

by a disgraced and unprincipled set of perjurers and profligates. I say she had just returned from an unprofitable tour, when I called upon her. She was solitary, cheerless and desponding, suffering from the effects of a severe cold, which her exposure to the weather had thrown upon her, wet by a heavy shower of rain, no fire kindled to dry her wringing clothes, exhausted by fatigue, no one to spread the refreshing board, crossed by disappointment, no one to confide in, without a friend to console her! This, I am sorry to say, was the wretched situation in which I found your inestimable friend! Oh! shame to every man that, pretending to support and encourage the work, for which your shameful and unheard-of persecution compels Mrs. L. to act as agent, will thus inflict the trouble, delay and vexation upon her, that I find her at present combating with. If I could not pay for the paper, I would say, I have a wish to patronise the work, but my means are inadequate to my wishes, therefore you will excuse me from subscribing, as I can not think of troubling a lady to call repeatedly on one unable to pay; and those, who have always a "bright shilling" in the locker, should, upon the first intimation of her being in the city, repair immediately to the office, and request her to honour them by taking their money.

I am &c.

TO CORRESPONDENTS. On reflection, having admitted a letter respecting the general hospital into the Free Press, I will insert ADVERSARIUS' reply to JONAH, as soon as I can afford time to translate it into *reasonable language* in that paper. I have to entreat the indulgence of many of my contributors for the delay that occurs in the notice and insertion of their pieces. MAGOG was mislaid, but will shortly be availed of, as also TNISTOR, GRIMPER, C—s&SAPPHO, whose reappearance is warmly welcomed: tho' her present contribution will require curtailment, the continuation of it is requested. AGATHIAS is entirely mistaken; the piece in question alluded to a totally different person, besides I never before knew what was highly complimentary, considered as an affront; but this comes of fitting on other people's caps. MAHOMET will not do, nor CROKER. Another Domestic Intelligencer, as soon as possible: RUB ST. PIERRE is requested to send a key.

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