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POETRY.

JUNE. BY WM. C. BRYANT. I gazed upon thy glorious sky, And the green moon aims round, And thought that when I came to lie

There, through the long, long summer hours, The golden light should lie, And tickle young herbs and groups of flowers

I know, I know I should not see The season's glorious show, Nor would its brightness shine for me

MISCELLANY. EUROPE. DR. BAIRD'S FOURTH LECTURE. The Rev. Dr. Baird delivered his fourth Lecture a short time since. His subject was "Germany, including Belgium and Holland."

Belgium is a small country—it contains 12,000 square miles, & about 4,000,000 people. It is very level except in the south-east part, where it is somewhat hilly. The forest of Ardennes, terminates in this section of the country. It is very fertile. It has more miles of railroad in proportion to its extent than any other country.

spoke of various monarchs and rulers of Germany, some of whom he remarked were most excellent men. One, an Englishman, certainly would not have been flattered at the notice taken of him.

He described Potsdam, the Versailles of Prussia. It has several palaces, and among the number Sans Souci, in which Frederick the Great died. The room, with the furniture just as he left it, in which he died, is shown to this day.

Mutations of Fortune. Cinc., an old gentleman of Cincinnati, published in his Advertiser the following very curious facts:

I know a business man in the city, new worth \$100,000 and commands more money on a short notice, for sixty, ninety, or one hundred and twenty days, than almost any man in Cincinnati, to whom I, as clerk for a grocery house in 1830 sold a hoghead of sugar, with great misgivings and reluctance.

I know a man whose credit was such in 1830 that when I trusted him for a keg of saltpetre, my employer told me I might as well have rolled it into the Ohio.

Germany is divided into 38 governments—some of which, Prussia, Austria, &c. are large, while others, more ducies, are very small. The duchy of Detmold contains only 12,000 inhabitants. It has a hereditary Duke and a Legislature—the Senate consisting of 5 and the House of 13 members.

I know a lady the descendant of a distinguished governor of Massachusetts, who supports herself by her needle, and the niece of the governor of New Jersey still living who washes for subsistence.

Communications. For the Signal of Liberty. A WORD TO AMERICAN CHRISTIANS ABOUT WAR.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Will you permit me to address a few words to those of your readers who profess to believe, love and teach, without qualification, reserve or doubt, the principles of the Gospel of peace, as uttered by the lips and illustrated by the life of Jesus Christ?

WASHINGTON PLEDGE. I can only say that there is not a man living, who wishes more sincerely than I do to see some plan adopted for the abolition of it, [slavery] but there is only one proper and effectual mode by which it can be accomplished, that is by Legislative authority.

The following description of a Southern planter appeared in a late number of the "Planter's Banner" and, as its correctness is vouched for by the New Orleans Tropic, we presume that it may be copied without apology into a northern journal.

NEW IMPRESSIONS. Lewis Clark, formerly a white slave of Kentucky, who has been lecturing in the East, has published a narrative of his life for twenty-five years among the Algerines of Kentucky.

Sober-minded, dispassionate Christians, do you not feel that there is a melancholy parity between your present condition and that of the shorn Samson, when he awoke "and wist not that the Lord was departed from him?"

LEARNING TO READ. Frederick Douglass was formerly a slave in Maryland, and since his escape, he has lectured extensively in the East, in connection with the Garrison Abolitionists.

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THE U. S. NAVY. The Washington Union publishes a list of the Navy of the U. S., as according to which, it consists of—

NEW POSTAGE LAW. For the information of our readers, we give, in a condensed form, the rates of postage upon letters, newspapers and pamphlets, as regulated by the new bill, by the last Congress, which goes into operation on the first day of July next:

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AMERICAN AND FOREIGN ANTI-SLAVERY SOCIETY.

Our readers will recollect that several years since the national anti-slavery society divided into two bodies: one under the lead of Garrison and his friends retained the old appellation of the American Anti-Slavery Society, while the other, for the sake of distinction, was designated as the American and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society.

INDIANA.

The cause of Human Freedom in this State seems to be steadily on the gain, notwithstanding the prosaical origin and character of a large portion of the inhabitants. The following extract from the letter of a valued correspondent in Noble county will show what is doing in that vicinity.

TO THE LIBERTY PARTY OF THE COUNTY OF WAYNE.

The Central Committee has called a State meeting to be held at Marshall on the 9th July, with recommendation of county meeting through out the State on the 4th of July. The recommendations seem highly appropriate.

OREGON.

Most of the European nations have colonial possessions, at a distance from the mother country, but subject to her sway. This is not the case with the United States. Her territory is perfectly compact, and it has not been her policy to encumber herself with colonial possessions.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DETROIT LIBERTY ASSOCIATION.

The Association met on the evening of 10th May at Liberty Hall. The president, being ill, and the Vice President absent, C. H. Stewart was called to the Chair.

DELAVAN HOUSE.

This house, the property of E. C. Delavan Esq. is now thoroughly repaired.—All the accommodations are on the largest and most convenient scale.

For the Signal of Liberty.

4th OF JULY CELEBRATION. Agreeable to the recommendation of the State Central Committee of the friends of Liberty—at a meeting convened in Jackson pursuant to notice,—the undersigned were appointed a Committee of arrangements, preparatory to a suitable celebration of American Independence on the coming 4th of July.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS.

REMOVAL. THE Subscriber has removed his stock of BOOKS to Store No. 2. Exchange Block, adjoining Lunds & M. Collins Store, where he is ready to furnish each customer with a new and well selected assortment of books.

Miscellaneous Items.

PERPETUAL MOTION. Every one knows how eagerly a self-moving power has been sought for by mechanics...

Incumbent Coating for Wood.—Take a quantity of water, proportionate to the surface of the wood you may wish to cover...

The Misses Clark's School. ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN. MARY H. CLARK, Principal.

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