

Poetry.

From the Lantern.

A VOLLEY OF VALENTINES.

TO GENERAL SCOTT.
Had kind fate but cast my lot
To share that hor with thee,
I'd freely give both lot and scot
Thy Valentine to be.

TO PRESIDENT FILLMORE.
Meth smarter you have turned out
Than many did portend—
But'll turn out, without a doubt,
Meth smarter in the end.

TO DANIEL WEBSTER.
If talent solely, were the test—
By which a man should shine—
You ought to be it is confess,
Columbus's Valentine.

TO HENRY CLAY.
Great Harry, tho' thy mortal frame
Suffre in sickness lies,
Death cannot kill thy glorious name—
The patriot never dies.

TO HORACE GREENEY.
To Knocking Spirits, bogus, "isms,"
And "woot"! then dost incline—
We send thee, Chief of all the schisms,
A Social Valentine.

SENATOR FOOTE.
Thou prickly smooth, thou cross but clever,
Mississippi snag,
No Senator can with thee ever
Play the game of "frag."

SAM HOUSTON.
Brave Uncle Sam, thou great ally—
Of Croton's tempest-tide daughter—
Twixt you and I, you can't get "high"—
By sticking to cold water.

TO W. H. SEWARD.
I'd send a vatic note to thee,
But I'm afraid that you'll
Like Jeph's worsted Jacob law
Entangled in the wool.

TO JOHN B. GOUGH.
Your fine teetotal teaching, John,
There's nobody can scorn—
Because you sober preaching, John,
You practice—in a horn.

TO LOLA MONTES.
My pretty pet, how can you get
A man his heart to yield—
You say to sick of marriage, yet
Acknowledge yourself Head,

TO MAYOR KINGSLAND.
Hail! first of Mayors, we must say,
To keep the city neat
And clean, even for Broadway
There's no mud in the street.

TO THE SWAN OF ERIN.
Sweet, simple Kate, thy pulse absurd
To call the Erin's Swan,
Thou art not such a drowsy bird
As she my thought is on.

TO JENNY LIND.
Angelic Warbler, but that now
You've found a mortal mate,
We had almost concluded, thou
Wert Seraph incarnate.

TO THE BLOOMERS.
In Rome, do as they do in Rome;
Take heed what you're about—
If you could wear the pants at home,
You'd not wear them out.

TO SENATOR BORLAND.
When our pugnacious hero weds,
A priz'-ring he should use—
One so renowned at breaking heads,
Can break hearts if he choose.

TO MR. FORNEY.
Not one among the scribbling host,
Your clerky fitness betters—
For who should occupy the post,
If not a man of letters.

A STRING OF ITEMS.

WHEN ONE WILL NOT, TWO CANNOT QUARREL.

MOTTO FOR A PILOT—WHEEL OR WO.

EDGEE SUE IS MARRIED TO AN AMERICAN LADY.

PUNCH'S COUNSEL TO LOUIS NAPOLEON—STOP, THIEF.

IS THE ISLE OF MAN THEY HAVE CATS WITH OUT TAILS.

LUTHER DIED ON THE 18TH OF FEBRUARY, 1846.

WHY IS JOHN BIGGER'S BOY LARGER THAN HIS FATHER? BECAUSE HE IS A LITTLE BIGGER.

HE WHO DEALS WITH A BLOCKHEAD HAS NEED OF MUCH BRAINS.

FRESH BERMUDA TOMATOES ARE SELLING IN NEW YORK.

THE OIL CANALS ARE TO BE OPENED ON THE 20TH OF MARCH.

THE HOT SPRINGS OF VIRGINIA ARE 112°, SUFFICIENT TO BOIL EGGS.

SOMEBODY SAYS, "WE LIVE UNDER A GOVERNMENT OF MEN—AND MORNING NEWSPAPERS."

A BEAUTIFUL ORIENTAL PROVERB RUNS THIS: WITH TIME AND PATIENCE THE MULBERRY LEAF BECOMES SATIN.

A NEW PASS HAS BEEN DISCOVERED IN THE SIERRA NEVADA, BY WHICH THE TRANSIT IS GREATLY FACILITATED.

NON INTERVENTION.—A PRINCIPLE THAT CANNOT BE RECOMMENDED TOO STRONGLY, IN ALL MATRIMONIAL WARS.

PHILANTHROPISTS ARE TRYING TO PUT A STOP TO THE PUNISHMENT OF SHOWER-BATHS AT SING SING; AS SO SEVERE FOR HUMAN ENDURANCE.

THE SCHOOL FUND OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NOW AMOUNTS TO THE SUM OF \$765,109.—PRETTY WELL FOR A "FOUR YEARS OLD."

THE LADY WHOSE DRESS WAS TOO DIRTY TO WEAR, AND NOT DIRTY ENOUGH TO WASH, HAD A MATTER OF SERIOUS IMPORT TO DECIDE.

THERE ARE TWO THINGS MODEST MEN SHOULD NEVER UNDERTAKE—TO BORROW MONEY OR STUDY LAW.

THE LESS GENIUS YOU HAVE GOT THE MORE MORAL SHOULD BE YOUR WRITINGS. WERE IT NOT FOR TOPPER'S PIETY, TOPPER HIMSELF WOULD BE CONSIDERED AN ASS.

SOMEBODY SAYS THERE ARE TWO KINDS OF FAMILY JARS; INTO ONE OF THEM YOU PUT SWEETMEATS AND SUCH LIKE, AND IN THE OTHER YOU PUT YOUR FOOT.

A YELLOW, SEVEN FEET HIGH, ON HIS WAY TO CALIFORNIA PASSED THROUGH CHARLESTON. ON BEING ASKED WHY HE RENTED UPON SO BIZARRE A JOURNEY, HE REPLIED THAT THEY DIDN'T WOOD HIM ANY LONGER DOWN IN MAINE.



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TERIES, which have been brought to market for many years.

Indeed, we have seen no powder that bears in the same

name, or equal to it, in perfect beauty.

It will either cure the animal, or make it

improve rapidly in fat.

It will therefore be considered as having one of the simple articles of diet.

It is easily made, and will be a great service to

persons owing a house.

It is not one of those kind

of articles that merely swell up animal for a short time, and then leave it again.

It is a pure, strong, and healthy article.

It will be a great service to persons who

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