

Miscellaneous.**CHEERFULNESS.**

Cheerfulness is a fortune in itself. It has been said it was better to possess a cheerful disposition, one always inclined to look at the bright side of things, than with a glowing mind to be master of an estate of ten thousand per year.

BEAUTIFUL LINES.

My God, my father, while I stray
Far from my home, in life's rough way,
O, teach me from my heart to say,
Thy will be done.

The man who agrees with anything you say, and laughs at every remark you make, is like a friendly dog—he expects a bone at some future time.

Sweet Potatoes are doing well this season in Michigan. Tho tuber is of good size and mealy.

The corn crops in the lowlands of Kentucky have been ruined by an inundation.

A Vermont man has got his second crop of strawberries for this year in market.

A four acre crop of peaches in Painesville, O., has been sold on the trees for \$2,700.

Pittsburg sends three tons of grapes to Philadelphia daily.

Long Island is gathering the largest potato crop it ever produced.

The grasshoppers have put apples up to 22 cents apiece in Utah.

Corn crop of Illinois very heavy. Late corn injured by the frost.

There are six thousand acres of Grapes in Ohio.

Humorous.**CURIOUS EPITAPHS IN ENGLISH CHURCHYARDS.**

This is to be seen at Lymptone, to a man named Box.

Here lies one Box within another,
The last very good, but can't say so much
for t'other.

Another runs:

Here lies the body of Deborah Dent,
She kicked up heels and away she went.

HIGH FALUTIN.

We are told that there was a paper in Cincinnati, which was very much given to high falutin, on the subject of this great country, until a rival paper somewhat modified its continual bounce with the following burlesque. This is a glorious country! it has longer rivers and more of them, and they are muddier, and deeper, and run faster, and rise higher, and make more noise, and fall

lower, and do more damage than anybody else's rivers. It has more lakes, and they are bigger and deeper, and cleaner and wetter than those of any other country. Our rail cars are bigger, and run faster, and pitch off the track oftener, and kill more people, than all other rail cars in this, and every other country. Our steamboats carry bigger loads, are longer and broader, burst their boilers oftener, and send up their passengers higher, and the captains swear harder than steamboat captains in any other country. Our men are bigger, and longer, and thicker, can fight harder and faster, drink more mean whiskey, chew more bad tobacco, and spit more, and spit further than any other country. Our ladies are richer, prettier, dress finer, spend more money, break more heads, wear bigger hoops, shorter dresses, and kick up the devil generally to a greater extent than all other ladies in all other countries. Our children squall louder, grow faster, get too expensive for their pantaloons, and become twenty years older sooner by some months, than any other children of any other country on the earth.—QUARTERLY REVIEW.

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LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, Oct. 25th, 1868.

Fall Wheat, per bushel.....	\$1.12½ to \$1.15
Spring Wheat do.....	1.00 to 1.05
Barley do.....	1.25 to 1.35
Oats do.....	42 to 44
Peas do.....	78 to 82
Corn do.....	75 to 85
Rye do.....	80 to 85
Hay, per ton.....	\$8.00 to \$10.00
Butter, prime, per lb.....	20 to 25
Eggs, per dozen.....	11 to 14
Potatoes, per bushel.....	60 to 90
Apples.....	40 to 75
Flour, per 100 lbs.....	2.75 to 3.25
Mutton, per lb., by quarter.....	5 to 6
Beef, per pound (on foot).....	4½ to 5
Wool per lb.....	20 to 25
Pork.....	6 50 to 7 50

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