

THE SAILOR'S ADIEU.

Whence comes this keen, this cutting smart?
Why doth the tear unbidden start?
Why beats my sad, my sinking heart—
Thus heavily?

ELIZA—'tis because I part—
My life!—from thee.

Tost from the rude and foaming wave,
O'er which the howling tempests rave,
In distant climes I go to brave
The furious sea—
My doom—perhaps—a watery grave,
Far—far from thee.

Yet not the angry ocean's roar,
Nor rocks that skirt the fatal shore—
All stain'd with shipwreck'd seamen's gore—
Could make me fear:
No, 'tis thy loss! I now deplore,
With briny tear.

Oh! say, thou all on earth I prize!
Wilt thou my absence mourn with sighs;
And Heaven invoke with uplift eyes,
To speed my way?
Wilt thou?—But see, the signal flies!
I must not stay.

By storms that sweep the deep abyss—
By plighted vows—by all our bliss—
By this embrace—and this—and this—
Dear Maid! be true!
Remember Love's last parting kiss!
Adieu! Adieu!!!

ANECDOTES.

A corporation town in the neighbourhood of Weymouth, in England, lately published a hand bill, of which the following is a literal copy:—"Whereas his Majesty the King and Queen is expected to honour this ancient Corporation with their presence in the course of their tour to this place. In order to prevent them from meeting no impediment in his journey, the Worshipful the Mayor and Bailiffs have thought proper that the following regulations shall be prohibited as follows:—No body must leave no dirt, nor nothing in that shape, before their doors nor shops, and all wheel barrows, cabbage stalks, marble stones, and other vegetables, must be swept out of the streets. Any one who shall give offence in any manner in any one of these articles shall be dealt with according to law, without bail or mainprize.—God save the King and his Worshipful Mayor.

A party of sailors, who had been in the battle of Trafalgar, were, a short time ago, met in Plymouth Dock (England) by some girls of their acquaintance. "So Ben," said one of the girls, you have lost brave Nelson. The dear fellow! he's gone to Heaven I hope." "Gone to Heaven!" replied Ben, "to be sure he is, what the hell could stop him."

MEDICAL.

In the night of 2d instant, I was called to a child not quite nine months old, which although not in good health, had cried for two days more than usual. On examination the mother discovered a hard inflamed tumour, about half an inch from the umbilicus, on the left side, over which a poultice was applied. On removing the poultice just before I visited the child, a small aperture had taken place in the middle of the tumour and the point of a hard substance was visible. I could only at first feel, from the size and roughness, that it was not a needle as had been supposed, but on the child's going to sleep, it projected sufficiently to shew a part of a nail, which I held, and by enlarging the opening and dissecting down and around the head extricated it. It is a cut 4d. nail, of a large size, almost one and an half inch long, and a little bent. The child is large for his age and has enjoyed good health, nor has it suffered any other injury from the course of this nail than a small sore which is now nearly healed. This nail must have been taken by the mouth, and swallowed head foremost, probably at the time of its cutting its teeth of which it has four; at which period children are known to be fond of carrying hard substances to their mouths; and its discharge seems fortunately to have been directed to a part of the body least liable to be injured by it. I have been informed by a physician, whose veracity cannot be doubted, that he extracted a needle from a lady's arm, which she recollected to have swallowed many months before; but I have never heard of any thing as large as this nail travelling a similar course in the human body.—*Enguette's Repository, Jan. 5, 1805.*

CHARLESTON, April 7.

The ship Leander arrived from New-York at Jacquemel, about the 1st of March, as soon as her arrival was known at Port-au-Prince, the ship Emperor, Captain Lewis, sailed to join her—a number of Americans that were there, went on board as volunteers. It is certain that this expedition is intended for the Caracaras; those engaged in it made no doubt of their success, as they were assured they would be received with great joy by the colonists there, who were stated to be ready for a revolution. The Leander had one hundred and eighty men on board, these and those who went from Port-au-Prince, it was supposed would make a force of about two hundred and fifty men, that could be spared from the ships to make a landing. It was said that the Leander had great quantities of arms, ammunition, and clothing on board.

Many commissions, were given to Americans at Port-au-Prince. A Mr. Kirkland, from Boston, was appointed a colonel. A number of articles, such as clothing, saddles, &c. was purchased at Port-au-Prince.

Extract of a letter from Washington, March 23.

"Last evening dispatches were received from our minister in London, Mr. Monroe, which state, that since the arrival of the first presidential message in London, and since the spirit of this country had been understood to be so greatly excited against the conduct of that government, the changes of conduct in that administration, to him, had been very great and pointed. The king and queen had also been very attentive, and, in general, so far as personal respect and attention were concerned, there had been no omission; that the old administration had not answered his last note, and the new, at the date of the dispatches, was not sufficiently formed to be addressed on the subject of our disputes. Mr. Monroe further adds, what the friends of this country will be rejoiced to know, that he will not leave London before he shall have brought the negotiation to a happy issue, or exhausted the means of negotiation. The general belief here is that the wonderful victories of Napoleon on the continent, the peace made there, the change of the ministry in England and the partial prohibitions of the manufactures, which will certainly amount to 12,000,000 of dollars per annum, will induce the British Cabinet to make amends for the injuries inflicted on our citizens, and yield us that justice which we ask."

Gazette.

We have great satisfaction in communicating to the public the following pleasing information, inasmuch as it completely purges the government of all criminal connivance at, or participation in the late mysterious expedition under Miranda.—A letter is received in town from General Dearborn, Secretary at War, in which he pre-emptorily declares that neither the administration, nor any of the heads of departments individually, have any knowledge of the destination of the Leander; that on this subject neither Mr. Jefferson or Mr. Madison ever had any conferences and communications with General Miranda; that it was not until after she had sailed, that they were advised of her being destined on a hostile voyage; and that on receiving this advice, suits were immediately instituted against the parties concerned, and that too, before any representations were made to them by any foreign minister or agent.—*Phil. Gas.*

The President's Message at the commencement of the present session of Congress, was published in England early in the month of January. The New-York memorial had been published. It is said that Mr. Fox, a short time previous to his coming into the ministry, expressed himself averse to the proceedings respecting neutral commerce, which we have recently complained of.

Montevideo taken by the British.

Advice is received at the Island of Cuba, by a packet from Old Spain, that Montevideo on the River la Plata, is taken possession of by the British, and that their force amounted to eighteen thousand troops—the Commanding officer on this expedition was not named at Cuba, when our informant received this intelligence.—*Nassau Gazette.*

London, Feb. 11.

It is stated that Mr. Grattan declines holding any official station, though he will give the new Ministry his entire support.

We understand that it is intended Mr. Pitt's funeral shall take place on Saturday the 22d inst. and that the body shall lie in state on the preceding Thursday and Friday.

Intelligence received from off Boulogne states, that the most vigorous measures are adopting along the French coast, particularly at Boulogne, to place the latter in a formidable state of defence. Active preparations have begun to be made in the Boulogne flotilla.

A gentleman lately returned from Flushing, informs us, that there are six 74-gun ships nearly ready to launch at Antwerp; these ships when ready for sea, will, in all probability, go to the Texel. Government, we trust, will take measures to cause them to be intercepted.

Last night Paris papers arrived to the 21st ult. and Dutch to the 4th instant.

The intelligence from Berlin speaks with confidence of the preservation of peace between Prussia and France. A treaty is said to have been signed, by which Hanover is to remain in the hands of Prussia till the general peace: His Prussian Majesty too, in his general orders to his army states, that he has succeeded in preserving peace; but that if war had taken place, he is convinced his troops would have shewn themselves worthy of the Prussian name. For the present, therefore, there is no expectation of hostilities between the two powers.

Books and Stationary.

For sale at the Printing-Office, Wilmington, B. BURKET on the New Testament Family and school Bibles Prayer Books, Blair's Sermons, New whole duty of Man

Sermons and other practical Works of the Rev. Ralph Erskine, A. M. Thompson's history of Christ, with the lives of the Apostles and their successors for 300 years after the crucifixion Hervey's Meditations, Watts's Miscellanies Boyle's Theological Works, Beauties of Watts, Family Instructor Zimmerman on Solitude, Pilgrim's Progress Tracts, Sermons, &c. on important subjects The Christian World Unmasked The sincere Christian's Guide in the choice of religion Hallyburton's Memoirs The doctrines and discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church in America Calvinism and Universalism contrasted Sacramental Directory Theatre of God's judgment Poor Man's Help and young Man's Guide Methodist hymns and spiritual songs Rippons hymns, The Scapular The Naked Truth, concerning sprinkling of Infants.

Farmer's Magazine, American Husbandry Johnston's, Sheridan's, Jones's, Bailey's and Entick's Dictionaries Blair's Lectures, Rollin's Belles Letters Kaime's Criticism, Sheridan's Lectures Reid's Essays on the intellectual and active powers of man Sheridan's Elocution, Duncan's Logic Goldsmith's Greece, Ditto England Harris's Hermes, or a philosophical enquiry concerning universal grammar Mo'se's Gazetteer, Salzman's Gymnastics for youth Gibson's Surveying, Ferguson's Astronomy Paley's Philosophy, Nicholson's ditto Stewart's Elements of the philosophy of the human mind Hutton's Conic Sections, Simpson's ditto Ditto Logarithms, Elements of Euclid Dillworth's and Jones's Book-keeping An easy method of working the Plan and Sliding Rules, for the use of Architects Fenning's Ready Reckoner, or Trader's useful Assistant Murray's, Lowth's, Harrison's and Webster's English Grammars A Key to the Exercises, adapted to Murray's Grammar Murray's English Reader Orator's Assistant, Enfield Speaker Scott's Lessons, American Selections American Preceptor, American Monitor Young gentleman and lady's Monitor Young Man's Companion Dwigat's Geography in question and answer Priestley's miscellaneous observations relating to education Burton's Lectures on female education and manners

Alkin's Letters from a father to his son, on various topics relative to literature and the conduct of life West's Letters to a young man on his first entrance into life Wood's Mentor, or the American Teacher's Assistant, Female Mentor Letters to a young lady on a variety of useful and interesting subjects, calculated to improve the heart, to form the manners and enlighten the understanding Seneca's Morals Baron Haller's letters to his daughter on the truths of the Christian Religion Moral Tales, Biosoms of Morality The Boarding School, or Lessons from a Preceptress to her Pupils Elements of Morality Queen Mab

Gay's, Croxall's and Dodsley's Fables Primers, chap books, Copy Slips Boyer's and Nugent's French and English and English and French Dictionaries Pearce's Longinus Virgil Horace, Cicero Delphini, Virgil Delphin Davidson's Virgil, Clark's Introduction Corderii Colloquium Centuria Selecta Eutropii Historie Romanae Breviarium Salustii Cornelius Nepotii Elementary introduction to the Latin Grammar, Latin Grammars, New French do. Chambaud's French and English Exercises Rollin's Ancient History Robertson's History of America

Snowden's do. do. Hutme's do. of England Russell's do. of Modern Europe Goldsmith's do. of the Earth and Animated Nature Barrow's do. in the interior districts of Southern Africa Caerer's Travels throughout the interior parts of North-America, for more than five thousand miles Travels in Europe, Asia and Africa Mackenzie's Voyages, from Montreal thro' the Continent of North-America, &c. &c. Sporting Magazine Essay on Commerce, Bolingbrook's Tracts Jefferson's Notes on Virginia Beckford's History of France Gifford's Residence in do. Moreau's History of St. Domingo

Travels of Anacharsis the Younger in Greece Park's Travels in the interior districts of Africa, Damburger's do. do. Bruce's Travels to discover the source of the Nile The Young Gentleman's and Lady's Monitor Cook's Voyages, Robinson Crusoe The Algerine Captive, or the life and adventures of Dr. Underhill, 6 years a prisoner among the Algerines Memoirs of Major General Lee Life of Buonaparte Do. of Edward.

Do. of Robert Lord Clive Stern's Works, Winter Evenings, or Lucubrations on Life and Letters The Spectator, The Idler, Paine's Works An Enquiry into the nature and origin of Evil Beauties of the Studies of Nature, selected from the works of Saint Pierre Beauties of Nature, Principles of Nature Young's Night Thoughts Columbian Muse Select Poems Spirit of Despotism Voltaire's Philosophical Dictionary Junius's Letters, elegant and common editions Political Dictionary, Democrat Caustic's Democracy unveiled An Essay on Crimes and Punishments Defence of Usury Zimmerman's on National Pride Somerville's Political Transactions Dramatic Dialogues Telemachus, elegant and common editions Row's Letters from the dead to the living The Complete Letter Writer Lady's Miscellanies Free Mason's Monitor The Frugal Housewife, or complete Woman's Cook Steuben's Military Discipline Cavalry Discipline

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