

Poetry.

"Carry Home to Mother." [A man, one of the rescued ladies of the Central Avenue, gave one of the rescued ladies a bag of money to take to his mother.]

Here, lady, take this bag of gold, Of treasures I've no other; It is the fruit of toils untold, "Carry it home to mother."

Literary Notices.

BOOKS sent to us for review, will be sent to the Editor of the Banner and Advocate, Philadelphia, N. Y., or to the Editor of the Presbyterian, New York, N. Y., or to the Editor of the Presbyterian, New York, N. Y., or to the Editor of the Presbyterian, New York, N. Y.

the present session of Parliament. They are quite as vigorous as the articles which in the early youth of this journal carried its extensive fame.

THE COMMON JOURNAL OF MEDICAL SCIENCE, for March, is received. It contains nineteen articles. Among other subjects are, the Catembois of Rome, and Aaron Burr. In the latter, the late work of Mr. Parton, and his attempt to renovate the character of his hero, are thoroughly disposed of.

Letters to the North.

By a million of bequest of Congress, every sixteen section of land in each State of the Union, was early set apart for purposes of education; amounting to one million of acres. To this has been added, by the State, five hundred thousand acres, making the whole grant for this purpose a fund worth not less, as is supposed, than three millions of dollars.

and villages, we hear of these movements almost every week. The principal reliance is on prayer; and we are happy in this to harmonize with those views which have been strongly sanctioned by your Synodical Conventions.

This looks like God's work; and the more so, as it has come in connection with public distress, and great pecuniary embarrassments. Most men seem to have been truly humbled by these tremendous reverses in their temporal affairs; all see that the world is not to be relied on; and those who are humble enough to own the hand that is upon them, seem more accessible, and ready to yield to religious aspirations.

For the Young.

To the Boys and Girls who read the Banner and Advocate. So many papers have been talking to me about the "hard times," that I have thought it well to write you a few words. I have been thinking of you for many years ago, but more than two thousand years ago, and perhaps you will be glad to hear something about them.

of times, indeed, when the martyrs of old had trials of cruel mockings, and scourgings, of bonds and imprisonment. They were stoned; they were slain with the sword; they wandered about in sheepskins, and goat-skins, being afflicted, afflicted, in deserts, in mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

God's answer: "Oh, my lord, if the Lord be with us, why then is all this befal- len us? and where are all his promises which our fathers have told us of; did not the Lord bring us up from Egypt? But now the Lord hath forsaken us, and delivered us into the hands of the Midianites."

For the Ladies.

"Women's Influence in the Church." The sacred Scriptures are very severe in their denunciations of those women who unsex themselves, and aspire to the places assigned to the other sex either in the Church or State.

barriers that had so long impeded its course and that it was imprisoned in the bosom of the mountains. How often has my spirit, in its different moods, been in communion with the murmur of its waters!

"The Chinese Coolie Trade." The American ship Challenge, which arrived at Havana, from China, on the 10th ult., had on board 620 coolies, after losing 280 on the voyage.

Miscellaneous.

Home-ward Bound. The following from the Statesman, shows something of California life, and of the feelings of youthful adventurers. To many of our readers it will have additional interest, from the fact that it was written by James C. Clow, one of the sufferers on the Central America, whose wreck caused many deaths and many bleeding hearts.

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