

CORRESPONDENCE.

DEVELOPMENT OF ZEUS.

THE view put forward by Miss Janet Case in the *C.R.* for March 1904 is one which I have long held and taught as I had opportunity. As scholars do not read translations I may refer to the Introduction to *Prometheus Bound* in my translation of Aeschylus, pub-

lished in 1890 (Kegan Paul). I am glad to learn from Miss Case that the hypothesis has the authority of Dissen.

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VERSION.

SHIRLEY'S
'NO ARMOUR AGAINST FATE.'

The glories of our blood and state
Are shadows, not substantial things;
There is no armour against Fate;
Death lays his icy hand on kings :
 Sceptre and Crown
 Must tumble down,
And in the dust be equal made
With the poor crooked scythe and spade.

Some men with swords may reap the field,
 And plant fresh laurels where they kill ;
But their strong nerves at last must yield ;
They harm but one another still ;
 Early or late,
 They stoop to fate,
And must give up their murmuring breath
When they pale captives creep to death.

The garlands wither on your brow,
Then boast no more your mighty deeds ;
Upon Death's purple altar now
See where the victor-victim bleeds ;
 Your heads must come
 To the cold tomb :
Only the actions of the just
Smell sweet and blossom in the dust.

Edinburgh.

SECUNDUM SCHEMA METRICUM
PINDARI CARM. OLYMP. XII.

Εὐρυτίμου τ' ἀγλαῖαι γενεᾶς Στρ.
δόβιας τ' αἰσας ὅναρ ἀνεμόνευ· Μοίρας δὲ βέλη
εὗστοχ' αἱεῖ· Κῆρ δὲ χείρα προσφέρει
τοῦς ὑπερθύμους τυράννοις τὰν κρυεράν·
ἄ τε μίτρα σκάπτα τε χρύσεα μέλλει
εἰς χθόνα ριφθέντα λίστρῳ καὶ σκολιᾷ δρεπάνᾳ
λυγρὰν λαβεῖν κοινωνίαν.

τῶν δ' ἀμώντων καρπὸν Ἐιναλίον Αντ.
σὺν μαχαίρᾳ καὶ νεοθαλέᾳ δάφναι ἐν φονίᾳ
γὰρ φυτεύοντων χαλάται καρτερά
εἰς τέλος νεῦρ· ἔφθαρεν δ' ἀλλαλοφόνοις
ἔγχεσιν· πάντως δ' ἀπόρῳ μύγεν ἄτα·
αἰχμάλωτοι δ' ὡς προσάποις εἰς Ἀΐδα χθόνιον
πτώσσοντι σὺν λευκανθέσιν

γάρνος ἥδ' ἐρατᾶς ζῶᾶς ἄμοιροι. Επ.
φύλλα δὲ σᾶς ἐπὶ χαίταις οὔνεκεν μαραίνεται
ἀβρὰ νίκας, μηρέτι ἥργ' ἀγέρωχα μάτην
κόρμπει· θανάτου δ' ἐπὶ βωμοῖς αἷμ' ἵδε στάζοντ'
ἐρυθροῖς
τὸν βίαιον ἀντιτυχόντα βίας
κρέσσονος· ρύγος τάφου μὲν χειμέριον
εἰλ' ἀλιτρούς· ἐν κόνι δ' ἀνδρῶν κεδῶν ἥργα
μούν' εὐδόμα θάλλει.

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ARCHAEOLOGY.

DÖRPFELD'S TROY.

Troja und Ilion; Ergebnisse der Ausgrabungen in den vorhistorischen und historischen Schichten von Ilion, 1870–1894. Von W. DÖRPFELD, unter Mitwirkung von A. Brückner, H. von Fritze, A. Götze, H.

Schmidt, W. Wilberg, H. Winnefeld. Pp. xviii., 652; 76 plates and 471 cuts in text. Athens: Beck and Barth, 1902. Mk. 40.

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