

## POETRY.

### LITTLE BROWN HANDS.

They drive home the cows from the pasture,  
Up and through the long shady lane,  
Where the quails whistle loud in the wheat-fields  
That are yellow with the ripening grain;  
They find in the thick waving grasses,  
Where the scarlet-lipped strawberry grows,  
They gather the earliest snow-drops,  
And the first crimson blood of the rose.  
They toss the new hay in the meadow;  
They gather the elder bloom white;  
They find where the dusky grapes cluster  
In the soft-tinted October light.  
They know where the apples hang deepest,  
And are sweeter than Italy's vines;  
They know where the fruit hangs the thickest  
On the long thorny blackberry vines.  
They gather the delicate sea-weeds,  
And build tiny castles in the sand;  
They pick up the beautiful sea-shells,  
Fairy barks that have drifted to land.  
They wave from the tall, rocking tree-tops  
Where the oriole's hammock-nest swings,  
And at night time are folded in slumber.  
By a song that a fond mother sings,  
Those who toil bravely are strongest;  
The humble and poor become great;  
And from those brown-handed children  
Shall grow mighty rulers of state.  
The pen of the author of a statesman—  
The noble and wise of the land—  
The sword and the clasp and patte  
Shall be held in the little brown hand.

### Rough Notes.

Green peas have made their appearance in Savanna.

Gen. Sheridan has assumed command in Missouri.

Mobile is just talking of starting a velopede school.

Bergh is to lecture Boston about "cruelty to animals."

There are said to be over 10,000 Freemasons in Georgia.

Geo. W. Stedman, for many years connected with the New Orleans and Mobile press, died at Memphis on the 29th.

The French custom-house returns show that \$1 million francs' worth of velocities have been exported within the last twelve months.

The Deseret News tells of a snow plow on the Central Pacific railroad propelled by eight locomotives.

The President has ordered the discharge of 750 soldiers employed at arsenals in various parts of the country.

Among the incomes reported in Brooklyn, N. Y., are the following: Henry Ward Beecher \$24,175; J. W. Harper, \$58,515; and D. B. Cahn, \$350,000.

The New York courts have decided in favor of Barnum and Van Amburgh in a suit brought to recover \$130,000 insurance upon their museum and managerial property.

A northern gentleman who has lately settled near Petersburg, Virginia, intends to plant this year two-hundred acres in sorghum, and will manufacture sugar.

The Montgomery Advertiser thinks there will be a good peach crop in Alabama, notwithstanding the frost.

John R. King, of Macon county, Kentucky, was recently killed by his son because he would not devide his estate with him.

Ex-President Johnson will have the pleasure of reading an obituary notice of himself, of a circ. 12 in. length, in the Chicago Tribune.

The Detroit Tribune says: "A hen convention to talk up suffrage is to be held at Indianapolis May 1.

Connecticut has again lost its oldest inhabitant. This time it is Mrs. Jeremiah Ladd, and she is 108 years old.

They have in the White mountains, N. H., a "Tuckerman's Ravine," where the snow is 1,000 feet deep, and is expected to last till August.

A watchmaker in Rochester, N. Y., has just finished a watch movement which will run eight days without winding. It has two main springs.

Gold has been discovered in Texas in the vicinity of El Paso.

A young lady of Mobile is to marry a baron in Paris and a fortune of \$100,000.

A foot of snow fell at Albany, N. Y., on Thursday.

Massachusetts has a population of 1,610 Indians.

President Grant, it is said, will visit Long branch next summer.

California encourages the planting of shade trees by the roadside by the payment of one dollar premium each.

Minnesota does not allow any of the school fund to go to schools from which colored children are excluded.

There are now one hundred and thirty-two patients under treatment at the Minnesota Insane Asylum at Peter.

### THE HOMESTEAD LAW.

*Act to provide for laying off the Homestead and setting apart the Personal Property, excepted in favor of this State Article 2 of the State Constitution.*

SECTION II. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That whenever any resident of this State may desire to take the benefit of the Homestead and Personal Property Exemption, as guaranteed by Article X. of the Constitution, or this State shall apply to any Justice of the Peace of the County in which he resides, and said Justice of the Peace shall appoint three disinterested freeholders of the County not connected with said applicant, who shall, on notice by order of said Justice, meet at the applicant's residence, and after taking an oath to do impartial justice in the case, before some officer authorized by law to administer an oath, and all other to the applicant a homestead by metes or bounds, according to the applicant's direction, not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in value, and make a descriptive account of the same under their hand and seal, and return it to the office of the Register of Deeds.

SEC 2. Be it further enacted, That said freeholders shall assess of the personal property of said applicant to be by him selected; articles of personal property not exceeding in value the sum of five hundred dollars, and make a descriptive list of the same, and return them under their hand and seal, and return it to the office of the Register of Deeds.

SEC 3. Be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Register of Deeds to endorse on each said record the date when received for registration and to cause the same to be registered without unnecessary delay. The said register shall receive for registering the returns the same fees that may be allowed him by law for either similar or equivalent services, which fees shall be paid by said resident applicant (or his agent or attorney) upon the reception of said returns by the Register.

SEC 4. Be it further enacted, That at any time within twelve months after the reception of said returns for registration of said applicant, any creditor of said applicant may, upon presentation of his application, file a suit in the Superior Court of said applicant's County, to set aside and annul such laying off of a homestead and setting apart of personal property. The issue of a fraud or no fraud shall be tried by a jury, a same term of the Court, unless the parties so consent, for legal cause. If the issue be determined in favor of the creditor, he shall recover of the said applicant his Court costs, and the proceedings for laying off said personal property shall be null and void. If the issue be decided in favor of the applicant, recovery of the credit or personal property, and laying off of the homestead stand forever confirmed.

SEC 5. Be it further enacted, That it shall be illegal to fine him after its confirmation.

Passed the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1868.

DR. WHITFIELD.

*Regular Graduate of All:*

A Medicine, an diploma at one year, has been longer engaged in the treatment of General, Sexual and Private Diseases, than any other Physician in St. Louis.

Syphilis, Gonorrhœa, Gout, Stricture, Oxydrosis, Hernia, and Rectitude; and Urinary Diseases and especially incurable affections of the Throat, Skin or Bones are treated with unparalleled success.

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