

POETRY.

From the Carolina Watchman.

LINES TO A NEWLY MARRIED COUPLE.

O! let your vow
Be still, as now,
Held sacred and entire;
And to each heart
May love impart
The bliss that you desire.

Let each head rest
Upon each breast
As on a downy pillow;
And may life's sea
Full tranquil be,
And free from every billow.

But keep in mind
Still to be kind
And faithful to each other;
Your secrets keep
Your follies weep
And every failing smother.

Affection's hands
Must tie your hands;
And cords which Time can't sever
Must wrap each soul
And both control
And make you one forever.

May anxious fears,
Affliction's tears
And all the tribe of Sorrow—
May all give way,
And each fair day
Verge to a fairer morrow.

The good to show
The ill to bear
And mutual joy to double—
Husband and Bride!
Be this your pride,
And thus you'll banish trouble.

Back Creek, Aug. 17th. A. A.

MORAL & RELIGIOUS.

THE SABBATH—AN EXTRACT.

“Our religion points out to us one periodical season of retired meditation, when, by the convention of society, the world will leave us, if we do not court its presence; I refer to the Sabbath, which of itself serves to summon us to thoughtfulness; and which, if men regard only their intellectual improvement, would be devoted to the sober review of human life. It is a happy break in the galling chain of the world's custom. The mind may pause and the heart recover itself. The peace of Sabbath retirement forms the best part of the happiest lives.—They may be congratulated whose pious education has established such an association of ideas with the day, that it never returns without bringing with it feelings, imaginations and hopes of a higher than earthly origin. Let them preserve this sanctification, not so much of the Sabbaths as of their own minds. Let them resist the encroaching spirit of the world which would invade and grasp this sacred portion of time. Let them not be a party to the breach of what, in allusion to an institution of our ancestors, we may denominate the *Truce of God*. When secular interest and anxieties come near the day, let them say, as the patriarch said to his servants—*Abide ye here, and I will go yonder and worship.*—They need not fear superstition; they are safe if they keep themselves from worldly-mindedness.—They may be told that every day is alike holy; but let them reflect, though this is a plain christian doctrine, it is true only in a sense in which some that are the most forward to assert, are the slowest to comprehend; for in the signification which alone is both rational and pious, it means, not that the Sabbath should be made a common day, but that to a mind formed in the image of Him to whose memory the day is devoted, every day is a Sabbath.”

Revenge.—The subjoined beautiful extract, is from the pen of Charles Miner, formerly and until recently, the editor of the Westchester (Pen.) “Village Record.” The reader may have seen it—but it cannot be too often read, or too closely treasured in the memory.

“Father forgive them.” Go, proud infidel—search the ponderous tomes of heathen learning—explore the works of Confucius—examine the precepts of Seneca, and the writings of Socrates—collect all the excellencies of the ancient and modern moralists, and point to a sentence equal to this simple prayer of our Saviour. Reviled and insulted—suffering the grossest indignities—crowned with thorns, and led away to die, no annihilating curse breaks from his tortured breast. Sweet and placid as the aspirations of a mother for her nursing, ascends the prayer for mercy on his enemies. ‘Father forgive them.’ Oh! it was worthy of its origin, and stamps with the brightest seal of truth that his mission was from heaven.

Acquaintances, have you quarrelled?—Friends, have you differed? If He, who was pure and perfect, forgave his bitterest enemies, do you well to cherish your anger? Brothers, to you the precept is imperative! You shall forgive—not seven times, but seventy times seven.

Husbands and wives, you have no right to expect perfection in each other. To err is the lot of humanity. Illness will sometimes render you petulant, and disappointments ruffle the smoothest temper. Guard, I beseech you, with unremitting vigilance, your passions—controlled they are the genial heat that warms us along the way of life—ungoverned, they are consuming fires. Let your strife be one of respectful attentions, and conciliatory conduct. Cultivate with care the kind and gentle affections of the heart—Plant not, but eradicate the thorns that grow in your partner's path: above all, let no feeling of revenge ever find harbor in your breast—let the sun never go

down upon your anger. A kind word—an obliging action—if it be a matter of trifling concern, has a power superior to the bar of David in calming the billows of the soul.

Revenge is as incompatible with happiness as it is hostile to reason and religion. Let him whose heart is black with malice and studious of revenge, walk through the fields while clad in verdure, and adorned with flowers: to his eye there is no beauty, the flowers to him exhale no fragrance.—Dark as his soul, nature is robed in the deepest sable. The smile of beauty lights not up his bosom with joy—but the furies of hell rage in his breast, and render him as miserable as he could wish the object of his hate.

But let him lay his hand upon his heart, and say, ‘Revenge, I cast thee from me—Father forgive me as I forgive mine enemies’—and nature will assume a new and delightful garniture. Then, indeed, are the meads verdant and the flowers fragrant—then is the music of the groves delightful to the ear, and the smile of virtuous beauty lovely to the soul.

O what rare mercies lie often hid under some dark and afflicting providences, even while they are at our hand, and are not seen, from the forwardness of an embittered spirit, that will not let its own eyes see the advantage of such a case; but, as if they did well to be angry against God, will quarrel more with his crossing their humor than observe his tenderness for promoting their real good, and cry against Him because he will not undo them.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having purchased from Robert Irwin, 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 same stand of Robert Irwin, nine miles from Charlotte, on the road leading from Charlotte to Mason's Ferry, and promises to serve all those who will favor him with custom, on the most accommodating terms.

All those indebted to Robert Irwin by book account, will please settle with the subscriber.

WM. IRWIN.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA, MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Equity, May Term, 1833.

Mary Parks and others

vs.

Andrew B. Parks, Wm. N. Parks, John M. Parks, Alex. M'Larty and his wife Eliza.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that John M. Parks, Alexander M'Larty and his wife Eliza do not reside within the limits of this State, It is therefore Ordered, that publication be made six weeks in the *Miners' & Farmers' Journal*, for those to appear and answer at our next Court of Equity to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at the Court-House in Charlotte, on the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, otherwise the bill will be taken pro confesso and be heard ex parte as to them.

Test. D. R. DUNLAP, c. m. c.

August 13th, 1833. Price adv. \$2

EQUITY SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree from the Court of Equity, on the 1st Monday, being the 4th of November next, at the Court-House in Charlotte, I will sell at public auction a

Valuable Tract of Land,

containing one hundred and thirty acres, joining the lands of John S. Cheek, Saml. Smith, Alex. Robinson and others, formerly owned by Robert Lindsay now deceased, and sold for the benefit of his heirs at law. Twelve months' credit will be given. The purchaser giving bond and satisfactory security.

D. R. DUNLAP, c. m. c.

August 13th, 1833. 1262

A New Candidate.

GENTLEMEN: I am now before you, requesting all those indebted to me on Book Accounts, to come forward and close them by cash or bond, by the 10th day of August next. I would also remind those that have promised to make payment a short time since, that I would be glad to hear from them soon.

N. B. All those indebted, that do not pay attention to the above, may have the pleasure of settling with an attorney, as I am determined to give my books for collection, after the 10th day of August next. JOHN WOODRUFF.

NEW CHEAP STORE, In the Town of Charlotte.

The subscriber having purchased of Dr. J. D. Boyd, his entire Stock of Goods, which were selected last fall, entirely new, in New York and Philadelphia, with a recruit of

Spring and Summer Fancy GOODS,

A small quantity of Hardware, Crockery, Coffee and Sugar, Salt of a superior quality,

all of which I will sell low for cash or to punctual dealers. I hope by close attention, to share a portion of the patronage of Mecklenburg and its vicinity. It is the wish of the proprietor for his friends to give him the pleasure of showing them his Stock, bear prices and then judge for themselves. JOHN M. MORRISON.

WALK UP.

The Subscriber having sold out his Stock of Goods, requests all persons indebted to him to call and settle. No indulgence.

FOR SALE.

The subscriber now offer for sale that House and Lot in Charlotte, well known as a Public House for a number of years, lately occupied by Mrs. Jane Emerson. It is situated in the central part of the town and a valuable stand for a tavern or any other business. There is a neat little Store House on the premises. Terms can be made known by application to John R. Williams, who resides near Charlotte.

JNO. R. WILLIAMS. ROBT. MCOMB.

Aug. 8, 1833. 3132

NOTICE.

THE Taxes of the Town Company are now due, and all persons living within the bounds are requested to come forward and pay up by the August Court. The Tax List in my absence will be left in the hands of Saml. C. Caldwell who is authorized to receive the taxes, and give receipts for the same.

JOS. MCONNAUGHEY, Sheriff.

Charlotte, July 25, 1833. 421

New Carriage-Making ESTABLISHMENT.

The subscriber begs to leave most respectfully to inform his friends and the public generally, that he is now carrying on the Carriage-Making Business at his New Shop, on the main street, one door north-west of the Jail, in all its various branches. The subscriber deems it entirely superfluous to give a detailed description of the kinds and qualities of his work, nor will he say that it shall be surpassed by none, nor on his part will only invite the public to call and examine his work, hear his prices and judge for themselves.

NATHAN BROWN.

Charlotte, July 8, 1833. 6151

One or Two apprentices will be taken to the above business. Boys 16 or 17 years of age, of steady and industrious habits. N. BROWN.

NEW BOOK STORE.

The Subscriber having no prospect of being again able to perform the labors 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.

What 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. 331

P. S. I have contracted with the Secretary of the A. T. S. for an Edition of the Christian Alliance 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.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA, MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, 1833.

Robert M. Sterling

vs.

Margaret Sterling. Petition for Divorce.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the Defendant in this case is not an inhabitant of this State, therefore it is Ordered, that publication be made for three months in the Raleigh Star and the *Miners' & Farmers' Journal*, for the said Defendant to appear at our next Superior Court of Law, to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at the Court-House in Charlotte, on the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday of September next, then and there to plead in answer to the Plaintiff's petition, otherwise judgment pro confesso will be entered against her and decree accordingly. Witness, Pearson Thompson, Clerk of said Court, at Office in Charlotte, the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday of March, A. D. 1833.

P. THOMPSON, c. m. c. l.

June 5 1833. Price adv. \$5.

SADDLES & HARNESS.

JAMES T. ASBURY & CO.

Having on hand and will continue to manufacture at their Shop in the southeast wing of Mr. Spring's Brick Building,

Ladies and Gentlemen's SADDLES,

of a superior style of workmanship and good northern materials, by the Messrs. Jettons, of Lincoln 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 & Holsters,

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, Bridle Bits, Stirrup Irons, and all other articles necessary to trim out Saddles and Harness, which will be sold low for cash.

We request the public to call and examine the materials and work manufactured, hear prices and judge for themselves. Charlotte, Dec. 7, 1832. 151

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

JAS. T. ASBURY & CO.

Charleston and Cheraw.

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

Comfortable accommodations for a few passengers, with all due attention.

J. R. CLOUGH.

Charleston, Sept. 26, 1831. 566

WARRANTEE DEEDS

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

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:

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| WINES. | Port |
| Hock | Madeira |
| Mosell | Sherry |
| Frontenac | Malaga |
| Muscatel | Teneriffe, &c. &c. |
| Champaign, in pint and quarts | |
| Cogniac Brandy | Old Peach Brandy |
| Holland Gin | Apple do. |
| Jamaica Rum | Peach do. |
| N. E. do. | Whiskey |

Havana, Spanish and American SEGARS, Cut, Figtail and Manufactured Tobacco, Scotch Snuff, Pipes, &c. &c. London bottled PORTER & Philadelphia BEER, Bottled and Newack CIDER, &c. CHEESE, CRACKERS and HERRINGS, An assortment of Foreign CORDIALS, Lemon Syrup and Spruce Beer,

FRUITS AND NUTS. Lemons, Figs, Raisins and Prunes, Almonds, Brazil, Cocoa and Barcelona 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.

NEGROES WANTED.

WILL Hire 4 or 5 Negro boys for the balance of the year, or by the month. Ten or twelve years of age would be preferred. THO. A. MERA. 421

June 13, 1833.

PROSPECTUS

Of a novel and interesting Weekly Publication, to be commenced on Saturday the 6th of July, TO BE ENTITLED

The Spy in Philadelphia,

AND SPIRIT OF THE AGE.

It is very philosophically observed by Addison, that our greatest pride arises from doing good to each other, or, in other words, from being individually serviceable to society. This can be best effected by a proper application of our intelligences, meeting them out according to the necessities of the community, and less lamenting the decline of public virtue than checking the progress of public vice: for vice retarded is virtue advanced. As the direction and discussion of measures of national and state polity are the business of the daily press, the full application of Addison's remark is necessarily neglected, and the consequence is, that vice shielded by wealth and worldly influence, are abroad among the people, not only unsuspected, but courted and required; and that a publication is necessary which will not only detect, but exhibit these wolves in sheep's clothing to public scorn; a mark by which others will be warned from their intent and service be rendered to society. In effecting this object we shall pursue a yet untrodden path; one where the necessary thorn shall be mingled (not concealed) with contrasting flowers. The manner of the “*Spy in Philadelphia*” shall be perfectly delicate, and uncontaminated by cant or vulgarity; its censure shall be judicious, its satire elastic. Literature and the arts shall find in it an untired friend: Dramatic and Literary criticisms shall meet with most attentive and impartial duty, and sketches of the Bar and Pulpit of Philadelphia shall occasionally appear from the pen of competent judges, uninfluenced by personal acquaintance or professional attachment. To these recommendations, our Poetical column will add another, which, coming from an already popular source, will, we trust, be equal to that of more pretending publications. It is unnecessary to be more explicit, as we presume the want of the proposed journal is not only admitted, but generally felt.—We therefore place ourselves before the PEOPLE and relying upon their love of justice and of public virtue, await their decision respectfully but confidently.

CONDITIONS.

The first number of “THE SPY IN PHILADELPHIA” will be issued on the first Saturday in July. It will be printed on fine white paper, in eight quarto pages, and with good types. As it is intended to render the contents worthy of preservation, for amusing or instructive reference, the advantage of the proposed and more portable size will be evident. The terms are \$2 per annum, payable in advance, or \$2 50 if not paid before the expiration of six months. Agents will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent., on all subscribers they shall obtain, on remitting one year's payment in advance, or becoming responsible for the same, and a gratuitous copy of the paper.

“THE SPY IN PHILADELPHIA” will contain humorous engravings after the manner of the celebrated Cruikshank. They will be executed by skillful artists and be accompanied with comic illustrations in prose or verse from the pens of original and competent writers.

All orders must be addressed, post paid, to

WILLIAM HILL & CO. No. 1 Athenian Building, Philadelphia.

Care will be taken to have the work carefully packed when sent out of the city.

Subscriptions received at this Office. Blanks of all kinds for sale at this Office.

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 the 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 also, to repair Clocks and Watches, and he would here inform the public, that he is the only shop in town where such articles are repaired.

He will also FLUX GOLD in any quantity, on the shortest notice. GILDING and ENGRAVING, also, done to order. THOMAS TROTTER.

Charlotte, May, 1833. 371

Select Circulating Library.

Containing equal to Fifty volumes for 5 Dollars PROSPECTUS.

In presenting to the public a periodical, entirely new in its character, it will be expected that the publisher should describe his plan, and the objects he hopes to accomplish. There is growing up in the United States an immense population, with literary tastes, who are scattered over a large space, and who, distant from the localities where books and literary information emanate, feel themselves at a great disadvantage that mental food which education has fitted them to enjoy. Books are cheap in their principles, but in the interior they cannot be procured as soon as published, nor without considerable expense. To supply this desideratum is the object of the present undertaking, the chief object which implicitly is, to make good reading cheap, and to put it in a form that will bring it to every man's door.

Books cannot be sent by mail, while the “*Select Circulating Library*” may be received at the most distant post office in the Union in from fifteen to twenty-five days after it is published, at the expense of two and a half cents in other words, before a book could be bound in Philadelphia, subscribers in Ohio or Vermont may be procured in their parlours.

To elucidate the advantages of the “*Select Circulating Library*” such as we propose, it is necessary to compare it with some other publications. Take the *Waverly* novels for example: the *Chronicles of the Canongate* occupy two volumes, which are sold at \$1.25 to \$1.50. The number would be readily contained in one volume of seven cents, postage included! So that you could three times the quantity of literary matter be supplied for the same money by adopting the newspaper form. But we consider transactions by mail, and the early receipt of a new volume, a most distinguishing feature of the publication. Distant subscribers will be placed on a par with those nearer at hand, and will be supplied with their own homes with equal to about five Dollars. This may not take fifty times to accomplish; for, though not longer than a week will elapse between the issuing of a number yet, when there is a press of very interesting matter, or when two or more numbers are required to contain a whole work, the interval will feel himself at liberty to publish every interval—fifty two numbers being the equivalent for five dollars.

Arrangements have been made to receive London an early copy of every new book published in that mart of talent or in Edinburgh, together with the periodical literature of Great Britain—From the former we shall select the Novels, Memoirs, Tales, Travels, Sketches, Geography, &c. and publish them with as much rapidity and accuracy as an extensive printing office will admit. From the latter, such intelligence will occasionally be called, as prove interesting and entertaining to the knowledge and science, literature and good standard novels, and other works of print, may also occasionally be reproduced in our columns.

The publisher confidently assures the families, that they need have no dread of intruding the “*Select Circulating Library*” into the domestic circle, as the gentleman who has undertaken the Editorial duties, to literary habits adds a due sense of the responsibility incumbent in catering for an extended and miscellaneous community, and of the consequences attendant and otherwise, that will follow the dissemination of obnoxious or wholesome mental aliment. The situation and engagements afford him peculiar advantages and facilities for the selection of the best. These with the additional channels created by agencies at London, Liverpool and Edinburgh, warrant the proprietor in guaranteeing a faithful execution of the literary department.

It would be supererogatory to dilate on the general advantages and conveniences which the publication presents to people of literary taste wherever located, but more particularly to those who reside in retired situations—they are situated that the first glance cannot fail to detect the vision of its utility.

TERMS. The *Select Circulating Library* will be published weekly on a double medium sheet of fine paper, octavo form, with three columns on a page, and mailed with great care so as to carry to the most distant post-office.

It will be printed and finished with the same care and accuracy as book work. The subscription will form a volume weekly, containing preservation, of 832 pages, equal in quantity to 1200 pages, or three volumes, of Keble's *Paradise*. Each volume will be accompanied with a title page and index.

The price is Five Dollars for fifty two numbers of sixteen pages each—a price at which cannot be afforded unless extensively patronized. Payment at all times in advance.

Agents who procure five subscribers, shall receive a receipt in full by remitting the publisher the proportionate compensation for a larger number. This arrangement is made to increase the circulation to an extent which will make it an object to pay agents liberally. Clubs of five individuals may thus procure the work for \$4 by uniting their remittances.

Subscribers, living near agents, may procure subscriptions to them; these otherwise would pay their subscription to the subscriber at the place. Our arrangements are all made for the fulfilment of our part of the contract.

Subscribers' names should be immediately forwarded, in order that the publisher may know many to print of the future numbers.

ADAM WALTON Philadelphia, October, 1832.