

MISCELLANEOUS.



THREE WEEKS AFTER MARRIAGE.

By T. H. Bayley.

I don't care three and sixpence now
For any thing in life;
My days of fun are over now,
I'm married to a wife—
I'm married to a wife, my boys,
And that by Jove's no joke!
I've eat the white of this world's egg,
And now I've got the yolk.

I'm sick of sending marriage cake,
Of eating marriage dinners,
And all the fuss that people make
With newly wed beginners:
I care not now for white champagne,
I never cared for red;
Blue coats are all blue bores to me,
And Limerick gloves or kid.

And as for posting up and down,
It adds to all my ills,
At every paltry country town,
I wish you saw the bills.
They know me for a married man,
Their smirking says they do,
And charge me as the Scotch Greys charged
The French at Waterloo.

I've grown too, quite an idle rogue,
I only eat and drink;
Reading with me is not in vogue,
I can't be plagued to think;
When breakfast's over, I begin
To wish 'twere dinner time,
And these are all the changes now
In my life's pantomime.

I wonder if this state be what
Folks call the honey moon?
If so, upon my word, I hope
It will be over soon;
For too much honey is to me
Much worse than too much salt,
I'd rather read from end to end,
The works of Mr. Galt.

Oh! when I was a bachelor
I was as brisk as a bee,
But now I lie on ottomans,
And languidly sip tea,
Or read a little paragraph
In any evening paper,
Then think it time to go to sleep,
And light my bedroom taper.

Oh! when I was a bachelor
I always had some plan
To win myself a loving wife,
And be a married man,
And now that I am so at last,
My plans are at an end,
I scarcely know one thing to do,
My time I cannot spend.

Oh! when I was a bachelor,
My spirits never flagged,
I walk'd as if a pair of wings
Had to my feet been tagged;
But I walk much more slowly now,
As married people should;
Were I to walk six miles an hour,
My wife might think it rude.

Yet after all I must confess,
This easy sort of way
Of getting o'er life's jolting road,
Is what I can't gainsay;
I might have been a bachelor
Until my dying day,
Which would have been to err at least,
As far the other way.

Discharging a Load.—A bachelor in Essex county, who was somewhat stricken in years, had been for some time enamoured with one of the maiden sisterhood, but could not muster courage enough to pop the question. One day he was resolved to make the attempt. He accordingly went to the house, knocked at the door, and his lovely dulcinea made her appearance. After a mutual nod the following laconic dialogue ensued: 'Do you want to change your condition?' 'No.' 'I neither.' And turning about our bachelor concluded the conversation with, 'Thank heaven, I've got that load off my stomach!'

Kissing.—We learn from a western paper, that a young gentleman of New York, has been fined \$28 and costs, for kissing the wife of a man with whom he boarded. The suit was brought by the husband for the recovery of damages, some part of which were sustained more than a year ago by this tender meeting of lips. It appeared by the testimony of the *kisser*, that the offence had been repeated eight or nine times within a few months, making the price of the *smacks* about \$3 each. So, young men, take

warning. Be cautious in all things, but be especially careful how you kiss other people's wives. We don't think this is a *very* exorbitant rate, if the western damsels are any thing like our yankee ones. It should have been stated how long the kisses were. Byron says the length is the only way to determine the value of a kiss. For example: "A long—long kiss—a kiss of youth and love," is assuredly worth more than \$3. Shakespeare has also a line in which the beauty of these delicious kisses is well expressed: "A kiss, Long as my exile!—sweet as my revenge!" Goodness! what fellows these poets must have been for kissing!!!

A bite.—The New York Gazette says: A few evenings since, a handsome young girl, a domestic in a respectable family in this city, was sent out on an errand. She had not proceeded far up Broadway, when she was accosted by one of those worthies, who, in the garb of gentlemen, make it a practice to insult females who appear without a protector in the streets; or as they have it, "pick them up." He asked her if he should have the pleasure of seeing her home! to which she replied certainly—and then requested him as he was polite enough to see her home, she would thank him to carry her bundle for her—to which he joyfully consented. They proceeded up Broadway to the corner of Walker street; when suddenly the lady disappeared, leaving the gentleman with the bundle in hands, halloping after her, for it seemed he was too much astonished to follow her. He then began to think what the bundle contained, for it felt warm, and something in it seemed to move. His fears were excited—he proceeded to examine the contents, and what do you suppose, gentle reader, it contained! "A child," you will say of course; unfortunately for the gallant gentleman, no! but *four new born kittens*, which the girl had been sent out to loose in the street, in preference to drowning them. It is truly to be hoped the gentleman has taken fatherly charge of the poor little four-footed orphans, thus kindly entrusted to his care.

Tricks in Trade.—A vender of 'West India goods and groceries,' in a village in New Hampshire, had on hand a quantity of molasses which he retailed for nine cents the quart. A rival grocer put his down to eight. This was a little lower than our hero 'wished to afford' it, but people would not give him nine, while his neighbor sold the sweetening for eight. Necessity is the mother of invention, and a Yankee never was at fault in matter of 'dicker' or trade, Jonathan hit upon the following expedient: He divided his molasses into two parts and advertised, 'as good molasses as can be bought at any store in New Hampshire, for eight cents—also, a *very superior* cask at ten.' The 'superior article' was readily and rapidly sold, while the eight cent commodity laid on hand. One half thus disposed of, Jonathan shifted his casks, and transposed the other half into a 'superior' position, by which manoeuvre the whole was vended at ten cents.

A man in a thousand.—A gentleman came into our counting room yesterday, and addressing himself to the book-keeper, sir, said he, "I have read your paper for eighteen months, and always borrowed it; now it is but fair that I should subscribe for it." Suiting the action to the word, he "ponied up" four dollars, and registered his name on our subscription list. What a splendid example! How seldom are public journalists cheered with such encouragement... *Boston Tran.*

Tough.—A writer in a St. Clairsville (Ohio) paper, tells the following story as every word true:—"In November, 1827, then living in Harrison county, Ohio, I killed a small hog and dressed it on the face of a large red oak stump. In the March following I observed most of the bristles left on the stump from dressing the hog, to be sticking into the wood endwise—and on pulling them out, I found to each bristle two or three roots from 3 to 4 of an inch long, having actually commenced a vegetable growth."

E. P. NASH & CO.
Booksellers, Stationers,
And Blank Book Manufacturers,
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA.
May 1, 1832. 32

NOTICE.
THE Subscribers are now receiving, in addition to their former stock, the following articles, which they offer on good terms
For Cash or Produce.
6 hhd's St. Croix SUGAR—10 casks CHEESE,
50 sacks Liverpool SALT—10 hhd's RUM,
20 barrels WHISKEY—40 bags COFFEE,
50 pieces BAGGING—10 tons IRON, assorted,
20 kegs NAILS—50 coils bale ROPE,
1000 bushels alum SALT—1000 do. ground do.
The above articles were purchased in New York and Boston, and are now offered at a small advance on the first cost.
D. RICHARDS & CO.
Tarborough, 15th Dec. 1832.

Neuse River Free Bridge LOTTERY,
TO BE DRAWN AT
Kinston, Lenoir County, N. Carolina.
SCHEME.
1 Prize of \$2,000 is \$2,000
2 do. 1,000 2,000
4 do. 500 2,000
6 do. 300 1,800
8 do. 250 2,000
10 do. 200 2,000
20 do. 100 2,000
40 do. 50 2,000
100 do. 20 2,000
220 do. 10 2,200
411 \$20,000
3000 whole Tickets at \$5, is \$15,000
2000 half do. at \$2:50 5,000
\$20,000

When the Commissioners named in the Act of Assembly authorizing the above Lottery, shall have disposed of the Tickets and appointed a day for the drawing, they will, in order the more effectually to secure public confidence in their proceedings, surrender the entire management of the business to the following gentlemen, under whose direction the Lottery will be drawn, (viz.) *John Watkins, Esq. of Duplin, Hardy Bryan, Esq. of Jones, Hon. Richard Dobbs Spaight, of Craven, Col. Blount Coleman, of Lenoir, Gen. Wyatt Moye, of Greene, and Richard Washington, Esq. of Wayne county.* And in case either of these cannot attend, to such gentlemen as he or they may designate from their respective counties. As a Board of Managers, it will be their province to choose their Clerks, who shall be sworn to keep faithful records of the drawing; they will also select the boys to whom shall be assigned the business of drawing the tickets and numbers from the wheel; for which services the Commissioners will allow the necessary compensation.

The drawing will be conducted on the old and popular mode, by placing the Prizes and Blanks in one wheel, and the numbers in another. Fifteen per cent. will be deducted from the Prizes, and the fortunate adventurers will receive payment upon presentation of their tickets, immediately after the drawing, or at any time within twelve months thereafter.

The Bridge when completed will be free for all persons who may pass it—and the route to Newbern across this Bridge, is as near for persons living above as the present stage route, and will be the means of avoiding nine miles of deep sand. It will also be in the direct route from Wilmington to Tarborough.

It is the wish of the Commissioners to accomplish the drawing on the 4th July next, in the town of Kinston, Lenoir county. If the sale of the tickets should enable them to do so, timely notice of the fact will be given in the newspapers in order that as many as may wish to witness the drawing may attend for that purpose.

It is hoped and earnestly requested that the gentlemen to whom tickets may be forwarded for sale, will use early and diligent means to dispose of them—and that all persons who are disposed to patronize the work will do it at an early day, as the Commissioners are desirous of calling on the Agents or venders of tickets about the 1st of June for settlement, so as to enable them to prepare for drawing on the 4th July.

William D. Mosely,
Council Wooten,
George Whitfield, Sen.
Jesse Lassiter,
Allen W. Wooten,
John W. S. West,
Windal Davis,
Needham Whitfield,
Kinston, March, 1833.
Tickets in the above Lottery can be had at the Post Office in Tarboro'

PROPOSALS.
For publishing by Subscription, a concise HISTORY OF THE
Kehukee Baptist Association,
From its original rise to the present time,
BY ELDER JOSEPH BIGGS,
Under the supervision of a Committee appointed by the Kehukee Association.
THIS work will be divided into two parts—
Part 1st, will contain the History of the Kehukee Association from its first organization until the year 1803, as compiled by Elders BURKITT and READ, (omitting such parts of it as are considered superfluous.) Part 2d, will embrace a continuation of the History of the Association, until the present period, by Elder JOSEPH BIGGS, &c.

CONDITIONS.
The work will be printed on good paper, with a fair type, and will make about 300 pages, duodecimo. It will be furnished to Subscribers, neatly bound and lettered, at \$1 per single copy, or \$10 per dozen.
Persons holding Subscription papers will please send them, on or before the 1st of April next, to Elder JOSEPH BIGGS, Williams-ton—or, to George Howard, Tarboro', N. C.

Mrs. A. C. Howard,
HAS just received direct from New York, her FALL SUPPLY of Goods in her line of business, consisting principally of—
Pattern Bonnets, latest fashions,
Laghorn, Dunstable and Navarino bonnets,
Straw braid, chain, gimp, &c.
Satin—figured, watered and plain Silks,
Worsted, Gauze and Adelaide handkerchiefs,
Blond gauzes, quilling and edging,
Head dresses and ornaments—Puffs and Curis,
Carved tuck combs, turn back and side do.
A great variety of flowers, ribbons, &c.
Mrs. H. continues to carry on the Millinery and Mantua making business as usual. Orders from a distance punctually attended to.
Tarborough, Dec. 1, 1832.

Henry Johnston,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
TAKES this method of informing his friends and customers, that he has just received from New York a part of his
FALL SUPPLY
Of the finest and most fashionable Goods, In his line of business, suitable for the season—
—SUCH AS—
Superfine cloths and cassimeres, the most fashionable colors,
Brown Petersham, for over coats, a very sup'r article,
Goats hair, and Ladies camlets, for cloaks,
Plain and figured velvet vestings,
Plain and fancy silks, beautiful article,
Dark and light Valenciens,
Plain white and figured Quiltings,
Best quality buckskin gloves, black and fancy stocks,
Linen collars and bosoms, best pungee silk Handk'ls,
Black and white cravats, suspenders, &c.
All of those goods will be sold very low for cash, or on a short credit to punctual customers. Gentlemen wanting such articles are particularly invited to call and examine for themselves, as he is confident he can please all such. Persons furnishing their own cloths, can have them made and trimmed at the shortest notice and in the most fashionable manner. All orders from a distance will be punctually attended to.
Tarboro', Oct. 1, 1832.

Land for Sale.
THE Subscriber offers for sale on the most liberal terms, that well known and desirable place where his father James Garrett lived, 3 miles west of Tarborough, on the main stage road leading from that place to Fayetteville—
Containing about 300 Acres,
Nearly all of which is well adapted to the culture of Corn and Cotton, and upon which, in a pleasant and healthy spot, are nearly all the buildings requisite to the comfort and convenience of a family. The premises may be viewed by applying to *H. W. Garrett*, who will make known the terms, &c.
WM. GARRETT.
March 2d, 1833. 27

Bank of Newbern,
January 7th, 1833.
AT the late annual meeting of the STOCKHOLDERS of the BANK OF NEWBERN on the first Monday of this month.—It was Resolved, That a Dividend of twenty-five per cent. on each and every Share of the Capital Stock of said Bank be, and the same is hereby declared and made payable to the Stockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after the first day of March next, under the following rules and regulations, to wit: First—all payments shall be made at the Principal Bank to the Stockholder, or his Attorney, duly appointed, on production of the original certificate. Second—Payment of Dividend of Capital shall be evidenced by the receipt of the Stockholder or his Attorney, in a Book prepared for that purpose. Third—All payments of Dividend of Capital shall be endorsed on the Certificate of Stock, by the Cashier at the time of making payment. Fourth—The transfer Book shall be closed on the twentieth day of February next, and remain closed until the first day of March following, and no Share on which a Dividend of Capital may be paid, shall thereafter be transferred on the Books of this Bank. Extract from the Journal of the Stockholders.
JNO. W. GUION, Cashier.
January 18th, 1833. 24

Cotton Gins.
THE Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he continues to
Manufacture & repair Cotton Gins,
At his old Stand in Tarboro' near the bridge.
Having carried on the above business for several years in this place, and his work being generally approved, he deems it unnecessary to give any particular reference. He will continue to execute his work in the most expeditious manner, and at his usual moderate charges.
JOHN WILSON.
Tarborough, Jan. 1833.

NOTICE.
BROKE JAIL, of Edgecombe county, on the night of the 2d February, 1833, negro
ADAM,
Said to be the property of James B. Tartt of Alabama. Said negro is about thirty years of age and has a dark complexion—he was brought here from the jail in Chatham county, and it is probable he will attempt to get back in that neighborhood—any information respecting him will be thankfully received.
FRED. BELL, Jailor.
March 12, 1833. 29