

Selected Poetry.

LEDYARD'S praise of WOMEN.
 THRO' many a land and clime a ranger,
 With toilsome steps I've held my way,
 A lonely unprotected stranger,
 To all the stranger's ill a prey.

While steering thus my course precarious,
 My fortune still has been to find,
 Men's hearts and dispositions various,
 But gentle woman ever kind.

Alive to every tender feeling,
 To deeds of mercy always prone;
 The wounds of pain and sorrow healing,
 With soft compassion sweetest tone.

No proud delay, no dark suspicion,
 Stints the free bounty of their heart;
 They turn not from the sad petition,
 But cheerful aid at once impart.

Firm'd in benevolence of nature,
 Obliging, modest, gay and mild,
 Woman's the same endearing creature
 In courtly town, and savage wild.

When parch'd with thirst, with hunger wadded,
 Her friendly hand refreshment gave;
 How sweet the coarsest food has tasted!
 What cordial in the simple wave!

Her courteous looks, her words caressing,
 She'd comfort on the fainting soul;
 Woman's the stranger's general blessing
 From sultry India to the Pole."

COMMUNICATION.

The following anecdote will serve to shew the degree of probability which the apprehensions, said to be entertained by the friends of the British treaty, of a war with England deserved.

An American citizen had, in the course of a residence in England, become acquainted with Lord Sidney, the uncle of Mr. Pitt. He happened to be in company with him shortly after the arrival of Mr. Jay at London as Envoy Extraordinary from United States: talking of the then political situation of the two countries, Lord Sidney observed, that he "hoped America was not mad enough to declare war against England's for," said he, "I consider Great Britain useful to America, and America necessary to Great Britain at present. I am glad of Mr. Jay's arrival here, and you may depend upon it, that whatever may be the demands of America, his Majesty's Ministers are disposed to grant all she can ask in reason."

A NECDOTE.

MR. FOOTE used to pass much of his time at the seat of Sir Francis Blake Delaval. During one of his visits he happened to be looking at some pigs belonging to Sir Francis, which had a few minutes before been served with their morning's meal, and perceived a silver spoon thrown among their victuals: the grunting community making more than common noise, caused one of the maids to go and endeavour to silence them; and not observing Mr. Foote, she cried in a pet, "Dence take the pigs, what a riot they make." Well they may, you jade, replied Foote, "when they have got but one silver spoon among them all."

FOR SALE,

THE Plantation and lands whereon the subscriber now lives, containing about one thousand acres, lying fifteen miles below Newbern, and on Neuse river and Slocomb's creek. There are on said lands three plantations all in complete order for farming, and has every house needful for farm or family. The terms are, one third of the purchase money in hand, one third in one year, and the remainder in two years, and if not sold by the eighth day of December next, it will be put up at public vendue upon the premises. At the same time and place a quantity of household and kitchen furniture, plantation tools and stock will be sold for three months credit. Also a quantity of corn will be sold for ready money.

ADAM TOOLEY.

October 24.

**IREDELL'S REVISAL,
 AND
 ALMANACKS**

for 1797.
 For sale at this Office

NEWBERN POST-OFFICE, October 1, 1796.
 List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office at Newbern, which if not taken out in three months, will be sent to the General Post-Office as dead letters.

JENKINS Averitt; Richard Avery; Benjamin Atkinson; William Attinore; Joseph Atwood.

Uriah Bass; Sally Brightman; William G. Berry; Wilson Blount; Arthur Brown & Co. Nathaniel Brown; Nathan Bryan; John Blanks, Brice's creek.

Thomas Castello, care of Joseph Green; John Callaud; Samuel Cornhill; James Collins; Dr. James Cutting; James CARMON; Samuel Chapman; Benjamin Coffield; John Curtis.

James R. Emery; Caleb Elliot; George Every; John Elliot.

Capt. Richard Forbes; Penelope Forbes; John Freebody; Jonathan Fellowes; Nathaniel Fuller.

John Gooding; James Gillespie; Joseph Green; Thomas Gordon; Bowen Gordon; M. Gater, carpenter.

George Haatt; Libues Hadnot; Joel Henry; Joseph Henry, at Mr. Elijah Simmons; Edward Harris; Archibald Harvell.

Jacob Johniton; Jenkin Johnfon.

William Lawrence, jun. Abner Lambert; Joseph Lillibridge; Francis Lowthorp; Henry B. Livingston; George Langley; Nathan Lalliter; George P. Lovick.

William McClure; Abijah Minton; John G. Madd, Archibald McCulloch; Abram Minton; Donum Mumford; George Maddocks; Isaac Murdon; David Muller; James Meon; James McIntoin; Sarah Miller; John McDonald; Isaac McCannon; Thomas W. Machen; David McCaul; John Miller, Guilford; Arthur McAulter; Wm. McKimble; John Bryan; Alexander McCollom.

Abner Nain; Jeremiah Nelm.

David O'Bryant.

Sarah Pendleton; George Pollok; James Perkins; William Packitour; John Patterson; Jonathan Price; Abner Patteur; David Phillips; Edmund Perkins.

William Rois; William Roach.

Hardy Saunders; Henry Selby; James Stewart; Thomas Steele, hatter; Joseph Sheffield; William Smith; Hutchin Sylva;

John Shepard; John Streater; Ones Starr; John Smith, Sheriff of Carteret, Roger Store.

A. Hafueares Simpton; William Slade; James Slover; Peter Sinclair.

Mrs. Edward Tinker; Henry Truet; William Tillinghast; William Tiddale.

John Mark Verdier.

Bryan Whitfield; Joseph Wade; John Wallace, Shell Cattie; James White; William Whitford; John Wily, care of Edward Tinker.

F. X. MARTIN, P. M.

THE subscriber intends to leave this state shortly. He requests all persons having any demands against him, to present them for payment, and prays those who are indebted to him to discharge their respective balances.

He has on hand an elegant assortment of Saddles, Harness and other articles of the kind, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

MICHAEL GAILLET.

October 22.

WHEREAS my wife BEERSHEBA, has eloped from my bed and board, and being apprehensive she will run me in debt, I hereby give public notice, that I will pay no debts of her contracting from the date hereof. And as she has a home of her own to go to, I hereby forwarn all persons from harbouring her under the penalty of the law.

LEVEN DICKENSON.

October 29.

TO BE LET,

THE store and dwelling house, lately occupied by Mr. John Sears. Enquire of the Printer.

October 22.

NORTH-CAROLINA,

Craven County.

PERSONALLY appeared before me, Francis Lowthorp, one of the Justices appointed to keep the peace, in the county aforesaid, William Dowden, butcher, and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, that on the fourth day of September last, between the houses of Mrs. Murdock and John Burner's, on Trent road, in the county aforesaid, he was robbed of his pocket-book, which contained amongst other papers, a note of hand given by John Tuttle to John Fonveille, Esq; Guardian to Mr. Franks, for £. 22 12. and assigned by John Stanly, Esq; to this deponent; which note he has not yet been able to obtain, and further this deponent sayeth not.

WILLIAM DOWDEN.

Sworn to before me,
 October 12th, 1796.
 FRANCIS LOWTHORP, J. P.
 Oct. 15.

TO BE SOLD,

FOR the payment of the taxes, agreeable to an act of assembly, passed at Raleigh, in December, in the year 1794. Sundry lands entered in Carteret county, as follows, 640 acres entered for Richard Blackledge; 400 acres entered for Thomas Blackledge; 400 acres entered for William Blackledge, and 400 acres entered for Benjamin Blackledge. All the above was entered by Richard Blackledge, on the 8th day of May, 1778, 6 tracts of 640 acres each, 1 do. of 410 acres, 1 do. of 400 acres, and 1 do. of 420 acres, entered by Joseph Leech, on the 5th day of February, in the year 1780, and 127 tracts of 640 acres, entered for David Allison, on the 22d day of September, in the year 1794.

As the subscriber has already been compelled to pay the public tax on the above said lands to the treasurer, they will be exposed to public sale, sixty days after date, at Beaufort in Carteret county, if no one appears to pay the respective taxes due on the same, before that time.

WILLIAM THOMPSON, jun. Sheriff.
 Carteret county, October 16, 1796.

FOR SALE,

THE house and lots, now occupied by Dr. William McClure, the lots may be had separately or together. Also one lot on broad street, near the Court-House, and one house and lot, adjoining Mr. Thomas Cox's.

The whole the property of Mrs. Mary Edwards.

NATHAN SMITH.

October 15.

ON Saturday the 26th of November next, will be sold for ready money in gold or silver, at Stephen Cobb's in Wayne county, two tracts of land, viz. one tract lying in Nash county, on marsh swamp, containing twelve hundred acres, and the other in Wayne county, adjoining the lands of Stephen Cobb, containing five hundred acres, the property of Benjamin Cobb: taken to satisfy a judgment obtained in the circuit court, by Robert Taylor against said Cobb.

HANS PATTEN, D. M.

October 1.

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 AND FOR SALE AT THE
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**OF
 NORTH-CAROLINA.**

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