

pear trees, is quite luxuriant, and the prospect of wall-fruit is equally gratifying.

It is definitely arranged that the Queen will not attend Ascot races this season; and the reason is said to be, that the royal consort does not approve of horse-racing, on account of the gaming and other immoralities always displayed on race-courses.

The library of the late Mr. Southey, the poet, has been brought to the hammer. The sale commenced on the 9th, and was to continue for sixteen days. There are 4000 lots, many of them necessarily consisting of several volumes.

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