POETRY.

LINES.

BY PARK BENJAMIN.

I've been in love some sixty times,
And always thought the newest fairest;
I've strung at least a million rhymes,
Though not to forms like that thou wearest.
Some have been short and others tall,
Some have been plump and others slender;
But slim or dumpy, large or small,
To thine their brightest charms surrender.

Thine is the shape I've seen in dreams,
Yet never met at evening parties,
Like real flesh and blood it seems,
Mixed with celestial, like Astarte's.*
There's nothing of the sylph or gnome
Exactly in thy form's expansion,
But it would deck the humblest home
And beautify the proudest mansion.

To flirt with for a month or year,
One might select a different figure,
Less size, less heart, of course less dear,
With rather less of health and vigor.
But for a friend—ye gods! a wife,
To live for, fight for, love forever,
I never saw in all my life
One near so perfect—never, never!

I am in earnest—so, don't laugh,
Thou precious, merry, darling creature!
I'd rather see thy smiles by half
Irradiate each winsome feature,
Than all the splendid sights that night
Reveals beneath her starry glories,
Or, steeped in day's most lovely light,
The scenes of old heroic stories.

With thee companioned, one might go
Content through life's low vale of sorrow,
And, blessed at present, care to know
But little of the dim to-morrow.
Yet fare-the-well! 'tis vain for me
To conjure up joy's glowing vision;
My last thought is a sigh for thee,
And thine a smile of sweet derision.

* See Byron's Manfred *passion*.

SPIRIT OF LOVE.—Beyond all question, it is the unalterable constitution of nature, that there is efficacy, divine, unspeakable efficacy in love. The exhibition of kindness has the power to bring even the irrational animals into subjection. Show kindness to a dog, and he will remember it; he will be grateful; he will infallibly return love for love. Show kindness to a lion, and you can lead him by the mane; you can thrust your hand into his mouth; you can melt the untamed ferocity of his heart into affection stronger than death. In all God's vast and unbounded creation, there is not a living and sentient being, from the least to the largest; not one; not even the outcast and degraded serpent, that is insensible to acts of kindness. If love such as our blessed Saviour manifested, could be introduced into the world and exert its appropriate dominion, it would restore a state of things far more cheering, far brighter than the fabulous age of gold; it would annihilate every sting, it would hush every [illegible]ant voice. Even the inanimate creation is [illegible] insensible to this divine influence. The b[illegible]ver and fruit put forth most abundantly and beautifully where the hand of kindness is extended for their culture. And if this blessed influence should extend itself over the earth, a moral garden of Eden would exist in every land; instead of the thorn and briar, would spring up the fig-tree and myrtle; the desert would blossom and the solitary place be made glad.—*Upham.*

COMPANY.—There is a certain magic or charm in company, for it will assimilate and make you like to them by much conversation with them. If they be good company, it is a great means to make you good, or confirm you in goodness; but if they be bad, it is twenty to one but they will corrupt and infect you. Therefore be wary and shy in choosing and entertaining, or frequenting any company of companions; be not too hasty in committing yourself to them; stand off a while till you have inquired of some (that you know to be faithful) what they are; observe what company they keep; be not easy to gain acquaintance, but stand off and keep a distance yet a while, till you have observed and learned touching them. Men or women that are greedy of acquaintance, or hasty in it, are sometimes snared in ill company before they are aware, and entangled so that they cannot get loose from it when they would. *Hale.*

THE HEART.—A modern writer thus beautifully treats of of that "harp of a thousand strings," the human heart: "What an odd thing experience is! now turning over so rapidly the book of life, now writing so much on a single leaf. We hear of the head turning gray in a single night—the same change passes over the heart. Affection is the tyrant of a woman, and only bids her to the banquet to suspend a cutting sword over her head, which a word, a look, may call down to inflict the wound that strikes to the death, or heels but with a scar. Could we fling back the veil which nature and society alike draw over her feelings, how much of sorrow—unexpected because unexpressed—will be found! how many a young and beating heart would show disappointment graven on the inmost core! what a history of vain hopes, gentle endeavors, and anxieties and mortifications, laid bare! There is one phrase continually occurring in conversation—"O, a woman never marries the man to whom she was first attached." How often—how lightly is this said! how little thought given to the world of suffering it involves! Checked by circumstances—abandoned from necessity, the early attachment may depart with the early enthusiasm which youth brings, but leaves not."

TO PREVENT VERMIN IN POULTRY.

Scatter slacked lime on the perches and floors of the hen house, as often as once in ten days. It will effectually eradicate the lice and promote the health of the fowl.—*Cultivator.*

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je 5—1y.

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ANDERSON & HUTTON.
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WOOL! WOOL!!

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THE subscriber, grateful for past favors, informs his friends and the public generally, that he is now prepared to card wool, full cloth, or manufacure all kinds of woollen goods on reasonable terms. Having considerably increased his machinery and put it in the best order, he will now be able to do a great deal more work than usual, and will warrant it to be well done. The price for manufacturing will be as follows:—5-4 kerseys 26; 5-4 plain linseys 26; 5-4 striped 30; 10-4 kerseys 52; 3-4 fulled kerseys 32; 6-4 fulled linseys 64; 4-4 flannels 30. Other goods to correspond with the above.—The subscriber will attend for the purpose of receiving wool at—

Queen Anne all day on Tuesday, June 10,
Upper Marlboro' all day, June 17, and at
Nottingham on Tuesday, July 1.

Wool to card or manufacture will be received at all times by Messrs. Brashears & Brown, Good Luck; Thomas C. Duvall, Vansville; John W. Scott, Bladensburg; and Wells Chase, No. 6, South Howard street, Baltimore.

Wool will be received to manufacture by Jos. Stephens, Smithsville, Calvert county, and by Capt. Gardiner, Bristol, A. A. county, Md.

He keeps on hand a general assortment of Woollen Goods, which he will sell or exchange for wool on reasonable terms. He will also receive wool in payment for work at the market price. Six per cent. will be taken off all bills when the cash is paid on delivery of the goods; if not paid, notes will be required, bearing interest from date. The price for carding will be 5½ cents, for carding and greasing 7 cents cash, and 6½ and 8 cents credit.

THOMAS FAWCETT,
Colesville, Montgomery Co., Md.

The subscriber will pay a reasonable freight on Wool from Charles or Calvert county sent by boats to Nottingham, directed to Townshend & Co.

WOOL! WOOL!!

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He will attend at Good Luck on Monday, May 26, to receive wool or orders; at Upper Marlboro', Monday, June 2; at Queen Anne on Monday, July 7; and at Nottingham on Monday, July 14.

The following gentlemen will receive wool or orders for him:—

Georgetown, D. C., John H. King; Oglesville, Joshua T. Clarke; Upper Marlboro', Samuel B. Anderson; Laurel Factory, T. C. Miller; and the subscriber at the mill.

Letters addressed to him at Beltsville will be promptly attended to. For further particulars see handbills. WILLIAM HARPER.
may 29.

WOOL.

THE undersigned, after returning his sincere acknowledgments to his numerous friends for their continued confidence and support, respectfully informs the citizens of Charles county that he is prepared to manufacture considerably more than he has heretofore done, and confidently refers them to any of the gentlemen who have patronized his manufactures for years past for the quality of his various fabricks. The charge is moderate and uniformly the same Wool will be received and forwarded by Messrs. BELL & HODGES at any time until the 14th of July next.
June 28,* F. C. CLOPPER.

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NEGROES WANTED.

THE subscriber will give the highest CASH prices for Negroes of both sexes and of all ages. Persons having Negroes for sale will please call on me at J. H. BURROUGHS' HOTEL, in Port Tobacco. All communications will be promptly attended to. A. C. WHEELER,
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Editorial and Critical Department.

The editorial department will continue to embrace notes on current literature, and reviews of all new American or foreign works of general interest or value. The criticisms of Graham's Magazine are acknowledged in all parts of the country to be superior in acumen, honesty and independence to those of any cotemporaries. Great scope will be given to this department of the work, and topics on all subjects likely to attract attention will be fearlessly discussed.

Hints at Fashionable Life in Letters from abroad,

Written by F. J. Grund, Esq., Consul to Antwerp, who will also furnish us with the earliest literary intelligence, and short notices of new works, prior to their appearance here in the shape of reprints.—This will give Graham a position to adjust the value of foreign works, before the purchaser here has been duped by puffs paid for by interested publishers.

Hints on Sports and Pastimes.

We shall devote a chapter to sports and pastimes, from the pen of Frank Forester, each month, for the amusement of the gentlemen. The able sketches of Forester, in the New York Spirit of the Times, have rendered his name familiar with American sportsmen.

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GEORGE R. GRAHAM,
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WALDRON'S GRAIN [illegible]ADES.—A lot of very superior, from [illegible]2 inches, just received and for sale by
ANDERSON & HUTTON.
June 12.

BEWARE OF IMPOSITION.

IMPOSITION having been practised upon the public, by a spurious article bearing the name of "Judkins' Ointment," the proprietor, C. HERSTONS, recommends the following communication:

Some years back, Nathan Shepherd informed the public in the newspapers, that he was the original discoverer of Judkins' Ointment, and had taken out a new patent thereon in his own name; having in the first instance assigned as a reason for so doing, "that many persons would try to make it, and would not be able, and the ointment be propagated in this adulterated state, in some degree resembling the genuine ointment."—As complaints have been made repeatedly of this being the case, to the subscriber, who is still legally concerned, it is due to the public that they should be cautioned on this head. C. HERSTONS.

Here follows a few of the many instances disclosing the fact of a spurious article:—

Baltimore, October 23, 1844.

MR. C. HERSTONS—Last winter I received a small wound in one of my feet—it became necessary to apply something to heal it—I sent to a Druggist for a pot of Judkin's ointment, but unfortunately the article obtained was spurious. In using it my foot kept getting worse and worse, until I became incapable of attending to business—was confined to bed, and had to send for a Physician. I was seriously alarmed, such was the state I was in from the use of this ointment, and had I not got relief I might have been ruined. Fortunately, however, a friend called to see me and brought with him a pot of ointment which I find is prepared by you, now called Shepherd's Patent Specific ointment. On applying the first plaster an alteration in a few hours took place—the wound soon became in a state of amendment, and it effected a perfect cure. From delicacy, I forebear to mention the name of the Druggist from whom I bought the spuriour ointment, but think the public ought to be made acquainted with the fact. The one I deem very valuable, the other ought to be discountenanced. E. C. THOMAS,
Market street, west of Pine.

St. Mary's county, Md., June 21st, 1844.—Mr. C. HERSTONS—Sir, as proprietor of a very valuable article once called Judkins' Ointment, your name appears on the label of each pot of the ointment, guaranteeing its genuinness. Having often used the same in my family with the success so generally accredited to it; as a spurious article has been got in Baltimore and sold in our county, having the name and being somewhat like it in appearance, yet quite destitute of its healing qualities. I myself as well as others having been deceived thereby, an instance of its bad effects deserves some passing notice. I commenced using it on a sore; to my surprise it kept getting worse and worse, until I had to cease using it altogether. This article in its genuine state is so valuable that it ought not to be lost to the public.

Justice demands the above communication.
HARRISON POSEY.

Gentlemen—I was afflicted with a sore leg—the fame of Judkins' Ointment induced me to get a jug of it. I used it according to the directions; but it kept getting worse. Mr. Herstons travelling to the west stopped at my house; looking at the ointment he immediately *pronounced it not of his make* On opening it I was sensible of the difference, although it looked like it. I then applied the ointment he gave me to my leg; it became in a state of amendment on using the first plaster, and so continued until it got quite well. This ointment is certainly valuable; it would be a pity that it should be lost by a COUNTERFEIT article.
W. K. NEWMAN.
Cumberland, Allegany county, Md., May 31.

The following are a few recommendations of the genuine article:

Westminster, Carroll county, Md., February 19, 1844.—MR. HERSTONS—My son William, now in my store, received a bad cut in his forehead, laying it open near two inches, so that it fell down over his eyes. We were distressed at its appearance—we closed it with a few stitches, and I then applied the Patent Specific Ointment you make, and in a few days it was perfectly healed. A brother of mine received a severe wound by a sickle drawn through his hand in harvest—he said he should not be able to work any more during harvest—I advised the ointment—he at first objected, not believing in its efficacy; however, by permission he suffered me to apply it; to his astonishment, in three days it was quite healed, and, he was enabled to resume his exercises in the harvest field. Having received the ointment from yourself, and knowing its value in various instances for which it is recommended, I believe it to be worthy the attention of the public.
JESSE MANNING.

I have had frequent complaints, as well as writ[illegible] information on the subject which Mr. Harri[illegible] Posey here brings to view in St. Mary's county. This gentleman's word cannot be do[illegible] own name has been so long before th[illegible] in the former patent right as well as [illegible] that merchants will do themselves and [illegible]tomers some credit by getting the real [illegible] Baltimore from my agents. Rememb[illegible] is changed, and is now 'Shepherd's P[illegible] Ointment,' prepared as usual by
C. [illegible]

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It is also one of the b[illegible] Scalds. It eases the pai[illegible] a short time.

It is likewise good for Te[illegible] this complaint, the patient in [illegible] must keep the part out of wate[illegible]

He puts none out of a less pr[illegible]

☞None genuine without t[illegible] proprietor, C. HERSTONS.

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