

## ISLE OF BEAUTY.

Shades of evening close not o'er us,  
Leave our lonely bark awhile;  
Morn, alas! will not restore us  
Yonder dim and distant isle;  
Still my fancy can discover  
Sunny spots where friends may dwell,  
Darker shadows hover round us—  
Isle of beauty, fare thee well.

'Tis the hour when happy faces  
Smile around the taper light;  
Who will fill the vacant places?  
Who will sing our songs to-night?  
Through the mist that float above us,  
Painfully sounds the vesper bell,  
Like the voice of one that loves us,  
Breathing fondly, fare thee well.

When the waves are around me breaking,  
As I pace the deck alone,  
An eye in vain is seeking  
Some green leaf to rest upon;  
What would I not give to wander,  
Where my old companions dwell;  
Absence makes the heart grow fonder—  
Isle of beauty, fare thee well.

—Byron.

It is better to need relief than to want the heart to give it.  
Temper is so good a thing that we should never lose it.  
It is bliss to learn lessons in love, for woman is our teacher.

Angry friendship is not infrequently as bad as calm enmity.  
It is a very easy thing for a man to be wise for other people.

To grow up to the skies, we must be planted low in the dust.

The greatest miracle ever wrought by love is the reformation of a coquette.

Take not the echo of your voice as a confirmation of what you may say.

Admit no guest into your soul that the faithful watchdog in your bosom barks at.

There's no use in your ever taking a lazy man to task. He won't perform it if you do.

Pies and puddings generally come last.—The last thing that pride eats is humble pie.

Music is the most delightful, rational entertainment that the human mind can possibly enjoy.

It is more important to discover a new source of happiness on earth than a new planet in the sky.

We may be in far better health to-day than we were yesterday, but we are nearer dissolution.

It is very unskillful flattery to tell a man that he isn't half so big a fool as the world thinks him.

In reading the puffs on gravestones, we can only hope that the dead are not spoiled by gross flattery.

Constant motion is the first law of nature, nothing being stationary except pen, ink and paper.

We cannot behold the proportions of the great ship of the universe, for we are shut up in the hold.

To all men the best friend is virtue; the best companions are high endeavors and honorable sentiments.

There is frozen music in many a heart that the beams of encouragement would melt into glorious song.

Much adversity is requisite to make us hate life; a beckon from prosperity will recall this hatred instantly.

They are widely who propose to turn men to the thoughts of a better world by making them think very meanly of this.

People generally think their evils less by being common, but their enjoyments greater by being exclusive.

Our sorrows are like thunder-clouds, which seem very black in the distance, but grow lighter as they approach.

Human glory is not always glorious. The best men have had their calumnies, the worst their panegyrics.

The pitter of little feet and the patter of the summer rain are among the sweetest music in the world of nature.

It is the league of friendship is once broken, the cabinet of secrets is unlocked, and they fly widely about like uncaged birds.

A man who cannot command his temper, his attention, and his countenance, should not think of being a man of business.

A tyrant cannot well bind one end of a chain around the arms or legs of a people without finding the other around his own neck.

When we look down upon the earth we think of the past; when we look up to the sky we think of the future.

Grief knits two hearts in closer bonds than happiness ever can; and common sufferings are far stronger links than common joys.

You may depend upon me, wife; I give you my word—I had rather you would sometimes keep it, sir.

Those who take no account of their own sins in life may expect to be brought one day to a dead reckoning.

A great curiosity is the derick with which the enthusiasm of the meeting was raised to the li best pitch.

The following is an Irishman's description making a cannon: "Take a long hole, and pour brass or iron around it."

In ancient times there were but three Graces; in these days every lady thinks she has at least three times that number.

A lady sometimes keeps charms upon her watch-guard; but it is more important that she keep watch and guard upon her charms.

When two opposite extremes are presented to you, it is generally safe as well as honorable to play the part of a go-between.

Those who are ready to die of joy at obtaining the lowest Government office, may afterwards die of grief because they can't obtain the highest.

SENTIMENTAL POETRY.—The following *Mercy* says that the following beautiful stanza is copied from a young lady's album:

"Fare me, when I hold thee fast,  
& gaze in two eyes as I gaze;  
mi love is warm in two a blaze;  
& I stand with in mi bosom rise,  
two big for mi week long two after  
which I've mi heart awl in a flutter."

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