

POETRY.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT.

WHAT angel so lovely and pure
Now gracefully crosses the street?
No eye has beheld, I am sure,
A mortal so charmingly sweet!

How lovely her form and her face!
Her eyes, how enchantingly bright!
She moves, and her motions are grace!
She smiles, and her smiles are delight!

Her bosom is white as the snow,
And as pure, or I'll forfeit my life;
Ah! ne'er can the man feel a woe,
Who calls this enchantress his wife!

I'm in LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT, and I feel
An affection no time will remove;
To the magnet as true as the steel,
Will I to my conqueror prove!

O! tell me the name of the maid,
With impatience to hear it I die!
Alas! ne'er before it I'm afraid,
Her beauties have dazzled your eye!

A youth as he stood at the door,
Thus question'd the host of an Inn;
Who said, "Yes, I've seen her before—
She owes me two shillings for gin!"

A PARODY.

TO *dun*? or not to *dun*? that's the question!
Whether its better that the purse should suffer
For lack of cash, by careful emptiness,
Or by a gentle *dun* to fill it up?

To *dun*—to be denied—denied with "call again!"
Ah! there's the rub!—for in that "call again!"
What evil's done—what disappointment sore—
Chagrin and woe; what time is wasted?
What shoes are worn, in consequence,
Must give us pain.

'Tis this that makes so many debts not worth collecting;
'Tis this which sickens business to despair,
And keeps from honest labor its reward!
While thus in language of complaint we speak,
We don't forget our many many friends;
To them our gratitude we owe,
To them our gratitude we freely pay;
Bouyed by their kindness, still our bark shall sail,
Enjoy the pleasing calm—
Nor dread the boisterous gale,

ANECDOTE.

A Methodist preacher having taken for his text,
'And they all with one consent began to make excuse,'
took up the context in the following whimsical manner:
'The first said I have bought a piece of ground, and I
must needs go and see it.' That, says the preacher
'might be a reasonable excuse.' Another said, I have
bought five yoke of Oxen, and I must go and prove
them.' That might very well be, exclaimed the orator.
'And another said I have married a wife, and there-
fore I cannot come.' That's a lie cried the Methodist,
for he might have brought his wife with him.

THE DERVISE.

A Dervise, travelling through Tartary, being ar-
rived at the town of Balk, went into the King's Palace
by mistake, as thinking it to be a public inn or caravan-
sary. Having looked about him for some time, he
entered into a long gallery, where he laid down his wal-
let, and spread his carpet, in order to repose himself up-
on it after the manner of the eastern nations. He had
not been long in this posture, before he was discovered
by some of the guards, who asked him what was his bu-
siness in that place? The Dervise then told them he
intended to take up his night's lodging in that caravan-
sary. The guards let him know in a very angry man-
ner, that the house he was in was not a caravan-sary,
but the King's palace. It happened that the King
himself passed through the gallery during this debate,
and smiling at the mistake of the Dervise, asked him
how he could possibly be so dull as not to distinguish a
palace from a caravan-sary? Sir, says the Dervise, give
me leave to ask your Majesty a question or two. Who
were the persons that lodged in this house when it was
first built? The king replied, his ancestors. And who
says the Dervise was the last person that lodged here?
The king replied, his father. And who is it, says the
Dervise, that lodges here at present? The king told
him, that it was he himself, and who, says the Dervise,
will be here after you? The king answered, the young
Prince his son. 'Ah, Sir,' said the Dervise, 'a

house that changes its inhabitants so often, and re-
ceives such a perpetual succession of guests, is not a
palace but a caravan-sary.



THE PROPRIETORS
OF THE
STEAM BOAT,

BE leave to inform the Public, that she will com-
mence Running early in May next, between St.
John and Fredericton, to start every MONDAY and
THURSDAY morning, from the Indian-House, (Saint
John) precisely at 9 o'Clock, and from Fredericton
every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY morning, pre-
cisely at 8 o'Clock; to stop at Mr. WORDEN'S, Mr.
SCOVIL'S, opposite Gagetown, and at JAMES TAY-
LOR'S, Esq. Manguerville, for 10 minutes only at a time
at each place, both going and coming, to land or take
on board Passengers.

The established prices for the ensuing season will be:
All after-cabin Passengers 22s. 6d.; Breakfast and
Dinner, or Dinner and Tea included. Children under
12 years of age 10s. and Servants eating after their
Master or Mistresses 15s. All forward-cabin Passen-
gers 17s. 6d. and Children under 12 years of age 10s.

WAY PASSENGERS.

From the Indian-House to Worden's	22s. 6d.
From Worden's to Scovil's, additional	5s.
From Scovil's to Taylor's, do.	5s.
And from Taylor's to Fredericton do.	7s. 6d.

AND ON THEIR RETURN

From Fredericton to Taylor's	7s. 6d.
From Taylor's to Scovil's, additional	5s.
From Scovil's to Worden's, do.	5s.
And from Worden's to the Indian-House, do	20s.

The Steward will keep a supply of the best of Li-
quors, which is to be paid for by those who order them.

All Persons must pay their Passage money, on their
having their names entered on the Boat's Books, prior
to starting.

Passengers will be allowed 50lbs. weight of Baggage;
all weight over, to pay at the rate of 5s. per Cwt. for
all or part of the way; small Parcels without exception,
under 15lb. to pay 1s. 3d. to be paid for on putting
the same on board. No four-footed animal admitted
on board the Boat; Dogs excepted—for each of which,
5s. must be paid, and excluded both cabins.

To avoid confusion, Passengers are requested to affix
their names to their Baggage, previous to sending it on
board.

All application for Passages, to be made to the Mas-
ter on board.

N. B. The internal Rules and Regulations of the
Boat, for the better information, good order and com-
fort of Passengers, will be hung up in the Cabins.

HUGH JOHNSTON,
JOHN WARD,
PETER FRASER,
JAMES FRASER, } PROPRIETORS.
L. DONALDSON,
ROBERT SMITH,
J. C. F. BREMNER,

New-Brunswick, 12th Feb. 1816.

To be Sold, By Auction,

On Saturday, the 2d day of August next at 11 o'Clock in the
forenoon, at JOHN M'LEOD'S in Fredericton.

THAT valuable Farm of RICHARD ROGERS, in Wood-
stock, with the Houses, Barns, and Fences thereon, 468
Acres of Land, more or less, (subject to a Mortgage) bounded
on the South by Capt. Bull, and North by the Revd. Frederick
Dibblee, the whole taken in execution from Richard Rogers at
the Suit of William Bull, by a Writ of Fieri Facias issued out of
the Supreme Court for ninety-eight pounds New-Brunswick
Currency, and will be Sold on the above day to the highest Bid-
der, by

GEORGE D. BERTON,
Sheriff of York.

2d April, 1816.

Half Pay Certificates & Military Allowance, Bills of
Exchange, Indentures, & Bail-Bonds, for sale at this
Office.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Has received by the latest arrivals from ENGLAND,
a general assortment of
DRY GOODS, HARD WARE, &c.

Offers the same for sale at the Store lately occupied by
the late Mr. BELL, on reasonable terms for Cash,
Bills, Furs, or Timber.

HENRY SMITH,

16th January, 1816.

New Goods.

JAMES TAYLOR,

Has just received by the ANN, from
Liverpool, part of his Spring assortment of

British Goods,

AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING, VIZ:

BEST Superfine, Second and Coarse Cloth, Cassimeres &
Serges.
Ladies Pelise Cloths.
A handsome assortment of Toilett, and Swansdown Wash-
coating; White, Red, and Yellow Flannels, and Blankets,
A handsome assortment of plain, twill'd & Figur'd Bomba-
zettes & Wildboars,
Printed Cottons; Shirting do.
Ladies Worsted and Cotton-Hose,
Mens do. do.
Gentlemen's Lambswool Draws and Shirts,
An assortment of Hardware; A few pairs of elegant plated
Table and Bedroom Candlesticks,
Japan'd do. & Tea Waiters, &c. &c. &c. Which he now
offers for Sale on the most reasonable terms.
The remainder of his assortment he expects daily by the
LONDON and GLASGOW Vessels.
Fredericton, N. B. June 6, 1815.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate
of the late BRIDGET EDDY, of Miramichi,
deceased, are desired to present the same, duly attested,
within eighteen calendar months from the date hereof;
and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to
make immediate payment to

ALEXANDER DAVIDSON,
Sole Administrator.

Miramichi, 1st August, 1815.

ALL PERSONS

HAVING any just demands against the Estate of
ADAM DUNMEDE, late of Miramichi,
deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested—
and those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make
immediate payment to

PATRICK TAYLOR, } Admini-
JOHN GOODFELLOW, } strators.

Miramichi, Nov. 20th, 1815.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any demands against the E-
state of the late Hon. EDWARD WINS-
LOW, of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render
the same duly attested—and all those indebted to said
Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

JOHN JENKINS, } Admini-
EDWARD W. MILLER, } strators.

Fredericton, May 23, 1815.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late
DAVID STACKHOUSE, of Pencyack, deceased, are re-
quested to render their Accounts duly attested within Six Months
from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are
desired to make immediate payment to

HANNAH STACKHOUSE, Administratrix.
JOHN CLEARWATER, } Administrators.
WILLIAM SEWELL, }

Fredericton, 16th April, 1816.

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