The birth of Green Erin, the "Gem of the Say."

BY MRS. HOPEFUL, SENIOR.

Wed all condescinshin,
I'd turn yees attinshin,
To what I would menshin av Erin so green;
And without hisitayshin,
I'd show how that nayshin,
Became av creashin the gim an' the queen.

It happened wan mornin'
Widhout any warnin',
That vaynus was born in the beautiful say!
An' be that same token,
(An' sure 'twas provokin'),
Her pinions were soakin', an' wouldn't give play

So Niptune, who knew her,
Began to pursue her,
In ordher to woo her, the wicked ould Jew!
An' he very nigh caught her,
Atop of the wather,
Great Jupiter's daughter, who cried Foo-to-loo.

But Jove, the great laynious,
Looked down and saw Vaynus,
An' Niptune so haynious, purshuin' her wild.
So he roared out in thundher,
He'd tear him ashundher,
An' sure 'twas no wundhur, for tazin' his child.

So a sthar that wor flyin'
Around him aspyin',
He sazed widout sighin' an' hurled it below,
Where it tumbled like winkin,
On Niptune, while sinkin'
An' gave him, I'm thinkin', a broth av a blow!

An' that afther was dry land,
Both low and and high land,
And formed a swate island, the land iv me birth.
Thus plain is the sthory,
As sint down from glory,
That Erin so hoary's a heaven on earth.

Thin vaynus jumped nately
On Erin so sthately—
But faynted, bein' lately so bothered an' prissed
Which much did bewilder,
But before it quite killed her
Her father distilled her a dhrop av the bisht.

An' that glass so victorious,
It made her feel glorious,
A trifle uproarious, I fear I might prove;
Since how can yees blame us,
That Erin's so famous,
For beauty, an' murther, and whiskey an' luv!

WIT AND HUMOR.

The man who was struck with an idea, has prosecuted it for assault and battery.

A woman is sometimes struck with a man before marriage, and by him afterwards.

Why is a foolish young lady a careful house wife? Because her "waist" is as little as she can make it.

The smallest shred of the Pope's shirt, if boiled in milk or soup, is said to be an effectual remedy for the cholera and other diseases of a similar description.

There is a man in India so thin that, when the sheriff is after him, he crawls into his rifle and looks through the touch-hole.

UPPER-CLASS EXAMINATIONS.—Ques. Give an example of the degrees of comparison.

A. Positive, Teach. Comparative, Teacher. Superlative, Tea chest.—[Punch.

A celebrated wit was asked why he did not marry a young lady, to whom he was much attached? "I know not," he replied, "except the great regard we have for each other."

A citizen down east was dubbed "the little rascal!" A friend once volunteered to ask him why he was called "the little rascal!" "To distinguish me from my neighbors," said he, "who are all great rascals!"

A confirmed tippler was bothered how to honor his birthday. A brilliant idea struck him. He kept sober.

It is said that the hair, if rolled up in the Mew York Tribune, puts on it at once a very crinkly curl; and if one of Steven's speeches be used, it assumes a crisp instanter.

The saying that "there is more pleasure in giving than receiving," is supposed to apply chiefly to kicks, medicine, and advice.

"Is your horse perfectly gentle, Mr Dabster?"

"Perfectly gentle, sir; the only fault he has got, if that be a fault, is a playful habit of extending his hinder hoofs now and then."

"By extending his hinder hoofs you do not mean kicking, I hope?"

"Some people call it kicking, Mr. Green, but it's only a slight reaction of the muscles; a disease rather than a vice."

A man who advertised to give "the best of sound, practical advice for fifty cents, that would be applicable at any time and to all persons and conditions of life," on application by a victim, "per mail," sent the following: "Never give a boy a dime to watch your shadow while you climb a tree to look into the middle of next week. It don't pay."

A good natured fellow who was nearly eaten out of house and home by the constant visits of his friends, was one day complaining bitterly of his numerous visitors.

"Sure an' I'll tell ye how to get rid of them," said an Irishman.

"Pray how?"

"Lend money to the poor ones, and borrow money of the rich ones, and naither sort will iver trouble you again."

Politeness is the religion of the heart, as piety is that of the soul. It is good nature in action. It renders whoever may be its object contented and happy under its softening influence. It consists in acts which show their source—the heart.

Twenty thousand Poles want to emigrate to this country, and efforts are being made to settle them in Virginia. They are tired of Muscovite rule.

Courting in Right Style.

"Get out, you puppy—let me alone, or, I'll tell your ma!" cried out Sally to her lover, Jake, who set about ten feet from her, pulling dirt out of the chimney corner.

"I ain touchin on you, Sall," responded Jake.

"Well, perhaps you don't intend to, nuther, do ye?"

"No, I don't."

"Cause you are too tarnal scarry, you long-legged, canter-jawed, slab-sided, pigeon-toed, knock-kneed, awl-eyed, owl, you; you ain't got a tarnal bit o' sense; get home with you."

"Now Sall, I love you and can't help it; and if you don't let me stay and court you, my daddy will sue yourn for that cow he sold him tother day. By jingo he said he'd do it.

"Well, look here, Jake, if you want to court me, you had better do it as a white man does that thing; not set off thar as if you thought I was pizen."

"How on earth is that, Sall?"

"Why, sidle right up here, and hug and kiss me as if you had some of the bone and sinew of the man about you. Do you 'spose a woman's only made to look at: you fool you? They are made to hug and kiss."

"Well, said Jake, (drawing a long breath) if I must I must; for I do love you, Sall." And he commenced sliding up to her like a maple poker going to battle. Laying his arm on Sall's shoulder, we herd Sall say—

"That's the way, old hoss—that's actin' like a white man orter."

"Oh, Jerusalum and pancakes!" exclaimed Jake, if this ain't better than any apple sass ever marm made, a darn site." Crackee! Buckwheat cakes—slap-jacks and lassees, ain't no where alongside of Sall. Oh! Sall, how I love you!"

SILENT INFLUENCES.—The Rev. Albert Barnes says: It is the bubbling stream which flows gently—the little rivulet which runs along, day and night, by the farm house—that is useful, rather than the swollen flood of the warring cataract. Niagara excites our wonder, and we stand amazed at the power and greatness of God there, as he "pours it from the hollow of His hand." But one Niagara is enough for the continent or the world, while the same world requires thousands and tens of thousands of silver fountains and gently flowing rivulets, that water every farm and meadow, and every garden, and that shall flow on every day and night with their gentle, quiet beauty. So with the acts of our lives. It is not by great deeds, like those of the martyrs, that good is to be done, but by the daily quiet virtues of life, the Christian temper, the flood qualities of relatives and friends.

A widow lady of Danville, Kentucky, took an orphan boy to raise, and when he had arrived at the age of eighteen she married him, she then being in her fiftieth year. They lived many years together, happy as any couple. Ten years ago they took an orphan girl to raise. Last fall the old lady died, being ninety-six years of age, and in seven weeks after, the old man married the girl they had raised, he being sixty four years of age, and she eighteen.

"HURRAH FOR YOUR CAPTAIN."—A little newsboy, in Nashville, was watching a federal procession pass. After regarding them very vindictively for some little time, he shouted with all his lungs:

"Hurrah for Jeff. Davis."

"Pshaw!" said a blue coated officer, "Hurrah for the devil, you mean."

"Very well," replied the urchin, "you shout for your captain—I'll shout for mine."

The Duchess of Newcastle, who was a great writer of plays and romances in the time of Charles II., asked Bishop Wilkins, who had just announced his discovery of world in the moon, how she could get there. "As the journey," said she, "must needs be very long, there will be no possibility of getting there without stopping by the way." "Your grace," replied the bishop, "can be at no loss for a place to stop at, as you have built so many castles in the air."

A HAPPY HOUSEHOLD.—There is nothing on earth so beautiful as the household on which christian love forever smiles, and when religion walks, a counsellor and a friend. No cloud can darken it, for its twin-stars are centred in the soul. No storms can make it tremble, for it has a heavenly support and a heavenly anchor.

What is it that saps the morals of youth, kills the gem of generous ambition, desolates the domestic hearth, renders families fatherless, digs dishonoured graves?—Drunkenness.

ROCK SALT.—On Petite Anse Island, in the Southern part of Louisiana, there is a bed of rock salt covering one hundred acres, which, during the late war, supplied nearly the whole of the trans Mississippi district. Twenty-one millions pounds were taken from it in three months, yet it is reported that but a very small portion of the deposit has been cut away. Immediate steps are now taken to develop the mine.

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