

THE MUSE.

STANZAS.

As circling years progressively roll,
A thousand fond affections start;

And weave the fetters round the heart.
And did not set off the gushing tear,

Proclaim those earthly chains were riven,
Deluded man would linger here,

Unmindful of his native heaven.
But ah! the suffering wretch can tell,

How, one by one, they cease to cling;
For, stern misfortune breaks the spell,

And every sorrow snaps a string.
By an amateur.
"Here lies my wife, who killed herself,

All of her own accord—
The Lord that gave, hath taken away—
And blessed be the Lord."

Of all Job lost, his history tells us plain,
God gave him double portions back again,

God did not take his plucky wife, 'tis true—
What could the patient man have done with

two? [WRITTEN.]

MARQUIS DE LA FAYETTE.

As this distinguished personage has
of late become a topic of general con-

versation, the following accounts of
his personal appearance, as given by

an entertaining writer in the Village
Record, will not be unacceptable to

the reader.
"The Marquis de la Fayette was
one of the finest looking men in the

army, notwithstanding his deep red hair,
which then, as now, was rather in dis-

repute. His forehead was fine, though
receding—his eyes clear hazel—his

mouth and chin delicately formed,
and exhibiting beauty rather than

strength. The expression of his coun-
tenance was strongly indicative of the

generous and gallant spirit which ani-
mated him, mingled with something

of the pride of conscious manliness.
His mien was noble—his manners

frank and amiable, and his movements
light and graceful. He wore his hair

plain, and never complied so far with
the fashions of the times as to pow-

der.
A gentleman in Philadelphia having
announced his intention of writing a

life of this eminent man, perhaps the
following notice of his departure from

France to aid the U. States in their
struggle for liberty, may not be unac-

ceptable:
Paris, April 4, 1777.—One of the
richest of our young nobility, the

Marquis de La Fayette, a relation of
the Duke de Noailles, between 19 and

20 years of age, has at his own ex-
pense, hired a frigate, and provided

every thing necessary for a voyage to
America, with two officers of his ac-

quaintance. He set out last week,
having told his lady and family that

BY AUTHORITY.

To allow the bounty to vessels employed in the
Coast Fisheries in certain cases.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Rep-
resentatives of the United States of America
in Congress assembled, That any vessel which
shall be licensed according to law, for the coast

fishery, and which shall have completed her
fishing term, according to the provisions of law,
and thereby become entitled to the allowance
of bounty, shall, in returning to any port with-

in the United States, be wrecked or lost, the
owner or owners, and crew of such vessel, shall,
on satisfactory proof being made to the Com-
ptroller of the Treasury, of the wreck, or loss

of such vessel, be entitled to the same bounty as
would have been allowed, had such vessel return-
ed to port.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That any
vessel which shall have completed her fishing
term, subsequent to the act, entitled "An act

in addition to, and alteration of, an act, entitled
"An act laying a duty on imported salt, grant-
ing a bounty on pickled fish exported, and al-
lowance to certain vessels employed in the fish-

eries," passed the third of March, one thousand
eight hundred and nineteen, and which shall,
in returning to any port in the United States,
have been wrecked or lost, the owner or owners,

and crew, of such fishing vessel, shall have ex-
tended to them the provisions of the first section
of this act.

H. CLAY,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
DANIEL D. TOMPKINS,
Vice President of the U. States and
President of the Senate.

Washington, May 26, 1824.
Approved: JAMES MONROE.

AN Act to fix the Western boundary line of the
Territory of Arkansas, and for other purposes.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Rep-
resentatives of the United States of America
in Congress assembled, That the western bound-
ary line of the territory of Arkansas shall be-

gin at a point forty miles west of the southwest
corner of the state of Missouri, and run south,
to the right bank of the Red river, and thence,

down the river, and with the Mexican boundary,
to the line of the state of Louisiana, any law
heretofore made, to the contrary notwithstand-

ing.
Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the
sum of two thousand dollars, to defray the ex-
pense of running and marking said boundary

line, to be expended under the directions of the
President of the United States, be, and the
same hereby is, appropriated, to be paid out of

any money in the Treasury, not otherwise ap-
propriated.
Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That so

much of the appropriation of six thousand
dollars, made by the act of the 3d of March,
eighteen hundred and twenty-one, for carrying

into effect the treaty of the eighteenth of Octo-
ber, eighteen hundred and twenty, with the
Chactaw (Choctaw) Indians, as remains unex-

pendent, shall, under the direction of the Presi-
dent of the United States, be employed for the
purposes mentioned in the said act of 3d of

March, eighteen hundred and twenty-one, any
law to the contrary notwithstanding.
Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the

sum of ten thousand dollars, to be paid out of
any money in the Treasury, not otherwise ap-
propriated, be, and the same is hereby, appro-

riated, to defray the expenses of treating with
the Chactaw (Choctaw) Indians, to obtain a mo-
dification of the treaty of October eighteenth,

one thousand eight hundred and twenty.
Approved: Washington, May 26, 1824.

AN Act reserving to the Wyandot Tribe of In-
dians a certain tract of land, in lieu of a reser-
vation made to them by Treaty.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Rep-
resentatives of the United States of America
in Congress assembled, That there be, and here-

by is, reserved, for the use of the chiefs and
tribe of Wyandot Indians, subject to the condi-

AN Act to provide for the extinguishment of
the debt due to the United States, by the
Purchasers of Public Lands.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Rep-
resentatives of the United States of America
in Congress assembled, That, in all cases
where the purchasers, or legal holders, of any

certificate of purchase of any of the Public
Lands of the United States, may have obtain-
ed a certificate of further credit, under the

provisions of an act, passed second March, one
thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, en-
titled "An act for the relief of the purchasers of

public lands prior to the first day of July, one
thousand eight hundred and twenty," or of the
act supplementary thereto, of the twentieth of

April, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-
two, and of the third of March, one thousand
eight hundred and twenty-three, the person ob-

taining such certificate, or the legal holder
thereof, shall be allowed, at any time prior to

the tenth of April, one thousand eight hundred
and twenty-five, to file, with the Register of the

Land Office, in the district where such land is
situated, a relinquishment, in writing, of any
section, half section, quarter section, or legal

subdivision of a fractional section, made accord-
ing to the provisions in the existing laws, in re-
lation to the survey and sale of Public Lands;

and any payment made, on any tract of land, so
relinquished, shall be applied to the payment of

the amount due on any tract retained by said
purchaser, or legal holder of a certificate of a
purchase; which relinquishment shall be allow-

ed only on condition that any such purchaser,
or legal holder of a certificate of purchase, re-
linquish a sufficient quantity of land thereby to

complete his or her payment due to the United
States, or any lands retained, or pay the balance

due, and which may afterwards become due, in
money, before or at the time of such relinquish-
ment; and, on the payment of such balance in

money, there shall be allowed, on the amount so
paid, a deduction of the rate of thirty-seven ad

a half per centum: Provided, That nothing
herein contained, shall entitle the person mak-
ing such relinquishment to claim any repay-

ment from the United States, on account of any
land so relinquished: And provided further,
That nothing herein contained shall authorize

any discounts upon payments made by relin-
quishment.
Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That all pur-

chasers, or legal holders of any certificate of
purchase, of any of the Public Lands of the
United States, who may have obtained a certi-

cate of further credit, under the provisions of
the several acts above mentioned, or making

compleat payment, previous to the tenth of
April, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, of ev-
ery instalment now due, and which shall after-

wards become payable, shall be allowed, upon
the amount so paid, a deduction, at the rate of
thirty-seven and a half per centum.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That it
shall be the duty of the Registers and Receivers
of the Land Offices of the United States, im-

Mansion Hotel,
SALISBURY, NORTH-CAROLINA, BY
EDWARD YARBROUGH:

WHO respectfully informs the pub-
lic, and his friends, that he has
taken the extensive and elegant estab-
lishment, situated at the north corner of the
Court-House, (lately occupied by Mr. James

Hole.) The convenience of this situation for
the business, is equal to any in the place. The
House contains a number of private rooms, well

calculated for the accommodation of Travellers
and Boarders; the Stables are equal, if not su-
perior, to any in the place, and attended to by

obliging and attentive Hostlers; his table and
bar, will be supplied with the best market
affords; and the regulations of his House, such

as he hopes will give entire satisfaction to those
who may think proper to call on him; and he
assures them, that no pains shall be spared to

render their stay comfortable and pleasing.
February 24, 1824. 96

South Yakin Bridge.
THE Commissioners appointed by Rowan
County Court, to build a Bridge over the
South Yakin river, between the mouth of Second

Creek and the Point, will receive proposals for
contracting said Bridge. Persons disposed to con-
tract for the same, will specify to either of the

Commissioners the terms on which they can do
the job. Contractors will understand that there
is to be a good stone abutment at each end of

the Bridge, a stone pier in the centre; the whole
to be well shingled and weatherboarded. The
bridge will require to be two hundred feet long.

ALFRED MACAY,
JACOB FISHER,
JOHN H. FREELING, Com'rs.
DAVID M'GUIRE,
JOHN BEARD, jr.
Salisbury, June 7, 1824. 99

Wholesale HAT Store,
279 King Street, opposite the Merchant's Hotel.
Wildman & Starr,
OFFER to the public a general assortment

of 1st, 2nd, and 3d quality black and drab
Beaver Hats,
oval, bell and high crowns, and cortes shaped,
wide and narrow brims, late fashions.

Also, Castor Hats, ditto; men's and youth's
fine Roram ditto, warranted elastic water proof;
men's and youth's Roram Hats, of an inferior

quality. All of which they warrant of their
own manufacture.
Men's and boy's coarse, fine and very fine

black and drab wool Hats; morocco caps, from
Philadelphia and New-York; Hatter's Trimm-
ings, Bow Strings, and Brushes, &c. &c. low

for cash.
Charleston, April, 1824. 13413

New Assortment.
THE subscriber has very recently received
from Philadelphia, an assortment of

Dry Goods,
Cutlery, and
Domestics;
which, with the assortment he expects to re-
ceive in a short time, will enable him to sell at

satisfactory prices. The public are respectfully
invited to call, and examine for themselves.
EDWARD CRESS.
Salisbury, Aug. 16, 1823. 79

Coppersmithing.
The Coppersmithing, and Tin Plate business,
heretofore transacted by D. Cress, sen. will in

future be conducted by me, at the same place.
Those who favor me with their custom, may de-
pend on having their work done with neatness,

durability and despatch. EDWD. CRESS.

Dissolution.
I HAVE declined acting as partner with John
Murphy, in the mercantile business in Con-
cord, with his consent, and have relinquished all

claims to any part or portion of the profits of the
concern of Murphy & Sutton. 98
March 22, 1824. NATH'L. SUTTON.

New Store, in Concord.
THE subscriber has formed a Copartnership
with William Brown, in the mercantile

business, at Concord, Cabarrus county, North-
Carolina, under the firm of Murphy & Brown;
where they are opening a fresh assortment of

Dry Goods, Cutlery and Hardware,
selected with much care, in Philadelphia and
New-York, and bought on the best terms. They

LATEST FASHIONS,
From Philadelphia.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his
friends and the public generally, that he has
just received the latest fashions from London, by
way of Philadelphia. Gentlemen in this vicinity,

and the adjacent country, wishing fashion-
able clothes made, can now be accommodated by
the subscriber on a short notice. All orders

from a distance, for making any kind of gentle-
man's garments, will be punctually and expedi-
tiously executed, and forwarded according to

directions. Gentlemen are invited to give the
subscriber's shop a fair trial; they will then be
better able to judge whether he deserves their

patronage or not. THOMAS V. CANON,
Salisbury, April 19, 1824. 92.

Carpentering Business.
THE subscriber begs leave to inform the
citizens of Rowan and the adjoining coun-

ties, that he intends carrying on the House Car-
penter's Business in all its various branches,
and is now ready to make engagements with

any person wishing to have work done in his
line. He will employ none but the best of

workmen; and he flatters himself that, from his
long experience and strict attention to the busi-
ness, he will be able to discharge any such work

in the most fashionable style of the day, and on
the most reasonable terms. He feels no hesita-
tion in saying that those who may favor him

with their custom, will be fully satisfied as to
price, durability, neatness, and despatch.
ISAAC EARNHART.
Salisbury, June 14, 1824. 114r

Martin F. Revell, Tailor.
ADOPTS this plan of informing the citizens
of Salisbury, and its vicinity, in general,
that he has commenced the

Tailoring Business,
in part of John Utzman's house, situated in
Market Street, a few doors from the East corner

of the Court-House; where he is prepared and
will be happy to accommodate any gentlemen
who are disposed to patronize him in his line of

business, in the newest and most fashionable
style, or to please fancy. He flatters himself,
from his long experience, that there are but

few, if any, in the country, that can surpass him
in the execution of his work. A fair trial is all
he asks, to prove the above assertion. The

changes of fashion shall be strictly attended to,
as he has left a correspondent in the District of
Columbia, (where he is last from) who will send

him the fashions on, in their regular seasons.
He hopes by strict attention to business, to re-
ceive a liberal share of public patronage, as he

is determined nothing shall be left undone to
render general satisfaction.
Salisbury, May 5, 1824. 296

State of North-Carolina,
CABARRUS COUNTY.
COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, April
Term, 1824: Caleb P. Alexander, versus

James Pickens; original attachment, levied on
lands, &c. It appearing to the court that the
defendant in this case is not an inhabitant of

this state, it is therefore ordered, that publica-
tion be made three months in the Western Car-
olinian, giving notice to said defendant to appear

at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions
to be held for said county, at the court-house in
Concord, on the third Monday of July next, to

reply, plead, or demur, otherwise judgment
final will be entered against him, and execution
awarded accordingly.
Test: DANIEL COLEMAN, c. c.
Price adv. \$4. 1116

State of North-Carolina,
WILKES COUNTY.
COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May
Term, 1824: James Irwin vs. John M'CORD:

original attachment, levied on two tracts of land.
It appearing to the court that the defendant
lives out of this state, it is therefore ordered,

that publication be made for three months in the
Western Carolinian, that the defendant, appear
at the next county court to be held for the county

of Wilkes, at the court-house in Wilkesboro',
on the first Monday in August next, and reply
and plead to issue, or judgment will be entered

against him for plaintiff's demand. 1118r
Test: R. MARTIN, c. w. c. c.

State of North-Carolina,
BURKE COUNTY.
IN Equity, March term, A. D. 1824. Merrit

Burgin, vs. Phillip Goodbread. It appearing
to the satisfaction of the court, that Phillip
Goodbread does not reside within the limits of

this State, it is therefore ordered that publica-
tion be made for three months successively in
the Western Carolinian, that unless the said

Phillip Goodbread appear at the next court of
Equity to be held for the county of Burke, at
the court-house in Morganton, on the 4th Mon-

day of September next, then and there to plead,
answer or demur, judgment, pro confesso, will
be taken, and the same be heard ex parte.
S. S. ERWIN, c. w. c.
Price adv. \$4. 13122

State of North-Carolina,
IREDELL COUNTY.
COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May
Term, 1824. John Nesbit, vs. Charles D.
Conner: Original attachment, returned, &c. It

is ordered by the court, that the defendant,
(who is not an inhabitant of this State) file his
answer on or before the next term of this court,

to be held for the county aforesaid, at the court-
house in Statesville, on the third Monday in
August next, otherwise the plaintiff will be

heard ex parte, and have judgment pro confesso.
It is further ordered, that this notice be pub-
lished for three months in the Western Carolinian.

Test: R. SIMONTON, C'k.
Price adv. \$4. 1123

State of North-Carolina,
ASHE COUNTY.
MORRIS BAKER, vs. Alexander Johnson,

and James Baker, Sen. et alias: Original
bill in Equity. Whereas, it appears to the satis-
faction of this court, that Polly Baker, relict of

Jeremiah Baker, dec'd. James Baker, Reuben
Baker, Lucy Ann Baker, Seeberry Baker, Nancy
Baker, and Jeremiah Baker, infants and heirs

at-law of the aforesaid Jeremiah Baker, dec'd.
are inhabitants of another state, it is therefore
ordered, that publication be made in the West-

ern Carolinian, published in Salisbury, for six
weeks, for the aforesaid parties to appear and
answer, plead or demur, or judgment, pro con-

fesso, will be taken against them, and the cause
heard ex parte. Witness James Hathorn, clerk
of the court of Equity, for the county and state

aforesaid, March term, 1824.
JAMES HATHORN, c. & w. c.
Price adv. \$2.50. 1118

FROM THE NATIONAL GAZETTE.

In the month of March last, Baron
Wrangel, a Russian officer, made a second

attempt to perform a journey from the
mouth of the Kolyva to the north

ward, over the ice. In the first attempt
he was stopped by an open sea, on which

neither ice nor land was visible in any di-
rection. In the second he had nearly

perished. He had scarcely advanced fifty
versts, when a gale of wind broke up the

ice all around him, and he found him-
self on an open sea, tossed about on a floe

of ice eighty fathoms long and forty
broad, floated about at the mercy of the

wind and current, which fortunately drove
him at length half dead with cold and
hunger, to the Asiatic shore, not far from

Bhering's Strait.
In 1784, an American vessel imported
8 bags of cotton into Liverpool, which

were seized by one of his majesty's offi-
cers of the customs, as supposing they

were not the growth of America. In
1823, there were imported into Liverpool
from the United States of America,

409,670 bags of cotton.
1824.—March 16—Vessels arrived 727
1823.—March 16—Do. do. 462

—Increase, 265

At the anniversary of the New-York
Male Sunday School Union, celebrated on

Monday last, there were present about
four thousand scholars.