

Poetry.

Forty.

With many a careless, joyous bound,
With many a weary, tread-mill round,
O'er smooth-spread turf or dangerous ground...

From feet that slipped to sober tread-
From mind with foolish fancies fed,
To sounder judgment, wiser head...

Through visions which had real seemed-
Through visions wilder than I dreamed;
Through shadows where the silver gleamed...

Now let me count my treasures o'er:
What have I won or lost? Far more
Have lost than gained. Such boundless store...

Somewhat have learned, and much unlearned
Some good received, much more have spurned.
And much that might have been discerned...

I've reached the summit of the race,
And would move on with slower pace:
But forty has no breaking place...

I view the path I've wandered on,
Where forty years have come and gone,
And much of faith and hope lies on...

Literature.

A MADMAN'S STORY.

This cell has not always been my abode.
I once laughed and leapt beneath the
blue dome of heaven. I revelled with...

I have lost the reckoning of days and
months, and years. It seems a century
since they first confined me here...

They have granted me, for their own
purposes undoubtedly, the use of pen
and paper, and the resident surgeon...

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tion...

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moving the cause.

Investigations in Germany show that
the average life of well-to-do persons is
fifty years, while that of the poor people
is only thirty-two.

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coloring as the Diamond Dyes. For car-
pet rugs, better and cheaper than any
other dye-stuffs.

My affairs now took a better turn.
Touched by my misfortunes, some of my
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and connections, a subscription to get a
passage to America...

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great fault, there is no redemption for
him; I persisted in clinging to the soil
that gave me birth.

From this epoch I was a marked man.
Good conduct would avail me nothing. I
had no further right to character.

I might—I might—I feel it here in my
heart of hearts, I know that my nature
was not destitute of good.

I remember that when evil thoughts
assailed me, that an influence
begotten of my old studies, sought to
me back.

When I had consented to exile, that
I had planted my foot in swampy
savannah, that I had scorched myself
to fever beneath the fiery sky of the torrid
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