

Poetry. From a London Paper. CHANGES.

The balmy flowers, the balmy flowers, So glorious and so fair, That graze the woods of boyhood's home, Where are they, tell me where?

Miscellaneous.

THE ASH OF PLANTS.

Condensed from a very valuable and elaborate article in "Morton's Cyclopaedia of Agriculture," now publishing by Messrs. Blackie & Sons, Glasgow.

When ordinary wood, or coal, or any plant is burned, a certain amount of combustible matter remains behind, especially known as ashes.

The particular quantities of mineral food which the different kinds of plants draw from the soil, are ascertained by the analysis of their ashes;

Table with 3 columns: In the Grain, In the Straw, Total. Rows include Potash, Soda, Magnesia, Lime, Phosph. Acid, Sulph. Acid, Silica, Perox. of Iron and Loss, and Cl of Sodium.

These analyses confirm the notion of our farmers, that a crop of barley or oat was easier on the land than one of oats. They also enable the farmer, at a glance, to see what he must restore of inorganic matter to the land, in order to keep up its fertility.

Society, of which the most hon. Marquis of Breadalbane is President. The "gathering" was large; and the large amphitheatre or circle, which was raised off for their sports, was thickly crowded here and there, with tartans of every clan, of every shade and every color.

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