#### POETRY.

From the Literary Garland.

THE FATHER TO HIS SLEEPING CHILD.

BY JAMES M'CARROLL

How like thy mother-every circling hour As thus I gaze, more fu'ly I can trace The beautoous semblance of that faded flow'r In thy sweet face.

Dear miniature of her who's sainted now, Her wonted smile seems sweetly ling'ring there : And that dark tress, which shades thy shining brow, 'Ila her own hair.

Oh let this fervent kiss thy slumbers mar, That I may gaze upon her speaking eye, Which seem'd a fragment of the vesper star And deep blue sky.

Steep on, sleep on, thou lonely lovely thing ; One the unruffled columness of thy breast To thy own angel mother's golden wing, That guards thy rest.

Peterborough.

#### REVIEW OF THE MONTREAL MARKET.

From the Commercial Messenger.

-The market is somewhat firmer at the FLOUR. rates, or nearly so, which we last mentioned. 33s. 6d. has been paid for a considerable quantity of good quality Canada fine. A fair lot was sold for 33s. a few days ago. American is held firmly at 32s. 6d. being a very slight advance upon last mentioned rates. It will thus be seen that the news by the Columbia has had a very immaterial effect upon the flour market.

WHEAT.—As we supposed a few days ago, the price of wheat has suffered a decline. A considerable quantity has changed hands at 6s 6d a 6s 10d. Even this is higher than the price of flour fully warrants, and a trifling decrease may yet be reckoned on.

Asirs.—The current price for pots may be quoted at 30s 6d a 31s 3d. Pearls have been sold at 30s a 30s 9d. In both of these kinds of ashes, and at these rates, transactions have taken place during the week.

TEAS have advanced in consequence of the news from China—though not so rapidly as the news from China—though not so rapidly as the first published statement might have been supposed to warrant. Twankay has been sold at 3s. 9d. a 3s. 10d. per lb., by public sale, and some samples Young Hyson at the same figure. Canton made has also been sold by anction at prices ranging from 3s. 2d. a 3s. 43d., but is now held at 3s. 6d. a 3s. 8d. per lb., and the former kinds at 3s. 10d. a 4s. per lb. These rates are not, however, looked upon as stable, and it is not improbable that they may again fall back to their former fi-

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Muscovado, bright, 41 0-00 0

Midding, - - 40 0-00 0

Dark, - - 37 6-39 0

Single Refined, p. lb 0 62-0 7

Double " " 0 71-0 8

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