## Poetry. A Parent's Prayer.

### BY REV. L. WITHINGTON.

The following lines were published a few years since. The aricle is one of uncommon beauty and excellence, and will find a ready and warm response from every Christian parent :---

At this hushed hour, when all my children sleep. Here in thy presence, gracious God, I kneel, And while the tears of gratitude I weep,

Would pour the prayer which gratitude must feel. Parental love! O set thy holy seal On those soft hearts, which thou to me has sent,

Repel temptation, guard their better weal, Be thy pure Spirit to their frailty lent, And lead them in the path their infant Saviour went.

I ask not for them eminence or wealth, For these, in Wisdom's view, are trifling toys ; But occupation, competence and health, Thy love, thy presence, and the lasting joys' That flow therefrom ; the passion which employs The breasts of holy men, and thus to be From all that taints, or darkens, or destroys The strength of principle, forever free :---This is the better boon, O God, I ask of thee.

This world, I know, is but a narrow bridge, And treacherous waters roar and foam below ; With feeble feet we walk the wooden ridge, Which creaks and shakes beneath us as we go. Some fall by accident, and thousands throw Their bodies headlong in the hungry stream ; Some sink by secret means and never know The hand which struck them in their transient

dream, Till wisdom wakes in death, and in despair they scream.

If these soft feet, which now these feathers press Are doom'd the paths of ruin soon to tread, If vice, conc aled in her unspotted dress, Is soon to turn to her polluted bed-If thy foreseeing eye discerns a thread Of sable guilt, impelling on their doom. O spare them not, - in mercy strike them dead, Prepare for them an early welcome tomb. Nor for eternal blight, let my fa se blossom bloom.

But if some useful path before them lie, Where they may walk obedient to thy laws, Though never basking in ambition's eye, And pamper'd never with the world's applause, Active, yet humble, virtuous too, the cause Of virtue in the dwellings where they dwell. Still fo lowing where thy perfect Spirit draws, Releasing others from the bands of hell,-If this be life, then let them longer live, 'tis well.

And teach me, Power Supreme, in their green days,

With meekest skill thy lessons to impart; To shun the harlot, and to show the maze Through which her honied accents reach the heart; Help them to learn, without the bitter smart Of sad experience vices to decline; From treachery, falsehood, knavery may they start As from a hidden snake, from women, wine, From all the guilty scenes with which such scenes combine.

How soft they sleep; what innocent repose Rests on their eyes, from older sorrows free ! Sweet babes. the curtain I would not unclose, Which wraps the future from your minds and me. But, heavenly Father, leaving them with thee,-Whether or high or low may be their lot, Or early death, or life await them,-be Their Guardian, Saviour, Guide, and bless the

Where they shall live or die; till death, forsake them not.

Though persecution's arches o'er them spread, Or sicknes undermine, consuming slow, I hough they should lead the life th

body. -should you not like to go and see it? Would ragged elementary school-books, with the good practice, as the best physician in the you not think it unkind if you were forbidden necessary annual almanac. It was in this neighborhood; Thomas the eldest, was the to visit it? The creation is a museum, all state of affairs that an intelligent neighbour, farmer, and looked up to as an oracle in all full and crowded with wonders, and beauties, who had turned his attention from a city bu agricultural matters, and had exerted a happy and glories. One door, and one only is open, siness to farming, with the view of recruiting influence in raising the characters of all the by which you can enter this magnificent tem- his health, became acquainted with Mr. Bur. farmers around him; and Robert, the second ple. It is the door of knowledge. The learn- rit, and deeply interested in his family. The son,-what was he ? It is the Sabbath ; many

ed laborer, the learned peasant, or slave, is ever made welcome at this door, while the ignorant, though kings, are shut out.

#### Don't scold me.

" Don't, Tommy-don't do that. You know it makes mother's head ache."

"Does it make your head ache, mother? asked the child, curiously. and with a pitying tone in his voice, as he came creeping up to his mother's side, and looking at her as if in doubt whether he would be repulsed or not.

"Sometimes it does, my son," replied Mrs Lyon, kindly ; " and it is always unpleasant. Won't you try to play without making so much noise?"

"Yes, mother, I'll try," answered the little f sllow, cheerfully. But I'll forget sometimes.'

He looked earnestly at his mother, as if something more was in his thoughts."

"Well, dear, what else ?" said she encouragingly.

"When I forget you'll tell me, won't you?" "Yes, love."

"And then I'll stop. But don't scold me, mother, for then I can't stop."

Mrs. Lyon's heart was touched. She caught her breath, and bent her head down, to conceal its expression, until it rested on the silken hair of the child.

"Be a good boy, Tommy, and mother will never scold you any more," she murmured gently in his ears.

His arms stole upwards, and as they were twined closely about her neck, he pressed his lips tightly against her check-thus sealing his part of the contract with a kiss.

How sweet to the mother's taste were these first fruits of self-control. In the effort to govern herself, what a power had she acquir. ed. In stilling the tempest of passion in her own bosom, she had poured the oil of peace over the storm-fretted hearts of her children. Only first truits were these. In all her after days did that mother strive with herself, ere she entered into a contest with the inherited evils of her children; and just so far as she was able to overcome evil in herself, was she able to overcome evil in them. Often, very often, did she fall back into the old states ; and often, very often was self-resistance only a light effort; but the feeble influence for good that flowed from her words or actions whenever this was so, warned her of error, and it be said, that she had an abundant reward?

A TESTIMONY WORTH REMEMBERING.

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Agriculture.

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seen in the world, is a little mind in a great were to go through the dull, plodding life of ter our narrative begins, he spent a week or those who had preceded them ; and although two with his old friends. How did he find Suppose there was a museum in your neigh- the farmer had a good family Bible and things then? Changed, most agreeably changborhood, full of rare and splendid curiosities Psalm-book, his library consisted of some few ed. James, the third son, was obtaining a

confidence he inspired, and the kindly feel. vehicles are on the road that leads to the stone ings he manifested, made him a welcome vi- church; the house becomes crowded. In

from cultivating their mental faculties and him when a little boy. Although with some moral powers. Although he found farmer signs of timidity, he commenced the service, Burrit and his wife rather dull scholars, who and before he had closed, there was many a with gifficulty could look beyond the narrow moist eye in that assembly. He had spoken sphere in which they themselves had been to them in an earnest, affectionate, and imeducated, he was nevertheless encouraged to pressive manner-one of the most promising give them line upon line and precept upon young ministers of the day. Elder Burrit, precept. Taking advantage of what he sup. for so he was now officially designated, and posed a favourable opportunity, he engaged his kind-hearted wife, were almost overcome

the farmer. "Neighbor Burrit. I was thinking to-day that you were one of our most substantial and thriving farmers."

"Thank you; I and pretty well to do in the world, but it is because I work my way. I have no idle folks about me."

able in you; but you will excuse me if I say ness, look in upon our minds and changed I have felt some surprise that you have not hearts, and you will get the answer."-Presall the implements which a good farmer byterian. should have."

"Haven't I, though? I guess if you will look about, you'll find I have all I need."

"Well, I have been looking about, and I have not found half-a-dozen good books in the house."

"Oh! that's it; and what do I want with books? What's the use of them? I guess they can't teach me farming. Your book farmers aren't worth much-always trying something new, and coming out with short crops."

"Ah! but, friend Bursit, books teach many good and useful things besides farming; and to tell you the truth, I really think they would be very useful to your children, whom I know you love, and would like to see a little more intelligent than their neighbors'. Now, if you would spend fifty dollars in good books, will make such a selection as I am sure would be instructive to your children."

"Whew! fifty dollars laid out in books Why, you must be joking !"

"No, I am not; I never was more serious in my life. My only motive for suggesting it ther Belting, Lacing Leather; amongst the Stock of is, the interest I feel in your family; and I will promise you that if at the end of six years you repent of the purchase, I will re-fund the fifty dollars, with full interest for the Pit and Hand Saw Shoe and Horse Rasps, prompted a more vigorous self-control? Need fund the fifty dollars, with full interest for the whole time.'

Farmer Burrit looked puzzled. He respected his neighbour; he knew him to be a 1068 Hand Haws; 369 Tenon and Compass Saws; A little girl, in one of our families, died good friend, and although he thought the sugvery suddenly lately, just as her beauty of gestion a foolish one, yet he was touched at vices, Anvila, Bellows, Stacks and Dies, with all vices, Anvila, Bellows, Stacks and Dies, with all descriptions of Tools, of the best makers. veloped into maturity. Those who knew most After a silence of 'some minutes, as if he Linked Chain, Chain Traces, Halter and Cattle Chains, Manua Forks, Hay Forks, Hay Forks, Irish and Garden Spades.

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sitor, and gave him no small influence. In the front pew sits an anxious family--it is the the course of many conversations, he threw Burrits; the cause is soon apparent-Robert out occasional hints about the proper training is to preach for the first time in the old church, of children, and the advantages resulting and in the presence of many a one who knew

one day in the following conversation with with emotion, as many a strong hand grasped tlours, accompanied by hearty congratulations. Next day, the city friend smilingly inquir-

ed of farmer Burrit why he had not called on him for the fifty dollars with interest in full ? With a tearful eye, and a strong grasp of the hand, he said, "Look at these sons, look at these sons, look at these daughters, look at "True, friend Burrit ; and it is commend. the old couple, look at my prosperous busi-

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that cannot possibly be reached by any other medicine. Here is a case of ASTHMA CURED. Saint John, and the Public generally through the Pro-BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 20th., 1853. For about eight years I have been severly afflicted vinces, that he has opened a new Marble Cutting Es-tablishment, in the second house East of the GOLDEN with the Asthma; for the last two years I have suffer-ed beyond all my powers of description; months at a time I have not been able to sleep in a bed, getting what rest I could sitting in my chair. My difficulty of BALL, in Union Street, where he is prepared to execute Monuments, Tomb Tables, Head Stones; Centre Tables, &c., in a workmanlike style. A superior Mechanic has been employed to assist in the Ornamental Work. The work produced in this Establishment will Work. The work produced in this Establishment will not be inferior to that of any other shop in this city. The Subscriber would therefore solicit a continuance

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Hear the Brooklyn Daily Advertiser, of June 13th : We cheerfully comply with the request of a friend to insert the following letter, which we are assured is from a lady of the first respectability, residing in Lowell Mass.

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led. 4. And his deep poverty be doomed to know, Whatever thou shalt order, let them go; I give them up to the, they are not mine.

And I could call the swiftest winds to blow, To bear them from me, to the pole or line, In distant lands to plant the gospel's bleeding

shrine.

When as the scroll these heavens shall pass away.

When the cold grave shall offer up its trust, When seas shall burn, and the last dreadful day Restores the spirit to its scatter'd dust,

Then, thou most merciful, as we'l as just, Let not my eye, when elements are tossed In wild confusion, see that darkest, worst

Of painful sights, that ever parent crossed-Hear my sad, earnest prayer, and let not mine be lost.



### Counsels to Children.

You were made to be clean and neat in your person and in your dress, and gentlemanly and ladylike in your manners. If you have not been bitten by a mad dog, don't be afraid of fresh water. There is enough water in the world to keep every body clean; but there is a great deal of it never finds its right place. In regard to this article t' ere is no danger of being selfish. Take as much as you need. The people of the West boast of their great rivers-I would rather they would boast of using a large tub-full of their water every day.

Contract no such filtby and offensive habit as chewing and smoking tobacco. So long as a man smokes, though a very Chesterfield in everthing else that pertains to his appearance, he cannot be quite a gentleman. And let me repeat it, you were made to be neat. While cotton cloth can be had for six cents a yard, there is no excuse for not having a pocket handkerchief.

You were made to be kind and generous and magnanimous. If there is a boy in the school that has a club foot, don't let him know that you ever saw it. If there is a poor boy with ragged clothes, don't talk about rags when he is in hearing. If there is a lame boy, assign him some part of the game which does not require running. If there is a hungry one give him a part of your dinner. If there is a dull one help him to get lessons. If there is a bright one, be not envious of him; for if one boy is proud of his talents, and another is envious of them, there are two great wrongs, and no more talents than before. If a larger or stronger boy has injured you, and is sorry for it, forgive him and request the teacher not to punish him. All the school will show by their countenances how much better it is to have a great soul than a great fist.

You were made to learn. Be sure you learn something every day. When you go to bed at night, if you cannot think of something new which you have learned during the day, spring up and find a book, and get an idea before you sleep. If you were to stop eating, would not your bodies pine and famish? If you just stop learning, your minds will pine and famish too. You all desire that your bodies should thrive and grow, until you become as tall and large as your fathers or mothers, or other

forming her character for a useful and happy well, I will think of it." life; but the event has shown, as they are now

A day or two afterwards, the same friend permitted to interpret her brief history, that God was preparing her for an early and blested time to return to the conversation, the farmer distribution of BRASS GOODE, immortality. An indicated testimony to the character of

and out of respect to you, here are the fifty merous for advertisement, but all such as are usually that little girl, and to the grace of God in her. dollars for the books ; it's a foolish affair, and has been reported to us since her death; and so suggestive is it, that we cannot but think I wouldn't like to have it get abroad ; but" it worth repeating. Some time ago, she had added he, laughing, "I'll hold you to your been making a visit of a few weeks in a family promise of paying principal and interest at where she had resided from her fourth year till the end of six years. I can't lose much by she was six years old, and where the intimacy the investment." and affection between her and two or three

His friend took the money with great pleacousins not far from her own age was like the sure, and he saw that a new light was about intimacy and mutual love of sisters. 'Mother, to dawn on farmer Burrit's household. The ments in the Art, he is now prepared to furnish true said one of those little friends, after ste had gone home, "I wish I ---- might stay with us books were purchas d. Besides some good always, because it is so much easier to be good religious books, including several biographies, when she is here." Never did one loving he had selected a choice volume or two on child utter in behalf of another a more beautiful agriculture and gardening, several on general agriculture and gardening, several on general testimony, one more descriptive of the reality. history and natural history, a few good books TYPES, an inventian just discovered of first taking of travels, and various other books. some to Daguerreotypes on Glass, and then transferring them It was even so. The presence of that little girl, with her intelligent, gentle, affectonate entertain and others to awaken thought. In countenance, -- with her voice so sweetly musical in every tone and cadence, --with so winning a gracefulness in every motion --- and with her little case, and the kind friend, already fami-of t ity and Country residences, copy Daguerreotypes and take Portraits from life with the unerring hand entire character of self-forgetting kindness. liar with the children, now carefully showed cheerful diligence, unaffected seriousness, and them how books were to be used, enticed The public are respectfully invited to call at the universal conscientiousness, continually exthem to read, and even made them promise hibiting itself in every natural and unconto spend some of their leisure time In finding sciousness, continually exhibiting itself in every out what the books contained. After some natural and unconscious manifestation, ---was a help to all well-doing and to all right feeling. difficulty, he got things into a right train ; both There was not one in the family that was not boys and girls began to be interested. in some degree affected consciously or uncon-

We pass over two years, the seed had been sciously, by the influence of her pure and lovsown, was there any prospect of a harvest? ing heart. Her teacher in the Sabbath school No one can pass Mr. Burrit's farm without perceiving some improvement. The exterthe whole class was the better for her presence. -the more attentive because of her attention. hal aspect of the old homestead has a more -the more teachable because of her intelligent cheerful and comfortable appearance. Inand serious docility. Endowed as she was stead of the straggling and unsightly objects with a discretion and intelligence beyond her which used to be seen around the house, everything has a tidy look. The grass is growing, the flowering shrubbery creeps up her young companions her presence was felt the walls and adorns the pathway, the vegenot as a restraint, but as a gentle and kindly influence, prompting and helping every one to table garden is in better taste, the ornamental do the right thing, and to do it without an accompanies the useful, and gives evidence that the youngsters of the family have been studying the books on gardening. A glance have been induced to rent the shop occupied by them during the past year. MOBRISON & CO. We wonder if all our little readers could inside shows a better regulated family, and more obedient and well-dressed children. Farmer Burrit acknowledges that Thomas, his oldest boy, has got something out of his books which has saved labour and improved Farmer Burrit and his Library. his crops.

Farmer Burrit was a plain, honest Penn-Other years pass, and the improvement is sylvania husbandman, who had been brought still more visible. Mr. Burrit, rather ashamup very much, as his father and grandfather ed of his deficiencies, has been reading, and, had been before him-that is, with just know- marvellous to tell, has spent an additional fifledge enough to make him a respectable tiller ty dollars in books. His conversation has of the soil. For several winters when farm become more intelligent. He knows somewore was slack, he had been sent to a coun- thing besides farming, and his whole manner try school, and having some aptitude, he has undergone a favorable change. The re-learned to read and write tolerably well, and ligious books have accomplished their mislearned to read and write tolerably well, and to cast up simple accounts. There his liter-ary education ended, and henceforth his en-ergies were devoted to that kind of labour which is so necessary to make a practical farmer. On the death of his thrifty father, he entered into possession of a large and and the farmer has abandoned his prejudices industry. The farm prospers more than ever, and the farmer has abandoned his prejudices good farm, and in due time married. At the against the various improvements, in agricul-time to which we now refer, he had six chil-tural implements, and has obtained a good indren, all young, who had come into the world alternately boys and girls, and their father chemistry. Mrs. Burrit has become proud of Summer HATS.—The subscribers have just re anternatery boys and girls, and their father never dreamed of their being brought up in any other way than he and his ancestors had been. Each one was destined to receive a little schooling, and to do a good deal of work, suited to their duties, so anxious to excel. Way 16.

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IMPERIAL BUILDINGS, Prince William Street.-MORRISON & CO., Importers only for Wholesale, have received their usual extonsive and valuable stock of Spring and Summer Goods. 79 packakes per R. M. Steamers Asia, Africa, and

America, and Adelaide and Eastern City. 23 packages per Packet ship Middleton. do. John Barbour,

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All of which are now offered to the Trade, on Terms decidedly favorable. IT In order to give increases facilities to Messrs. J.

B.-Entrance to wholesale Establishment as usual. June 6.

### MAY, 1855.

EW GOODS .- NORTH AMERICAN CLOTHING NEW GOODS,-NORTH AMERICAN STORE.-SEARS' BRICK BUILDING, North

Side of King Street.—Wholesale & Retail Clothing and General Out-Fitting Establishment. R. HUNTER, having completed his Spring Impor-tations, respectfully solicits a call from intending pur-chasers—previous to their buying elsewhere—feeling confident that on examination his Stock will prove to be superior and the prices much lower than similar Goods can be had at any other Establishment in the

No second price-all goods marked in Plu

he Subscriber would therefore solicit a continuance of that patronage which was so liberally bestowed on his account, previous to the dissolution of the Firm of M'Kim & Clear. Work and Stock warranted. Ten per cent discount for Cash. F. W. CLEAR. April 4.

OR SALE .- A Lot of Land containing three hundred Acres, in the Parish of Sussex, lying on the North end of the Emigrant lots, on the North side of the Shoepedy road, being a part of the estate of the late George Brown, Esq., of Saint Martins. Apply to Thomas Brown, Saint John, or to John M. Bradshaw, St. Martins,

April 18. 3m.p

DICH'S IMPROVED PATENT SALA-MANDERS .- Warranted free from dampness as well as Fire Proof-manufactured by STEARNS & MARVIN, New York. The Subscriber has just received a further consignment of eight of the above celebrated Safes and two

Money Boxes, and desires to call the attention of best Safes now known and that the number now in use of public companies and individuals being over Eight Thousand, is alone a satisfactory proof of their worth. Those who doubt this statement can be satisfied by perusing the Book issued by the makers containing the names of purchasers in the principal cities, as well as the voluntary statement in Hunt's Merwhich are true statements and no puffs, May 9 W. H. ADAMS. Agent

RANKLINS AND STOVES .-- The Subscriber has on hand at his Stove Establishment, in

Water street-A large and very excellent assortment of all kinds of Ntoves, Franklins and Grates, suitable for Halls, Drawing Rooms, Dining Rooms, and Bed Rooms, which he is sure cannot be excelled this side of Boston

Also,-An almost endless variety of Cooking Stoves from £2 12s. 6d. to £13. April 18. E. STEPHEN.

CHIMNEY PIECES .-- Cast Iron Mirror Chim-O ney Pieces, a very beautiful and durable article, to be had at the Subscriber's Stove Ware Rooms, in Water Street; and a choice selection of Parlor Grates

with Summer piece Registers to match. April 18. E. STEPHEN. VOTICE-To Lumbermen, Merchants, and

others.—A Co-partnership, under the name and style of Jacob R. Pidgeon & Co., would take this op portunity to inform the Lumbermen, Merchants, and others, that we are prepared to take in charge, survey and deliver all Lumber that may be placed in our hands for that purpose, and by unremitting attention we hope to merit a share of public patronage. JACOB R. PIDGEON.

小胡針 April 18. SHUBAL S. CARVILL FLOUR AND MEAL .-- 100 brls. Extra Canada

FLOUR; 100 do. Kiln Dried Corn Meal. To arrive per schr. Liverpool, from New York-for sale by. June 13.

D. & J. LEAVITT.

**R**ECEIVED.—Per brig "Bloomer," from New-York, at the North American Clothing store, Sears' Brick Building, North Side King Street. A large lot of *Goodyear's* warranted Patent India Rub-ber Coats, Capes. Leggins, Sou'-Westers, and Gloves which will be sold Wholesale or Retail at unusually ow prices.

R. HUNTER.

DRUGS, Medicines, and Perfumery.-The Subscriber has received by the ship Achilles from London, a fresh supply of Drugs, Medicines, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, &c. Lazenby's superior Pickles and Sauces. Scotch Orange Magnide

orceste shire Sauce, Essence Oysters, &c.

Hollowsy's Fills and Ointment. Hair, Cloth, Tooth, and Nail Brusher Cleaver's celebrated Honey Soap.

May

Cleaver's celebrated Honey Soap. Hannay's Rondeletir. Brandram's No. 1 White Lead. Black, Blue, Green, and Yellow Paints. Red and Yellow Ochres: Venetian Red: Red Lead. Glue; Lamp Black, &c. &c. Raw and Boiled Lin-seed Oils —For sale on reasonable terms by THOMAS M. REED June 13. Corner North Wharf and Dock-st.

CLOSING Business at Granite Hall, No. 1, Dock Street.—The whole Stock of CLOTHING will be sold off at Retail, at cost prices, and will be continued, until the whole stock is disposed of. TP Parties will now have the opportunity of a choice of Superior Clothing, at an Immense Sac-

rifice !

As the whole must and will be cleared, June 6. THOS. R. JONES.

COUSTIC Instruments .- No Excuse for Dea A ness.—The subscribers have just received a varied assortment of the above, suited to assist the patient and imperceptibly disguise the defect of deafness, in a manner strictly in accordance to the science of Acoustics. (June 13.) [FRLLOWS & CO.

bated physicians, but have received no permanent benefit, and but little relief. I at length had the good fortune to procure Dr, Curtis's Hygeana or Inhaling Hygean Vapor, and Chrery Syrup. At the time I first obtained it, I was suffering under one of my most vio-lent attacks, and was in great distress, almost sufficat-ing for want of breath. In less than ten minuites from the time Iapplied the inhaler to my stomach, and took a teaspoon full of the Cherry Syrup I was reliev-ed in a great measure from the difficulty of breathing.

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took a teaspoon full of the Cherry Syrup I was reliev-ed in a great measure from the difficulty of breathing, and had a comfortable night. Leave since continued it with the greatest possible benefit, and am now com-paratively well. God only knows the amount of suffer-ing this medicine has relieved mc from. My advice to the suffering is—TRY Tr. MARGARET EASTON. CONSUMPTION CURED.—NEW YORK, DEC. 71td 1853—Learne to New York, DEC. 71td

COASUMPTION CORED.—New York, DEC. 27td 1853.—I came to New York in the ship Telegraph my native place is St. John, New Brunswick, when I reached the city, my health was very poor, had a very bad cough, raised a good deal of matter, which was frequently mixed with blood, bad pain in my left side, and was very weak and emaciated. My friends and physician processing and emaciated and the second those requiring Safes, to the fact of their being the and physician pronounced my case consumption, and beyond the reach of medicine. I accidentally heard of Dr. Curtis's Hygeana, or Inhaling Hygean Va-por and Cherry Syrup, and obtained a package, which I verily believe was the means of saving my life. Soon after wearing the Inhaler, I found it relieved the pressure on my lungs, and after a while the dis ase made its appearance upon the Inhaler. I took chants' Magazine; the trial by fire in the furnace of a steamboat at New Orleans; the fire at Montreal, &c. my cough gradually growing better until it entirely left me, and I now consider myself cured. I still wear the Inhaler, as the use of it is rather pleasant, and believing it strengthening and purifying to the lungs, I feel unwilling at present to dispense with it. JOHN WOOD

BROUGHT HOME TO THE DOOR OF THE MILLION Hundreds of CASES of CURES like the following might be named. One Package of Hygeana has cured me of the ASTHMA of six years standing .- Jas. F Keeberry,

P. M. of Duncannon, Pa. I am cured of the ASTHMA of 10 years standing by Dr. Curtis' Hygeana.-Margaret Easton, Brooklyn, N.Y. Mrs. Paul of No. 5 Mammond St., New-York, was cured of Bronchitis by the Hygeana.

My sister has been cured of a DISTRESSING COUGH of several years standing, and decided to be incurable by her physicians. She was was cured in one month by the Hygeana.-J. H. Gaubert, P. M., Richmond, Me N. B.-Dr. Curtis' Hygeana is the Original and only Genuine Article, all others are base imitations or vile and injurious counterfeits. Shun them as you would Poison.

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which we call particular attention. Our prices are exceedingly low, and as most of our goods are manufactured under our own immediate in-spection, we trust that we shall be able to continue to meet with public approval. Thats and Caps made to order. C. D. EVERETT & SON. May 16. North Aide King-street.

POTICHOMANIE, or the new art of converting) Glass into Ornamental Porcelain. POTTER & Co. begs to notify the Ladies of Saint

ahn, that they are now opening at their shop in Ger-ain street an assortment of Vases, Flower Stands, asins, Jars and Plates, with all the colors and mate-als requisite for practising this beautiful art, which now attracting so much attention in London and artis

large as your fathers or mothers, or other people. You would not like to stop growing where you are now—at three feet high, or four feet, or even at five. But if you do not feed your minds as well as your bodies, they will stop growing; and one of tup poorest, meanest, most despicable things I have ever Printed Instructions furnished gratis, and sp hown at the shop in Germain-st. M lve years af- Sussex, November 10, 1854. La - all internet of Bland and TISHER CARAL Sharpy Hen willing Mar 12 alph Commons 2 el 30 A.

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