

POETRY.

THE EVE OF LIFE.

When eve is purpling cliff and cave,
Thoughts of the heart, how soft ye flow!

DOMESTIC HAPPINESS.

Extract from a sermon on 'domestic happiness,' by the Rev. William Jay.

Oh! what so refreshing, so soothing, so satisfying, as the placid joys of home!

Behold the man of science—He drops the labor and painfulness of research—closes his volume—smooths his wrinkled brows—leaves his study—and unbending himself, stoops to the capacities, yields to the wishes, and mingles with the diversions of his children.

'He will not blush that has a father's heart, To take in childish play a childish part; But bends his sturdy neck to play the toy That youth takes pleasure in, to please his boy.'

Take the man of trade—What reconciles him to the toil of business? What enables him to endure the fastidiousness and impertinence of customers?

Yonder comes the laborer—He has borne the burden and heat of the day: the descending sun has released him from his toil; and he is hastening home to enjoy repose.

'Let not ambition mock their useful toil, Their homely joys and destiny obscure: Nor grandeur hear with a disdainful smile The short and simple annals of the poor.'

EXTRACT

From the message of Gov. Van Ness, to the Legislature of Vermont, now in session.

"Knowledge and virtue are the main pillars of a free government; and the only foundation on which they can stand, is education. The founders of this state, to whom we owe a great veneration, appear to have well understood this important truth."

"But while we should not neglect to extend the hand of patronage to the higher studies of literature, as valuable parts of an admirable system, it is the branch of education which is the offspring of the common schools, that we are under peculiar obligations constantly to guard, and anxiously to cherish."

our academies and colleges, on the most reasonable terms. By being rendered so cheap as to be within the reach of all, the diffusion of intelligence becomes universal; and many who would otherwise grow up without any education, are raised from a state of degradation, to which the misfortunes or the vices of others may have reduced them, and prepared to become useful and virtuous members of society.

It is mentioned by the Spanish historians, as an historical fact, and recognized as such by Robertson, Hume, and other English historians, as well as by Voltaire, that Ferdinand IV king of Spain, died on the day that he was summoned by two of his noblemen to meet them at the bar of God!! and was always after called Ferdinand the Summoned. He had become offended with them without cause, and in a fit of rage wantonly ordered them to be thrown headlong from the top of a high precipice which he knew would be instant death to them.

This was, to be sure, at a period of time when superstition was more prevalent than at this, but can philosophy or even infidelity divest the mind of impressions that the hand of God and his retributive justice, was to be seen in the event.

"They marry and are given in marriage."

In looking over our budgets of newspapers, some hundreds of marriage notices come under our eye, evincing that the fabled blind boy is not less busy in our regions than he was in the old antediluvian times.—What a world of pleasant thoughts these notices bring to mind—sweet sunny days of hope, and evening courtships, and love-ditties, and songs and stolen kisses and the whole train of bright attendants on the young dreaming days of but half enjoyed affection, with the little shades of disappointment & jealousy which come to mellow the scene and hasten the ripening harvest.

Who thinks herself vera weel off, To be woo'd an' married an' a'.

The Printer has but poor picking out of the dish unless he has a most sensitive fancy, and can feast on these ideal dainties till his stomach is satisfied. We sometimes think that the Printer ought to be invited to the wedding supper, but then as it might involve the matter of politics, it is best as it is.—Emporium.

WILLIAMSBOROUGH ACADEMY.

THE semi-annual examination of the Students belonging to this Institution, will commence on the 10th and close on the 11th November. Parents and Guardians are requested to attend.

The Exercises of the Institution will again commence on the 1st Monday in January. WM. ROBARDS, Secy. Williamsborough, Granville Co. J. 57-3t October 15th, 1823.

NOTICE.

ON Monday, the 1st day of December next, if fair, if not, the next fair day, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the Plantation of the late Capt. Benj. Ward, on Shocco Creek in Warren county, the residue of the perishable Estate of said deceased, which was left unsold in April last, consisting of Plantation Utensils, some Household Furniture, Cattle, Sheep, and some likely Horses; also the Crop which has been made on the plantation this present year, which I expect will be about two hundred Barrels of Corn (Blades, Tops and Shusks of the same) and about Eight Thousand Pounds of Seed Cotton, &c. &c.

Terms of sale will be, nine months credit for all sums over four dollars, the purchasers giving bond with approved security—for all purchases made not exceeding four dollars, cash will be required, by DENNIS O'BRYAN, Adm'r. Warren county, Oct. 29, 58tD1

GREAT BARGAINS.

THE subscriber being desirous of paying his debts and bringing his business to a close, will offer for sale, at the Market-House in Hillsborough, on the fourth Monday in November next, and from day to day thereafter until the whole is sold, the following Property in Orange County, viz:

1090 acres of Land lying within 4 miles of Chapel Hill, on New Hope Creek, adjoining the lands of Christopher Burbee and others. About half this tract is low ground of the best quality, 150 acres thereof lately cleared and in excellent order for a crop; the upland is excellent pine and hickory land, fit for the cultivation of corn and cotton.

525 acres lying on Staggs creek, adjoining the lands of the Rev. Wm.ingham and others. There are on this tract about 100 acres of cleared land, in good order for a crop, an excellent apple Orchard, about 200 acres of best tobacco land to clear, and the balance is good corn and wheat land; the whole wood land is well timbered. There are also comfortable country buildings on the land.

315 acres on the waters of Haw river, adjoining the lands of Hall Garrison and others. This tract is unimproved; about half of it excellent tobacco land, and the whole covered with a heavy growth of timber.

100 acres on Back creek, adjoining William Anderson and others. A considerable part of this tract is cleared, and is of excellent quality, and has on it an excellent crop of corn.

205 acres within a quarter of a mile of the town of Hillsborough; about 80 acres of which is cleared, the balance covered with a heavy growth of timber; it has on it some buildings, with an excellent apple Orchard.

124 acres adjoining the above tract, all uncleared and well timbered.

150 acres, on Eno River, about one mile from Hillsborough. Upon this tract his Mills are situated, consisting of a Saw and two Grist Mills, containing three pair of Stones, in excellent order, having lately been thoroughly repaired. This property is thought to be the most valuable in the back country, not only on account of the dam, race and houses, being situated on a solid rock, and the durability of the work, but on account of its being the nearest Mill to Hillsborough on the River, and surrounded by thick and populous settlements of industrious farmers, which affords constant work for the Mill.

125 acres, adjoining the Mill Tract about 70 acres of which are enclosed, and under good fence; there are good country buildings on the tract, and an excellent Apple Orchard.

200 acres, called Hart's Mills, whereon Cattle Campbell, Esq. now lives—Only one-half of this Tract belongs to the Subscriber; he therefore only proposes to sell that half. This place has always been esteemed amongst the most valuable Mill Establishments in the country, not only on account of its locality, but on account of the durability of the seat. It has on it an excellent Dwelling-House, and convenient Out-Houses; but the Mill is not in good repair. There is, on this place, a good Apple Orchard.

200 acres, on McGowen's Creek, about one mile from Hartford, adjoining Abel Thompson and others, unimproved. A large proportion of it covered with excellent Timber, and the Land well adapted to the production of Corn and Wheat. Only half the Tract belongs to the Subscriber.

40 acres, or thereabouts, on Second Creek of New Hope, adjoining the lands of Mark Pickett and others. This is an excellent Tract for a Saw Mill, is surrounded by a good abundance of pine and oak timber, and is about ten miles from Hillsborough.

One lot in the town of Hillsboro' whereon the Subscriber now lives, containing one acre, situated in a pleasant part of the town, having thereon a good dwelling house and all the necessary out houses for the convenience of a family, with a good garden.

The half of a lot whereon Tho. N. S. Hargis, Esq. lately lived. This lot is about 50 or 60 yards from the Market House; has on it an excellent dwelling house, store and lumber houses, kitchen and necessary out-houses, and is an excellent stand for a merchant.

Two or three unimproved lots, well situated.

30 or 40 likely NEGROES, consisting of men, women and children—amongst them are Carpenters, a Shoemaker, a Miller, a Wagoner, a Cook, and some excellent Hostlers and House Servants.

He wishes also to sell

1400 acres of land in the County of Franklin, on the waters of Sandy & Flat Rock Creeks, adjoining the lands of Kitchen Bledsoe and others. There are on this tract, enough cleared land to work 6 or 8 hands to advantage; an apple orchard among the best in the county—and a tolerable good frame dwelling House. A considerable portion of the land is fit for the cultivation of Tobacco, Corn, and Cotton.

Also 500 acres of land in the county of Caswell, on the waters of Hycro creek, adjoining the lands formerly the property of Thomas Slade, deceased. This tract is fine corn and cotton land, unimproved, and is covered with the best pine timber, and has on it an excellent seat for a saw mill.

The subscriber wishes the public to understand that he is serious, when he tells them that he wishes to sell the above described property, and hopes that all those who have the smallest inclination to purchase any part of it will attend, as he expects great bargains may be had. The terms will be accommodating, and will be made known on the days of sale. JOHN TAYLOR, Jr. October 14, 57-3t

BLANKS

For sale at this office.

MISS HENDERSON HAS just received from New-York, a very general and handsome assortment of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS, of the best and most fashionable kind, which she offers for sale on very moderate terms, for CASH. Sept. 28, 1823.

POSTPONEMENT. THE WARRENTON FALL RACES, Will commence over the Warrenton Course On Wednesday, Nov. 26, and continue four days.

1st Day—A Sweepstakes, one mile heats, for three years old colts and fillies—Entrance \$100. Three or more to make a race. 2d Day—The Jockey Club Purse, \$300—three mile heats—Entrance \$20. Money hung up at the usual discount. 3d Day—The Proprietor's Purse, \$200—Money hung up—Two mile heats—Entrance \$20. 4th Day—A Handy Cap, mile heats—Entrance \$25.

The Proprietor pledges himself to have the Tract in good order. Stables and Litter furnished Race Horses, gratis. ROBT. R. JOHNSON, Proprietor. Warrenton, N. C. Sept. 13, 1823.

A BAIL will be furnished on the evening of the 2d and 3d days of Race, by R. R. JOHNSON, Proprietor.

FAYETTEVILLE ACADEMY.

THIS Institution now affords advantages equal to any in the Southern States, being conducted upon the most approved principles, and provided with superior Teachers in every branch of Useful and Ornamental Education.—This, with its healthy situation and moderate charges for Board and Tuition, must insure it a liberal patronage. The strictest attention will be paid to the conduct and morals of those attending it.

Female Department, conducted by Mrs. Hamilton with Assistant Teachers.

Rudiments, per quarter, \$2 50 Reading and Writing 3 English Grammar, Ancient and Modern Geography with the Use of the Maps and Globes, History, Chronology, Mythology, Rhetoric, Belles Lettres, Composition, Natural Philosophy, Botany with Plain and Ornamental Needle Work. 6 Music, taught by Madame Villa, in the best Italian style. Per ann. taught in the Academy, \$60, or \$20 per quarter Per ann. taught out of the Academy, \$100 per quarter. Drawing, Painting, and the French Language taught by M. Laing, a native of France. Drawing and Painting, per quarter \$6 French 6 50 Classical Department, under Dr. G. Davis's tuition.

The Latin and Greek Languages, Natural and Moral Philosophy, Logic, Astronomy, Mathematics, Geometry and Algebra, 98 English Male Department. Rudiments 33 Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Ancient and Modern Geography with the Use of the Maps and Globes, 6 Pens and Ink provided the Students without charge. A tax of 25 cents each Student for wood, water, &c. Board, including all the above Branches except Music, \$35 per quarter—payable in advance.

WM. HAMILTON. For the satisfaction of Parents & Guardians the following Gentlemen may be referred to: J. A. CAMEXON, Esq. Pres. of the School Committee. Rev'd R. H. MORRISON. 32 April 30, 1823.

By the President of the United States: In pursuance of law, I JAMES MONROE, President of the United States, do hereby declare and make known, that a public sale, will be held at the Land Office at Franklin, in the state of Missouri, on the first Monday in December next, for the disposal of such of the lands situate within the district of Howard county, in said state, as have been relinquished to the United States prior to the 1st day of October, 1821, under the provisions of the act passed on the 2d day of March, 1821, entitled "An act for the relief of the purchasers of public lands prior to the 1st day of July, 1820," as are situate in the following described townships and fractional townships, lying north of the Missouri River, and west of the fifth principal meridian, viz: In townships 44 to 54 inclusive, of range 11 west.

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Also, at the same time and place, will be exposed, to public sale, agreeably to the provisions of the fourth section of the act, passed on the 24th day of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provisions for the sale of the public lands," such lands situate within the abovementioned townships as have become forfeited to the United States prior to the 1st of October, 1820, for failure to complete the payment within the period prescribed by law.

The sales will open with the lowest number of section, township, and range, and proceed in regular numerical order. Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, this 12th day of August, 1823. By the President: JAMES MONROE.

GEORGE GRAHAM, Com'r of the General Land Office. Printers authorized to publish the laws of the United States in the states of North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, and territory of Arkansas, and Pittsburgh, in Pennsylvania, are requested to publish the foregoing proclamation once a week until the sales take place, and send their accounts (receipted) to the General Land Office for payment. Aug. 13—Law. Raleigh, Oct. 16, 1823.

WARRENTON FEMALE ACADEMY. THE Examination of the Pupils of this Institution will commence on the 12th of November. Parents and Guardians are requested to attend. The next Session will begin on the 1st Monday in January, 1824. A. PLUNKETT. Warrenton, Oct. 13. 56-4t

UNION TAVERN. MRS. JETER is prepared to accommodate fifteen or twenty Members of the approaching General Assembly with Board; and no pains will be spared to give satisfaction. Transient visitors to the city will likewise be accommodated as usual. Raleigh, Oct. 15. 56 ts

COACH MAKING MATERIALS. THE Subscriber has for sale at his Manufactory, a few sets of fashionable Coach and Gig Springs, which he will sell at a moderate advance on the wholesale price. He has also on hand, and intends keeping, a constant supply of best Morocco, for Coach Lining, which will be disposed of as above. He has, as usual, a constant supply of Carriages, Gigs, and Harness, all of which will be sold at prices according with the times. THOS. CORPES. P. S. On consignment, a supply of Hatters' Morocco, and a few dozen Boot Lining Skins, direct from the Manufactory. July 10. 42 T C

WILLIE JONES WILL be prepared to accommodate 20 or 25 Members of the approaching General Assembly with Board. He has provided several good Rooms near his dwelling house, and enlarged his dining room. He continues to entertain travellers at all times, &c to whom the strictest attention will be paid. His Stable, which is large and clean, will always be supplied with the best provender for horses. W. J. cannot refrain from returning his sincere thanks to his friends and the public in general for the liberal encouragement he has received since he established a House of Entertainment in the city of Raleigh; and hopes, through his own exertions and attention, to experience a continuance of their favor. Raleigh, Oct. 16. 56 4

NORTH-CAROLINA STATE BANK, Raleigh, Oct. 21, 1823. A GREEBLY to the 2d section of the act incorporating the State Bank of N. Carolina, an Election of nineteen Directors of the Principal Bank is to take place annually on the 1st Monday in December. The Stockholders of said Bank are therefore called upon to meet and hold said Election, and to attend to such other business in relation to the general interests of the Institution as may be judged necessary, on Monday the 1st day of December, at 9 o'clock in the morning at the Bank in Raleigh. By order of the Board, WM. H. HAYWOOD, Cash.

Such Stockholders as cannot conveniently attend, will please to send their proxies. 57-tm

NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

THE Subscriber has the pleasure of announcing to the public that he has erected a commodious building on the western side of Fayetteville Street, and opened a RESTORATORY & CONCERT HALL. He has on hand Fresh Cordials of various kinds, prepared with Liquor of the first quality; Cakes, Candies, Preserves, Jellies, Pickles, and West India Fruits of every description, among which are many rare and new articles, never before offered in this place, all of which he will sell as cheap as they can be purchased in New-York. His catalogue is too extensive for the limits of an advertisement, but the public are invited to come and taste and judge for themselves. Orders from a distance will be promptly attended to for any quantity that may be required, and families can be furnished at the shortest notice with every delicacy and rarity necessary for Balls and Parties.

He has also on hand some choice GROCERIES, Consisting of old Madeira and other Wines, in bottles; best Cognac Brandy; Holland Gin; Jamaica Rum; and some very superior Whiskey; Northern Cheese; fresh Crackers Spanish Segars, &c. &c. all of which have been selected by good judges, and will be sold on reasonable terms.

Suppers, Relishes, &c. will be furnished at all times, and Private Rooms, for the accommodation of parties, whether of Gentlemen or Ladies, will be provided, secure from intrusion, and every attention paid to their comfort and enjoyment. A supply of Northern and other Newspapers will be procured. He has a large Hall, where Musical Instruments will be kept tuned for such Amateurs as may choose to amuse themselves.—And a first rate fine toned Piano, for the use of the Ladies, whose company will at all times be considered an honor, and who are respectfully invited to attend and amuse themselves, whenever they may think proper.

The Subscriber has also on hand, for sale, several fine Pianos, from \$100 to \$500, of superior tone and workmanship; and a complete supply of Tuning Keys, Bridges, Screws and Strings, Harps, Violins, Guitars, Flutes, Flageolles, Tambourines, French Horns, Trumpets, Military Drums, Fifes, and Clarionets, the latest and most fashionable Songs, and Instruction Books for all Instruments, and Music of every description.—Having Agencies in the principal cities of the United States, he will always have it in his power to keep a complete assortment of the above articles, and obtain any others, and in any quantity that may be wanted.

The subscriber has employed a Confectioner who has been raised to the Union, and who is inferior to none in the city. The Concert Hall is admirably adapted for a Ball Room, and the subscriber solicits a continuance of the patronage he has already received in that line. As he will be assisted in his Store by his family, he will, as usual, continue to receive Musical Pupils. Lessons will also be given to gentlemen at night, on any instrument. J. F. GONEKE. 56-ft Raleigh, Oct. 16, 1823.