

BEYOND THE RIVER.

Time is a river deep and wide;
And whirling along its banks we may,
We see our love's lamp o'er the tide.
How far from you right away, even now,
When you are far from me, I am here,
How near to me the loving eyes?
They're passed from life's contrite bourn,
To land unknown, that lies
Beyond the river.

'Tis bid from right where we may guess;
How beautiful their form can play,
For glories of the sun, or for the shade,
In vision grand, all we see, 100,000,000.
What way should that o'er it throw?
Their veil, uncurl'd for mortal sight,
With gold and purple tides glow,
Refracted from the glorious light.
Beyond the river.

And gentle air, so sweet; so calm,
Stirs from the south, from that sweet sphere,
The warmer feels their breath of balm,
And smooth ingresses the face, 50,000.
And sometimes list'ning ear may gain
Enrancing sound that little breath,
The echo of distant strife,
Or harp and voices' stedfast tone,
Beyond the river.

VARIETIES.

SCARS OF INDISCRETION.—A father whose son was addicted to some vicious propensities, bade the boy drive a nail into a certain post whenever he committed a fault; and agreed that a nail should be drawn out whenever he corrected an error. In process of time the post was completely filled with nails. The youth became alarmed at the extent of his indiscretion, and set about reforming himself. One by one the nails were drawn out; the delighted father commanded him for his noble, self-denying heroism in freeing himself from his faults. "They are all drawn out," said the parent. The boy looked sad, and there was a whole volume of practical wisdom in his sadness. With a heavy heart he replied, "True father; but the scars are there still." Parents who would have their children grow to sound and healthy character, must sow the seed at the fireside. Charitable associations can reform the man and perhaps make him a useful member of society; but alas! the scars are there. The reformed drunkard, gambler or thief, is only the wreck of the man he once was; he is covered with scars—which will disfigure his character as long as he lives.

STRANGE QUERY.—A correspondent wishes to know whether any Turks who may elude the attempts of the Russians to take them prisoners, are to be considered as Turkish slippers.

SINGULAR, BUT TRUE.—The universal and fierce anxiety of the Spanish population to join in the late revolutionary movement may be judged from the fact, that the youngest children in the empire were in arms!

People become ill by drinking healths; he who drinks the health of everybody, drinks away his own.

Women of great beauty have letters of recommendation on their forehead, written by the hand of nature legible to all.

When we record our angry feelings let it be on the snow, that the first beam of sunshine may obliterate them forever.

He who buys too many superfluities may be obliged to sell his necessities.

A fool generally loses his estate before he finds his folly.

A man that hoards riches and enjoys them pot, is like an ass that carries gold and eats thistles.

A young lady was lately married to Mr. William Tongue. Isn't she Tongue-tied? We hope she will be happy, and hold her tongue many a long year.

A puzzled subscriber is anxious to ascertain whether he would be justified in contracting a matrimonial engagement, being already wedded to his opinion.

A wag passing a house, observed on the door the separate names of physician and surgeon, and facetiously remarked that the subject put him in mind of a double-barrelled gun—if one missed the other was sure to kill.

"Jack, did you carry that umbrella home that I borrowed yesterday?" "No, father, you have often told me to lay up something for a rainy day; and as I thought it would rain before long, I laid the umbrella up."

LIE STRETCHERS.—Mrs. Nicholas an American lady says that "the drunks" are now called "lie stretchers" in her state. It is an every-day occurrence for some passengers in the stage-coach, while the latter are waiting at the hotels for the mails—to say, "I guess I'll get out and stretch my legs!" which always ends in their having a drink somewhere in the hotel.

TELEGRAMS.—*Gratineau.*—A poor deaf woman applied, a few days since, for relief to our well-known citizen, Mr. Longworth, who in compliance with her urgent appeal, finally headed her a dime.—Sinking on her knees she devoutly thanked God, and then, turning to Mr. Longworth continued, "and when in another world I see you in torment, I will remember your kindness, and give you a cup of cold water for that that you have done unto me." Mr. Longworth felt more obliged for her good intentions than complimented by her anticipation of his future!—*Our Columnist.*



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