

Miscellaneous.



From the New-York Courier and Enquirer.
LOVE! OH LOVE!

By James Mack.

Love! Oh love! to every heart
What a blessed thing thou art,
When beauty is revealing
Thy soft and ardent feeling!
Brows flushing,
Cheeks blushing,
Eyes shining,
Arms twining,
Hands pressing,
Lips caressing,
Bosoms meeting,
Hearts beating.

Love! Oh love! to every heart
What a blessed thing thou art.

Ere six months pass over
Happy bride and lover,

Butchers, bakers,
Mantua makers,
Doctors solemn—
What a column
Of expences
Shock the senses!
Quite undoing
Turtle-cooing!

Love! Oh love! to every heart
What a blessed thing thou art.

By the time that two years
Have bro't forth their "happy new years!"

Wife and mother
In a pother;
Husband surly,
Hurly-burly,
Cherubs squalling,
Bawling, bawling,
Kicking, fighting,
Scratching, biting.

Love! Oh love! to every heart
What a blessed thing thou art!

LIFE.

To contemplation's sober eye,
Such is the race of man;
And they that creep, and they that fly,
Shall end where they began.
Alike, the busy and the gay
But flutter through life's little day,
In fortune's varying colors drest,
Brush'd by the hand of rough mischance;
Or chill'd by age, their airy dance
They leave, in dust to rest!

Melancholy.—We learn that Joseph Wilson, who lived on Clark's creek, Montgomery county, while under the influence of mental derangement, *hung his wife* to a sapling, in the woods, near his house: when found by the neighbors, she was entirely dead: Wilson made off with himself, and at last advices, had not been taken. Mrs. Wilson was about 50 years old, and has left a number of children. We learn that she had left her husband several times, during his crazy fits; but in this fatal instance, it would seem that he was more self-possessed than usual on such occasions: it is thought that he must have decoyed his wife into the woods, and knocked her down before hanging her up to the tree.

Mr. David Alexander drowned himself in Sugar creek, about two miles from Charlotte, Mecklenburg county, on the 11th ult. He had been for some time afflicted with the dropsy; and it is supposed that, desponding of ever regaining his health, he adopted the dreadful alternative, by one rash act to put an end to his sufferings and his existence. He was between 45 and 50 years of age; had lost two wives—of his issue, an only child survives. He lived in easy circumstances, and left a good estate.—*Salisbury Car.*

Shocking.—It is stated in the Yorkville (S. C.) Pioneer, that Mr. Stephen Crank, an old and respectable citizen of Chester

district, was recently murdered by his own negro, and found buried in a cotton field; the negro made a confession, and said he was instigated to commit the horrid deed, by the son of the old gentleman. On the strength of the negro's disclosures, young Crank and Mrs. Crank, were committed to prison for further proceedings.

The Match Race.—The race for \$5000 a side, between the Southern mare Arietta, and the Northern horse Sir Lovel, was run at New-York on Thursday, 27th ult. and won by Sir Lovel with ease. A match for the same sum, was lately won by Arietta, which inspired the Southern gentlemen with so much confidence, that they made large bets of two to one upon Arietta.

Indians.—It may be remembered that some time ago there was a good deal of excitement in Connecticut, in consequence of the marriage of a respectable young lady of that State, to one of the Indians residing in the neighborhood. A correspondent of the United States Gazette states "that he has acted towards his wife, as too many of the semi-barbarians who are of a different hue of complexion, and a different character of education, too frequently act. His wife has been observed by visitors, to be melancholy; and it appears that her husband has given her sufficient cause, inasmuch as he has taken several squaws into his house, in consequence of which, I understand she has more than once made attempts on her own life. This is a melancholy tale, but it is vouched for; and will probably be used to show, that the Indians have not benefitted by our christianizing efforts."

Useful Invention.—A late paper from Scotland says: "The powers of George Robins' *Royal Filter* have been put to the test in our city of Edinburgh during the past week, and for the accuracy of the result we pledge ourselves, having had ocular demonstration of the fact. A quantity of ink was placed in a portable Filter, and in one short minute it passed through "bright as the rain drop in an April shower." We tasted it and do not hesitate to declare the flavor was at least equal to the finest spring water; but its utility was proved, and in a manner that must soon render it a national concern. Another portable Filter had a quantity of salt water put into it which was purposely brought from the sea at Port Bello; the filtration was rapid, and in two minutes it passed through entirely deprived of its saline properties, and was drunk with delight by those present, as pure as crystal water. Previous to the experiment a tumbler of salt water was examined through a microscopic; it discovered swarms of little insects. After it had passed the ordeal of filtration we could not perceive a single one. Lavender was next tried by a druggist of this town, (who had previously been somewhat sceptical;) he was surprised beyond measure to find it return-

ed from the Filter as pure water and without spirit. Such an invention must surely be hailed by all ranks of society as an absolute "God-send," at least by those who think pure and crystal water divested of all its bad properties, essential to health and longevity. Mr. Robins's agent has been in Edinburgh only ten days and, it is said, already two hundred families have availed themselves of the salutary use of the Filter, the price being so low as to be within the reach of every family.

Virtue Rewarded.—A most extraordinary public meeting has been held in Sumner county, Tennessee, and a Committee appointed to investigate the unpleasant difficulties, that were supposed to have separated Gov. Houston and his wife. The committee have reported, (and the report was unanimously accepted,) that the cause of separation was jealousy on the part of Gov. H.—that his wife was a young lady of excellent family, and exemplary virtue—that Gov. Houston was a "deluded man," and that "there is not a semblance of doubt" that his wife is an "innocent and injured woman."

The Committee also publish a letter from Gov. Houston to Mr. Allen, father of the lady, in which the Governor expresses himself satisfied of the chastity of his wife. The whole is a strange proceeding, but will have a tendency to satisfy public curiosity, and rescue the character of a respectable young lady from the foulest suspicions.

Effects of Lightning.—Persons apparently dead from lightning have been recovered by repeatedly throwing cold water over the whole body. Many instances are recorded. The Rev. Mr. Steel, of Paris, in the State of New-York, has lately in the newspapers mentioned a case of this kind. A lady was with her husband in the house, and the latter was struck apparently dead by lightning. The lady happily recollected having, a few days before, read in the newspapers of the efficacy of cold water, and had the presence of mind to make trial of it; on the effusion of the first bucketful, he began to move, and on the repetition of a few more was restored to sense and health. If, during the recovery, the pulse is slow and extremities cold, bleed largely at the arm. A gentleman now living in Johnston county, (R. Gally, Esq.) was a few years ago struck down by lightning, and recovered by exposure to a heavy fall of rain.

☞ A Mr. Dalton, of Upper Canada Parliament, has declared war against technicalities of law. He has introduced a bill, "rendering unlawful the barbarous practice of using Latin or any *outlandish* phrases in law pleadings."

☞ It is said that swellings may be speedily reduced, and abscesses removed, by the application of a leaf of young cabbage. Heat the leaf at the fire, place it on the part affected, and wrap it round with flannel.

Nashville Academy.

THE EXAMINATION of the Students of this Institution will take place on *Friday, the 4th day of June next.* Parents, Guardians, &c. are respectfully invited to attend.

The Exercises of the Institution will re-commence on *Monday, the 14th day of June next,* under the superintendence of Mr. THOS. G. STONE.

By order,
H. BLOUNT, Sec'y.
Nashville, N. C. 22d May, 1830. 40

Notice.

FOR SALE, by the Subscribers, an elegant light CARRIAGE, suitable for a small family and calculated for one or two horses—it will be sold low for Cash, or on a short credit.

D. RICHARDS & CO.
29th April, 1830.



Attention!!

MILITIA DISTRICT, No 11, commanded by Capt. W. D. Hopkins, are ordered to meet on Harrell's muster field on *Friday, the 2d of July,* instead of the fourth Saturday in June. Hoping that no private will think much of an alteration when I deem it advantageous not only to an individual but to the inhabitants of the District.

W. D. HOPKINS.
May 20, 1830. 39

State of North Carolina, EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

JUSTICES' COURT.

Sharpe & Morgan, } Original At-
vs. } tachment.
John Dunn.

John Garrett, William Dunn and Willie Canady, summoned as garnishees.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Justice of the Peace, that the Defendant, JOHN DUNN, is not an inhabitant of the County of Edgecombe: It is therefore ordered, That publication be made in the Tarborough Free Press for thirty days, that the defendant, John Dunn, appear at the house of Col. Benjamin Sharp, on the 25th day of June next, and replevy property, or judgment will be entered up against him as confessed, and execution issue accordingly.
P. SUGG, J. P.
May 25, 1830. 39-4

State of North Carolina, EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

JUSTICES' COURT.

William D. Petway } Original At-
vs. } tachment.
John Dunn.

Burrell Dunn, George W. Killebrew and John Ritter summoned as garnishees.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Justice of the Peace, that the defendant JOHN DUNN, is not an inhabitant of the county of Edgecombe: It is therefore ordered, That publication be made in the Tarborough Free Press for thirty days, that the defendant appear at the house of Augustin Mann, on the third Saturday in June next and replevy property, or judgment will be entered up against him as confessed, and the property levied on subject to the plaintiff's claim.
JOHN MERCER, J. P.
May 15, 1830. 40 Price adv \$2:25.

\$10 Reward.

RANAWAY from the Subscriber, on the 11th inst. an indentured white apprentice to the boot and shoe making business, named

JOHN EDWIN GRIFFIN.
He is about 18 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, and light complexion. A reward of *Ten Dollars* will be given for the apprehension and delivery of said boy to me in Tarborough. All persons are hereby forbid harboring or employing said boy under penalty of the law. JAS. H. HARTMUS.
May 22, 1830. 39-3