

Poetry.

LINES.

Addressed to an English lady who offered the writer a small branch of ivy from Spencer's oak, on condition that she would present her with some verse in exchange.

BISHOP ONDERDONK.

I was dumb with silence; I held my peace, even from God; and my sorrow was stirred.—Ps. xxxix. 2.

limited, indefinite suspension—not only from his Episcopal office, but also from the exercise of his ministry. I shall read the sentence, as I find it already and for the first time, in a newspaper.

For it plainly behoves us, my brethren, to govern our feelings and tempers towards an erring brother by a regard to the relation in which he stands to us.

men for whom Christ has not died, and that the Episcopate is of such malignity as to cut men off from the motives of repentance, and the hopes of pardon.

though the world may jeer and threaten yet we are not to be moved from our confidence in Him who stilleth the noise of the sea, the roaring of his waves,

distinction to that kind of faith in the Trinity acknowledged by the Arians, Sabellians, &c. This, therefore, is what our divines mean when they speak of a Catholic doctrine, namely a doctrine of the primitive Catholic Church, before it was corrupted by Popery, as distinguished from similar doctrines held by heretics.