

Man's Mortality.

[The following poem is justly considered a poetical gem of the highest order. The original was found in an Irish MS. in Trinity College, Dublin. There is reason to think that the poem was written by one of those primitive Christian bards in the reign of King Diarmid, about the year 554, and was sung and chanted at the last grand assembly of kings, chieftains, and bards, held in the famous Hall of Tara. The translation is by Dr. Donovan. A manuscript copy of the poem was sent by Prof. Stewart, of Trinity College, to the person who furnished it for publication in the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.]

Like a damask rose you see,
Or like a blossom on a tree,
Or like the dainty flower in May,
Or like the morning to the day,
Or like the sun, or like the shade,
Or like the gourd which Jonah made;
Even such is man, whose thread is spun,
Drawn out and out, and so is done.

The rose withers, the blossom blazeth,
The flower fades, the morning blazeth,
The sun sets, the shadow flies,
The gourd consumes, the man—he dies.

Like the grass that's newly sprung,
Or like the tale that's new begun,
Or like the bird that's here to-day,
Or like the peacock dew in May,
Or like an hour, or like a span,
Or like the singing of the swan;
Even such is man, who lives by breath,
Is here, now there, in life and death.

The grass withers, the tale is ended,
The bird is flown, the dew's ascended,
The hour is short, the span not long,
The swan's near death, man's life is done.

Like to the bubble in the brook,
Or in a glass much like a look,
Or like the shuttle in weaver's hand,
Or like the writing on the sand,
Or like a thought, or like a dream,
Or like the gliding of the stream;
Even such is man, who lives by breath,
Is here, now there, in life and death.

The bubble's out, the look forgot,
The shuttle's flung, the writing's blot,
The thought is past, the dream is gone,
The water glides, man's life is done.

Like an arrow from a bow,
Or like a swift course of water flow,
Or like the time 'twixt flood and ebb,
Or like the spider's tender web,
Or like a race, or like a goal,
Or like the dealing of a dale;
Even such is man, who heaps up sorrow,
Lives but this day, and dies to-morrow.

The lightning's past, the post must go,
The song is short, the journey so,
The pear doth rot, the plum doth fall,
The snow dissolves, and so must all.

A Story with a Moral.
Handsome Young Millionaire—"So you would like a position as companion to my sister?"
"Pretty Girl—"Yes, please; I would do my very best to give satisfaction."
"Can you sing?"
"No, I am sorry to say."
"You play the piano, I suppose?"
"No, I never studied music."
"Ah! Probably, then, you paint crockery or—"
"It is needless to continue the list, sir; I have no accomplishments."
"Indeed! Why, how have you passed your time since you left school?"
"At home helping mother. You see—"
"Pardon me for interrupting. You have said enough, and—"
"Oh, do not say I will not do. If necessary I can pick up some accomplishments in a reasonable time, I am sure."
"You will not do as a hired companion because you are entirely too good for the position, but if you take half of my fortune and me with it, I shall consider myself the luckiest man in the world."
She did.—Philadelphia Call.

Grains of Gold.
What we are afraid to do before men we should be afraid to do before God. The vanity of human life is like a river, constantly passing away, and yet coming on.
There are soft moments even to desperadoes. God does not all at once abandon them.
Were we as eloquent as angels, we would please some more by listening than by talking.
It is with some good qualities, as it is with the senses; they are incomprehensible and inconceivable to such as have them not.
An inward sincerity, will, of course, influence the outward deportment; but where the one is wanting there is great reason to suspect the absence of the other.
He who sedulously attends, pointedly asks, calmly speaks, coolly answers, and ceases when he has no more to say, is in possession of some of the best requisites of man.
Without mounting by degrees a man cannot attain to high things; and the breaking of the ladder still catcheth a man back, and maketh the thing wearisome which was easy.
Honest and courageous people have very little to say about either their courage or their honesty. The sun has no need to boast of its brightness, nor the moon of its effulgence.

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July 16, ood wk ly

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New Goods now opening at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 24)
OUR Boots and Shoes are giving great satisfaction.—DORSEY, GOFF & CO. (June)
New Stock of Trunks and Valises just received at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 24)
ENGLISH MALT VINEGAR at Beer & Goff's. (July 9)

GRASS CLOTH at 8 cents per yard and upwards (extra value) at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 24)
STRAWBERRIES and Cream at the "Little Shop around the Corner," and at the Star Confectionery.
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STRAWBERRIES and Cream at W. F. Carter's. (July 7)

LADIES' Oil Goat Button Boots; latest style, just received; to be sold at \$2.25 per pair during this month. This is very cheap. Dorsey Goff & Co's.
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NEW APPLES at the "Little Shop Around the Corner." (July 4)
ICE CREAM at W. F. Carter's. (July 7)
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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, 2d JUNE, 1884, trains will run daily as follows (Sundays excepted):—

TRAINS DEPART.—FOR THE WEST

STATIONS.	Express	Mix'd.	Mix'd.
Charlottetown	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Royalty Junction	6.00	8.25	3.40
North Wiltshire	6.15	9.00	4.40
Hunter River	6.50	9.52	4.47
Bradabane	7.00	10.68	5.00
County Line	7.25	10.46	5.35
Freetown	7.31	10.56	5.45
Kensington	7.41	11.12	5.59
	7.55	11.35	6.18
Summerside	8.20	12.10	6.50
Miscouche	8.40	1.45	
Wellington	8.55	2.08	
Port Hill	9.14	2.37	
O'Leary	9.43	3.28	
Bloomfield	10.35	4.50	
Alberton	10.53	5.15	
Tignish	11.18	6.10	
	11.55	7.00	

TRAINS ARRIVE.—FROM THE WEST.

STATIONS.	Express	Mix'd.	Mix'd.
Charlottetown	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Royalty Junction	7.15	4.20	9.20
North Wiltshire	6.25	2.54	8.10
Hunter River	6.15	2.38	8.00
Bradabane	5.51	2.00	7.25
County Line	5.45	1.50	7.16
Freetown	5.34	1.35	7.02
Kensington	5.20	1.12	6.43
Summerside	4.55	12.35	6.10
Miscouche	4.30	11.20	
Wellington	4.15	10.57	
Port Hill	3.57	10.29	
O'Leary	3.28	9.38	
Bloomfield	2.37	8.15	
Alberton	2.20	7.50	
Tignish	1.53	7.10	
	1.15	6.00	

TRAINS DEPART.—FOR THE EAST.

STATIONS.	Express	Mixed.
Charlottetown	3.30 p. m.	6.15 a. m.
Royalty Junction	3.45 "	6.34 "
York	3.57 "	6.52 "
Bedford	4.10 "	7.13 "
Mount Stewart	4.35 "	7.50 "
Morell	4.40 "	8.15 "
St. Peter's	5.09 "	9.00 "
Bear River	5.30 "	9.33 "
Souris	6.04 "	10.26 "
Mount Stewart	6.35 "	11.15 "
Cardigan	4.45 p. m.	8.20 a. m.
Georgetown	5.42 "	9.35 "
	6.00 "	10.00 "

TRAINS ARRIVE.—FROM THE EAST.

STATIONS.	Express	Mixed.
Charlottetown	9 05 a. m.	6.30 p. m.
Royalty Junction	8.50 "	6.10 "
York	8.38 "	5.53 "
Bedford	8.25 "	5.33 "
Mount Stewart	8.00 "	4.55 "
Morell	7.55 "	4.30 "
St. Peter's	7.26 "	3.45 "
Bear River	7.05 "	3.13 "
Souris	6.30 "	2.19 "
Mount Stewart	6.00 "	1.30 "
Cardigan	7 55 a. m.	4 25 p. m.
Georgetown	6 58 "	3 10 "
	6 40 "	2 45 "

Trains are run by Eastern Standard Time.
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Railway Office, Charlottetown, May 27, 1884.

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Charlottetown, June 11, 1884.

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Every Tuesday morning, at four o'clock, will leave Charlottetown for Orwell Brush Wharf; leaving Orwell Brush Wharf at seven a. m., for Charlottetown, calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving Charlottetown, at three p. m., for Halliday's, China Point and Brush Wharves, where she will remain over night.
Wednesday, will leave Brush Wharf for Charlottetown at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving Charlottetown at three p. m. to return, remaining at Brush Wharf overnight.
Thursday, will leave Brush Wharf for Charlottetown at seven a. m. calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving Charlottetown at three p. m. to return; leaving Brush Wharf about six p. m. for Charlottetown.
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JOHN HUGHES, Agent.
Ch'town, May 12, 1882.
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