

POETRY.

EVENINGS IN GREECE.

The following elegant version of a mythological story, is extracted from a second volume of Mr. Moore's *Evenings in Greece*, just published—a work abounding in graceful and fanciful descriptions:

As Love, one summer eve, was straying,  
Who should he see, at that soft hour,  
But young Minerva, gravely playing  
Her flute, within an olive bower.  
I need not say, 'tis Love's opinion  
That, grave or merry, good or ill  
The sex bow all to his dominion,  
As woman will be woman still.

Though seldom yet the boy hath given  
To learned dames his smiles or sighs,  
So handsome Pallas look'd that even,  
Love quite forgot the maid was wise.  
Beside, a youth of his discerning  
Knew well that, by a shady rill,  
At sunset hour—whatever her learning—  
A woman will be woman still.

Her flute he praised in terms ecstasie,  
Wishing it dumb—nor car'd how soon—  
For Wisdom's notes, how'er chromatic,  
To love seem always out of tune.  
But long as he found face to flatter,  
The nymph found breath to shake and thrill;  
As, weak or wise—it doth not matter—  
Woman, at heart, is woman still.

Love chang'd his plan, with warmth exclaiming  
"How brilliant was her lips' soft dye!"  
And much that flute, the sly rogue blaming,  
For twisting lips so sweet awry.  
The nymph look'd down—beheld her features  
Reflected on the passing rill,  
And started, shriek'd—for, ah, ye creatures!  
Ev'n when divine, you're women still.

Quick from the lips it made so odious  
That graceless flute the goddess took,  
And while yet fill'd with breath melodious,  
Flung it into the glassy brook;  
Where, as its vocal life was fleeing  
As down the current, faint and shrill,  
At distance long 'twas heard repeating,  
"Woman, alas, vain woman still!"

MORAL & RELIGIOUS.

From the Saturday Evening Post.  
THE EXCELLENCE OF VIRTUE.

Among all the complexities and multiplicity of experience which go to make up the man who may be said to possess a requisite share of the knowledge of the world, there occurs to my mind one kind of experience which is very prominent in my recollection, and which must necessarily be passed thro' by every young man, before he can become in a tolerable degree capable of managing with success his pecuniary concerns, in this calculating world of intrigue and self-devotion, or with any degree of exemption from the disgust and disappointment arising from the mistaken anticipations, which the generous and confiding soul of youth had fondly dreamed of. Just emerging from a state of pupillage and theory, he at once appears upon the broad stage of experiment, full of ardent hope and confident expectation of the glorious success and completion of the noble purposes, which his native magnanimity has dictated. He has been early instructed in all the principles of morality and virtue, and while immediately subject to the salutary instructions of parental affection and care, has been induced to perform all the generous and noble acts which characterize an unsophisticated heart, fixing this noble purpose of doing good, permanently in his mind, and rendering it an established principle; for the accomplishment of this, he has been instructed in the belief that reward is always the consequent result of thinking rightly and acting nobly; none of his worthy actions are suffered to pass unpraised; virtue and vice are pointed out, and defined to him in a manner so decidedly obvious that he requires no hesitation in the choice of the former and in abhorrence of the latter. The distinguished marks of either, when fairly represented, he does not mistake, and in his heart, from having so plain and pleasing a duty before him, from the faithful performance of which, such ample satisfaction results, he determines at once, to be in his future life the pattern of all that is magnanimous and worthy, and he wonders in himself, why it is that such odious anomalies as bad and intriguing men are found to exist in this fair world. He has to learn, by dear bought experience, that in general the life of man is a system of policy and circumvention, where all act from some latent principle of self-interest, where appearances are assumed to accomplish some favorite object, and where every one is in masquerade: every one assumes a guise which he thinks gives the most specious semblance of the specific qualities which promise most respect and influence in the character he wishes to bear.

The novice, when first embarked in what he afterwards learns is the capricious and fluctuating sea of life, is delighted with the imagined bright prospects before him, and he joyously promises himself infinite enjoyment in the consummation of those schemes of life which his ingenuousness has suggested. He has been told, 'tis true, that all men are not alike generous, that some are envious, vicious and intriguing, and that we must expect many crosses and disheartening vexations to intervene and obscure the brilliancy of intellectual happiness, but theory is not practice—his reliance on the superior power of virtue and his own honest intentions, is to be encouraged, and to the widest extent commended, as in this are based all practical virtues; but experience alone most teach him that virtue without policy, is insufficient to counteract the ills arising from the officiousness of some, who have acquired the art of counterfeiting vir-

ture so exactly that they are mistaken for what they seem to be; by these means the confiding spirit of youth becomes obnoxious to all the envy and malignity which can be concentrated in the foul hearts of envious and malicious hypocrites, whose chief ambition seems to consist in sinking virtue into degradation. The youth who still remains in unshaken belief of the reality of virtue and the honorable principles which he originally started with, and after a succession of such disappointments, has the independence and decision of character to practice them, may be truly said to have been tested by an ordeal, the severity and undermining nature of which, but few have withstood.

Besides the shy attempts of envy and malignity, there are numberless other impediments and contrivances that conspire to delude the young mind into an unexceptionable condemnation of all that presents the semblance of social virtue and fellowship. From having been so frequently and invariably disappointed in his anticipations of unbounded worth, in the men with whom chance has brought him in contact, such unjust conclusions very naturally arise, and the extremes of misanthropy and avarice too frequently establish their throne where generosity and frankness originally shone as latent principles. *Collingwood.*

How am I to know there is a God if I cannot see him?—How am I to know there is a God if I cannot see him? said a little boy to his mother. My son, before I answer you that question, tell me what it is which moves yonder tree, which shakes its top, and puts all its leaves in motion? What is that which makes the curls of my hair sport about my head? Oh! it is the wind, he replied. But have you ever seen the wind? No, replied the child, but I feel it, and I perceive the waving of the flowers, the shaking of the leaves, and the motion of your hair. Then it is not necessary to see a thing, in order to be persuaded of its existence—we may convince ourselves of it another way. Have you never seen a tree blown down and rooted up by a violent storm? Oh! yes, very often. What do you think is necessary to root up a tree, whose roots are sunk so deep in the earth? Some amazing force, indeed.—What then must we think of the wind, if it can blow down or even root up trees? That it has a prodigious force. Then, by the effects a thing produces, we may be convinced of its existence, although we cannot see the thing itself. It is in this manner, my dear child, you will learn to know God, if you are attentive to his admirable works. Now I will tell you why we cannot see God; it is because our eye is so formed, that it can only see such things as have a form: for instance, I see this tree, this table, this stone—but I do not see God, who has no material form, who is quite of a different nature. *God is a Spirit.—Youth's Friend.*

A Happy Town.—In Amesbury, Mass. there are upwards of 2000, inhabitants—two taverns, and 14 stores—and not a single gallon of ardent spirits of any kind whatever! Verily they must be a prosperous and happy people!—*Eastern Paper.*

The American Farmer, Edited by Gideon B. Smith, is issued every Friday, in Baltimore, at \$5 per annum, in advance. Contents of the 10th Number, XV Volume.

Editorial: The Drought; Dahlias—The Compass Plant—Wash for Fruit Trees—Locust—Account of an Agricultural Excursion, made into the South of Georgia, in the Winter of 1832, by John D. Legare, Editor of the Southern Agriculturist.—On Draining; its Advantages and Practicality.—On Leached Ashes as a Manure.—Essay on Vegetable Physiology, read before the Buffalo Lyceum, New-York, by Lewis F. Allen; Vegetable Life; Vitality of Seeds; Germinating Principle; Root; Heart; Albumen; Bark; Leaf; Food of Plants, how converted into Vegetable Nourishment; Selection, Removal and Planting of Trees; General Remarks.—On Cutting Down and Cleaning Up the Margins of Rivers and Creeks, and Straightening Creeks and Branches.—Prices Current of Country Produce in the New-York and Baltimore Markets.—Advertisements.

NEW BOOK STORE.

The Subscriber having no prospect of being again able to perform the labor of the ministry; and feeling, in common with other men, the importance of engaging in some employment which will enable him to provide for the wants of a rising family, has opened a Book Store in Charlotte, N. C. He believes, that such an establishment was needed in the Western section of our State. He respectfully invites his friends, acquaintances, and all who feel any interest in his undertaking, to call and see his Books. He will be happy to execute orders for those who live at a distance. Whilst he has on hand some valuable works in Law, in Medicine, most of the Greek and Latin Classics, and other books used in our Schools and Academies, many works in Theology, and many Miscellaneous books suited to almost every class of readers, he will be able to procure on favorable terms, any books to be found in the Northern Cities, or in the London Market. It will give him pleasure to assist professional gentlemen or private citizens in enlarging their Libraries, or in purchasing new ones. He looks with confidence and respect to an enlightened community for encouragement. *DANIEL GOULD.* Charlotte, May 23, 1833. 391

P. S. I have contracted with the Secretary of the A. T. S. for an Edition of the Christian Almanac for North-Carolina, for 1834. It will contain 12 pages more of useful matter than hitherto and be sold at the same price. It will be published in July, and may be had by the dozen or hundred, of John P. Haven, No. 142 Nassau street, N. Y. of Hughes & Turner, Raleigh, and at the Charlotte Book Store.

SURGERY.

The subscribers inform the citizens of the back country generally, that they will attend to all cases in Surgery, when called on. Diseases of the Eye, and Stone in the Bladder, have heretofore received their particular attention, and being prepared with the most modern improved instruments, pledge themselves to perform all operations upon the most approved plans. Those wishing advice, will address Doctors Douglass & Moore, Chesterville.

JOHN DOUGLASS.  
THOS. W. MOORE.  
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For Sale at my Store, A FINE assortment of Thaddeus Gardner's superior RIFLE GUNS on the most accommodating terms for Cash; or credit to punctual dealers. *JNO. G. HOSKINS.* May 30, 1833. 40443

ELECTION NOTICE. AN Election for Seven Directors of the Mecklenburg Gold Mining Company will be held on the 17th day of June, 1833, at the office of the Company at St. Catharines Mills in Mecklenburg County, North-Carolina, between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock of that day. *A. DEY, Secretary.* May 1st, 1833. 39142

NOTICE. FOREWARN any person trusting my son Leon Francis Sawyer on my account, as I am determined not to pay any of his contracts; and that he is not allowed to settle any Accounts or Notes belonging to me. *F. SAUNIER.* May 24th, 1833. 4417

Public Sale of Valuable GOLD MINES.

Will be positively sold at public outcry, in the town of Milledgeville, on the 15th day of JULY next, the following Lots: Lot No. 1031, in the 12th District, 1st Section.

1053,	12	1
1195,	12	1
746,	12	1
861,	12	1
859,	12	1
893,	12	1
820,	12	1
932,	12	1
817,	12	1
999,	4	1
974,	4	1
1039,	13	1 North.
80,	13	1 North.
399,	3	2
885,	21	2
944,	21	2
638,	3	3
Also, 677,	4	3 being 1 Dawson's Ferry.

In the above list are comprised the most valuable Mines, both for Vein and Deposit, in the whole Cherokee country. They are those which have been purchased during the Lottery, and are sold for the purpose of settlement among the Companies. Capitalists are assured that the sale will be positive and without reserve. The terms will be one third Cash down—one third in two months, and the remaining third in four months from the date of purchase. Notes with approved security for the payment of the instalments, as they become due, will be required. The titles will be undoubted.

THOMAS J. PARK,  
JACOB PAGE,  
JASON H. WILLSON,  
U. J. BULLOCK,  
Z. B. HARGROVE,  
WILLIAM WARD,  
SAMUEL TATE,  
ROBERT S. PATTON,  
THOMAS R. WARD,  
WILLIAMS RUTHERFORD,  
HENRY M. CLAY.  
Milledgeville, May 9, 1833. 3946

The Telescope, Columbia, and Courier, Charleston, S. C., Miner's Journal, Charlotte, and Star, Raleigh, N. C. will publish the above till the day of sale—The National Intelligencer, Washington City; Banner, Nashville, Tenn.; and Advocate, Huntsville, Ala. will publish the above until the 5th July, and all forward their accounts forthwith to me for payment. *GEORGE W. MURRAY.*

JOHN WYATT RESPECTFULLY informs the public, that he has just received at his stand, south of the Court-House, a general assortment of the best foreign

Spirits and Wines that can be procured. Likewise Groceries, Confectionaries and Cakes. Among which are the following articles:

WINES.	
Hock	Port
Mosell	Madeira
Frontenac	Sherry
Muscadel	Malaga
Champaign, in pint and quarts	Teneriffe, &c. &c.
SPIRITS.	
Cognac Brandy	Old Peach Brandy
Holland Gin	Apple do.
Jamaica Rum	Peach do.
N. E. do.	Whisky
Havana, Spanish and American SEGARS,	
Cut, Pigtail and Manufactured Tobacco,	
Scotch Snuff, Pipes, &c. &c.	
London bottled PORTER & Philadelphia BEER,	
Bottled and Newark CIDER, &c.	
CHEESE, CRACKERS and HERRINGS,	
An assortment of Foreign CORDIALS,	
Lenox Syrup and Spruce Beer,	
FRUITS AND NUTS.	
Lemons, Figs, Raisins and Prunes,	
Almonds, Brazil, Cocos and Barceclma Nuts.	
—ALSO—	
Tea, Coffee, Chocolate and Sugars,	
Candies and Cakes of all descriptions,	
Soap, Candles, Mustard, Pepper and Spice,	
Bacon, Flour and Meal.	

Persons can be furnished at all times with cold luncheon. He would, also, inform the public that he has opened a

BAKERY

where persons can be furnished with Bread, &c. at all times. *Charlotte, May 7, 1833.*

FOR SALE.

The House and Lot where Capt. Joseph Pritchard lives, formerly Dr. Thos. Henderson's. Any person wishing to purchase, for information apply to J. D. Boyd. Young negroes or bank payments will be taken. *THOS. BOYD.* May 15th, 1833. 7144

A New Assortment of WATCHES, JEWELRY &c.

The subscriber respectfully informs his customers and the public generally, that he has lately received the following articles, viz: Gold and Silver Levers, Lepine & Plain Watches, assorted, Gentlemen's Gold Chains, Seals and Keys, Ear and Finger Rings, Breast Pins and Shirt Studs,

which, together with his former Stock, makes his present assortment nearly complete, all of which will be sold at a very small advance for cash, or on short time, to punctual customers.

He still continues to manufacture SILVER SPOONS and other articles of Gold and Silver; also, to repair Clocks and Watches, and he would here inform the public, that his is the only shop in town where such articles are repaired.

He will also FLUX GOLD in any quantity, at the shortest notice. *GILDING and ENGRAVING, also, done to order. THOMAS TROTTER.* Charlotte, May, 1833. 3747

TRUST SALE.

By virtue of a Deed of Trust, to me given by Thos. A. Norment, for purposes therein mentioned, I will sell to the highest bidder, for ready money, on Monday the 10th day of June next, at the Court-House in Charlotte, for the purpose of more fully satisfying the purposes of said Trust, the following Tracts of Land, viz:

A Tract of Land in Richmond County, containing 199 acres. His interest in a Tract of Land lying in Montgomery County in right of his wife, containing 100 acres.

Also, his interest in a Tract containing 150 acres, in the same County. Also, his interest in 100 acres in the same County.

Also, his interest in two Tracts of Land lying in Anson County, in right of his wife, one containing 12 acres, the other 18 acres.

Also, his interest in the same right in Arkansas Territory, containing 160 acres. Also his interest in Lot No. 38 in Whitesville, N. C.

Also, his interest in 250 acres in the County of Mecklenburg, known by the name of the Ingram Tract. Sale to commence precisely at 11 o'clock.

*R. L. DINKINS,* Trustee for Thos. A. Norment. Charlotte, May 13, 1833. 4w

Printing Establishment FOR SALE.

The Subscriber offers for sale, the whole of his PRINTING MATERIALS now in Washington. They consist of upwards of twenty different fonts of type, from Brevier to eight line Pica; an excellent Press; galleys, rules, leads, cases, chases, &c. &c. with appurtenances complete for carrying on the business. They are all in good order, and some of the type but little worn.

The paper at present issued from the office has as good a patronage as any ever published in this place. To a person of industrious habits, acquainted with the business, and desirous of locating in this section of country, a desirable opportunity is now offered. A wish to engage in other pursuits, elsewhere, alone induces the present proprietor to dispose of the establishment.

The whole, if speedily applied for, may be had a bargain. *GEORGE HOUSTON, Jr.* Editor of the Union. Washington, N. C. March 29, 1833.

TAKEN UP

AND committed to the Jail of this County, on the 21st inst. a Negro Man named JERRY, 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high, dark complexioned, says he belongs to John Rogers of Union Court-House, S. C. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with according to law. *JOS. McCONAUGHEY, Sheriff.* March 29, 1833. 3117

Mrs. McADAMS

HAVING taken possession of the HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT, formerly occupied by H. A. McADAMS, and recently by Mr. A. R. Ruffin, respectfully informs the public she is prepared to accommodate

Travellers & Boarders

and solicits a share of patronage. No attention will be wanting on her part to render satisfaction to those who may favor her with their custom. *Camden, March 16, 1833. emw141*

Look at This.

The subscriber having sold out his entire Stock of Goods to Mr. George S. Shaw, is under the necessity of calling upon all those indebted to him for a longer time than two years, to make immediate payment; and those of a late date, having open accounts, will please close them by cash or bond. *JOHN WOODRUFF.* April 5, 1833.

N. B. My office will be at the Store of G. S. Shaw, formerly occupied by myself.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having purchased from John Woodruff, his entire Stock of Goods, consisting of such articles as usually are kept in this section of country, begs leave to inform the citizens of Mecklenburg county, that he intends to continue the Mercantile Business, at the old stand of John Woodruff, known as the New York Cash Store, and promises to serve all those who will favor him with their custom, on the most accommodating terms. All persons wishing to purchase for cash would do well to call and examine, for I am determined to sell the present stock for cash, at first cost; those who wish a credit may expect to pay more. *G. S. SHAW.* Charlotte, April 5, 1833.

Millinery & Mantuamaking.

MRS. NANCY WILKINSON & CO. RESPECTFULLY inform the Ladies of Charlotte and the adjacent Country, that they have commenced the above Business in all its various branches, and hope by their exertions together with that of Two Young Ladies experienced in the Business, whom they have in their employ, that they will be able to give general satisfaction to all who may favor them with their Custom. They can at all times be found at the house occupied by Mr. Trotter as a Watch-maker Shop.

N. B. CALASHES and other BONNETS constantly kept on hand for sale. Straw & Leghorn Bonnets Cleaned and Trimmed at short notice and in superior style. *Charlotte, April 1st, 1833. 3216*

New Spring and Summer GOODS.

The subscriber has the pleasure of informing his customers and the citizens of Mecklenburg in general, that he is now receiving his stock of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, consisting of Staple & Fancy Dry Goods, Hardware, Cutlery, China, Glass & Queensware, a large and extensive stock of

GROCERIES, SADDLERY,

of every description, selected I think with taste, and being entirely satisfied that my whole stock throughout cannot be excelled in point of style, elegance and durability, and every quality that can possibly recommend Goods. In short, my stock is large and the assortment complete. I now solicit, if the citizens feel a disposition to encourage my business, as heretofore, a continuance of a small portion of the business, and I pledge myself that every exertion shall be used to give satisfaction to those who may favor me with a call. My prices shall be as small as will justify my attention to business—my terms accommodating in every sense of the word.

I shall continue to carry on my SADDLERY BUSINESS as usual, where any article in the line, can be had at the very lowest possible terms.

For the very liberal patronage heretofore received, I return my sincere thanks to a generous public. Respectfully yours, &c. *JNO. G. HOSKINS.* Charlotte, April, 1833. 3217

SADDLES & HARNESS.

JAMES T. ASBURY & CO. HAVE on hand and will continue to manufacture in their Shop in the south-east corner of Mr. Spring's Brick Building

Ladies and Gentlemen's SADDLES,

of a superior style of workmanship and good materials, by the Messrs. Jettons, of London county, who are well known in the western part of the State as superior workmen—Also, Saddlebags, Valises, Martingales, Riding Bridles, Coach & Gig Harness, Carriage and Wagon Harness, Horsemen's Caps & Holders,

and all other articles usually manufactured in shops in the Southern States.

In addition to the above, we have on hand a general assortment of Gig and Coach Mounting, Bed Steer, Stirrup Irons, and all other articles necessary to trim off Saddles and Harness, which will be sold low for cash.

We request the public to call and examine the materials and work manufactured, bear proof of judgment for themselves. *Charlotte, Dec. 7, 1832. 1517*

Four or five journeymen Saddle and Harness Makers is wanted, to which good wages will be given, by applying to

Charleston and Cheraw. THE STEAM BOAT MACON.

Capt. J. C. Graham, has been engaged the last summer in the trade running between Charleston and Cheraw, calling at Georgetown on her way down, will resume her trips in the course of a few days, and is intended to be continued all the ensuing season. The exceeding light draft of water, drawing only four and a half feet when loaded, will enable her to reach Cheraw all times, except upon an uncommon low tide when her cargo will be lightened at the expense of the Boat.

Comfortable accommodations for a few passengers, with all due attention. *J. B. CLOUGH.* Charleston, Sept. 26, 1831. 5641

PROPOSALS

For Publishing in Yorkville, S. C. a weekly Newspaper, entitled the

YORKVILLE PATRIOT.

Its Contents shall be devoted to Agriculture, Literature; Politics; Foreign and Domestic News; Poetry, &c. &c.

The political character of the YORKVILLE PATRIOT, shall be the old and true Republicanism of '98, and as such, conducive to the peace, prosperity, happiness, and Union of these States.

An appeal is now made to the lovers of ORDER and good Government throughout the State, especially the patriotic freemen of Finckley Congressional District, for prompt and efficient aid in the prosecution of this undertaking. To meet success, nothing is wanting but "A LOU RE A STRONG PULL AND A PULL ALL TOGETHER."

It is ardently desired, that the publication of the paper shall commence on the 11th March next, provided a respectable subscription list is returned previous to that time. Be prompt, be decisive, the day may be lost, and with it our liberties.

TERMS: THE PATRIOT

Will be printed with a neat type, on an Imperial Sheet, at \$3 per annum, payable half yearly in advance. This advance payment is indispensable, without it, the undertaking dies.

To Gentlemen holding subscription lists, are requested to transmit lists of subscribers, as also names as may be collected, to G. W. Williams Esq., Yorkville, S. C. as early as practicable.

RECOMMENDATION.—The undersigned Central Committee of the Union Party for Yorkville District, do respectfully and particularly recommend the above undertaking to the consideration of the Union Committees of the respective Districts of this State as worthy of Patronage.

*W. C. BEATTY,  
G. W. WILLIAMS,  
JOHN BLAIR,  
E. N. GAITHER,  
W. M. WRIGHT.*

Yorkville, March, 1833.

Constitution of No. Carolina AND OF THE UNITED STATES

FOR Sale at this Office, a few copies of a Pamphlet containing the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution of North-Carolina, and the Declaration of Independence. Price, 25 cents.

SHERIFFS' DEEDS.

FOR Lands sold for Taxes; for Lands sold under a Writ of Fieri Facias; and for Lands sold under a Writ of Venditioni Exponas—see notice at this Office.