

PROSPECTUS OF THE DAILY EVENING STAR.

The undersigned proposes to publish, so soon as a sufficient number of subscribers shall have been obtained to justify the undertaking, a daily afternoon paper, to be called "The Daily Evening Star."

"The Star" is designed to supply a desideratum which has long existed in the Metropolis of the nation. Free from party trammels and sectarian influences, it will preserve a strict neutrality, and, whilst maintaining a fearless spirit of independence will be devoted, in an especial manner, to the local interests of the beautiful city which bears the honored name of Washington, and to the welfare and happiness of the large and growing population within its borders.

"The Star" will also beam forth intelligence from all sections of the country, by telegraph and mail, and give it in a form so condensed as not to render it necessary to sift a bushel of chaff before finding a grain of wheat. The articles, editorial and selected, will be brief, varied, and sprightly. Nothing shall be admitted into its columns offensive to any religious sect or political party—nothing, in a moral point of view, to which even the most fastidious might object. It is the determination of the publisher to make it a paper which will be a welcome visitor to every family, and one which may be perused not only with pleasure, but with profit.

The editorial department will be under the direction of a gentleman of ability and tact.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:

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In order to prevent persons having but a few lines to advertise paying an extravagant rate, the following schedule will be adopted:

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THE SUBSCRIBERS, responding to the repeated and urgently expressed wish of eminent and judicious persons in various sections of the country, have decided to commence on the first of January, 1853, a monthly original periodical, under the above title.

It is intended to combine the lighter characteristics of a popular magazine with the higher and graver qualities of a quarterly review, filling a position which has been vacant in our literature.

While attractive variety for the general reader is thus obtained, there will be an attempt to secure substantial existence in each department.

To accomplish this we intend that the work in all its mechanical and business aspects shall be such as will meet the views of our most distinguished writers, such a medium as they would seek for in communicating with the world, and such as may tempt some to write daily and profitably who have not hitherto contributed to periodicals.

We intend that all articles admitted into the work shall be liberally paid for.

We believe that an ample material exists for such a work; that there is no lack either of talent among our writers or of appreciation on the part of the reading public; and that a properly conducted periodical of this kind may bring to light much true genius as is now undeveloped.

"Futnam's Monthly" will be devoted to the interests of Literature, Science, and Art—in their best and most interesting aspects.

Efficiently dependent of all merely self interests, it will be an original and independent work, in its management, will be open to competent writers for free discussion of such topics as are deemed important and of public interest.

The editorial department will be wholly independent of the publishers, and as far as possible, of all personal influence or bias. Wholesome castigations of public wrong will be alluded to with fairness and without a personal allusion.

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Special attention will be given to matters connected with social policy, municipal regulations, public health, and safety, and the practical economics of every-day life.

While a subject needs illustration, or pictorial expression, such illustrations will be occasionally given; but it is not expected that the success of the work is to depend on what are termed "embellishments."

The following, among many others, have expressed their hearty approval of the plan, and will all give it their general co-operation, while nearly all of them will be contributors to the work:

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Let the afflicted read! READ! BARRELLVILLE, ALLEGANY COUNTY, (Md.) May 4, 1852.

To Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray:

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The afflicted or their friends are daily visiting me, to learn of the great virtue there is in this Tincture of Hampton's.

I expect to send you several certificates in a few days, one especially from a young lady who has been confined to her room twelve months, with a disease of the head, affecting the brain.

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On the permanency of the cure bear him. Still another letter from the above!

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Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray:

DEAR SIR: I am happy to inform you that this day finds me in the enjoyment of good health, by the use of your Hampton's Tincture and the blessing of God. I am enabled to pursue my daily avocations as usual, and I have a great desire that the afflicted should know the great curative powers of the Tincture.

I am with respect, yours, E. W. HALL.

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To those who have been in the habit of reading the PENNSYLVANIAN, it is unnecessary to say this Journal will maintain the reputation it has hitherto borne as a National paper, freely and boldly defending the Constitution and the Union against the attacks of the fanatics of the North and the disunionists of the South. The cardinal principles of the Democratic Party will be maintained in all their freshness, vigor, and purity; and no departure from our cherished doctrines, winked at, or innovation tolerated.

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THE MODERN BELLE.

FROM MR. STARK'S POEM, READ AT THE MANCHESTER (N. H.) FAIR.

The daughter sits in the parlor, And lo! in her easy chair; She's clad in her rills and satins, And jewels are in her hair;

And she winks and giggles and simmers, And simpers and giggles and winks; And though she talks but a little, 'Tis vastly more than she thinks.

Her father goes clad in his russet, And ragged and seedy at that; His coats are all out at the elbow, He wears a most shocking bad hat.

He's boarding and saving his shillings; So carefully day by day, While she on her beaux and poodles, Is throwing them all away.

She lies abed in the morning, 'Til nearly the hour of noon; Then comes down snapping and snarling, Because she was called so soon.

Her hair is still in the papers; Her cheek still dabb'd with paint, Remains of her last night's blushes Before she intended to faint.

She dears up men unshaven, And men with "the flowing hair;" She's eloquent over mousetraps, 'Til she gives such a foreboding air;

She talks of Italian music, And falls in love with the moon; And though but a mouse should meet her, She sinks away in a swoon.

Her feet are so very little; Her hands are so very white; Her jewels so very heavy, And her head so very light;

Her color is made of cosmetics, Though this she never will own; Her body's made mostly of cotton, Her heart's made wholly of stone.

She falls in love with a fellow Who swells with a foreign air; He marries her for her money, She marries him for his hair;

One of the very best matches, Both are well made in life; She's got a fool for her husband, He's got a fool for his wife.

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country is undoubtedly dictated by an honorable desire on his part, (and also on the part of certain branches of the book trade,) to turn an honest penny. His feelings, as to our republican institutions, are probably not materially different from those entertained by Mr. Charles Dickens, and so graciously expressed by that gentleman in his "Incidents of Travel," soon after his epicurean and bacchanalian American ovations.

Mr. Thackeray unquestionably feels toward America just as every real Englishman feels—just as he has an undoubted right to feel—whether at home on his small patch in the Atlantic ocean, or whether quietly fobbing the cash which he earns by his pen and his tongue from the American people.

We have not the slightest allusion to make to the learned and witty English gentleman on that account. He understands his business; and we think, also, that we understand ours. Our object is merely to call attention to the fact stated to us by a highly respectable fellow-citizen. The people of this country will of course make their own comments upon it.

Nor is it our intention to appear as the special defender of this great national work of our countryman. Mr. Mills may say of that work as Webster said of New England,—"There it stands! Look at it!"

The EQUESTRIAN STATUE OF JACKSON, BY CLARK MILLS, needs no defence. It is already immortal—and he who made it will never be forgotten.

It is true Mr. Mills is only an American. He is nothing but a New Yorker born. He first developed his genius in the small State of South Carolina,—a State where once dwelt certain gentlemen of whom Mr. Thackeray may have read in history—Messrs. Greene, Sumpter and Marion.

Clark Mills was merely an American plasterer when he went to the city of Charleston. He never traveled abroad. He never copied foreign artists. He remained at home, where God gave him his genius, and studied—nature. That is all. And that, we are inclined to think, is his great offence in the eyes of certain persons. Mr. Mills is an American artist. He is the delineator of our American heroes and statesmen—Jacksons and Calhouns. He rears in bronze American war-steeds, as if just ready to charge along the hills to meet the enemies of our country. He casts his statues in American uniforms—not leaving them in a semi-nude state, or half wrapped about in Roman togas.

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