

POETRY.

FROM THE LONDON STATIONER.

LOYAL ADDRESS

TO HER MAJESTY, THE QUEEN OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

Thy spouse, the partner of the throne, Surround to make her foibles known;

Indignant rise much injured fair, Thy face are verging on despair;

Shall such a Queen thus be abused— Her person threatened—name traduced?

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RADICAL WIT.

THE WAGER.

THREE wags one day, in sportive mood, Wager'd; each other's skill to try;

The first declar'd L—d C—st—h Utter'd the truth when'er he spoke;

The next declar'd to win the bet, And beat the one that L—s before;

The third that tried, the wager won, Beyond dispute or cavil too;

FROM THE BOSTON FALLODIUM.

CONTENTMENT IS HAPPINESS.

HOW many are ready to sink in despair, The joys of this world are so few;

* Behold, (cries the Rustic) my mean little cot, Where want and where poverty dwell;

The poor will repine; say, the sick will complain; Discontent is the nature of man!

From care, it is true, no condition is free, And life has its million of ills;

Are all things uncertain here? What would we have? Does the pilgrim who halts at an inn

That man, and be only, is happy who views This world as no lasting abode;

Unstable are friendships, and fleeting the things Which an eagerly here are pursu'd;

What'er be his station, let each be resign'd; 'Tis the best that to him could be giv'd;

Miscellaneous.

The Paintings by Old Masters, which belonged to Mr. West, have been lately sold.

Liquor Names—A Hamburg price current contains the following list of liquors—Spirit of Cupid, Fire of Love, Pleasure of Venus, Spirit of Wellington, Spirit of Blucher.

SMITHS.—The name of Smith occurs in the Philadelphia Directory 348 times—and in that of New-York, 395.

From the Hagerstown Torchlight.

COMPARISON OF ANCIENT WITH MODERN TIMES.

Mr. Bell's Looking over an old pamphlet, printed at Philadelphia, I find the following prices current, July, A. D. 1791.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, and Unit. Includes Wheat per bushel, Rye, Oats, Indian Corn, Barley, Hams, Hog's Lard, Flour, Superfine, Common, Middlings.

From which we may perceive that these times are not harder than the days of yore; and, by dispensing with luxuries, and being content with conveniences, life may be enjoyed with as much satisfaction as it could be five years ago.

BRITISH WITS.

The return of the Queen, and the attending and subsequent events, have already afforded the wits of the opposition, ample means for lampooning the King and Ministry.

"In the Pease. On the 1st of July will be published, illustrated by engravings, The Queen that Jack F—nd. Written in the style of 'The House that Jack Built.'"

- 1. Coronation Arrangements, Awkwardly Interrupted; or injured Innocence demanding her Rights. 2. Female Intrepidity; or, the Infamous Proposal Rejected. 3. Harry the Eighth's Address to his Parliament, on the subject of being Divorced.

"An Ode to George IV. and Caroline his Wife. (Price three pence.) The throne we honor is the people's choice.—Sheridan."

"An Ode on the Return of Queen Caroline to England. (Price three pence.) Long live the Queen! Oh, may she live forever!"

"Two New Songs (One penny each.) 1. Britons, Claim Her as your Queen. Tune—"Scots, wha' h' wi' Wallace bled!"

"2. God save the Queen. Tune—"God save the King."

"Memoirs of the late Mrs. King. (otherwise the Diamond &—N!!!) (Price 2s 6d.)—With interesting and authentic biographical anecdotes; containing some curious and instructing Notices of Political and Family Transactions, hitherto not generally known. By H. W. Fitz-George."

Among the distinguished Political Military and Naval Characters, mentioned in this work, will be found the following:—Mr. King, (a gentleman upwards of eighty.) Mrs. King, (the late Queen's.) Mrs. Sultenborg, Mrs. George King, Jun. (R—nt.) Mrs. Herbert, (Fitz.) Mrs. Caroline King, (Pr—s of W—s.) Miss Charlotte King, (daughter of the R—t.) Mr.

Frederic King, Mr. William Henry King, Mrs. Pickle (a late Actress,) Miss Augusta King, Miss Betsy King, Mr. Edward King, Mr. Ernest King, Mr. Deputy King, (a Secretary,) Mrs. Villiers, late Countess of J—sy) Prussian Dragoon, (late Frederic K—G, of Prussia.) Major Urs, (Emp—r of Russia.) Lord Derry-down, &c. &c."

From the Independent Observer.

Beat this, if you can.—There has been fatted and killed in the town of Brooklyn, Connecticut, the past season, eleven hundred & thirty Hogs, about one half of which were under one year old, weighing three hundred and six thousand seven hundred and fifty seven pounds.

Mrs. Allston.

In the present volume, page 311, we copied from a New York paper, a horrid account of the fate of this lady, said to have been given by a pirate under sentence of death at New Orleans.

EDWARDS THE SPY.

The following is a copy of the deposition of Picard respecting Edwards, read in the House of Commons, by Mr. Alderman Wood.

"I know Edwards: I first saw him before the first Smithfield meeting. I never much associated with him—I considered him too much of a blackguard, I knew his brother also, who was secretary to the Spencean Society—I met him some time in July, at the White Lion, in Wyche-st.—there were two or three others there. He knew me better than I did him—he asked me how I did, and said, 'What a pity it is, Picard, that we can't destroy these b—y vermin!'"

seemingly quite pleased and laughing at the idea. He next said, that Thistlewood would soon be out, and he was the boy for doing business. When he comes, he will set all things to rights. After some further talk, he drew out a grenade, saying, 'What do you think of this?'—'What do you call it?' said I—'Oh, you are a d—d fool—you know nothing!' and then he told me it was a hand grenade. He asked me if I would make one of 30 or 25 men, for some desperate purposes, which he did not explain; 'but such things,' he added, 'should not be entered into without having a guard against the b—y police.'—Upon which he drew forth a curious instrument from his waistcoat pocket, and said, 'It might be put into a common walking case by having a hole bored in the bottom, and be instantly fit for use.' I told him I must know him better before I would have anything to do with him. He replied, that Thistlewood knew him well, and that would be a sufficient recommendation. I met Edwards and Thistlewood previous to the Cato-street business, on the Saturday. Thistlewood asked me various questions respecting business, and after shaking hands, he bid me good day. Then Edwards turned quite around, and, after looking for some minutes, held his hand out to shake hands. I do not recollect the first few sentences that passed, but, on parting he said, 'You b—y, you must fight before long.' On the following Monday two persons called at my lodgings when I was absent, and enquired for me. One of them answered the description of Edwards. They left no message, but called again on Tuesday, but I was away. I never heard of him since then. Previous to the last time of my seeing Edwards, I went to the Scotch Arms, in Round-court in the Strand, and saw Adams and Edwards there. They both talk'd about destroying the Ministers, and invited me to go to a meeting, and Adams gave me a grenade, and Edwards gave me a small pike. I told Whatman of the circumstance—he advised me to have nothing to do with the business. Adams and Edwards called at my lodgings the day before the Cato-street business, but I had left."

James R. Creecy Has received a further supply of Spring & Fancy Dry Goods, which he will sell low for Cash, good Notes or Produce delivered in Edenton. June 3, 1820. t1617

James R. Creecy Will give the best price for FLAX SEED, and will take all that can be brought to him this season in good order. July 20, 1820. t1723

TOBACCO FACTORY. The Subscriber has established a Manufactory of Tobacco, in Elizabeth-City, (N. C.) where he will keep constantly on hand a good supply of all descriptions of CHEWING TOBACCO and SEGARS. He is now prepared to furnish various qualities of small twist, and the first quality of Cavendish Tobacco, and also Segars. As the subscribers, prices are the same as those at Norfolk, and his Tobacco equal in quality to any manufactured in the United States, those who deal in the article will find it to their interest to call on him. Butler Maury. N. B. Orders from any part of the country will be promptly and faithfully executed, see all Tobacco sold at the Factory warranted ed. Elizabeth-City, Aug 10, 1820. t1726

FRESH FISH. THE Subscriber will sell all the Fresh HERRINGS that may be caught at his Fishery the ensuing spring, at the moderate price of 2s. cents per thousand; provided the purchaser will bind himself to take them as fast as they may be caught. He will dispose of On a credit of 6, 12 and 18, months the above FISHERY; he will lease it for the term of 5 years.—Any person disposed to purchase or lease, can know the terms by applying to me at Columbia, Tyrrel County.—This Fishery is one of the most convenient in the State. John Beasley. Columbia, Aug. 18, 1820. cowden726