
20,000	State of Tennessee Five Per Cent. Loan	18,900 00
170,700	Loans on Bonds and Mortgage, first liens on City Property	170,700 00
1,038,850	Par. Market value	996,560 00
	Real Estate	35,000 00
	Bills receivable for insurance made	121,013 87
	Balances due at Agencies—Premiums on Marine Policies, Accrued Interest, and other debts due the Company	49,511 44
	Scrip and Stock of sundry Insurance and other Companies, $5,183. Estimated value	2,910 00
	Cash in Banks	$55,956 89
	Cash in Drawer	678 48
		$56,635 73
		$1,253,620 18

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For three, six, nine or twelve months, for holders only, to all points at reduced rates.

CLERGYMEN

Residing on the line of the Road will be furnished with cards, entitling themselves and wives to tickets at half-fare.

EXCURSION TICKETS.

From Philadelphia to principal stations, good for Saturday, Sunday and Monday, at reduced fare, to be had only at the Ticket Office at Thirteenth and Callowhill streets.

FREIGHT.

Goods of all descriptions forwarded to all the above points from the Company's New Freight Depot, Broad and Willow streets.

FREIGHT TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia daily at 3.30 A. M., 12.45 noon and 6 P. M., for Reading, Lebanon, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Port Clinton, and all points beyond.

MAILS

Close at the Philadelphia Post Office for all places on the road and its branches at 8 A. M., and for the principal stations only at 2.15 P. M.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD—TIME TABLE.—Commencing MONDAY, January 8th, 1866. Trains will leave Depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows:
Express Train, at 4.05 A. M. (Mondays excepted), for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Wilmington, Perryville, Havre-de-Grace, Aberdeen, Perryman's, Magnolia and Stemmer's Run.
Delaware R.R. Train, at 8 A.M. (Sunday excepted), for Salisbury, Milford and intermediate stations.
Way-mail Train, at 9.15 A. M. (Sundays excepted), for Baltimore, stopping at Chester, Thurlow, Linwood, Claymont, and all regular stations between Wilmington and Baltimore.
Express Train at 2.45 P. M. (Sundays excepted), for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Chester, Claymont, Wilmington, Newark, Elkton, North-East, Perryville, Havre-de-Grace, Aberdeen, Perryman's, Magnolia and Stemmer's Run.
Night Express at 11.15 P. M. for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Chester, Thurlow, Linwood, Claymont, Wilmington, Newark, Elkton, North-East, Perryville and Havre-de-Grace.
Passengers by boat from Baltimore for Fortress Monroe, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond will take the 9.15 A. M. Train.
As an additional accommodation for those holding through tickets for Baltimore, Washington and Southern points, a special car will leave the Philadelphia Depot at 11.30 A. M., connecting at Gray's Ferry with the Morning Express from New York.
WILMINGTON ACCOMMODATION TRAINS, stopping at all stations between Philadelphia and Wilmington.
Leave Philadelphia at 8.15, 11.15 A. M., 3.30, 5.00 and 7.00 P. M. The 3.30 P. M. train connects with the Delaware Railroad for Milford and intermediate stations.
Leave Wilmington 7.00, 8.15 and 9.30 A. M., 3.00 and 5.00 P. M.
Trains for Newcastle leave Philadelphia at 8.15 A. M., 2.30 and 5.00 P. M.

THROUGH TRAINS FROM BALTIMORE

Leave Wilmington at 12.00 M., 4.30 and 9.55 P. M.

CHESTER FOR PHILADELPHIA.

Leave Chester at 8.01, 8.58 and 10.14 A. M., 12.36, 3.43, 5.01, 5.44 and 10.25 P. M.
From Baltimore to Philadelphia.—Leave Baltimore 8.25 A. M., Way Mail, 1.10 P. M., Express, 6.35 P. M., Express, 9.25 P. M., Express.
An Accommodation Train for Havre-de-Grace and intermediate stations, will leave Baltimore at 4.10 P. M.
Trains for Baltimore leave Chester at 9.52 A. M., 3.28 and 11.50 P. M.
Trains for Baltimore leave Wilmington at 12.27, 5.13, 10.33 A. M., and 4.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Express Train at 4.05 A. M. for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Wilmington, Perryville, Havre-de-Grace, Aberdeen, Perryman's, Magnolia and Stemmer's Run.
Night Express 11.15 P. M. for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Chester, Thurlow, Linwood, Claymont, Wilmington, Newark, Elkton, North-East, Perryville and Havre-de-Grace.
A Special Train will leave Philadelphia for Wilmington and Intermediate Stations at 9.00 P. M.

BALTIMORE FOR PHILADELPHIA.

Leave Baltimore at 9.25 P. M., stopping at Havre de Grace, Perryville and Wilmington. Also stop at Elkton and Newark (to take passengers for Philadelphia and leave passengers from Washington or Baltimore) and Chester to leave passengers from Baltimore or Washington.
A special train will leave Wilmington for Philadelphia and Intermediate Stations at 6.30 P. M.
Freight trains with passenger carriages attached will leave Wilmington for Perryville and intermediate stations at 6.04 P. M. H. F. KENNEY, Superintendent.

1865. PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD. 1865.
This great line traverses the Northern and Northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie.
It has been leased and is operated by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.
TIME OF PASSENGER TRAINS AT PHILADELPHIA.

ARRIVE EASTWARD.

Erie Mail Train	1 00 P. M.
Erie Express Train	11 10 A. M.

LEAVE WESTWARD.

Erie Mail Train	7 20 P. M.
Erie Express Train	7 20 A. M.

Passenger cars run through on Erie Mail and Express Trains without change, both ways, between Philadelphia and Erie.

NEW YORK CONNECTION.

Leave New York at 6 00 P. M., arrive at Erie 3 37 A. M.
Leave Erie at 1 55 P. M., arrive at New York 1.15 P. M.
No change of cars between Erie and New York.
Elegant Sleeping Cars on all Night Trains.
For information, apply at Passenger House, S. E. corner of BROAD and LOCUST streets.
Passengers will please procure their tickets before entering the cars.
Baggage will be checked through, and all possible attention paid to the comfort of passengers.
JOHN BINGHAM,
Superintendent.

WEST CHESTER AND PHILADELPHIA RAILROAD, VIA MEDIA.

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.

On and after WEDNESDAY, October 18th, 1865, the trains will leave as follows:

WEST CHESTER TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for West Chester 8.05, 11.00 A. M., 2.15, 4.30 and 6.00 P. M.
Leave West Chester for Philadelphia 6.45, 8.15, 10.45 A. M., 1.40, 4.35 P. M.
Trains leaving West Chester at 8.15 A. M. and leaving Philadelphia at 4.30 P. M., will not stop at Pennelton, and will stop below P. C. Tannihill at Media only.

PENNELTON TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Pennelton at 4.00 and 11.00 P. M.
Leave Pennelton for Philadelphia 9.02 A. M., 6.20 P. M.
These Trains stop at all intermediate Stations.
ON SUNDAYS—Leave Philadelphia at 8.30 A. M. and 2.00 P. M.
Leave West Chester 7.55 A. M and 4.00 P. M.
Trains leaving Philadelphia at 8.05 A. M. and 4.30 P. M., and leaving West Chester at 8.15 A. M. and 4.35 P. M., connect at B. C. Junction with Trains on the P. and B. C. R. R. for Oxford and intermediate points.
Passengers are allowed to take wearing apparel only as Baggage, and the Company will not, in any case, be responsible for an amount exceeding one hundred dollars, unless a special contract is made for the same. HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

TRAVELING GUIDE.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA R. R.—THE MIDDLE ROUTE.—Shortest and most direct line to Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, White Haven, Wilkesbarre, Mahanoy City, and all points in the Lehigh and Wyoming Coal Regions.
Passenger Depots in Philadelphia, THIRD street above Thompson, and corner of BERKS and AMERICAN streets.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
NINE DAILY TRAINS.

On and after Monday, Nov. 20th, 1865, Passenger trains leave the Depot, Third street, above Thompson, daily (Sundays excepted), as follows:
AT 7.30 A. M.—Morning Express for Bethlehem and and Principal Stations on North Pennsylvania Railroad, connecting at Bethlehem with Lehigh Valley Railroad for Allentown, Catasauqua, Slatington, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Jeanesville, Hazleton, White Haven, Wilkesbarre,