

ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROSPECTUS OF *The National Magazine and Republican Review.* H. J. BRENT, ESQ., EDITOR.

THE NATIONAL MAGAZINE AND REPUBLICAN REVIEW will be published in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, on the 1st of January next, and will consist of a monthly volume... The experience of the past year has confirmed in the minds of the more reflecting and sagacious of the Whig party, that a vacuum exists in the periodical press of the country...

The union of such principles with a general literature as have insuited the common sense and honesty of the country, by proclaiming the "Martyrdom of Colley," rendered in a manner more delectable from the lucid and flowing style in which they are combined...

The National Magazine and Republican Review is designed, and will be conducted with the most important considerations in view, calculated to correct misconstructions, and to inculcate the correct principles on which should be based the views and practice of the great Republic. We are particularly anxious for the encouragement and maintenance of genuine political literature...

The period of its fast arrival, when the country will emerge from the dominion of a party which has come into power under the corrupt influence of a mischievous and unprincipled administration, which has advocated and carried out the most corrupt and oppressive policy...

Having made these few remarks on the political cast of the publication, we feel confident that its utility will be readily appreciated by the public. It will be the principal subject on which the Review will treat, from the views of most celebrated writers of the present day...

Reviews and Critical Notices will occupy a portion of its pages, briefly giving praise to good and censure to such productions only as are richly deserving of it. *Sketch of the Proceedings of Congress* will be given at the close of each session, in which will be explained the cause and effect of all prominent acts and measures...

Original Poetry will be well sprinkled through its pages. *Original Poetry* will be well sprinkled through its pages. *Original Poetry* will be well sprinkled through its pages...

Any person forwarding ten respectable subscribers and becoming responsible for the amount of their subscription for the first year, shall receive a copy gratis as long they may continue subscribers. The publishers will be responsible for all moneys forwarded by mail in case of miscarriage, provided the certificate of the Postmaster shall be secured, and copies forwarded accordingly...

THE GARLAND.



By Mrs. Lydia Jane Brisson.

FOR THE GETTYSBURG STAR AND BANNER.

SKETCHES.

Is this the rich, the proud, the beautiful, The eloquent in council? He who stood To-day with the assembled senators...

TO A MOTHER.

You have a child on your knee. Listen a moment. Do you know what that child is? It is an immortal being; destined to live forever...

HOME EDUCATION.

There are two mistakes current in society, both of which have been incidentally touched upon, but which deserve to be placed more directly before the reader. The first is, that the whole duty of a parent...

CORRECTING CHILDREN IN ANGER.

There is another common error, which may need to be noticed--that of correcting a child hastily and harshly, and then, feeling that justice has been done, to compensate them by some soothing sugar plum or honeyed apology...

PARENTAL PARTIALITY.

There is another fatal danger in family government, from which I would warn every parent, and that is partiality. It is too often the case that fathers and mothers have their favorite child...

A PSALM OF LIFE.

Life is but a shadow, a passing dream, A challenge to its end. And when it comes, say "Welcome friend."

WHAT THE HEART OF THE YOUNG MAN SAID TO THE PSALMIST.

Tell me not in mournful numbers, Life is but an empty dream! For the soul is dead that slumbers, And things are not what they seem...

Art is long, and time is fleeting, And our hearts, tho' stout and brave, Still, like muffled drums, are beating Funeral marches to the grave...

THE REPOSITORY.

FROM THE SOUTHERN LITERARY MESSENGER.

DESULTORY SPECULATOR.

I look upon life as a sickly and feverish dream. Its highest enjoyments are transient and fluctuating, and its realities painful and vapid. The poet of nature has with great truth exclaimed, "How dull, stale, flat, and unprofitable, are all the uses of this life..."

FROM THE NATIONAL GAZETTE.

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Life's little stage is a small eminence, Inebriated with the grave above, that home of man, Where dwell the multitudes; we gaze around, We read their monuments; we gaze around, We sigh, we sink; and are what we deplored: Lamenting, or lamented, all our lot. G. W. Washington City.

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BALTIMORE, Oct. 30. THE TRIAL FOR MURDER.—The Jury in the case of William Steuart, charged with the murder of his father, Benjamin Steuart, did not agree upon a verdict until near nine o'clock on Sunday night. Information having been given to that effect, the Court promptly assembled and received the Jury, whose verdict was, "Guilty for Murder in the Second Degree."

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The National Intelligencer well remarks that the publication of Mexico to the demands which the latter will withdraw its forces from the shores of the former country; and publishes the following article from The Courier des Etats Unis, as explanatory of the reason of the withdrawal by Texas of the application made for annexation to the Union.

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Decidedly, Texas no longer wishes to be incorporated with the United States, who on their side, have never seriously cared about it. This annexation may well for a time have entered into the views of certain Texian statesmen, while the Mexican pretensions were yet alarming; but now the chance has turned. Mexico is no longer to be feared.

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