



POETRY.

[For the Messenger.]
Thy Will be done.
Though pleasure's festal smile be mine,
And hope across my pathway shine;

VARIETY.

DIFFERENCE IN TIME.—A friend of ours having amused himself with comparing the variations of time, as measured by the sun at several points in the United States, we copy his table for the benefit of such of our patrons as are contemplating summer excursions, and do not choose to alter their patient levers from standard time—by which we mean, of course, Philadelphia time.

interval between the departure of my meridian from the mean sun and its succeeding return to it, is the mean solar day. Clocks and chronometers are adjusted to mean solar time; so that a complete revolution (through 24 hours) of the hour hand of one of these machines should be performed in exactly the same interval as the revolution of the earth on its axis, with respect to the mean sun.

GENERAL MAXIMS FOR HEALTH.—Rise early. Eat simple food. Take sufficient exercise. Never fear a little fatigue. Let no children be dressed in tight clothes; it is necessary that their limbs and muscles should have full play, if you wish for either their health or their beauty.

BURGESS & WALKER, Stationers' Hall, 85 East Bay, CHARLESTON, S. C. AGENTS for Latham & Hagar's Type Foundry, New York, will contract to supply any quantity or variety of Printing Type to the Printers of North and South Carolina, and Georgia, on as advantageous terms as they can be furnished from the manufacturers.

State of North Carolina, BUNCOMBE COUNTY, In Equity—Spring Term, 1840. JOHN OSBORN, vs. SAMUEL SMITH, and others.

CHEAPEST FAMILY NEWSPAPER IN THE U. S.!! ALEXANDER'S WEEKLY MESSENGER, IS published every Wednesday, on extra-imperial sized paper of the largest class, and of a beautiful texture, at two Dollars per annum, or ten subscriptions for Ten Dollars.

A Liberal Offer. Postmasters, or other gentlemen acting as agents by forwarding a current twenty dollar note (free of postage) will be furnished for one year with ten copies of Alexander's Weekly Messenger, and ten copies of the Silk Grower & Farmer's Manual, edited by Ward, Cheney & Brothers.

THE ROSE.—Mrs. Sigourney.—I saw a rose perfect in beauty; it rested gracefully upon its stalk, and its perfume filled the air. Many stopped to gaze upon it, many bowed to taste its fragrance, and its owner hung over it with delight. I passed again, and behold it was gone; its stem was leafless, its root had withered; the enclosure which surrounded it was broken down.

PRINTING! PRINTING!!

THIS Office having now on hand a complete assortment of Book and Job Type, the proprietors are prepared to execute, in the most fashionable style, and on moderate terms, all kinds of LETTER-PRESS PRINTING.

Seed Wheat. 100 Bushels choice SEED WHEAT, of the bearded kind, for sale by the subscriber, living three miles east of Asheville—a sample of which can be seen at this office.

Religious Notice. THE Baptist Church at Little River, in Henderson county, N. C., have appointed a protracted meeting to be held at that place, to commence on Wednesday 22d day of July next, and respectfully invite the Gospel Ministry to attend the meeting.

Holston College. NEW-MARKET, EAST TENNESSEE. THE Semi-Annual Examination of Holston College, closed its Winter session on Thursday the 26th ult., and the Summer session will commence on Friday the 24th inst.

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PROSPECTUS OF THE HIGHLAND MESSENGER.

A weekly paper published at Asheville, N. C. Devoted to Religion, Morality, Science, Politics and General Intelligence.

The undersigned propose to publish, in the city of Baltimore, a newspaper to be called THE PILOT.

THE EMERALD, and to be edited by HUGH McQUEEN, who has been remarked by an eminent man, whose enlightened and spirited labors for the welfare and glory of North Carolina will form an interesting portion of her future history.

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PROSPECTUS OF THE Western Star of Liberty.

THE undersigned having assumed the entire control of the Western Star of Liberty, (formerly known by the title of Carolina Gazette) deems it necessary, in issuing a Prospectus to the public to state the rules and principles by which he shall be governed and guided, in as short and plain a manner as possible.

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