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BLANKS FOR SALE HERE.

Poetry.

To Linnette.

I, too, have heard the Siren Song, When first across my young life's path, And o'er me there a bright vision, As lovely as Hesperian bloom...

Miscellaneous.

LOVE,—A REMINISCENCE.

BY MARY E. BRYAN.

Everywhere, in my wanderings, I sought to find the love of which poets had told me in their impassioned verse—the love I had imagined in my girlhood, when the days and nights were full of rich, sweet dreams...

Social Circle.

To the "Social Circle."

Dear Circle!—I hate apologies, but in order to maintain my seat as one of the order Circle, I must try and expose myself, or rather, I must try to excuse my delay.

What is sleep?

What is sleep? We do not know, we can only say that it is a condition belonging to almost every animal of organic nature, which seems naturally brought about by the activities of that organism...

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina: GENTLEMEN: Elected by the universal suffrages of a free people, you have assembled at the time appointed by law, to consult together for the common good, and to adopt such measures as may be demanded by the public welfare.

Beautiful Anecdote.

In Mr. Kilpin's school were two brothers, from eleven to twelve years old. One of these children had, after repeated admonitions, manifested a determined, obstinate and sulky resistance.

Position of Virginia.

Hon. Thomas S. Bocock, the representative in Congress from the Danville, Va., district, in a speech last week declared in favor of Virginia's remaining in the Union, to act as a mediator between the general government and the seceding States.

Conservative Men at the North.

The Richmond Dispatch refers to the vote given against Lincoln in the northern States, and says that regard should be had to it, and to the conservative men who constitute large minorities in every black Republican State, who have struggled with unflinching constancy against the baleful power of the party which hangs like a cloud over the fate of the nation.

A Cotton Confederacy—Effect on the Border Slave.

We find in the Kanawha (Va.) Republican the following sketch of the consequence likely to arise from the destruction of the Union and the formation of a Cotton Confederacy: "But let us come a nearer home; let us take a practical common sense view of the matter...

What the President can do.

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