Selected Poetry. Sunday Reading.

Hours for Heaven.

in a reverie; when my attention was at-

tracted to a little volume, on a marble.

slab. entitled "Hours for Heaven," which

had been presented to me by my kind and

faithful pastor, exactly ten years before;

when he thought my hours were num-

that time, your existence has been pro-

them have been spent in prayer and

praise ? How many in reading and me-

ditating upon God's Word ? How many

of the hours in which you were apparently

engaged in worshipping God, in his holy

temple, were really hours for heaven ?-

Did humility, faith, and repentance give

fervour to your supplications ? Did the

most adoring contemplation of the Divine

perfections, and the most lowly reverence,

characterize your devotions, when in the

more immediate presence of the High

and Lofty One before whom angels and

archangels veil their faces ? Did you lis-

ten to your duty with an honest heart in

order to practice it ? Have you carried

your religion into all the business of life ?

Has every transaction been characterized

by strict integrity instead of worldly poli-

cy? Has your heart, like that of the sera-

phim, burned with love to God and man :

and has the law of loving kindness ruled

in your heart, evincing its vitality in kind

benevolence ? Have you walked in your

own house with a perfect heart? Has

your conversation, in your social intercourse

manifested the spirit of the angelic song

you have united in singing, in the Sanc-

tuary, " peace, GOOD WILL towards men?"

Has your tongue never been sullied with

the venom of slander or vituperation, pro-

Pair'd not Match'd.

Of wedded bliss Bards sing amiss, I cannot make a song of it; For I am small. My wife is tall, And that's the short and long of it !

When we debate It is my fate To always have the wrong of it; For I am small And she is tall. And that's the short and long of it !

And when I speak, My voice is weak, But her's-she makes a gong of it; For I am small, And she is tall. And that's the short and long of it !

She has, in brief, Command-in-Chief, And I'm but Aide-de-camp of it; For I am small. And she is tall, And that's the short and long of it!

She gives to me The weakest tea, And takes the whole Shouchong of it For I am small. And she is tall, And that's the short and long of it !

She'll sometimes grip My buggy whip, And make me feel the thong of it ; For I am small, And she is tall, And that's the long and short of it !

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Against my life, She'll take a knife Or fork, and dart the prong of it; For I am small. And she is tall, And that's the short and long of it !

I sometimes think I'll take a drink And hector when I'm strong of it; For I am small, And she is tall. And that's the short and long of it !

O, if the bell, Would ring her knell. I'd make a gay ding dong of it; For I am small, And she is tall, And that's the short and long of it!

Too Many Lovers will Puzzle a Maid.

Young Susan had lovers so many, that Hardly knew on which to decide ; They all spoke sincerely, and promised to be All worthy of such a sweet bride. In the morning she'd gossip with William and then The noon would be spent with young Harry, The evening with Tom; so among all the men, She never could tell which to marry.

Heigh ho! I'm afraid Too many lovers will puzzle a maid.

Now William grew jealous and went away Harry got tired of wooing; And Tom having teased her to fix on the day. Received but a frown for so doing; So among all her lovers, quite left in the lurch.

She pined every night on her pillow,

the most probing and painful process of self-examination, and mental confession, I had ever undergone; and I hope the little book may yet answer the purpose intended From the Banner of the Cross. by the benevolent doner; and when days and hours, and time shall be no longer, and every one must give an account of While waiting the arrival of a friend, I himself to God, and every one shall be was sitting in a rocking chair, indulging

> the books are opened, may this kind little act be found recorded in the book of remembrances !

DO You Pray ?

bered, and death was standing at the door. IT IS MORNING. A dark and stormy ready to convey me to "that bourne from night has past. The winds have howled which no traveller returns." How deeply about your dwelling as though they would I then regretted that all my past hours tear it down. Many of your fellow beings had not been spent in a preparation for have been in great peril; and some are no heaven ! Every earthly object had then more in this world. What was a quiet lost its attraction; and I resolved, if my night of sleep to you, was to them the life were preserved, to redeem my missleep of death. You were resting on your spent time. I determined to renew my bed, on the great ocean they were thrown baptismal and confirmation vows, and to about. You see the light, are in health, be "Christ's faithful soldier and servant and the blessings of a kind Providence are until my life's end." When I opened this most bonntiful. God has watched over little book, all these thoughts and resoyou, and guarded you, and brought you lutions recurred to me, and I was startled to enter upon the privileges and duties of by the voice of conscience, saying, "since the day. Do you thank him for it ?

IT IS EVENING. The day has passed : longed 87,600 nours! How many of and, during it you have dashed on in your

work. You have been fed and clothed, and have had strength to meet its many engagements. No accident has befallen you-no loss to your property. You feel that you have done a good business. The hour of rest draws nigh. Will you sleep without thanking God for the blessings of the day, and asking him to keep you through the night? How hard must be your heart, and how stupid, if all God's mercies call forth no grateful remembrance! THE SABBATH HAS COME. The church bell is beginning to make its peals. The people are going to the house of God .---You are permitted to join them. You hear the prayers and praises of the sanctuary. The gospel too-its warnings and promises. You are edified and comforted,

perhaps. Do you pray, and praise, and thank God for all these privileges? YOU ARE IN HEALTH. A short time ince you were sick. You were confined to your bed. You could not see to any and gentle words, and disinterested acts of of your business. It was thought that you might not recover. Who raised you? Who has given you health and strength

and perfect gift. Do you thank him for it? Should you not esteem it a great privilege to do so ? Reader, you can live without prayer .-You can be unmindful of all your obliga-

ceeding from the latent and unsuspecting tions to God. You can neglect all the vienvy and malignity of your temper, protal duties of religion, and go through life ducing harsh and uncharitable judgments? as stupid as an ox. But what then ?-How often have you set at defiance the There is a God, and a heaven, and a hell. prohibition, "judge not, that you be not You are bound to the judgment, and must udged ? Were those hours for heaven answer for it all. You are most unwise which you wasted in the indulgence of to be irreligious. If you live without discontented, gloomy, and murmuring prayer, it will be a sad matter to settle in thoughts, and melancholy anticipations the end. Those who pray not, have no and misstrust of Providence; instead of grace, and no ground to hope. O! if you praising your Heavenly Father for all the have lived prayerless till now, do it no mercies bestowed upon his ungrateful child, more. Pray in the morning-pray in the

and " trusting his love for all to come ?" evening-pray upon the Sabbath-pray in Were those hours for heaven which you health-pray always with all prayer and wasted in observing the errors and faults | watch thereunto-pray without ceasing. of others, and investigating their motives It will do you good. It will fit you to

Wit and Bumpr.

Dick Dalley's Great Stump Speech.

Feller Citizens : This are a day for the population of Boonville, like a bobtailed pullet on a rickety her roost, to be lookin' udged for the deeds done in the body, and up! A crisis has arriven'-an' somethin's bust ! Where are we ? Here I is, and I'd expiate here from now till the day of synagogues if you'd whoop for Daily.

Feller Citizens : Jerusalem's to pay and we haint got no pitch. Our hyperbolical and majestic canal of creation has onshipped her rudder and the Captain's broke his neck, and the cook's div to the depths of the vasty deep, in search of dimuns !-Our whigwam's torn to pieces like a shirt on a bush fence, and cities of these here lattitudes is a vanishin' in a blue flame.-Are such things to be did ! I ask you in the name of the American Eagle, that whipped the shaggy headed Lion of Great Britain, and now sits roostin' on the magnetic telegraph, if sich doins is goin' to be conglomerated ? I repeat to you in the name of the peacock of liberty, when he's flew in o'er the cloud capt summits of the Rocky Mountains, if we are to be extem-

poraniously bigyogged in this fashion ? " Oh answer me !

Let me not bust in ignorance !"

As Shakapeel says. Shall we, be bamboozlified with such unmitigated audaciousness ? Methinks I hear you yelp-No sir, hossfly !" Then"lect me to Con gress and there'll be revolution shure. "Feller Citizens : If I was a standin' on the adamantine throne of Jupiter, and the lightnin' was a clashin around me, I'd continue to spout ! I've sprung a leak, and must howl like a bear with a sore head .-I'm full of the bilin' lather of Mt. Etna, an' I won't be quenched ! Flop together, jump into ranks and hear me through. Feller Citizens : You know me, and rip my lungs out with a mill grab if I don't stick to you like brick dust to a bar of soap. Where is my opponent ? No where ! I was brought up among you, feller citizens, and papped in a schoolhouse:

but he cant get me with his highfalutin' words. Hictum, strictum, abranto, catnip, Brazeel, Togloony, and Baffin's Bay !-What do you think o' that ?

"Go it porkey : root pig or die ! " as Shakapeel said when Casar stabbed again? From God cometh every good him in the House of Representatives.

Feller Citizens : 'Lect me to Congre and I'll abolish mad dogs, muskeeters an' bad cents, and go in for the annihilation of niggers, campmeetins and jails. I'll repudiate crows, end fustify henhocks, I'll bave barn raisins every day, Sunday excepted-and liquor enough to swim a skunk. Yes, feller citizens, 'lect me to Congress, and I'll be led to exclaim in the sublime, the terriffic language of Bonypart, when preechin' in the wilderness-'Richard's himself again !'

On, then, onward to the polls-" gallop apace, fiery footed steeds" and make the welkin tremble with anti-sparmodic yells for Daily. Cock your muskets, I'm com-

Hence ye Brutus, broadaxe and glorg. Let's licker.

MEDICINES & PERIODICALS Agricultural. LIVER COMPLAINT

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LINBS, &C., SUDDEN FLUSHES OF HEAT, BURN-

ING IN THE FLESH, CONSTANT IMAGININGS OF

CLEBRATED GERMAN

BITTERS.

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digestive organs, they are, withal, safe cer-

READ AND BE CONVINCED.

From the " Boston Bee.

The editor said, Dec. 22d,

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From The Soil of The South. Farm Regulations.

MR EDITOR : A little work has been recently issued from the press-Duties of Masters to Servants-published by the Southern Baptist Publication Society, at Charleston, S. C .- price, fifty-five centswhich will be of immense value to all masters, and particularly to the young, who are but now in their novitiate. The work is composed of three prize essays, which have received the sanction of an able committee. They are all excellent-the Mell ville Letters, by the Rev. C. F. Sturgis of Greensboro', Ala., being rather the fullest and best adapted to our use as agriculturists. These letters are written by a man unquestionably well versed in the matter. Having for many years car-FEVERS AND DULL PAIN IN THE HEAD, DEFICIEN ried out nearly, if not all his plans, I speak from experience. The many regard cooking all food for negroes, making up all their clothing, and giving long rests, to be lost time; they will reluctantly try the be effecutally erred by DR. HOFLAND'S plan; or if they do, it will be as is said of certain persons acting on the principle, "condemning with faint praise." I usually make my corn, meat, provender, &c., &c., and yet a crop of cotton, equal, if not larger than my neighbors average. I cultivate as much land and as well. I prefer a little more time be allowed at the nooning, especially at this season. Three hours i not too long. Never permitting any description of labor at nooning, except such as must be done to work animals-horses and mules-not even washing clothes-

half of every Saturday being allotted for this, the year round. My order to my overseer is, regular beds to be made up, and house swept out tain and pleasant. by daylight in the winter time, and brakast eaten before going to work. In the summer, beds made up, and houses swept Dr. Hofland's Celebrated German Bitters for the cure of Liver Complaint, Jaundice, out at noon. This the women can do whilst the men are feeding and currying Dyspepsia, Chronic or Nervous Debility, is their plow animals. Having fed negroes deservedly one of the most popular medifrom my own garden and had all food cines of the day. These Bitters have been used by thousands, and a friend at our elbow cooked by a woman delegated to this pnrpose, for twenty years, I can speak confisays he has himself received an effectual and dently as to the plan. I suppose my ne. use of this remedy. We are convinced that, in the use of these Bitters, the patient congroes may steal occasionally, but I know, from feeding thus for twenty years, that if half a pound of bacon was not enough, thy of great consideration. They are plea-sant in taste and smell, and can be used by that long before this time I would have discovered it. During these twenty years persons with the most delicate stomache I have overseed my own hands one half with safety, under any circumstances. the time myself, and speak entirely from "Scott's Weekly," one of the best Liter-ary papers published, said, Aug. 25: "Dr. Hofland's German Bitters, manufac-tured by Dr. Jackson, are now recommended personal experience. I hope your readers will purchase the work, believing that not one will regret the bargain.

"How to Popularize A Taste For Plant-

ing.' MR. EDITOR: I have thought August number of your paper too late, for the article on the summer culture of greenhouse plants, that we were speaking about. Will you permit me to suggest instead, "How to pupularize a Taste for Planting," from the last Horticulturistand also, if you have room, "Rhapsodie about Roses." They are both good, I think and much in accordance with your views; and tend to promote one of the objects of your journal.

I did not read until a few days since, in the June number, a very good, sensible ded to use it, and must say we found it spe-letter from Mr. Crowell, of S.C. I wish cific in its action upon diseases of the liver you had many such correspondents. There can be no doubt, that he who contributes to torming and diffusing a taste for home occupations, and home enjoyment, confers a far greater benefit on society, than he who furnishes the knowledge necessary to gaining wealth. The capacity to enjoy, is as from the stomach, liver, and nervous sysitself a blessing that the possession of gold alone does not give. Like many other ry diseases emanate. Have them in a healendowments of heart, and it is the result

thy condition, and you can bid defiance to of culture and habit. It is no less true

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDERI DYSPEPSIA. DR. J. S. HOUGHTON'S JAUNDICE, DYSPEPSIA, CHRONIC OR NERVOUS DEBILITY, DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS, THE STOMACH, NAUSEA, HEART-BURN, DISGUST FOR FOOD, FULLNESS, OR WEIGHT

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This is truly a wonderful remedy for indegestion, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Liver Com-plaint, Constipation and Debility, curing af-ter Nature's own agent, the Gastrie Juice.

Half a teaspoonful of Pepsin, infus-ed in water, will digest or desolve Five Pounds of Roast Beef, in about two hours, out of the stomach. Pepsin is the chief element, or Great Di-

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SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE.

Baron Liebig in his celebrated work on Animal Chemistry, says: "An artificial di-gestive fluid, analogous to the gastric juice, may be readily prepared from the mucous membrane of the stomach of the calf, in which various articles of food, as meat and eggs, will be softened changed and digested, just in the same manner as they would be in the human stomach."

Dr. Combe, in his valuable writings on the "Physiology of Digesti n," observes that "a permanent cure of Liver Complaint from the diminution of the due quantity of the gastric juice is a prominent and all prevailing cause of Dyspepsia; " and he states that " a distinguished Professor of Medicine in Lonstantly gains strength and vigor-a fact wordon, who was severely afflicted with this complaint, finding everything else to fail, had recourse to the gastric juice, obtained from the stomach of living animals, which proved We are speaking from experience, and to the to be perfectly successful,"

Dr. Graham, author of the famous works on "Vegetable Diet," says : "It is a remark-able fact in physiology, that the stomachs of animals, macerated in water, impart to the daid the momentum of direction fluid the property of dissolving various arti-cles of food, and of effecting a kind of artificial digestion of them in no wise different from the natural digestice process."

tured by Dr. Jackson, are now recommended by some of the most prominent mombers of the faculty as an article of much efficacy in cases of fomale weakness. As such is the case, we would advise all mothers to obtain a powe, and thus save themselves much sickness. Persons of debilitated constitu-sions will find these Bitters advantageous to their health, as we know from experiment tive circular, gratis, giving a large amount of scientific evidence, similar to the above, together with reports of remarkable cures, from all parts of the United States.

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rapid and wonderful, but permanent. It is a great nervous antidote, and particu-larly useful for tendency to bilious disorder, liver complaint, fever and ague, or badly treated fever and ague, and the evil effects of quinine, mercury, and other drugs upon the ligestive organs, after along sickness. so, for excess in eating, and the two frequent use of ardent spirits. It almost reconciles health with intemperance. OLD STOMACH COMPLAINTS. health with inte

There is no form of old stomach complaints es not seem to reach and remove at once. No matter how bad they may be-it gives instant relief ! A single dose removes all unpleasant symptoms; and, it only needs to be repeated for a short time to make these good effects permanent. Purity of body and vigor of blood follow at once. It is body and vigor of blood follow at once. It is particularly excellent in cases of nausea, vomiting, cramps, soreness of the pit of the stomach, distress after eating, low, cold state of the blood, heaviness, lowness of spirits, espondency, tendency to insanity, suicide, &c., &c. Dr. Houghton's Pepsin is sold by nearly all the dealers in fine drugs, and popular med icines throughout the United States. It is prepared in powder and fluid form, and in escription vials for the use of physicians. Private circulars for the use of physicians, may be obtained of Dr. Houghton or his a gents, describing the whole process of preparation, and giving the authorities upon which the claims of this new remedy are based. As it is not a secret remedy, no ob-jections against its use can be raised by phaicians in respectable standing and regular practice. Price one dollar per hottle. Observe this ! Every bottle of the genuine PEPSIN, bears the written signature of J S. Houghton, M. D., sole proprietor, Philadelphia, Pa., Copy-right and trade mark se AGENTS .- HAILE & TWITTY, Lancaster C. H.; W. A. Morrison & Co., Winnsboro ; Dr. F. Curtis, Columbia ; Dr. J. A. Reed, Chesserville ; P. M. Cohen, Charleston A VIGOROUS LIFE OR A PREMATURE Tills BOOK, JUST PUBLISHED, 18 filled with pacful information. filled with useful information, on the infirmities and discases of the human sys-tem. It addresses itself alike to Youth, Man-hood and Old Age-to all who apprehend or suffer under the dire consequences of early or prolonged indiscretions—to all who feel the exhaustive effects of baneful habits—to all who in addition to declining physical en-ergy, are the victims of nervoys and mental debility and of moping and melancholy des-pondency—to all such Dr. K. would say— READ THIS BOOK! The valuable advice and impressive was it gives will prevent years of misery and fering, and save annually thousands of A remittance of 25 cents, enclosed in a letter, addressed to Dr. Kinkelin, Phila-delphia, will ensure a book, under envelope. delphia, will ensure a book, under envelope, per return of mail.
Dr. K., 15 years resident Physician, N. W. corner of 3d and Union Street, between Spruce and Pine, Philadelphia, may be consulted confidentially.
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ence it exerts upon nervous prostration is really surprising. It calms and strengthens the nerves, bringing them into a state of repose, making sleep refreshing. "If this medicine was more generally used we are satisfied there would be less sickness

And meeting one day a pair going to church, Turned away, and died under a willow. Heigh ho! I'm afraid Too many lovers will puzzle a maid.

> FOR THE LEDGER. Reply to Kate.

You are very much mistaken dear Kate, In your somewhat vague allusion, That I should (sweetest damsel) of late, Arrive at such base conclusion.

And besides, you observe the thought is rash: To ponder well my decision ; The future could no brighter flash, Than with our nuptial collision.

My heart is warm as the noon-day sun. And yields to mild impression ; She who is neither bought nor sold has won. From me this earnest confession.

With you I'll welcome the proffered pleasure, I'll dream not of the cares of life, But with emotion grasp the priceless treasure, In you the person of my wife.

A deplorable case mine you suppose, And so must I dearest Kate; Nor ne'er shall I bask in such dread repose, Knowing that you and I may mate.

So we'll be happy in our modest rank, And joyfully rest contented ; But I'd much rather 'twould be briefly blank, Than with the children be tormented JASEN WANNA.

When a man looks a little pail, thoughts of kicking the bucket naturally suggest themselves.

If a shilling's worth of beef come to nine pence, what will a peck of apples come to? Answer: Eight pie pans and a stewing Interes

When you see a man on the downward. give him a kick. It shows that you are disposed to assist a neighbor in distress,

NOT NATURALIZED .- An Irishman be ng in shurch where the collection appambled election boxes, on its behanded to him, whispered in the Carrier's car that he was not naturalized and could not vote.

h would have been so much more profitably employed in self-examination, and analyzing your own actuating

principles? How have even your good works been debased by your pharisaic selfexaltation, and your depreciation of others

d how he could prove the existence of a God ? "Why." answered he. "by openwho were incomparably superior to youring my eyes. God is seen everywhere; self, in all the passive christian virtues and in the growth of the grass, and in the graces! Were those hours for heaven movements of stars, in the warbling of the

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lark, and in the thunders of heaven." which you spent in brooding over the unkindness, neglect, and slights of others, RECEIPT FOR A HAPPY HOME .- Six (which were often imaginary, and frehings, savs Hamilton, are requisite to cre quently unintentional ;) in embittering the ate a "happy home." Integrity must be feelings and prejudicing the minds of the architect, and tidiness the upholster. others against those you supposed inimical It must be warmed by affection and lightto you, and in cultivating reciprocal anied up with cheerfulness; and industry mosity ? How much more pleasantly you must be the ventilator, renewing the at would have passed your time in recountmosphere, and bring in fresh salubrity day ing the various little tokens of affection by day; while over all, as a protecting and respect you were constantly receiving: canopy and glory, nothing will suffice exand how much more profitably, in using cept the blessing of God. every means of conciliation, and praying

God to change their hearts, and to give them a right judgment !

How many hours have you lost in listlessness and inaction; how innumerable have been your sins of omission, for which there is no excuse, as you were taught from your earliest childhood, by precept and example, " he that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin!"

How many more hours have you spent in sensual indulgences, than in cultivating the spiritual affections ?

Is this the way you have adhered to your resolution of devoting every faculty to the service of your Creator ; of keeping or inconvenience, and without the risk of all His commandments, of admiring the doctrine of God your Saviour in all things ; of letting your light shine bef re men ; of the time the letter gets into the office, if being a witness for the truth of the gospel; of being a lively member of Christ's church, doing all those good works he appointed for you to walk in, with zeal and fidelity, with cheerfulness and gratitude; going on your way rejoicing in the means of grace stringent on the subject.

and the hope of glory i I was overwhelmed with the multiplicity and accuracy of these accusations, and felt the most poignant sorrow when I reflected how many of the 87,600 hours had been "time lost for sternity!" The lessons at home, whatever they may be entrance of my friend relieved me from taught at school.

"Mother, I would not be surprised Pour out your heart before our Susannah gets choked some day." "Why my son ? " A philosopher was once question-

"Because her beau twisted his arms around her neck, and if she had not kissed him to let her go, he would have strangled her the other night."

"My tail is ended," as the tadpole said when he turned into a bull frog.

10 We will never hope for real, pernanent improvement in agriculture, till the farmer becomes a reading man. This lone, reformation will follow, as a matter of course, and success, permanent and effectual, will follow as a consequence. Let every farmer, then, begin to read, to read rood books at home, and he will soon delight in the exercise, we were going to say musement.-New Era.

SELF-HOLDING SCREW-DRIVER .--- Jacob Post OFFICE ENVELOPES .- The post-W. Twitzer, of Basil, Fairfield Co., Ohio, route bill passed by Congress contains a has taken measures to scure a patent for provision authorizing the post office deself-holding screw-driver, which consists partment to cause envelopes to be made, in combining with the ordinary brace and bit stock, a self-holding screw-driver, with suitable water marks on the paper dentifying them as official, and with a for holding the screw firmly and securely printed stamp, for single or double postwhile the operator is driving or withdrawage with a suitable device. These enveing a screw. There are spring catchers lopes are to be sold at all the post offices. on it, which have jaws, into which the at the price of the stamps now sold-with screw is placed to be driven in. With the very small edition of the actual cost of pointed screw-nails it dispenses with the the envelopes. This will enable versons use of the gimblet entirely. It is certainto deposit their letters, pre-paid, in the ly very convenient to work it, like a bitpost offices, at all hours, without trouble stock.-Scientific American.

having double postage charged on a letter, by reason of the stamp slipping off, by burthen of the ensuing lines :

When we see it written write : But when we see it written wright, We know 'tis not written right ; For write, to have it written rite, Must not be written right nor wright, Nor yet should it be written rite. But WRITE-for so 'tis written right.

One thousand tons of tobacco are annually squirted over the face of creation, and twen ty tons of ivory are worn out chewing the weed every seven years.

that a love of gardening, horticulture, and many others domestic avocations, do furnish unceasing sources of pleasure, healthful, simple, safe pleasure, and perfectly within reach of all-the *small* establishment being quite as interesting to the poor, as the large is to the rich.

There are heaps of trash and rubbish around the yards, and even doors, of many dwellings, (offensive to the eye and un-wholesome to the neighborhood) that esome to the neighborhood,) that would speedily vanish. and give place to cleanliness and beauty, if their owners could learn to love pleasures, or to desire to have nice lettuce and radishes on their tables in early spring. Nothing is more conducive to health than the out-door exercise acquired in such culture. Those in humble circumstances think they have no time for such work, but it would be much better for even them to spend some time each day working in their yard and garden, than expose themselves to the loss of much more by confinement, from diseas-es produced by inaction, or sitting all day sewing, as very many do. Physical heal th being essential to mental, it is easy to perceive how this seemingly small matter wells into importance-assuming almost religious aspect. Healthy minds are ndispensible to forming perfect characters. Disease makes more than half the unami

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