

SIR LEWIS MORRIS

'AT FARDONIAETH They Suggest the Perfect Art of the Great Tenyson.

EXQUISITELY-WROUGHT HARMONIES

They Come Over the Spirit with the Freshness of a Spring Morning When the Daisies Star the Sod and all the Birds are Awake--Notes of Great Interest.

Who sing today, by all the garnered wealth Of ages of past song...

The difficulties of a modern poet well expressed in these lines from his pen which in this sketch we seek to honor.

Which everywhere cries heavenward every day With unregarded suffering; the foul wrongs Which are done on earth for ever...

It was in the year 1875 that Sir Lewis Morris published the first installment of the poem which constitutes his trusty title to enduring fame.

PARENTAGE AND CAREER

Wales is a land of beauty, and we are not, therefore, surprised that it is a land of song. He who wanders on the banks of the "Ward Deo," stands amid the spray of the Swallow Falls...

"SONGS OF TWO WORLDS."

It was in the year 1872 that our author first ventured to publish, when he issued a modest volume with the above title.

ODE ON A FAIR SPRING MORNING.

Come, friend, let us forget The turmoil of the world a little while, For now the soft smiles, The fields with flowers are set...

By those free singers, when the world was young, For still the world is young, for still the spring Renewed itself, and still the lengthening hours Bring back the month of flowers.

SONGS OF THE CITY.

But the songs of this volume are the songs of the world, hence not only of the world of Nature does our poet sing, but also of the world of Man, who is greater than Nature...

THE SPECTACLE OF HUMAN MISERY and human life is ever with him. "The still sad music of humanity" haunts him with its pathetic and sorrowful refrain.

THE GREAT PAIN Which everywhere cries heavenward every day With unregarded suffering; the foul wrongs Which are done on earth for ever...

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THE YET! points out that in his article on the Rev. Griffith John, the veteran minister of Barry Dock, he mentioned in referring to the Rev. E. J. Jacobs...

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Extracts from a Chicago Alderman's Sermon on "Practical Politics,"

What wonder that our land is full of discontent? Where are the poor and the unfortunate of this city before the law? Their highest protection is the justice-officer...

THE worst politician in the midst of his self-seeking does more for the community than any other man in the community. I have seen in my short public life the most successful politician I have ever known...

THE Lanelly Guardian referring to the fact that the cleric who nursed Sir John Mills in his fatal illness, is the daughter of Mr. Joshua Griffith, a native of Lanelly, states that Sister Victoria, who it will be remembered, acted as nurse to the late Duke of Clarence is also closely associated with Lanelly.

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REPRESENTATIVE government means constant watchfulness on the part of the governed. There is nothing venal about it. It is the only way to secure for the people a government that will be for their good...

Whether we look at the broad field of finance, where stock watering and mysterious trickery prevail or the narrower field, where the farmer and the country boy play hide and seek with the speculator...

Most of us have scarcely given our government a thought beyond elections. It is supposedly instituted for all of us, as directed by the best of us but has become largely the rule of the purchasable majority...

When we hear the clamor of the unfortunate who are perishing in the streets, we should place upon the form of the survival of the fittest, ignoring the fact that it will bring us to the same end...

THE PENNSYLVANIA WILL BE THE LARGEST CRAFT ALAINT.

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A Minister's Sufferings

FOR FIFTEEN YEARS REV. JOSEPH SECHLER WAS IN TORMENT.

Tried all Sorts of Medicine, but None Afforded Relief. Somewhat Discouraged but with Faint Hope He was led to try a New Remedy. Read what He now Says.

There is probably no malady to which the human body is liable so painful or aggravating as rheumatism. The person so unfortunately afflicted with this insidious disease has no outward indication of inward trouble...

Often a certain flush in the face accompanies the ailment and lends the friends of the patient to congratulate him on his healthy appearance with the familiar exclamation, "How well you look!" while he is suffering the most acute tortures...

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includes in his congregation a large number of well-to-do farmers, chiefly from the State of Pennsylvania, many of them residents of the vicinities since 1852.

During this fifteen years of suffering there was added to the malady the lesser one of indigestion, which he could not be relieved but for the overshadowing one of rheumatism...

Should any afflicted one wish for reference regarding the above named gentlemen a letter addressed to the Rev. Joseph Sechler, at Freepoint, Ill., or any of the public men of Stephenson County, will procure the necessary information...



REV. JOSEPH SECHLER.

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