

POETRY



From the Western Literary Journal. TRUTH AND FREEDOM.

is the Freeman whom the Truth makes free of all the slaves besides.—COWEN.

the Truth, then let FREEMEN, Whosoever, and published wide.

Who has the Truth and keeps it, keeps what to him belongs, performs a selfish action, his fellow mortal wrongs.

Who seeks the Truth, and trembles At the dangers he must brave, is not fit to be a freeman— He, at least, is but a slave.

He who bears the Truth, and places His high promptings under ban, Loud may boast of all that's manly, But can never be a MAN.

Friend, this simple lay who reads, Be not thou like either them— But to Truth give utmost freedom, And the tide it raises, stem.

Bold in speech, and bold in action, Be forever—Time will test, Of the free-soul'd and the slavish, Which fulfills life's mission best.

Be thou like the noble Roman— Scorn the threat that bids thee fear, Speak!—no matter what betide thee; Let them rike, but make them hear!

Be thou like the first Apostles— Be thou like heroic Paul; If a free thought seek expression, Speak it boldly!—speak it all!

Face thine enemies—accusers; Scorn the prison, rack or rod? And if thou hast Truth to utter, SPEAK! and leave the rest to God.

THE DREAMS OF LIFE.

Oh there is a dream of early youth, And it never comes again; 'Tis a vision of life, of light and truth, That flits across the brain: And Love is the theme of that early dream, So wild, so warm, so new. That in all our after dreams, I ween, It's the dream we'll never rue.

Oh there is a dream of elder years, More turbulent by far; 'Tis a vision of blood, and woman's tears, For the theme of that dream is War: And we toil in the field of danger & death, And we shout in the battle's array, Till we find out that fame is a bodiless breath That vanishes away.

Oh, there is a dream of hoary age, 'Tis a vision of gold in store; Of sums noted down in the figured page, 'To be counted o'er and o'er; And we fondly trust in our glittering dust, As a refuge from grief and pain, Till our limbs are laid in that last dark bed Where the wealth of the world is vain.

And is it thus, from man's birth to his grave, Is the path which we all are treading; Is their thought in this world's career to save From remorse and self-upbraiding? Oh, yes! there's a dream so pure and so bright, That the mortal to whom it is given Hath bathed in a sea of living light, For the theme of that dream is Heaven!

TIME OUTWITTED.

Old Father Time once chanced to stray, Where an infant and its mother lay, While one was sleeping; The happy babe, with childish glee, Through mother's locks, which floated free Was joyous peeping;— The sickle bearer, in a twinkling, Mark'd on the mother's brow a wrinkle. An angel form, with features mild, By a kiss, an action simple, Transferred this line to the fairy child, Where it formed a beautiful dimple.

Good Ores—At a late Bristol county Agricultural Festival, the following sentiments were given at the board. Orchard Fruit—Like the country maiden, the better it is the harder we must work to win it. The land we cultivate and the home we love—where our treasure is, there shall our hearts be also.

As the Rev. Mr. — was one day walking out, he passed two little lads, one of whom made a very manly bow. As he turned his back upon them, he heard the following very amusing conversation— 'Why, John, didn't you know that man was Parson M.—our minister?' 'Yes, of course I did'— 'not make a bow to him?' 'Well, then, why don't you belong to his meet?'

The Farmer's Wife—she makes his best 'Stocking.'

The Farmer's motto—'A good dairy maid—or no butter made.'

The high ho's [high hose] of a young Farmer—Also [a lass] for them. Hasty pudding—the only thing to make a Farmer 'meally mouthed.'

The Farmer's Wife—the best man upon the Farm.

'What's the matter, Ephraim?' 'O, I'm sick of this confounded influenza, I'm dead.'

'Why on earth don't you go and get a coffin, then?'

'Thank you, I've been troubled enough with cozzains, lately.'

To our Readers—Cure for a Cold.—The following prescription has been taken from an old black letter book. A. D. 1403. We print it for the benefit of those medical antiquaries who are fond of tracing the progress of medicine.

Put your feet in hott water, As high as your thighs, Wrappe your head up in flannelle, As lowe as your eyes.

Take a quart of rum'd gruelle, When in bedde, as a dose, With a number four dippe, Well tallow your nose.

An Expensive Job—A gentleman passing a country church, while under repair, observed to one of the workmen that he thought it would be an expensive job.

'Why yes,' replied he, 'but in my opinion, we shall accomplish what our reverend divine has endeavored to do for the last thirty years, in vain.'

'What is that?' said the gentleman.

'Why, bring all the village to repentance!'

'Man's life is a vapor, full of woes; He cuts a caper—down he goes.'

'No one would take you for what you are,' said an old fashioned gentleman, a day or two ago, to a dandy, who had more hair than brains.

'Why?' was immediately asked.

'Because they can't see your ears.'

'Without female society,' it has justly been said, 'the beginning of men's lives would be helpless—the middle without joy or pleasure—the end without comfort.'

STANZAS.

FAREWELL, Life! My senses swim; And the world is growing dim; Thronging shadows cloud the light, Like the advent of the night,— Colder, colder, colder still Upward steals a vapour child— Strong the earthy odour grows— I smell the Mould above the Rose!

Welcome, Life! the Spirit strives! Strength returns, and hope revives; Cloudy fears and shapes forlorn Fly like shadows at the morn,— O'er the earth there comes a bloom— Sunny light for sullen gloom.— Warm perfume for vapour cold— I smell the Rose above the Mould!

A shrew having threatened her husband with 'a blow up,' 'My dearest blossom, said he, 'commit your remarks to paper, and read them to me.'

'What is it that makes seed cakes, Miel?' 'Och! Larry, but it's you that's stupid!— Don't they bake them in mould ovens, to be sure?'

A widow once said to her daughter, 'when you are of my age you will be dreaming of a husband.' 'Yes mamma,' replied the thoughtless bussy, 'for a second time.'

Dr. Jayne's FAMILY MEDICINES.

JAYNE'S HAIR TONIC. This Hair Tonic has produced beautiful New Hair in the heads of hundreds who had been bald for years. It also purifies the head from Dandruff—Cures diseases of the scalp—Preserves the hair from falling off or becoming permanently gray.

JAYNE'S CARMINATIVE BAL-SAM. IS a certain, safe and effectual remedy for Dysentery, Diarrhoea or looseness, cholera morbus, summer complaint, colic, griping pains; sour stomach, sick and nervous headache, heartburn, waterbrash, pain or sickness of the stomach; vomiting; spitting up of food after eating and also where it passes through the body unchanged; want of appetite; restlessness and inability to sleep; wind in the stomach and bowels; cramp; nervous tremors and twitchings; seasickness; fainting, melancholy and loss of spirits; fretting and crying of infants and for all bowel affections and nervous diseases.

DR. JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE. Which is perfectly safe and so pleasant that children will not refuse to take it. It effectually destroys worms, neutralizes acidity or sourness of the stomach; increases appetite and acts as a general and permanent Tonic and is therefore exceedingly beneficial in intermittent and Remittent fevers and indigestion; &c and is a certain and permanent cure for the fever and ague.

DR. JAYNE'S SANATIVE PILLS. They may be taken at all times and in most diseases—in Inflammatory, intermitten, Remittent, Bilious, and every other form of Fever—Jaundice and Liver Complaint. For Dyspepsia they are really an invaluable article, gradually changing the vitiated secretions of the stomach and liver, and producing healthy action in those important organs. They are very valuable or diseases of the Skin, and for what is commonly called 'Impurity of the blood,' also for Female Complaints, Costiveness, &c., and in fact every disease where an Aperient, Alterative, or Purgative Medicine may be required.

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. It always cures Asthma—two or three large doses will cure the Croup or Hoarseness of Children, in from fifteen minutes to an hours time. It immediately subdues the violence of Hooping Cough, and effects a speedy cure. Hundreds who have been given up by their physicians as incurable with 'Consumption,' have been restored to perfect health, by it.

In fact, as a remedy in Pulmonary Diseases, no medicine has ever obtained a higher, or more deserved reputation.

The above Medicine are all for sale at the store of JOHN R. MOYER, Bloomsburg.

List of Letters. REMAINING in the Post Office at Catawissa on the quarter ending December 31st, 1844.

Belcher Mr Kuhns Peter Chapman Daniel M Longenberger Philip Croll William Douglas John jr. Davin Pansy Stewart Abraham Fisher Israel 2 Stokes William Fisher J P Shuman C Kellogg Chester Tubeson Rachel

Persons calling for letters in the above list, will please say they are advertised.

PAUL R. BALDY P. M.

List of Letters. REMAINING in the Post Office, at Bloomsburg, on the quarter ending Dec. 31st, 1844.

Abel Burr J D Paxson David Everett Charles Snyder Mrs Mary M Eckerd Miss Cath. Stauffer Daniel McCarty Peter Styres 2 John Reichenbender N Snyder Calender Potter Henry Walters A Walters

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J R MOYER P M

WILL PROPERTIES FOR SALE.

A mill property, situated in Reading, Pa. of a GRIST-MILL, TWO RUN OF STONES.

TWO DWELLING HOUSES, several outbuildings, a good pump, at the door, and 16 Acres, of meadow land, all in good state of repair.

It deems it unnecessary to give any further description, as all who want to purchase, will view for themselves. It will be sold on the most reasonable terms, and possession given whenever required.

G. N. BISHOP. Roaringcreek, Jan. 25—1845.

NOTICE. All persons indebted to the subscribers, on note, bond account or otherwise, of over one year's standing, are requested to call and settle the same in Cash or Grain, on or before the 1st day of February next.

Those neglecting this notice, may expect to pay cost as we are determined to have our old business settled. WM. McKELVY & Co. Bloomsburg, Dec. 28—1844.

CLOCK & WATCH MAKING.

GUSTAVUS L. SEHULTZ, RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Columbia county, and the public generally, that he has located himself in Bloomsburg on Main street opposite St. Paul's Church, where he has opened a shop, and is now ready and prepared to receive and execute all work in his line of business with dispatch and in a workmanlike manner.

clocks & Watches of the best quality, can be had at his establishment on very reasonable terms.

REPAIRING & CLEANING will be done to the satisfaction of the customer, on well of Clocks and Watches as of Jewels, and he will further, warrant his work to be executed as well as any in this section of the State. He will also make to order

SURVEYING COMPASSES or pocket, and in short, will do all other work usually done in a well regulated respectable establishment. He hopes by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to receive a liberal share of patronage. Country Produce taken in payment for work at the market prices.

Bloomsburg, November 15, 1844—30t.

Bloomsburg MARBLE YARD.

The subscribers have established at the above place, a new MARBLE YARD, and will always be ready, at the shortest notice, to furnish to order,

MONUMENTS, TOMB-TABLES, TOMB-STONES, HEARTH-JAMBS, MANTLES, PAINT STONES, MULLERS, &c.

or any other work in their line. They are also prepared to furnish WINDOW CAPS and SILLS, DOOR SILLS and STEPS, &c either of Marble, Limestone or any kind of stone that can be procured in this vicinity.

Having had considerable experience in the business, they pledge their work to be executed in as handsome a style as can be furnished from any yard either in the city or country; and on as reasonable terms. ARMSTRONG & HUGHES, Bloomsburg, Nov. 3, 1843. 1y—28

Chair Manufactory.

THE subscriber continues to carry on the CHAIR MANUFACTURING business at the old stand of B. & S. Hegenbuch, where he will be ready at all times to furnish Fancy & Windsor Chairs, Settees, Boston Rocking Chairs &c, of every description, which may be called for, at short notice and on the most reasonable terms. He will also execute House, Sign & Ornamental Painting, and House Papering, in a superior manner.

From his experience in the business, and his facilities of manufacturing the various articles of his line, he flatters himself that he shall be able to furnish as good work, and upon as reasonable terms as can be done in the country, all of which he will dispose of for CASH or COUNTRY PRODUCE.

N. B.—Orders from a distance will be strictly and punctually attended to.

B HAGENBUCH, Bloomsburg, Dec. 30, 1843

NEW GOODS.

W. M. McKELVY & Co. HAVE just received and are now opening a large and extensive assortment of

New Goods

suitable to the season, consisting of all the varieties ever kept in a country store. Among their assortment may be found the following—

Dry Goods.

Broadcloths, of all colors, qualities and prices. Customers, Sattinets, and various other kinds of cloth, flannel, Valencia, Manilla, Silk and other vestings, French and English. Medicines, Bondage, various Fashionable Calicoes, Irish Linens, Silk, Cotton and Linnam Bombazines, a variety of Silk and Cotton Stockings, Gloves and Mitts for Ladies and Gentlemen, kid and leather gloves, bonnets and umbrellas, &c, of almost every quality. Tickling and other cotton cloths, Velvet, caps, Ladies and Children's shoes of all kinds, Men's hats and thin boots and shoes, India Rubber over shoes, rubber, yarn, carpet yarn, cordage, &c.

GROCERIES.

Liquors of all kinds, of the best quality. Molasses, Sugar of various quality, Coffee, Teas, pickles, Spices and Fish oil, coarse and fine Salt, Candles, Fish, &c.

CROCHERY.

A large assortment of Earthen Ware, and Glassware, window glass of all sizes, Looking glasses, &c.

Hardware.

Cane knives and forks, shoe knives, Butts and Screws of all sizes, Pad and door Locks, Saddle Horns and Coach Trimmings, Saw Mill and Hand saws, round, square, and flat iron in a short iron, wagon tire of all sizes, in fact every thing in the Hardware line from a cambric needle up to a blacksmith's anvil.

All of which will be sold in exchange for CASH, LUMBER, and COUNTRY PRODUCE of all kinds, on the most reasonable terms, and we invite our friends to call and examine for themselves. Nov. 9, 1844—29.

THE FAMILY NEWSPAPER AND FIRESIDE FRIEND. Central in Politics and Religion. NEW YEAR.

Now is the very nick of time to subscribe for the New Year 1845.

THE PHILADELPHIA SATURDAY COURIER

With the largest Subscription List in the World.

TO NEW SUBSCRIBERS. For the purpose of facilitating the formation of Clubs, of 12 or 24 subscribers, we will, in arrears, send the following

EXTRAORDINARY INDUCEMENTS. Three copies of the Saturday Courier, 1 year, or one copy for three years

Five copies of the Saturday Courier, and 2 copies of either of the 25 Magazines

Five copies of the Saturday Courier, and 1 copy of Frost's new Pictorial History of America, a 25 book.

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LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S MAGAZINE FOR 1845.

GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE has long enjoyed the enviable reputation of being the best published in the U. S., both for the quality and number of its embellishments, and in the tone of its literary matter. It is the cheapest as well as the best.

For the year 1844 the publisher has given about 100 pages more original matter than any of his contemporaries more original steel engravings, in addition to fashion plates and colored flowers. The cheapness and merit of a three-dollar magazine over all others are apparent, which has made an outlay of Seven Thousand Dollars greater than others, and an addition of engravings over other magazines that would embellish the costliest Annual. The publisher is however satisfied that nothing but real value can maintain the high position his periodical has attained in the United States.

The publisher does not hesitate to say that he defies all competition with Graham's magazine for 1845. His immense subscription list, the merit and number of his contributors, the high order of the engravers engaged, the number and variety of elegant plates already purchased and on hand, and the immense facility which his capital and position give to prosecute the work under his efforts at rival matter of ridicule, &c every number of the work issued, bears with it the evidence of its triumphant success, and establishes the impossibility of successful competition, improves and extends for good works, that nothing of a lunatic order will be tolerated.

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