SELECT POETRY.

EUTHANASIA.

BY WILLIS G. CLARK.

"What is man's history? Born—living—dying,
Leaving the still shore the troubled wave;
'Mid clouds and storms, o'er broken shipwrecks flying.
And casting anchor in the silent grave."

Methinks, when on the languid eye
Life's varying scens grow dim;
When evening shadows veil the sky,
And Pleasure's syren hymn
Grows fainter on the tuneless ear,
Like echoes from another sphere,
Or dreams of seraphim—
It were not sad to cast away
This dull and cumbrous load of clay,

It were not sad to feel the heart
Grow passionless and cold;
To feel those longings to depart,
That cheer'd the saints of old;
To clasp the faith which looks on high—
Which fires the Christian's dying eye,
And makes the curtain-fold
That falls upon his wasting breast,
The door that leads to endless rest.

It were not lonely thus to lie
On that triumphant bed,
Till the pure spirit mounts on high,
By white-winged seraphs led;
Where glories earth may never know,
O'er "many mansions" lingering, glow,
In peerless lustre shed;
It were not lonely thus to soar,
Where sin and grief can sting no more.

And, though the way to such a goal
Lies through the cloudy tomb,
If on the free, unfettered soul
There rest no stains of gloom;
How should its aspiration rise,
Far through the blue and fretted skies.
Up—to its final home;
Beyond the journeyings of the sun,
Where streams of living waters run!

THE WISH AND THE PRAYER.

BY ELLWOOD, THE FRIEND OF MILTON.

O that mine eye might closed be,
To what becomes me not to see;
That deafness might possess mine ear,
To what concerns me not to hear;
That truth my tongue might always tie,
From ever speaking foolishly!
That no vain thought might ever rest,
Or be conceived within my breast;
That by each word, each deed, each thought,
Glory may to my God be brought;
But what are wishes? Lord, mine eye
On Thee is fixed; to Thee I cry.
O, purge out all my dross, my sin,
Make me more white than snow within;
Wash, Lord, and purify my heart,
And make it clean in every part;
And when 'tis clean, Lord, keep it so,
For that is more than I can do.

YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

From the School-fellow.

An Acrostical Flower Charade.

BY SUE LESLIE.

The earthly type of heavenly rest,
The gift the wise man thought the best,
A power which sways our minds at will,
A time when all is sweet and still,
What many a bitter grief has healed—
What's stained with blood full many a field,
The virtues all resolved in one,
A sun which warms the heart alone,
A gentle, mild and playful creature,
A copy made, of form and feature,
A soother of the saddest moods,
The loveliest tree of Southern woods,
These words, by their initials show,
(If placed just as they ought to go,)
A garden flower, whose crimson flush,
Surpasses even Beauty's blush—
A favorite name, too, hidden lies,
Beneath my riddle's simple guise.

From the School-fellow.

SWEET AND BITTER.

When I was a little boy, I remembered one cold winter's day, I was accosted by a smiling man, with an axe on his shoulder.

"My little fellow, has your father a grindstone?"

"Yes, sir."

"You're a fine little fellow—will you let me grind my axe upon it?"

Pleased with the compliment of "fine little fellow," I answered—

"Oh, yes, sir! step down in the shop."

"And will you, my little man," tapping me on the head, "get me a little hot water?"

How could I refuse? I ran and soon brought him a kettle full.

"How old are you? What is your name? I am sure you are one of the best lads I ever saw. Will you just turn a few minutes?"

Tickled with his flattery, like a fool, I went to work, and bitterly did I rue the day. It was a new axe, and I toiled and tugged till I was tired almost to death. The school-bell rang, and I could not get away; my hands were blistered, and it was not half ground. At length, however, the axe was sharpened, and the man turned to me with—

"Now, you little rascal, you have played the truant—scud to school, or you'll rue it."

Alas! thought I, it was hard enough to turn the grindstone; and then to be called "a little rascal," was indeed too much.

It sunk deep in my heart, and I have often thought of it since.

When I have seen a man of doubtful character patting a pretty girl on the cheek, praising her sparkling eyes and ruby lips, and giving her a light squeeze—beware, my girls, thinks I, or you will find, to your sorrow, that you have been turning the grindstone for a villain.

Physical Benefit of the Sabbath.—The Sabbath is God's special present to the working-man, and one of its chief objects is to prolong his life, and preserve efficient his working tone. In the vital system it acts like a compensation-pond; it replenishes the spirits, the elasticity, and vigor, which the last six days have drained away, and supplies the force which is to fill the six days succeeding; and in the economy of existence, it answers the same purpose as, in the economy of income, is answered by a savings' bank. The frugal man who puts away a pound to-day and another pound next month, and who in a quiet way is putting by his stated pound from time to time, when he grows old and frail, gets not only the same pounds back again, but a good many pounds beside. And the conscientious man, who husbands one day of existence every week—who, instead of allowing the Sabbath to be trampled and torn in the hurry and scramble of life, treasures it devoutly up—the Lord of the Sabbath keeps it for him, and in the length of days the hale old age gives it back with usury. The savings' bank of human existence is the weekly Sabbath.

Geographical Enigma.

My whole is composed of 24 letters.

My 8 14 7 15 is a city in Russia.
" 5 16 13 10 23 is a town in Texas.
" 18 3 19 is a river in Europe.
" 13 7 19 3 16 6 is a city in France.
" 1 7 21 is a town in Asia.
" 3 10 6 24 6 is a river in Mexico.
" 24 17 9 20 2 is a city in South America.
" 19 10 15 7 13 is a lake in Great Britain.
" 15 18 4 5 7 23 is an island in the Atlantic Ocean.
" 6 22 19 12 2 11 is a city in China.

My whole is the name of a River, and where it is found.

LOCAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

A PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency David S. Reid, *Governor of the State of North Carolina.*

Whereas, three-fifths of the whole number of members of each House of the General Assembly did at the last session pass the following Act:

An Act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.

Whereas. The freehold qualification now required for the electors for members of the Senate conflicts with the fundamental principles of liberty; Therefore

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* three-fifths of the whole number of members of each House concurring, that the second clause of third section of the first Article of the amended Constitution ratified by the people of North Carolina on the second Monday of November, A. D., 1835, be amended by striking out the words "and possessed of a freehold within the same district of fifty acres of land for six months next before and at the day of election," so that the said clause of said section shall read as follows: All free white men of the age of twenty-one years (except as is hereinafter declared) who have been inhabitants of any one district within the State twelve months immediately preceding the day of any election and shall have paid public taxes, shall be entitled to vote for a member of the Senate.

Sec. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the Governor of the State be, and he is hereby directed, to issue his Proclamation to the people of North Carolina, at least six months before the next election for members of the General Assembly, setting forth the purport of this Act and the amendment to the Constitution herein proposed, which Proclamation shall be accompanied by a true and perfect copy of the Act, authenticated by the certificate of the Secretary of State, and both the Proclamation and the copy of this Act, the Governor of the State shall cause to be published in all the newspapers of this State, and posted in the Court Houses of the respective Counties in this State, at least six months before the election of members to the next General Assembly.

Read three times and agreed to by three-fifths of the whole number of members of each House respectively, and ratified in General Assembly, this the 24th day of January 1851.

J. C. DOBBIN. S. H. C.
W. N. EDWARDS, S. S.

State of North Carolina, *Office of Secretary of State.*

I William Hill, Secretary of State, in and for the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and perfect copy of an Act of the General Assembly of this State, drawn off from the original on file in this office. Given under my hand, this 31st day of December, 1851.

WM. HILL, *Sec'y of State.*

And Whereas, the said Act provides for amending the Constitution of the State of North Carolina so as to confer on every qualified voter for the House of Commons the right to vote also for the Senate;

Now, therefore, to the end that it may be made known that, if the aforesaid amendment to the Constitution shall be agreed to by two thirds of the whole representation in each house of the next General Assembly, it will then be submitted to the people for ratification, I have issued this my Proclamation in conformity with the provisions of the before recited Act.

In testimony whereof, David S. Reid, Governor of the State of North Carolina, hath hereunto set his hand and caused the Great Seal of said State to be affixed.

Done at the City of Raleigh, on the thirty-first day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, and in the 76th year of our Independence.

(L. S.)

By the Governor: DAVID S. REID.
Thomas Settle, Jr. *Private Secty.*

Persons into whose hands this Proclamation may fall, will please see that a copy of it is posted up in the Court House of their respective Counties.

6—8m.

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All orders from town and country thankfully received and promptly executed by P. F. PESCUD
Wholesale and Retail Druggist.
Raleigh, Dec. 6, 1851. tf.

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MANUFACTURER AND DEALER
In the following articles,

STOVES, tin, iron and copper ware; guns and pistols of all sorts; powder, shot, caps, powder flasks and shot chargers, a fine assortment of pocket and table cutlery, the celebrated Pine India steel razors, mortice locks, with white mineral knobs, from 80 cents to $1, improved rim locks, New Haven locks, carpenter's rim lock, sliding-door lock, bestiature lock, dead lock, novelty lock with mineral knobs, mineral locks with Japan mounting, mortice locks with iron bolts and keys, mortice locks with white knobs, rural locks with white mineral knobs, plain locks, smoke-house locks, mortice closet locks with brass fronts, chest locks, horse locks, fancy brushed padlocks, fine patent dropped Japan padlocks, patent dropped padlock, tim drop latches, Bolwin's night latch, improved bowlatches, cupboard lock latches, porcelain knobs, the best ever in the City or State, mineral door knobs, screw, mahogany, and pearl white door knobs, mineral drawer knobs, furniture knobs, pearl white bell-pull, axle pulleys, Blake's side pulleys, wardrobe hooks, fancy coat hat hooks, window springs, shutter hinges, A. C. Palmer's window butts, Clarke's butt hinges, and superior cast butt hinges, certain pins and handles, coffee mills, candle sticks, dog collars and chains, cloth, shoe, and horse brushes.

ALSO, Carpenter's, Cooper's, Tinner's and Blacksmith's Tools.

ALSO, nails, screws, scythe blades, sheep-shears, brass lamps, hand bells, trace chains, grubbing hoes, spring balances, plyers, spades, shovels, hoes, andirons, pans, vices, pumps, Buck's patent improved cooking stove, and in short every thing needed by farmers and mechanics in the hardware line.

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Smoke-house, Jail and Bank locks made to order, warranted not to be picked or broken, and to give satisfaction.

The subscriber is also prepared to execute any and all work in iron, steel, brass, copper, &c. Guns and Pistols made to order. Also, stillers for Turpentine Distilleries.

All orders executed promptly and in the best manner.

If the subscriber does not sell lower than any body else, and do good work at fair prices, then he will give it up.

Encourage home industry. Now is the time. Call on the subscriber at Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina, or send your orders by letter.
Raleigh, Dec. 6, 1851.

"THE OLD STAND!"—LOOK TO IT!!

THE NORTH CAROLINA BOOK STORE, conducted by Turner & Hughes *twenty-five years* ago, still stands where it did, and is acknowledged by all to contain, a more general assortment of Literary Material, than any other Bibliothical Depository, in the Southern country.

It is still conducted by *one* of the original Proprietors, than whom few Bibliopolist's in any country can have more experience in the Book business. A person who has catered for the Literary world of the *Old North State* for a quarter of a century must know what "Books *are* Books," as Carlisle has it, and just what the reading public of the Southern country requires.

All Books that are out, or are to come out now or hereafter may be confidently expected or inspected at the North Carolina Book-store-stand, corner of Morgan and Fayetteville streets, Raleigh.

Agencies have been and still are established with Importing Houses, so that works in all Languages, including French, Spanish, German, Italian, Hungarian and Camanchee can be obtained on short notice being given, whether published in Utah or Shanghae. No. 1 Corner of Morgan and Fayetteville streets, Raleigh, North Carolina.

H. D. TURNER.
Dec. 6, 1851. tf.

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RALEIGH, N. C.

THIS COMPANY insures the lives of individuals for one year, a term of years, or for life, on the mutual principle, the assured for life participating in all the profits of the Company.

For policies granted for the whole term of life, when the premium therefor amounts to $30, a note may be given for one half the amount of the premium bearing interest at 6 per cent. without guaranty.

The prompt manner in which all losses have been paid by this Company, together with the low rates of premium, present great inducements to such as are disposed to insure.

Slaves are insured for a term of from one to five years, for two-thirds their value.

All losses are paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.

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For further information, the public are referred to the pamphlets, and forms of proposal, which may be obtained at the Office of the Company, or any of its Agencies.

Communications should be addressed, (post paid,) to

JAMES F. JORDAN, *Secretary.*
December 6, 1851. tf.

GREENSBOROUGH MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

PURSUANT to an Act of Incorporation, a Company has been formed under the name and style of "The Greensborough Mutual Insurance Company," and fully organized by an appointment of the following officers, viz:

OFFICERS.

James Sloan, ...*President.*
S. G. Coffin, ...*Vice President.*
Peter Adams, ...*Sec. and Treasurer.*
C. P. Mendenhall, ...*Attorney.*

John A. Mebane, }
W. J. McConnel, } *Executive Committee.*
Wm. S. Rankin, }

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Jed H. Lindsay,	Lyndon Swaim,
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This Company has now been in successful operation for several months, and will take risks upon Dwelling Houses, Stores, and other Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture, Produce, &c. The object of this organization is to afford a system of Insurance which shall operate for the mutual benefit of all its members.

The peculiar advantage arising from this mode of Insurance, is, that the assured pay no more than the actual losses and expenses of the Company, and experience has proved the safety of Mutual Insurance Companies, as well as the great saving to its members; and no stronger argument can be produced in their favor, than the confidence which they receive from the entire community, where such Companies are in successful operation.

Any information respecting the principles of the Company will be cheerfully furnished by the Secretary, or any of its Agents. PETER ADAMS, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber having been appointed Agent, will receive applications and make surveys to effect Insurance in said Company. GEORGE T. COOKE,
Agent for Raleigh.
December 8th, 1851. tf.

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THIS Company has been in successful operation for more than five years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State, (except Steam Mills and Turpentine Distilleries,) upon favorable terms. Its Policies now cover property amounting to $4,500,000, a large portion of which is in Country risks; and its present capital is nearly Six Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds properly secured.

The average cost of Insurance upon the plan of this Company has been less than one third of one per cent. per annum, on all grades of property embraced in its operations.

The following persons have been elected Directors and Officers of this Company for the present year:

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Josiah O. Watson,	Raleigh.
Richard Smith,	do.
John Primrose,	do.
Henry D. Turner,	do.
J. G. B. Roulhac,	do.
S. W. Whiting,	do.
T. H. Selby,	do.
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A. T. Summy,	Asheville.

All Directors authorized to receive applications.

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John H. Bryan, ... *Attorney.*
J. Hersman, ... *General Agent.*

S. W. Whiting, }
Richard Smith, } *Executive Committee.*
John Primrose, }

All communications in reference to insurance should be addressed to the Secretary, post paid.

J. C. PARTRIDGE, *Sec'y.*
Raleigh, Dec. 6. 1851. tf.

New Publications.

NEW WORKS ON FRUIT, &c.

THE FRUIT GARDEN, a Treatise intended to illustrate and explain the Physiology of Fruit Trees, the Theory and Practice of all operations connected with the Propagation, Transplanting, Pruning and Training of Orchard and Garden Trees, as Standards, Dwarfs, Pyramids, Espaliers, &c., the laying out and arranging different kinds of Orchards and Gardens, the selection of Suitable varieties