

## POETRY.

From the Centinel.

THE MORAL conveyed in the following stanzas is as correct as the POETRY is smooth and unaffected.

TO THE CHILD OF SORROW.  
THOUGH clos'd in dark affliction's night,  
Yet weep thou not sweet child of sorrow;  
For though to-day grief shrouds thy light,  
Thy sun may brightly rise to-morrow.

Though o'er thy head black tempests howl,  
And mark thee with despair's dark furrow;  
Let not the gloom o'erwhelm thy soul,  
But wait with patience for the morrow.

While in the darkest shades of woe,  
Of HOPE sweet consolation borrow;  
She will her beaming smile bestow,  
To gild with cheering ray thy morrow.

Or if that morrow darkly rise,  
And thou art still immers'd in sorrow;  
Let FAITH still point beyond the skies,  
And whisper, "There's another morrow."

Then let this cheer thy drooping heart,  
And guide where grief can never follow;  
Let FAITH and HOPE their smiles impart;  
Oh! still look forward to the morrow.

MORA.

IN ANSWER TO MORA.  
SWEET MORA! thou should'st never weep!  
Could I remove thy source of sorrow;  
Blessings should crown thy worth to-day,  
And bright should be thy hopes to-morrow.

Tempests should never o'er thee howl,  
Nor dark despair thy cheek enfurrow;  
A daughter with so pure a soul,  
Is only seen in thee, sweet MORA!

Maternal love still cheers thy woe,  
And infants' beaming smiles are thine;  
Who lisp their little accents slow,  
While Seraphs watch the task divine.

Then MORA, never more despair,  
But chase away these clouds of sorrow;  
Thy better reason ne'er impair;  
But still look forward to the morrow.

C.

From the BOSTON EVEN. GAZETTE.

### LINES

Written in the blank leaf of a Lady's Bible.

When thy beauty shall fade--as 'tis certain it must--  
And thy brow now so smooth, shall be wrinkled by age--

When the cold hand of Death shall consign thee to dust,  
And thy manners so pleasing shall cease to engage--  
If your affections you've plac'd on these pages of truth,  
And religion with beauty together thou'st blended--  
If thou'st remember'd thy God in the days of thy youth,  
And the hand of relief to the wretched extended  
Then tho' Fortune should frown and weak Friendship betray,

And thy bark become wreck'd on mortality's shore,  
Yet this Book--if its truths thou shalt strictly obey--  
Shall guide thee to regions where pain is no more--  
Where no waves e'er shall toss thee--no rude winds shall blow,  
But where pleasure's pure fountain unceasing shall flow.

ALBERT.

### AN ELEGANT THOUGHT.

In a speech at the formation of a Methodist Missionary Society, in Sheffield, (England,) the poet Montgomery, has the following beautiful sentiment.

In the Bible Society, (said he) all names and distinctions of sects are blended till they are lost, like the prismatic colors in a ray of pure and perfect light.--In the Missionary work, though divided they are not discordant; but like the same colors displayed and harmonized in the Rainbow, they form an arch of glory--ascending, on the one hand, from earth to heaven; and on the other, descending from heaven to earth--a bow of promise; a covenant of peace; a sign that the storm is passing away, and the Son of righteousness with healing in his wings, breaking forth on all nations.--Boston Recorder.

A Foundling.--Some time since an infant was left in the entry of a house, in the fifth ward of this city. The child was carefully laid in a basket, and had a note attached to its frock, of which the following is a copy:--

"For sweet charity's sake receive me--innocent, helpless, fatherless and cold; urged, as I am, into the world without a friend, Oh, let me not die; but under your hospitable roof protect, and I in gratitude will repay--nourish and train my growing years to virtue, and I will be your solace in declining years. My natural father has returned again to mother earth.--My natural

mother, writhing with convulsive agonies--joyless and despairing, fast hastening to the tomb. Be then to me a father, and you shall in no wise lose your reward. The Redeemer of the world took little children in his arms, and I beseech you imitate the divine, benevolent example.

"A friendless, helpless Orphan, aged three years."  
N. York Com. Adv.

From a London Paper.

FASHION!--What could exhibit, says Dr. Henry, "a more fantastical appearance than an English beau of the 14th century? He wore long pointed shoes, fastened to his knees by gold or silver chains; hose of one color on one leg, and of another colour on the other; short breeches, which did but reach to the middle of his thighs--a coat, the one half white, and the other half black or blue; a long beard, a silk hood buttoned under his chin, embroidered with grotesque figures of animals, dancing men, &c. and sometimes ornamented with gold and precious stones." This dress was the height of the mode in the reign of King Edward III.

GUNPOWDER.--A new mode of manufacturing gunpowder has been invented in France--the grains are spherical, of the size of swan shot, well glazed, and composed of concentric coats--the advantage which it possesses over common gunpowder are, that the manufacture of it is much cheaper, and that it burns at least six times more rapidly than common powder.

CARRIAGES.--There has lately been exhibited a waggon with double shafts lengthways, and with an adjusting screw, by which means, in going up hill a portion of the load is distributed on the horses backs, equally on the leader as the shafts; and in going down hill the weight is thrown on the hind wheels, thus preventing the necessity of any darg--the horses descend with ease. It was highly approved.

The Dublin society has appropriated 100 pounds for trying, before the committee of Natural Philosophy, experiments upon wheel carriages.

Providence, May 24.

Ten fishing vessels, belonging to New-Castle, and Kittery, while fishing in the Bay of Fundy, about 3 leagues from land, were captured by the barges of a British gun-brig, and sent into St. Johns, Newfoundland: After being detained 3 days they were released, and warned against fishing there in future. One of the released vessels, arrived at Portsmouth on Saturday last.

Two fishing vessels from the Bay of Fundy, arrived at New-Castle on Friday last.

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### PARAGRAPHISTICS.

[After the manner of the London papers.]

The predictions of French and American Bonapartists are amply fulfilled.--They prophesied last autumn that within six months France would be covered with plots.--It is now covered--with "grass-plots."

Roundabout.--The last British papers announce the receipt of news from China by way of America.

A French scaven, M. RIPAULT is said to have discovered a key to the famous Hieroglyphics of Egypt. No doubt this will unlock a cabinet which has long concealed many secrets.

Some British soldiers distinguished themselves in extinguishing the flames which destroyed the magnificent Theatre of St. Carlos, at Naples, the 13th Feb. last; and the Italian papers says they "covered themselves with glory." We should rather suspect with dust and ashes.

A REPRIEVE. One of the Swiss Soothsayers has predicted that in 1822 (only six years hence) a Comet will cross the path of the Earth, and utter annihilate it.--But a Mr. BODE, a German astronomer, has declared that he has no knowledge of the prognosticator; but is of opinion that World will yet exist many years longer. We Terristrals ought to say, with Ollapod, "thank you, Sir, we owe you one."

The wits of the salm Gazette sport thus playfully with the advertisement of Mr. GORDON in the last CENTINEL Mr. G. in hoping his old acquaintance will renew their calls, excepts from the invitation David Starrett,--who the public recollect was once so cruelly murdered in a handbill and proclamation; but who happens to be alive and well in Mexico.

"The public" says the Gazette, "will applaud the determination of Mr. G. that the Green Dragon shall not be a Haunted House. Though he thus declares his intention not to entertain Ghosts, he will undoubtedly keep Spirits of the best quality--full goblets, but no empty goblets. It must be confessed that GHOST are no very desirable guests--for they are unsocial, abstemious, unprofitable, unquiet, keep bad hours, and if spoken to for pay--they're off--and 'for want thereof' you can never take the body."

A correspondent informs us, that on Saturday night last, about half past 12 o'clock, John Smith, a seaman, leaped from the window of the third story of a house in Fish-street, in his sleep, on to the pavements. In this sad situation, after remaining some minutes, he was first discovered by the watch, and removed into the house senseless--A physician was immediately called, who gave it as his opinion, that the man was not dangerous, although very much injured. The worst external wound

that he received was immediately over his right eye, which was very much lacerated. His left leg was slightly hurt, as also was his right arm. So great was the shock, and such an effect did it produce upon the brain, that he lay in this senseless state six hours. When his restored, he was at first unable to give any account of his midnight expedition." In the afternoon of the Sabbath, however, he said he had a faint recollection of a dream.

He thought that he was confined in a room, from which he had a great wish to extricate himself. He saw a light through one of the windows, at which could he arrive, he should once more be free. He approached the window, crossing over a bed which was in the way made an attempt to gain the wished for object, but alas! the phantasm vanished, and he was brought to the ground. It is now five days since the accident, and the man is about, and will be well in a few days. I leave my readers to make their own observation upon this wonderful preservation.

## 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.

## 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 demands against the Estate of the late DAVID STACKHOUSE, of Peneyack, deceased, are requested 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, }

Frederickton, 16th August, 1816.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of the late JOHN KING, of Frederickton, deceased, are requested to exhibit the same duly attested; and those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

MARGARET KING, Adm'r.  
MARK NEEDHAM, Adm'r.

Frederickton, 19th Sept. 1815.

LIST of Letters remaining in the post-Office at Frederickton, 2d May, 1816.

ANSON, Isabella	Jones, Carleton
Buckingham, Stephen	Jenson, Mary
Beaty, Walter	Kearney, Jean
Beardsley, Mary	Kelly, William
Black, George	Keene, Mc. Samuel
Brodeur, Lewis Revd.	Lent, James
Bece, M. Robert	Murray John
Barker, Thomas	Magee, John
Calaghan, Timothy	Moody, James
Cassey, John	Morse, Mary
Carnad, Michael	Murray, Margaret
Clarke, Joseph	Moore, William
Conaham, John	Murray, Salmon
Condon, John	Murray, Mrs
Corkling, John	Nickerson, Nathaniel
Cliff, John	Nobell, Benjamin
Durose, Charles	Ogden, Robert
Doe, Andrew	Pearson, Col. Lieut.
Day, John	Rice, Samuel D.
Day, Abraham	Robinson, William S.
Drake, James	Stuart, Catharine
Dunivan, Michael	Smith, Richard Capt.
Davis, William	Spy, George Capt. 3
Ferrell, Elizabeth	Summers, John 4
Frink, Schuyler 2	Simpson, William
Flynn, Edward	Smith, William
Goff, Joseph	Thron, Richard
Hamilton, A. John	Tirlott, Nathaniel
Holt, William	Vaughan, W. Traverce
Hill, Arthur	Woodworth, Elizabeth
Holmes, M. Serjeant	Yorke, James
Iyer, Mc. Alexander	

N. B. Such of the above as are not called for by the first week in July next, will be sent as dead Letters to the General Post-Office.

The Inland Postage of Letters for Europe and the United States, must be paid at this Office--likewise the Postage of Letters for St. Andrews and Moose-Island, and the Postage of all Way-Letters, to be delivered by the Courier from this Office, must be paid previous to forwarding.

A. PHAIR, Post-Master.

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