

Poetry.

(Selected) MOUTH MERRY SONGS. "JOHN FROST." You've come early to see as this year, John Frost...

Literary Notices.

THE PENINSULAR CAMPAIGN IN VIRGINIA, OR INCIDENTS AND SCENES OF THE BATTLE-FIELD AND BUNKER'S HILL. By Rev. J. J. Marks, D. D. 12mo, pp. 414. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott & Co. For sale at Presbyterian Book-Rooms, Hand Street, Pittsburgh.

Fireside Reading.

"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." Such are the words of God. Do we believe them?

Agricultural.

A Large Farm. We learn from a correspondent of the Rural New Yorker, that the farm of Mr. M. L. Sullivan, in Champaign County, Ill., is seven miles long, five and a half wide, and contains 22,000 acres.

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Willie Winkle. "Willie Winkle" is known to everybody; but so many pleasing associations are interwoven with it, and it has so many natural touches of beauty and simplicity, that we really cannot refrain from giving it entire.

Washed is the mither. That has a stoic wean, A wimple stouzie, That cannie rin his lane, For it count no brag to be clever as some.

Doing God's Will. I suppose most of the readers of this paper attend Sabbath School. I know some who are very punctual in their attendance, and always recite their lessons correctly.

A Cup of Cold Water. "Mother," said little Eunice, thoughtfully, "I should love to do good as Jesus did, to the poor people around us here.

Christ died to redeem our children. The Holy Spirit has come into the world to comfort, sanctify, and save them. All things were created for their good, and the promise of God is fulfilled in them.

Hints on Gathering Fruit. The following useful hints are from the Gardener's Weekly Magazine: "Most people are disposed to gather their Autumn fruits too soon.

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Parings and Burning Sod Land. This is an operation quite common in England, but almost unknown in this country. We have recommended this practice to some of our horticultural friends, but they regard the idea as not feasible.

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