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These Lectures have already been favorably noticed in our columns. They are the productions of a man of genius and learning, a bold and vigorous thinker, and a perspicuous and eloquent writer. They attracted great attention in this city when the author read them to his own congregation, and were sought for with avidity by thousands as they were successively issued from the press. They are all now combined in a volume which, by its elegant typography, tasteful illustrations and superb binding, does honor to the publishers and to the work itself. Of course Mr. Cheever, in setting forth the quaint beauties of Bunyan's immortal work and applying its lessons of profound wisdom to the circumstances and character of our own age, has given prominence to his own peculiar views of religious truth. But of this no one has a right to complain; indeed the work would have been shorn of its greatest value, if the author had attempted to repress the sentiments and feelings which pertain to his own faith, from a mistaken desire to please those who differ from him. The attractions of the volume will render it popular and appropriate as a Christmas and New-Year's Present, and command for it now and for a long time to come an extensive circulation among those of the author's religious belief.

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This translation, from the Spanish of Don Geronimo Alcala, will be read by many persons if they recollect the quotation made from this work in "Borrow's Gipsies of Spain;" it is one of the most interesting passages in that work. *Borrow*, if we remember aright, compares this work to Gil Blas.

NEW-YORK LEGAL REFERENCE TABLE.—We beg to direct the attention of our legal friends to a Tabular Synopsis of Rules, &c. of our State Courts, prepared with great care by GEORGE WOODMAN, Esq. of this City, and published by Halsted in Nassau street. It gives a full statement of all the Court terms, periods of holding the same, and a great quantity of practical information of importance to the Lawyer—the whole arranged so as to be seen at a glance. It cannot fail to be very useful in every Lawyer's office where business is done.

MUSICAL MONTHLY.—Mr. Jollie, 335 Broadway, has published the 6th and 7th numbers of the Beauties of the Opera. These numbers contain "Then you'll Remember Me," "I Dreamt that I Dwelt in Marble Halls," "By the Sad Sea Waves," besides several other equally popular pieces.

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Monument to Goethe.

We find in the *Schnellpost* a letter copied from a German journal, which gives an interesting account of the festival on the occasion of erecting the statue of Goethe by Schwanthaler in his native place, Frankfort on the Maine, 22d October, last.

Few persons of celebrity from a distance were present, not even the great contemporaries of the poet, Tieck and Schlegel. His friend the Chancellor Von Muller came, and answered on the part of Weimar to the many compliments that were naturally directed to that region.

"On the evening of the 21st," I saw, "says the writer, "a young man pass, dressed in mourning, who is, I am told, the grandson of Goethe. He is in mourning for a lovely sister, who, some few days since, went to sleep in Vienna;—that same Vienna where, a winter or two since, the Viennese crowded to see her dance with a Herr Von Schiller."

At the theatre, a drama by Goethe was performed, with appropriate decorations. Emblems and inscriptions designated the house where he was born, on every occasion to strangers the most interesting object in Frankfort. The public houses attracted visitors by mottoes taken from his works. There was, however, in the preparations an obvious lack both of enthusiasm, and that address and grace which the Poet himself possessed in illustrating such occasions. He never was fortunate in so rich an occasion, as the suggestions afforded by his works and life are endless in beauty and variety. It is a pity he left no heir of his genius to make use of them. For busy as his life was, he was always ready to lavish the treasures of that genius on such an hour, knowingly how many suggestions may this be, unawares to themselves, sown in the minds of spectators. It was, also, insufferable to him that what was done at all should be imperfectly done. Had he been a sculptor he would have been as patient as the Greeks in finishing bas-reliefs on the pedestals of statues.

At noon, the cover was taken from the statue. "There he stood, grand and commanding, looking upon his unknown countrymen, with his tranquil eye, with his high earnest brow, with the proud mouth. Then up flew hats and handkerchiefs; then many an eye was wet; many cheeks glowed, and, only after a deep full pause, was raised the shout of homage." * * *

"Whoever had the luck to see his face in life finds an exact transcript in this work of Schwanthaler, but the figure is idealized. Goethe had legs too short, in proportion, from the knee downward, to the rest of his figure; the head was uncommonly perfect. Schwanthaler has brought the whole figure into colossal, but harmonious proportions, and given him, so far as the drapery lets it be seen, a handsome leg. As to the head he needed only to copy nature to produce a magnificent result, and has done so.

As to the attitude I find, perhaps from remembering his habits, the idea of his personal presence much better conveyed in the well-known work of Rauch: where he stands free, in a long surtout of modern form, a kerchief loosely tied around his neck, his arms crossed behind him. To say nothing of its being the exact presentation of him as he was in life, there is a most powerful expression of his character, self-relying, self-centred and contained, a self-conscious ness, not untinged with hauteur and defiance, yet full of dignity. Here, no artist has come near Rauch on this subject, Marchesi took him sitting and this suits the Olympic repose of his person better than standing, even upright,. But Schwanthaler has given support to the figure; bringing forward one knee, and bending one hip, he breaks the grand effect of the whole. Neither do I see any reason for placing a laurel crown in his hand. Shall the Poet carry his laurels in his hand? Neither the robe, nor the place which has been selected for placing the statue please the critic. The former is the night-gown or bathing mantle which has been assigned to so many modern statues, *faute de mieux*; the place does not allow a fair opportunity to see the figure.

"Gentlemen artists;" he continues, "you should take a lesson from our dear ancients. They dedicated to their rulers and generals standing or equestrian statues, but to their orators, poets, and thinkers only busts, in groves or halls. Let him who doubts their good judgment, in this, compare the effect produced by the busts of Goethe and Schiller in the library at Weimar with that of the full-length statues of these Dioscuri in Frankfort and Stuttgart; I think he will agree that the ancients were wise people."

* * * * "Yes, Goethe is Germany's greatest, and not only so, but her most German Poet. Schiller's poetry, admirable as it is, might have been produced in any European state this side the Niemen, for he is just the cosmopolitan or, as the French style it, "humanitarian" poet; the nobly tempered speaker of the new time and its ideas of life and civil duties. But Goethe is not only European, but German heart's blood; none but a German could have written Götz and Werther, Hermann and Dorothea, his songs and his Faust." *

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FROM OUR PARIS CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, November 15, 1844.

The local events transpired during the past fifteen days possess but very little interest. In my last letter I informed you of the reorganization of the Polytechnic School. Out of 300 students who opposed the professors appointed by the Minister, it is uncertain what number will be excluded. The *Journal des Debats*, which may be looked upon as indicating *generally* the action of the Government, recommends that the act of insubordination be overlooked; or if a few be considered more culpable than the others, that they be censured. The school is deservedly popular with the people; for its services are associated with the defence of the Capital in 1814 and with the triumph of liberal principles in the Revolution of 1830. The 'Siecle' mentions the names of seventeen who it says are to be exchanged; for the Government has placed itself in a position to require *victims* to justify its action. This severe language, I think, is not deserved, but the Opposition must keep alive the excitement against Guizot.

The Minister of Finance has advertised three proposals will be received for a loan of 200,000,000 of francs, bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent. and payable to the Government monthly in sums of ten millions. It was expected that the wants of the Treasury would have required a large portion of the loan at once. Owing to the favorable terms of payment and the abundance of money, the announcement of the loan has been accompanied by a rise in other stocks. It is probable that the loan will be taken by Rothschilds. Considering the debt and resources of France, her 3 per cent. stock compared with that of England is far below its value—mainly 62½ per cent. Complaint is made against the Minister for not opening a national subscription for the amount of the loans so as to permit small capitalists to compete for it. He has devoted 100,000,000 of the 300,000,000 loan authorized by the chambers to absorb the floating demands against the Treasury.

The Government has to encounter a severe warfare from the opposition, whether Republican or Legitimist. The following is a statement of the expenses of the Government previous to and since the accession of Louis Philippe:

In 15 years the elder Bourbons diminished the National Debt 65 millions of francs. In seven, transpired since the revolution of 1830, it has been increased 58 millions, and the Chambers have authorised a loan of 12 millions more. The expenses of the Government under the 'Restoration' were less than one *million*. Now they amount to 1500 millions.

In 1829, the cost of maintaining the army, then consisting of 253,000 foot and 46,583 horse, was 214 millions. The Revolution of July obliges us to pay 330½ millions to support an army of 284,000 foot and 69,000 horse.

In 1829, with 65 millions, the Navy, consisted of 54 ships of the Line, 74 frigates, 19 sloops, 48 brigs, and 221 smaller vessels—in all 416.

"In 1843, at a cost of 112½ millions, the Navy consisted of 46 ships of the line, 45 frigates, 29 sloops, 50 brigs, 130 smaller vessels—in all 265 steamers—in all 570.

"Our floating debt pays an interest of 29 millions of francs, which, at the rate of 2½ per cent. represents a capital of 800 millions and at 3 per cent, a capital of 666 millions."

The United States is not the only country where Irish labor has found employment in the construction of Railroads. The famous Road between Rouen and Paris has been built under the superintendence of Scotch and English Inspectors, assisted by the Government Engineers, while the labor portion of the work devolved upon the sons of Erin.—This magnificent Road is now finished and French laborers have learned the *art* in sufficient numbers to supply the probable demands for laborers that may arise hereafter. Many of those thrown out of employment have large families, and a subscription has been opened for their benefit in Paris for the purpose of sending them home.

The Minister of the Interior has published in the *Moniteur* the names of 13 persons who, in the course of the year, distinguished themselves by acts of benevolence and humanity, attended by the danger of losing their lives in the service of their fellow creatures. Some have been awarded gold medals, others the red ribbon, and their names and actions are published in the Journals. This is as it ought to be. We see in the papers too often the names of individuals associated with vice and crime, so that the contrast of names distinguished by their devotion and courage in the cause of humanity, inspires for a time the pleasing thought that we all are not vicious or depraved.

The official tables of the Commerce of France in 1843, just published, give the following particulars:

Importations	1,187,000,000f	Exportations	992,000,000f
Total, 1842	2,179,000,000	Increase	97,000,000
Total, 1841	2,082,000,000		

Importation for consumption in France.....848,000,000f
Exportation of goods manufac. or grown in France 687,500,000f

The exportation of 992 millions is composed of—

Manufac. goods	325,000,000f	Total	992,000,000f
Raw material	330,000,000		
Produce of France	177,000,000f	Total	687,000,000f
Manufac of France	510,000,000f		

The difference, 305 millions, represents the transit trade of Switzerland and the adjoining countries.

The importation per Foreign vessels in 1843.....56 per cent.
" " " French " .....44 per cent.
" " " Foreign " 1842.....52 per cent.
" " " French " .....58 per cent.

By letters received from Algiers, we learn that an action between the Kabyles and the French troops took place on the 28th October. The former occupied a very strong position, which was well fortified, but the French drove them from it with trifling loss to themselves, while the enemy left 150 killed on the field.

Several promotions to the Peerage are expected to take place within the present month—to which, however, the Ministerial journals make no allusion. The qualifications required for Electors give to Paris and its environs, in a population of nearly a million and a half, but 23,287.

The King of Holland sent an address to the Senate and Assembly, which met with less favor from the Deputies than his preceding messages, and for the first time, contrary to usage, the address has been discussed with open doors. In this departure from ancient customs, the journals profess to see an indication of a vigorous movement toward legislative reforms.

The immense debt of Holland, and the heavy taxation imposed on the people to pay the interest on it, have awakened a spirit of opposition to measures involving needless expense. The interest has been reduced on a large portion of the debt. The measure was facilitated by the patriotic spirit of the holders, nearly all her own citizens. We have advices that the King of Holland has made propositions to the King of Prussia, the head of the German Customs League, for a treaty between the two powers; the principal condition being, it is said, the free navigation of the Rhine. A memorial addressed to the Academy, states the number of paupers assisted in Holland in 1843, to have have been 400,000, in a population of 3,000,000.

The Government of Sweden has authorized a survey for the purpose of cutting a canal on the Southern point of its territory, so as to admit the passage of vessels of the largest class. The King of Prussia has given $50,000 toward the survey. The number of vessels that passed the Sound in 1843 amounted to 15,384.

We have just received information, via India, that the United States have concluded a treaty with China. It is to be hoped that we have been more successful than England, whose linguist connived at a clause in the Treaty that deprives her vessels of the coastwise trade to the ports opened to her. Merchandise transported by the Chinese Junks is so often seized by the pirates, that the trade cannot be carried on.

In Denmark a Committee has been appointed to inquire the expediency of debating public questions in the State Assembly with open doors—and another Commission to examine the propriety of removing the restrictions on the press.

The Texas question excites considerable attention here. Many subjects of France, Holland and Germany have emigrated to the Republic. The Mexican Minister for Foreign Affairs has addressed a circular letter to the different Governments to inform them that in the event of the re-conquest of Texas, the grants of lands made to the settlers will be annulled, and that the emigrants will be treated as rebels. Adieu. P. A. R.

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