

TEN SHILLINGS IN ADVANCE.

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TWELVE AND SIX PENCE AT THE END OF THE YEAR.

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Poetry.

LIKING AND DISLIKING.

BY CHARLES SWAIN.

Ye, who know the reason, tell me How it is that instinct still Prompts the heart to like or hate...

PUZZLE.

In reply to the puzzle in the last Signal, a lady in Goderich has sent the following:

Oh, may those hearts by love united, And mingled into one, Still keep these vows so loudly pledged, And dream of them alone.

AGRICULTURE.

LABOR WELL APPLIED IS PRODUCTIVE OF PROFIT.

An intelligent writer in the Grasses Farmer, under the above head, makes the following judicious remarks:

Farmers should ever bear in mind that "well directed labor" will insure its reward. Of all classes of men, there is none upon whom this truth needs to be enforced more than the farmer.

Let me then urge upon the farmers who read this paper, and I am glad to know they are many, among the most important in our land...

ECONOMICAL MODE OF FEEDING STOCK.

Farmers who have but few animals, say two or three cows, a yoke of cattle, or a pair of horses, will find it greatly for their interest to cut their corn-stalks, straw, and even hay, when it bears a high price.

Farmers labor diligently during spring, summer, and autumn, to raise and harvest fodder, then allow a large portion to be wasted from sheer negligence.

THE GRAND DUKE AND THE JEW.

A ROMANCE OF REAL LIFE.

The following singular story was current among the English residents in St. Petersburg, at the coronation of the present Emperor of Russia.

HAIRBREADTH ESCAPE.

After seeing my couriers off, I left Mr. Etindson with two men to share his solitude, and reached the sea without experiencing any adventure worth notice.

STRESS OF WEATHER.

This step I soon had cause to repent. The sea hitherto presented a smooth surface; not a breath of wind was felt, and the stars shone out brightly.

FRANCE.

NEW EXPEDITION TO LA PLATA.

The semi-official Patrie stated on Thursday that "the Government has just decided in a Council of Ministers, that it will immediately send an expedition to La Plata."

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PERSECUTION OF THE PRESS IN PARIS.

The editor of the Reforme was convicted on Thursday, before the Court of Assize at Paris, for having published a seditious libel and sentenced to three months imprisonment, and to pay a fine of 2,000 francs.

BERLIN Jan 4.

Matters here remain in the same position as yesterday: the resignation of the ministers had not been accepted at noon to-day, and in ministerial circles a settlement of the differences was considered probable.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The finance committee have published their report on the budgets for 1849 and 1850. It contains little novelty.

CONSTITUTIONAL CORRESPONDENT.

Saxony has protested against the Erfurt parliament. The Chambers of Saxony are most favorably inclined towards the "Three Kings League," and may therefore most probably expect their speedy dissolution.

THE AUSTRIAN TROOPS.

The presence of the Austrian troops on the Bohemian frontier of Saxony admits of little doubt that this will be the course pursued by the government, and that the intervention of Austria is at hand.

P. S. PREVIOUS TO CLOSING MY LETTER.

I have just learned that the differences between the King and the ministry are definitely settled, and that the King will take the oath to the constitution.

HAMBURG, Jan. 3.

The corporation of the sixty (das Nichteiger Collegium) discussed yesterday, the sketch for a new constitution, as drawn up by the committee of nine, and selected by a large majority (36 to 11).

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MR. BRIGHT'S VIEWS OF IRELAND.

Mr. Bright's views of Ireland, he has at least one merit, he holds the pain and the superannuated. Mr. Bright does not attribute Irish suffering to the people hanging to the Celtic race. That Ireland was behind England in agriculture and industrial development, in constitutional experience and religious change, Mr. Bright no doubt attributes to one island being more remote than the other from the European centers of civilization, of civilization, of population, and of commerce.

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NOTICE.

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