

POETRY.

For the Carolina Centinel.

PARAPHRASE OF THE LORD'S PRAYER.

By H. S. ELLENWOOD.

I.
Our FATHER! whose abode is high,
Beyond the loftiest Heaven's height;
Who sendeth forth thy pure commands
From houses sublime, not made with hands;
Whom burning seraphim, with fear
Hallow, nor approach too near;
May all that on this earthly frame,
Or breathe or move, adore thy name.

II.
Thy kingdom come!—from sea to sea,
Let dutious nations kneel to thee;
Thine lord and king, let all confess,
Who feel thy power to harm or bless:
And whilst obedient love inspires,
In better worlds, celestial choirs,
So may each heart, beneath the sun,
Exclaim, "O LORD! thy will be done!"

III.
From thee the hungry seek their meat;
No creatures doth thy care forget;
With them, great GIVER of all good!
We cry, "each day, for needful food:
Oh! likewise deign our souls to feed
With living water, heavenly bread;
And grant that ceaseless blessings may
Cheer and sustain us, day by day.

IV.
Mistaken, heedless, prone to wrong,
With slip'ry feet, with passions strong,
Too oft, alas! we go astray,
From duty's straight and narrow way:
These wanderings, Oh reclaim! and give
Thy grace, to aid us well to live;
And as for others faults we feel,
To us so let thy justice deal.

V.
From all the thousand secret snares,
That mingle with life's joys and cares;
The soft temptations, that allure,
E'en when we seem the most secure;
O save us! Thou! whose mighty arm
Alone can baffle every harm;
And cause that, free from sin and ill,
We, all thy pleasure may fulfil!

VI.
Subject to thee this wide world lies,
With all the orbs that deck the skies;
Nor will thy peerless reign be o'er,
When they shall roll, and shine, no more;
Thy vast dominion, LORD! shall be
Unbounded as Eternity:
Kingdom, and power, and glory, then,
O God! be ever thine! Amen!

MISCELLANEOUS.

From the American Farmer.

Curing of Beef.

I have seen several Recipes in the American Farmer, for curing beef; some of which are no doubt very good, but they do not communicate enough.

There may be many things in this necessary art, unknown to a family for the greater part of their lives, which it would be very useful to know the first year—I have, therefore, taken the liberty to send to the Editor of the Farmer, a plan that I think both theory and experience will sanction.

Get beef recently from the grass, and raised not very far from the market—for driving always inflames the vessels and melts down the fat, as well as hardens the flesh. The fat should be white and of good thickness, under the skin as well as interspersed throughout the flesh—a large kidney alone is not sufficient proof of good fat beef. Beef should be neither very young nor old—Oxen are to be preferred—Spayed heifers, although very tender and fat, want flavor—Cows are generally too small, and often pregnant—Bulls are said to be the most juicy, but even at two years of age, they require a first rate set of teeth to despatch a stake in ordinary time.

Let this beef, (if in the fall) hang a few days in quarters, which is just as necessary to tender the boiling pieces as the roasting pieces—then cut it up and have the whole rinsed, drained and well sprinkled with salt. In the mean time have a pickle made with cold water, sufficiently strong to bear an egg. For every quarter of beef put in three ounces of salt petre—after draining your thick pieces, put them into this pickle—let them be covered with it, and if possible, fill the cask.—In a week, turn them upside down, and let them remain three weeks, when the smallest may be used. The thin pieces that were left out, such as flanks and plates, should be rubbed every third day with salt and selt petre, which will bring them in for use sooner than the pickle.

To make Pomatum.—Take the marrow of any animal bones, and having strained it, then perfume it with sweet scented oil, Russian or Antique, and it is fit for use; and is said to have the power of quickening the growth of the hair, perhaps by communicating a softness to the skin, and opening its pores about the roots of the hair.

MONTPELIER, JAN. 6.

A Catamount or Cat on the Greene Mountains.—An animal of the Cat species, of enormous size and strength, was killed on Saturday, Dec. 29, in Roxbury, about fifteen miles from this place. It had been pursued by five gentlemen of that town, under the expectation of overtaking a bear. The party, armed with three muskets, five balls, broken pieces of chain, and some buck shot, accompanied with three faithful dogs, pursued the track about six miles, when they overtook the dogs at the foot of a tree, upon a limb of which, about forty feet from the ground, sat a most frightful and ferocious animal, with the name and nature of which, not one in the party was acquainted. A short consultation was held—two armed themselves with clubs, while the remainder handled the musket, firmly resolved on "victory or death!" Five shots were fired, expending the balls, and five links of chain, with no other effect than to wound and irritate the high-minded and terrific enemy. As a last resort, while the animal was waving her tail, darting vengeance from her fiery eyeballs, and threatening destruction from her extended jaws, one of the party loaded very heavily with powder and buck shot, and lodged the fatal contents in the very "mouth of the enemy." She instantly ran down the tree about twenty feet, leaped to the ground, and retreated with strides some fifteen or twenty feet at a jump, about seventy rods, where she fought the dogs with her fore paws until overtaken by the men. Unable any further to retreat, a second discharge of a musket in her mouth, settled the contest and gave to the intrepid hunters a "glorious victory"

The animal (frozen) was brought to this place in perfect shape. It is a female, and the largest we believe, ever killed in this part of the country. It measures seven feet in length, three feet in height, and weighs one hundred and eighteen lbs. It is no doubt a real Catamount.

The victors draw a bounty of twenty dollars from the county. We understand that after exhibiting the animal a short time for public gratification, it is their intention to present it to the museum of Hanover, N. H.

Cross your t's although you spell wrong.

Capt.—of schr.—, while at one of the West India Islands, received the following order, among others, from his owner: "I want you to get me *loo* monkeys for a particular purpose—*Dont* fail." In consequence of the word being misspelled, and the *t* not being crossed, the captain put himself to a great expense and considerably prolonged his voyage to accomplish the order in the sense he gave it. "Where have you been so long?" said the anxious owner, on his return. "Looking for your—*monkeys*," said the enraged captain, "and with all my pains, I have been able to get but *wixty* out of the *100*." "*Sixty* monkeys!" exclaimed the owner, "why I only want *two*." Here is your order for them, sir," replied the captain, coolly pulling out the letter.

There are now two families living near to each other at Middleton, consisting of three persons in each family, yet they include fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters, uncles and aunts, nieces, own cousins, half cousins and quarter cousins, and we know not how many more degrees of relationship, though altogether there are but six persons.—*Durham paper.*

A Broad Hint.—The following advertisement of a merchant lately appeared in the Norwalk, (Conn.) Gazette.

"To the dull of Apprehension.—Whereas, you do not seem fully to understand the import of long sentences. I will treat you to a couple of proverbs, short but sweet, and easy to be understood: 'Lawyers houses are built with fools' money.' 'A word to the wise is sufficient.' D. S. BARTRAM.

When Napoleon returned from Waterloo to Paris, he was waited upon in his palace by a little boy, for whom he had a great partiality. The boy took him some coffee. The emperor sat with his hands over his eyes. "Take some," said the little valet; "it will comfort you." "Did you not come from Gonessee?" "No, sire: from Pierre Fite." "Your parents have some few acres of land and a cottage there, have they not?" "Yes, sire." "It is indeed a happy life!" ejaculated the emperor, and again covered his eyes and face with his hands.

Hyder Ally having been one day observed by one of his intimate friends to start in his sleep, he was asked by his friend, when he awoke, whether he had not been dreaming. "My friend," replied Hyder, "the state of a yokee (a religious mendicant) is more—far more delightful and to be envied than my entire monarchy. Awake, he sees no conspirators; asleep, he dreams of no assassins."

Anecdote.—Not many years ago a gentleman lately from Scotland, called on Mr. H. at his seat near Wilmington, Delaware, for whom he had some letters.—While walking in his garden, abounding in excellent fruit, the latter observed, that show him what he would, his guest insisted he had seen muckle better in Scotland. Determined, however, to surprise him, he privately ordered his servant to tie some gourds on a peartree, whilst they were at dinner. When the cloth was removed, "now, sir," said Mr. H. "I think I can show what you never saw in Scotland," and taking him to the tree, he asked the astonished Scotchman what he thought of that. "In truth, sar," quoth he, "they are yarra fine piers indeed; but I think I have seen ful as large in the Duke of Argyll's gardens, though I must e'en confess they had na quite sic lang necks."

WM. S. WEBB & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,
A VARIETY OF SEASONABLE
DRY GOODS,
CROCKERY,
LADIES' FASHIONABLE WALKING
BOOTS & SHOES,
GENTLEMEN'S
IMITATION BEAVERS,
Ladies' Straw Bonnets, &c
Which they offer for sale on the lowest terms. Newbern, Jan. 12, 1822

T. W. PITTMAN

HAS just received at his Store on Craven Street, opposite the Newbern Bank, a few Firkins

GOSHEN BUTTER,
Raisins,
put up in small boxes for family use, and a few barrels WHISKEY.
Also on hand,
A general assortment of DRY GOODS
GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES,
HATS, SADDLES, BRIDLES,
TRUNKS, FOWLING PIECES,
RIFLES, &c. &c.

All of which he will sell cheap for cash.

ALSO,
Two very handsome Stick GIGS,
Three light One Horse WAGGONS,
A number of low priced PLOUGHS,
Fancy and Windsor CHAIRS,
And a small invoice of FURNITURE.
December 8, 1821—194.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having been informed that a certain person of this county has been in the habit of trespassing on his LAND, known by the name of Lane's Land, on Pembroke road—takes this method of informing him, that, should he again be guilty of the like offence, the law in such case made and provided, will be strictly enforced against him.

D. RIUS AMYETT.
Craven County, Dec. 29, 1821-'97

GABRIEL M. RAINS,
Cabinet Maker,
HAS on hand, at his Shop on Middle street, the following articles of
FURNITURE,

—VIZ—
SIDEBOARDS, DINNER TABLES
SECRETARIES, BREAKFAST Do.
BUREAUS, WASH STANDS,
CARD TABLES, CANDLE Do.
FANCY CHAIRS, &c. &c.

Which he offers for sale at reduced prices. All orders in his line of business will be thankfully received and punctually attended to. December 1, 1821.—3m.

THE SUBSCRIBER

INTENDING to remove to the Western part of the State, offers for sale the following property in the town of Newbern, viz.

A DWELLING HOUSE,
Part of a Lot and improve ments,

on East Front-street, adjoining the Lot of the Union Steam Mill Company.
And Part of a Lot directly opposite

Terms will be made known on application.—Enquire of
THOS. H. KEAN.
Newbern, Oct. 27—1821—188f.

POMEROY'S

Razor Straps.

THOMAS WATSON

HAS just received a fresh supply of POMEROY'S METALIC STRAP AND PASTE, of a superior quality, and at reduced prices, which are offered to the public with an assurance that they will be found, on trial, superior to any article of the kind.

Thirty thousand have been manufactured and sold since Sept. 1820.

The following are the remarks of Mr. Coleman, Editor of the New-York Evening Post, and the card annexed, as published in his paper of the 9th inst.

"Having experienced the very superior Composition laid on the Straps of Mr. Pomeroy, which I have the best reason and authority for saying yet remains a secret, known only to the inventor, notwithstanding the unwarrantable attempts of the interested to make the public believe otherwise, I give place to the following card, with a hearty good will, wishing the ingenious inventor all the success so useful a discovery is entitled to."

A CARD.—Having some time since spoken of the excellent quality of a Paste for sharpening Razors, &c. invented by E. M. Pomeroy, at Wallingford, (Conn.) I deem it but just to say, that after 12 months' experience in the use of it in my business, I am confirmed in the opinion then expressed, of its being superior to any thing ever used in this country or England for the same purpose; and great credit is due to the inventor for the improvement he has made in their manufacture

JOHN CHESWICH, *Cutler,*
Late from Sheffield.
These Straps will be furnished at a liberal discount to such as buy to sell again.
Newbern, February 2d, 1822.

FOR SALE,

BY THE SUBSCRIBER,
360 Acres of Land, five miles above Newbern, lying between Neuse and Trent Roads, in the little Pecosen.

One new House & half Lot, In the Town of Newbern,

known by the numbers 288 and 289 opposite John Jones' Esq.
Half the front of Lot No. 21, on the south side of Front-street, extending to the channel.

Also a valuable
MILCH COW.

For terms, which will be accommodating, apply to
John R. Good.
Newbern, July 21st, 1821—174

RICHARD N. OLIVER,
Cabinet Maker,
At the old Glebe, Middle street above the Court House,

RETURNS his grateful thanks to the inhabitants of Newbern, and the vicinity thereof, for the encouragement he has received from them; and hopes by his strict attention to business, and unremitting exertions to please, to merit a continuance of their favours. He has on hand, an assortment of ready made FURNITURE, and the best materials to make any thing that may be called for, on the most moderate terms.—All orders from town or country, will be punctually attended to.

He has also on hand, a handsome assortment of Mahogany and other woods, for COFFINS—and attends funerals, as usual. Those who are so unfortunate as to lose their friends, will find it to their advantage to call as above, as he intends reducing the expenses thereof so as to be an object to the employers. Newbern, Jan. 5, 1822.

Five Cents Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, on the 16th inst. an indentured apprentice named Shadrach Stocks, about 12 years of age, light complexion, and weak eyes. All persons are forbidden from harbouring or employing him, under the penalty of the law. The above reward, but no expenses will be paid to any person who will deliver said apprentice to me.

PETER R. YATES.
Jan. 26, 1822.

GRAND NATIONAL LOTTERY.

NOW DRAWING AT WASHINGTON CITY.

NINE days drawing over—EIGHT of which have been received at this Office.

THE CAPITAL PRIZES ARE,
100,000 Dollars.
25,000 Dollars.
10,000 Dollars.
5,000 Dollars.
5,000 Dollars.
5,000 Dollars.
5,000 Dollars.
BESIDES EIGHTY-SIX OF
1000 Dollars.

And several of \$500, \$100, &c. &c.
Not two Blanks to a Prize.

On the 10th day will be deposited in the wheel one Prize of 5,000 dollars;—on the 15th day one Prize of 5,000 dollars;—on the 20th day one Prize of 5,000 dollars;—on the 25th day one Prize of 10,000 dollars;—on the 28th day one Prize of 25,000 dollars;—and on the 30th day the Grand Capital Prize of 100,000 dollars. All the other Prizes are floating from the commencement of the Drawing.—Prizes only to be drawn. Before the completion of the drawing, Tickets will probably be selling at *Fifty Dollars*—those therefore, who propose purchasing, should forward their orders immediately.

Tickets may now be had as follows:
Whole Tickets \$15. Quarters \$3.75
Halves 7.50 Eighths 1.875
TICKETS, HALVES, QUARTERS AND EIGHTHS,

In a great variety of numbers,
FROM
D. GILLESPIE'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON CITY,
For Sale at the Office of the
CAROLINA CENTINEL,
and at the
POST-OFFICE, NEWBERN,

Orders from the neighboring Towns and Country, enclosing the Cash, addressed to Thomas Watson, Post-Master Newbern, will receive prompt attention.—Tickets warranted undrawn, may be had at any time during the drawing, and all necessary information will be given to distant adventurers, free of postage.—Notes of the North-Carolina Banks will be received in payment for Tickets. January 26, 1822.

D. GILLESPIE has had the pleasure of selling and paying more Capital Prizes drawn from the wheels of the different Lotteries within two years, than any other venter of tickets in America. The following Grand Capitals since 1st of January last:
In Monument Lottery of Balt. \$40,000
Consolidation do. of do. 30,000
Literature do. of N. Y. 25,000
State do. of Penn. 20,000
National do. No. 4. 35,000
Do. do. do. 10,000
** Prizes in the GRAND NATIONAL LOTTERY, will be paid on demand by
D. Gillespie,
Agent for the Managers.

One Hundred & Fifty Dollars REWARD.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, on the 20th of February 1820, his **NEGRO MAN SAM,** who is 28 or 30 years of age, about six feet high, thin made, remarkably black, and a little marked with the small pox; has thin whiskers, the hair on his head quite graying, some places not having any, small red eyes, and a down look when spoken to.

SAM was raised by the subscriber, and is by trade a carpenter; he is also something of a seaman. I have been informed that he has procured a seaman's protection, and obtained forged free papers.—He has, no doubt, gone to some of the Northern seaports.

A reward of *One Hundred and Fifty Dollars*, if taken out of the state of North-Carolina, will be paid for the apprehension and confinement of Sam in jail, so that I get him again; or, a reward of *Seventy-five Dollars*, if he is taken and secured within the state.

All persons are forbid harbouring or employing said Negro, and masters of vessels from carrying him away.
Allen Backhouse.
Newbern, Dec. 15, 1821.—195f

PRINTING.

BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CARDS, HANDBILLS, BLANKS, AND CIRCULARS,
NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE