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The main building is three stories high, standing back from the street about one hundred feet, with a semicircular grass plot in front, and contains thirty to forty rooms. The grounds around the house are tastefully laid out with walks and planted with trees, shrubs, &c. On the left of the entrance to these grounds is a cottage containing four rooms, used by male patients as a bathing house, with every convenience for "packing," bathing, &c.; on the right of the entrance, about two hundred feet distant, stands a similar cottage, used by the ladies for similar purposes.

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Offices: St. Charles Hotel Building, New Orleans, and 19 Wall street, New York. mar 24—tf

NEW YORK JOURNAL OF MEDICINE and the Collateral Sciences for March, 1851.—The March number of this well established journal is now before the public, containing original communications from the following talented writers of the Medical Profession: W. H. Van Buren, M. D., case of ovarian tumor, in which death resulted from entero-peritonitis arising from a novel cause, illustrated by a plate: remarks on tetanus, by Ezra P. Bennet, M. D., of Connecticut; rupture of bladder, by J. Kneeland, M. D.; reports of hospital cases, by F. D. Lente, M. D., and others of much interest by Drs. Sweat, Church, and Star.

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Persons residing out of the city, by enclosing in a letter the sum they wish forwarded, with the plainly written direction to whom and where it is to be paid, will have the same remitted.

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The Society keeps an office at No. 22 Spruce street, to which Emigrants can apply to obtain situations for which they are fitted.

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mar 24—

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Inventors and Manufacturers of the Ethiopian and Fire-proof Paint, Wilmington, Clinton co., Ohio.

W. MYERS, No. 319 Main street, near 8th, Cincinnati, Ohio, to whom all orders must be addressed.

The superiority of this paint over all other, for carriage, house, and ship painting, will be seen in its rapid sale. It is not over four months since this paint has been introduced into market, and our agent has been able to order one hundred tons. The paint is ground in oil, and put up ready for use, from the finest black down to any shade to suit the fancy.

Also, inventors and manufacturers of *Tanners' Blacking.* This article is so universally approbated by all who have used it, that it scarcely needs commendation. But to give confidence to those who may not have tried it, we would say that Z. C. Ryon, foreman to A. M. Taylor & Co., Columbia street, Cincinnati, has authorized us to use his name as a recommendation to tanners in general. To all who know Mr. Z. C. Ryon this would be sufficient; but all tanners in the city and country, who have used it, have granted us this privilege. If it were necessary we could fill a newspaper with testimonials; but where all who use are pleased we deem it uncalled for.

The Tanners' Blacking is put up in kegs containing six gallons, ready for use, and will be sent to any point on the canal, railroad, or river, at fifty cents per gallon.

All orders should be addressed, post paid, to
HAVENS & CARROL,
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J. H. HAVENS, Cincinnati.

Also, inventors and manufacturers of a *Water-proof Blacking for Oil-cloth*, that will reduce the cost fifty per cent., and will soon be in market. mar 24

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A full assortment of Straw Goods
French and American Artificial Flowers
With a large variety not mentioned above.

All wishing to avoid paying long prices will make money by calling and satisfying themselves. [mar 24—tf

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Hay, Straw, and Corn Stalk Cutters in great variety, among which may be found Harvey's superior Premium Straw Cutter, of every size.

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IMPORTERS, No. 88 Market street, Philadelphia; No. 102 Broadway, New York, are now receiving and offer for sale, at Market prices, an excellent assortment of the following goods:

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Also, sole agency for the United States of J. M. Caron & Co.'s Fancy Gilt and Silk Buttons, and other fabrics.
mar 24—

AMERICAN TELEGRAPH

Heart Wisdom.

BY VINCENT LEIGH HUNT.

'Tis weak to pine for pleasures past, or scorn
To hoard their leaves still green in memory.
Our happiest days, like frailest flowers, must die:
The winds that take the blossom leave the thorn—
To some hard trouble all of us are born.
Blessed the day that's passed without a sigh;
Blessed a day *with* sigh—if we can dry
The tears of those who have more cause to mourn.

How many hate who might each other love,
Did they but judge those living as if dead—
Stretched cold before them, with dim, stony eyes!
Diviner far than all the stars above
Is one forgiving word in kindness said—
One loving look that in the memory lies.

[Published by request.]

Correspondence of the Georgetown Advocate.

PARIS, FRANCE, *July* 28, 1851.

I have just returned from a visit to the World's Fair. I purchased a round ticket, which is good during the whole Fair, for about eight dollars. This ticket took me in a first-class car by railway to Havre, one hundred and eighty-six miles, by steamship across the channel one hundred and twenty miles, to Southampton, by railway to London, eighty miles, and thence back to Paris. The whole trip cost me about twenty dollars, enabling me to see the Tower, the Fair, and all the public buildings, though, to my great surprise, I was compelled to pay to see even the public buildings, so entirely different from France, where every thing is free to all. The scenery, as we entered the river on going to Southampton, was beautiful, but not to be compared with the wild, picturesque and blooming scenery around Rouen, the capital of Normandy. We passed the Isle of Wight, and saw the turrets of Osborne House, the summer residence of the Queen, just peeping over the druidical looking oaks. We passed the United States frigate St. Lawrence; her beautiful and graceful outlines, with the immortal stars and stripes floating at her peak, the emblem of national republicanism, comported strangely with the rough and ugly figure-heads of the British flotilla and bloody flag, permanently stationed at Spithead. To the west the land is highly covered with trees, and sloping gently down to the water, on an eminence overlooking which, surrounded by a clump of oaks, are seen the dismantled walls, and tumbling columns of that picturesque and romantic relic of the middle ages, Notley Abbey, a sad memorial of British vandalism; the old cloistery and pointed windows, most exquisitely carved, almost concealed by the creeping ivy. That venerable ruin tells the tale of the days of "Old Merrie" England, prior to the sixteenth century; of maypoles, feats, and Christmas carollings, now gone forever. In lieu of the innocent pastimes on the anniversary of the village patron, amusements of a character more congenial to the tastes of the nineteenth century have been substituted. Now there are horse-racing, human prize-fights, grog shops, ale houses, and chop shops.

We left Southampton by the southwestern railway, at 9 o'clock, a. m., and at 11¾ a. m. were in the city of London, a distance of eighty miles. You cannot imagine how disappointed I was with the appearance of London. It is not so much ornamented as Paris, with public buildings, gardens, columns, monuments, statues and fountains. There are no enchanting gardens; with a few meagre exceptions, the houses are meanly built, and are constructed of a dingy brick; the sun very seldom shines, and there is a dim and smoky atmosphere which casts a dismal shadow upon everything. I am now speaking of the general appearance of the city and its inhabitants. The city is not so cheerful as Paris—there is more moral and physical suffering and degradation in London than in Paris, for in the latter city education and refinement are more generally diffused. I have had access to official documents, from which I learn that public schools for both sexes are established throughout France, and that the most humble and the poorest are enabled to obtain the best scientific education in the world gratuitously. This France has done for her citizens—for her degraded and superstitious peasantry. England has done comparatively nothing. Every effort of Hume, Cobden, Reynolds, the Earl of Arundel, John O'Connell, and other liberal members of Parliament, has proved entirely ineffectual to obtain from the government any grant of money for popular education.

You cannot imagine the disgusting exhibitions I witnessed during my short sojourn in London: Women reeling in the streets in a most beastly state of intoxication; men and children begging for something to eat to keep body and soul together; the streets infested with those unhappy females, compelled by society (in a state of disgrace) to procure bread by the loss of their honor. There is less degradation, less misery, and more education among the French of the same class. In Paris you see no intoxicated men. The French prefer music, dancing, the fine arts, and other innocent dissipations, to the gross amusements of the Londoners. I speak what I know to be true, for my authorities are all British. When I arrived in London, I delivered a letter of introduction to W. Simms, esq., Fellow of the Royal Astronomical Society, which Professor Curley, of Georgetown College, gave me. Mr. Simms invited me to attend with him the meeting of that body, and also invited me to visit the Royal Observatory at Greenwich.

The next day I visited the Chrystal Palace at Hyde Park, the seat of the World's Fair, and it is certainly a most gorgeous and magnificent spectacle. Just imagine the productions of every quarter of the habitable globe represented—Persia, Syria, India, Sandwich Islands, West Indies, Turkey, &c.

France has won the palm for the richness and elegance of the productions of the looms of Lyons; the anvils and machine shops of Rouen; the delicate and exquisite astronomical, surgical and mathematical instruments from Paris, all of the most magnificent description. How mortified I was by the meagre display of the American portion of the exhibition. There was, however, one redeeming part—Powers' Greek Slave. The Exhibition really baffles description. I can tell you nothing which the newspapers have not already described.

On the Sunday following, I visited Saint George's (Catholic) Cathedral, a splendid specimen of the Gothic style; it is built in the decorated and pointed style of Edward III.

The rectory for the pastor is a perfect gem, being designed by Pugin, the great restorer of primitive ecclesiastical architecture. The windows are filled with beautiful and *real stained* glass, each window being a picture; the pulpit and altar of Italian marble, covered with sculptured basso-relievo; the chancel and sanctuary are separated from the nave and aisle by a screen of Gothic style, with groined arches of stone. This is the ancient symbolical distinction restored by the exquisite taste of Pugin. The ceiling is of oak, richly carved and heavily ribbed. Around the semi-circle formed by the sanctuary are curious Gothic stalls or seats for the deans, canons, residentuaries, and assistants. Over the high altar is an immense arched window resplendent with stained glass, representing the genealogy of Christ. This was presented to the cathedral by the Earl of Shrewsbury. On the altar there are six large candlesticks of Gothic design, and no more, because the canons prohibit a superfluity. A profusion as it is in America was unknown to the ritual of the Middle Ages.

In a little chantry to the right of the nave, in a beautiful sarcophagus of black and white marble, covered with the crest and other armorial bearings of the "Staffords," lie the remains of the Lord Edward Petre, belonging to the family of the "Lord of Stafford," a great benefactor to this church. On the tomb fronting the aisle are the shields of the Petre and Stafford families, with the following words in old Gothic characters: "Pray for the soul of Edward Petre."

Having the letter of character from Professor Curley, of Georgetown College, countersigned by the late Archbishop of Baltimore, in my possession, I entered the church and met the Rev. Edward Cotter, M. A., Assistant Rector, (late of the Church of England,) who immediately invited me into the parlor of the rectory, a beautiful room with wainscoting of oak and stained glass windows, adjoining the cathedral. Here, in a few minutes, I was introduced to that distinguished preacher and writer, the Rev. Thomas Doyle, D. D., rector and chaplain to the Earl of Shrewsbury. I was invited to dine with him the next day, and to meet by invitation, at supper, his eminence Cardinal Wiseman, Archbishop of Westminster. Dr. Doyle told me that in England all the Catholic clergy are Englishmen, and the majority are converts from the established church. The next day, at Vespers, Cardinal Wiseman preached, after which I met him at supper and was presented to him. He is an extraordinary man and of vast acquirements. He conversed fluently with a man from Asia, in the Syriac tongue, and is master of Arabic, Hebrew, Chaldean, and most of the Oriental languages, besides being a distinguished writer. The cardinal gave me his card, and invited me to his "receptions," which are held weekly at his elegant residence in Golden square. I expressed my astonishment to Dr. Doyle, that a Catholic prelate should have evening receptions; but he said that Dr. Wiseman was now a cardinal, a prince of the church, ranking a duke, and is now recognised as such by all the powers of Europe, for wherever he traveled on the continent he received the honor due his rank and distinction, and is compelled to support his dignity. At his receptions every Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, you meet most of the foreign ambassadors, and many persons distinguished by their rank, learning, or political reputation. I went on Tuesday and was exceedingly gratified, and felt proud of my democracy, and my title of native nobility, an American citizen,—among so many of high civil and ecclesiastical rank. I, in my plain black suit, of course could not expect to shine like those around me, glittering with their collars and orders of nobility!

There were many eminent men present, some of them the recent "perverts to Rome," Professor Jerrold, Professor of History in the University of London, and many distinguished Catholics of the clergy and gentry. Among them the Earl of Shrewsbury, the Bishop of Clifton, the Bishops of Southwark, Lord Stafford, the Earl of Arundel and Surry, the Lord Camoys, Lord Clifford, Lord Fielding, (a convert,) Sir Coleman O'Loughlen, Gov. Gen. of Malta, Sir Richard Jenkins, Director of the East India Company, Sir H. Paston Bedingfield, Sir Edward Stafford Jerningham, (these two last date from beyond the Norman conquest—that of the Danes, under Canute, in the year 1030—and are relatives of our old fellow-townsman Richard T. Queen, esq.,) Lord Camden, (a recent convert,) Francis Kreonan, Professor of Surgery in the University of London, Sir James Copeland, M. D., Physician to the Queen, Mr. Bowyer, Lecturer on Law at the Temple: all the above are Catholics.

Among the clergy were Dr. Newman, late of Oxford University, Archdeacon Manning, Rev. Geo. Faber, M. A., Rev. Henry Wilberforce, M. A., late of Oxford University—a convert and brother of the Protestant Bishop of Oxford. Among the Protestants present were the Earl of Aberdeen, Sir James Graham, Right Hon. Wm. Gladstone, M. P.; these last distinguished themselves by their advocacy of civil and religious liberty in both Houses of Parliament, and their opposition to the "Ecclesiastical Titles Bill." John O'Connell, Mr. Monsell, and other members of Parliament, were also there. How glad I am that there are no titles with us; we are all equal, and not earls, dukes, or baronets, but *sovereigns*. At vespers, on my right were three American ladies, granddaughters of a staunch old republican Catholic, Charles Carroll of Carrollton, viz: the Duchess of Leeds, the Marchioness of Wellesley, and the Lady Stafford. I saw also the Countess of Arundel, Lord and Lady Peter, Lady Georgiana Fullerton, the Countess of Newburg, Hon. Phillip and Lady Fitzallen Howard, Lady Stafford, Lord and Lady Fielding, Lord Clifford, and the beautiful and accomplished heiress Miss Talbot, the neice of the Earl of Shrewsbury, about whom there was so much noise in the papers some time since. She is the ward of Dr. Doyle, and has engaged herself to Lord Edward Howard, son of the Duke of Norfolk. It is a love-match; he is about twenty-eight and she seventeen years of age; he fell in love with her when quite young at Lord Shrewsbury's Castle, and courted her then. Both are strict Catholics, and belong to "all the blood of the Howards and Talbots." They are to be married in a few days.

I heard Father Ignatius (Hon. and Rev. Geo. Spencer, heir to Lord Spencer) preach; he was a minister of the church of England, but is now a priest of the order of Oratorians. The *Church and State Gazette* states that "certain duchesses, countesses, and one of the cabinet ministers are on the point—if they already have not—of seceding to Rome." The Bishop of Indiana is here, and the Archbishop of Cincinnati has just left. The latter is a relative of the celebrated Count de Bocarme, who is to be executed in Belgium for the poisoning of his wife's brother with nicotin. He is one of the noblest families, and at his death his wife will be one of the richest, as she is one among the most beautiful women in Europe. She is courted, admired, and *à lion* in Paris, whilst he is preparing for his execution by the guillotine in Belgium.

Cardinal d'Auvergne, bishop of Arras, died day before yesterday; he was a grand cross of the Legion of Honor, and a member of the National Assembly. You must not credit the foreign correspondents of the United States papers with regard to European affairs—there is nothing new or strange to write about, consequently they manufacture want of confidence in France, threatened insurrection in Italy, &c.

Paris is very quiet and Louis Napoleon very popular.

The Rev. John Lingard, D. D., F. S. A., Foreign Associate of the National Institute, and author of the History of England, Anglo-Saxon Antiquities and Anglo-Saxon Church, died on the 18th inst., at his country-seat, in Lancastershire; he received the last sacraments of the Catholic church, and was eighty-one years of age.

JULY 31, 1851.—The marriage of Miss Talbot, who recently created such a sensation in the political and religious world, to Lord Howard, took place at the Catholic church,