

POETRY.

From the Centinel.

WAR PERSONIFIED.

True lovers of peace all agreed, as a band
Of brothers and friends, well united we stand.
Let mildness and harmony reign far and wide;
All wrath and contention forever subside:
Political feuds and sectarian strife
Be banished far hence; they're the brambles of life

We'll walk in the beautiful heavenly way;
The vicious allure, who are wand'ring astray:
Lay open the crimes, and the horrors of WAR!
A MONSTER SO VILE, we're compell'd to abhor:

An idol so craving, so thirsty for blood,
Though recently fed with no less than a flood,
Still calls for his thousands and thousands of men—
Supply his demands to the full—and what then?
Insatiably greedy, he'll always complain,
While MEN are his prey, and will feed him again
Let the monster be STARV'D, and he'll dwindle away.

His triumphs, and terrors, soon fall to decay:
Exhausted with hunger, and dazzled with light,
He'll quickly return to the bottomless pit
When PEACE is EXALTED, and virtue men's choice.

This DAGON MUST FALL, and the earth will rejoice.

That day will then dawn, by prophets foretold,
When heavenly peace shall her banners unfold.
Then, the glorious PRINCE! from the mansions above,

Resplendent with beams of salvation and love
Will descend in a blaze of ineffable light,
Dispelling old darkness, and banishing night.

His kingdom of peace and salvation extend,
And in righteousness reign o'er the world, without end.

J. K.

The following humorous article is copied from the Orange County Patriot. It may, perhaps, be in anticipation of good dispositions and intentions of some of our worthy patrons:—

"Let me see, don't I owe the printer something? Is't it long time since we paid him? Yes—Well, then, this is the season when he must provide something for the employment to keep himself and his little family warm. I think, wife, we must try to muster up as much as will pay him off, and send it to him. Perhaps it will cheer him up a little, and he may give us more news; and it will certainly give us more pleasure to read the papers after we have paid off. Yes, I think it will be best to go and pay him; for though he may be ever so much in want, I know he is too modest to be dunning us for it; and I'm sure he don't like to sue, or else he would have sued us before. Don't let me forget now to go and pay him, or send it by the first chance."

LONDON, OCTOBER 23.

Princess Charlotte of Cobourg.—This amiable Princess is expected every hour to become the happy mother of a first born offspring. The favourable consummation of this event excites the most lively feelings of anticipation, not only at Claremont-House, but through the neighbouring villages, among whose population the names of Prince Leopold and Princess Charlotte of Cobourg are held in estimation for their numerous virtues, of which benevolence appears to be the characteristic standard.

As the public will participate in the pleasure of every information that is so closely connected with the succession of the crown in Brunswick's line, we shall state the arrangements antecedent to the *accouchement*.

The Officers of State, whose presence is required on this great and happy occasion, are the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord Bishop of London, Earls Bathurst and Sidmouth, the Secretaries of State, and Mr. Vansittart, as Premier.

Such of these Noblemen whose seats are not in the immediate vicinity, are on visits at neighbouring mansions, for the purpose of being near, for the better convenience of attending the illustrious Princess.

Messengers are kept under orders to be in readiness, both day and night, to be dispatched for the requisite attendance of the Ministers of State, at the birth of the infant.

The Medical attendance on their Royal and Serene Highnesses are, Sir Richard Croft, Physician and Accoucheur. Dr. Storkman, resident Physician; and W. H. Neville, Esq. of Esler, is appointed Surgeon and Apothecary.

The wet nurse engaged is the wife of a most respectable and deserving yeoman, residing near Claremont, who has lately been the mother of another hearty infant, in addition to her present healthy family. The other nurses and requisite attendants are all arranged, and continue in regular waiting.

The servants of the Royal Household are

also detained at Claremont, in order to be in readiness to be dispatched with expresses to her Majesty, the Prince Regent, and the several Branches of the Royal Family, as soon as the event transpires.

We are happy to inform our readers that her Royal Highness still enjoys a vigorous and uninterrupted state of good health.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE ROYAL INFANT.

The young woman, who is to be wet nurse to the expected Royal Infant, obtained the appointment by the account she gave of herself in a letter to Sir R. Croft, written with so much simplicity, yet with so much communication of the particulars, which would naturally be required, that Sir Richard immediately sent for her.—From his house she was directed to another; where several of the medical advisers of the Royal Family had formed a sort of Board for her examination. After she had answered several questions, the medical gentlemen began to converse in French. It happened, that she had a knowledge of the language, and, as she supposed it to be intended, that she should not understand their conversation, she had the ingenuousness and the modesty to say, that, perhaps, she had better withdraw, as French was not unknown to her.

On her return, she was informed, that the board would recommend her for the office she solicited, if they were satisfied with the appearance of her children. She has three, and these were subsequently examined. Soon afterwards she received a message from the Princess Charlotte, desiring to see her and children. On her attendance at Claremont, the Princess and Prince Leopold passed three hours in the room with her and her children, to the latter of whom the Princess gave abundance of sweetmeats.—Prince Leopold took one of them upon his knee, and said, "Well, you and I shall probably be much better acquainted." We need not add, that the young woman was charmed with such condescension and affability. She was then near her own confinement, and the Princess told her, that she would be well accommodated at Claremont, if she chose to stay, but that it was wished she would do exactly as she pleased. She candidly said, that she should prefer returning to her husband's house. There she, in some days, became the mother of a hearty boy, concerning whom and herself enquiries have been daily made from Claremont.

It has been before said, that this young woman is the wife of a respectable yeoman near Claremont. The appointment is no slight acquisition. What the whole recompense is, in the case of the birth of a Princess, we have not learned; but in case of a Prince, it is fifteen hundred pounds, and £200 a year. The wife of a respectable Attorney, having been wet nurse to Princess Charlotte, has now a hundred pounds a year, and her son is a Lieutenant in the Navy.

NOTICES.

ALL PERSONS HAVING any demands against the Estate of the late JOHN FLEWELLING, of the Parish of St. Mary's, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested—and those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to GILFORD FLEWELLING, Admr. Maugerville, 29th October, 1816.

ALL PERSONS having any just demands against the Estate of the late RODRICK M'RAW, 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 JOHN M'RAW, Sole Administrator. Miramichi, 17th Sept. 1816.

ALL PERSONS having any just demands against the Estate of the late GEORGE BROWN, of Miramichi, deceased, are required to render the same, duly attested, within Six Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to JOHN HENDERSON, Sen. Executor. Miramichi, 12th August, 1817.

To Lease.
For a Term of twenty-one Years,
SEVERAL LOTS of COLLEGE LAND, containing 25 Acres each; and several Building Lots in the Town-Plan of Fredericton.—Inquire of J. M. BLISS. 3d June 1817.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS having any demands against the Estate of EPHRAIM WHEELER BETTS, late of Miramichi, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested within twelve months from the date hereof, and all those indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to EVAN MUNRO, JARED BETTS, Administrators. Miramichi, 1st November, 1817. 3m.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS having any demands against the Estate of CALVIN CHASE, late of Miramichi, 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 REBECCA CHASE, Administratrix. JARED BETTS, Administrators. Miramichi, 16th Dec. 1817. 3m.

NOTICE.
THE Copartnership of WILLIAM & JAMES LEDDEN was this day dissolved by mutual consent, and after the first day of January next the business will be carried on by JAMES LEDDEN and JAMES ABBOTT, under the firm of LEDDEN and ABBOTT, who are authorised to receive and pay all debts due to, or owing by WILLIAM LEDDEN, junr. JAMES LEDDEN. Miramichi, 8th Nov. 1817.

ALL PERSONS having any just demands against the Estate of the late LEONARD BARNARD of Miramichi, deceased, are hereby requested to present the same duly attested to, within Six Months from the date hereof; and those indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to WM. BANNERMAN, Jun. Administrator. Chatham, (Northumberland,) 25th August, 1817.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS having any demands against the Estate of the late BENJAMIN STYMIST, senr. of the Parish of Glanlagh, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested—and those indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to BENJAMIN STYMIST, junr. Executor. Allnwick, 12th Sept. 1817.

NOTICE.
THE Co-partnership of FRASER, DONALDSON, & Co. dissolves on the 31st DECEMBER next, by mutual consent: Those having any demands against said Co-partnership, will please present the same for payment, previous to the above date; and all persons indebted to said Firm, are desired to pay their respective accounts immediately to JAMES FRASER, or JAMES GRIGOR, Jun. who are duly authorised to receive the same. JAMES FRASER, L. DONALDSON, JAMES GRIGOR, Jun. Fredericton, (New-Brunswick) } 25th November, 1817. } P. S. The Subscriber being very desirous of preventing his old Friends and Customers incurring unnecessary cost, requests them to attend to the above notice, previous to the 1st January next, as after that date, all unsettled Accounts, will be put into the hands of an Attorney to collect. JAMES FRASER.

G. Rossiter, CABINET-MAKER AND UPHOLSTERER.

BEGS leave to inform the Public that he has taken a Shop in Union Street, where he carries on the Cabinet and Upholstering business, and where Cabinet Ware of all kinds may be had on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Having furnished himself with a stock of well-seasoned Birch and Mahogany boards of an excellent quality, he flatters himself that he will be enabled to give satisfaction to all who may favour him with their patronage.

Orders from the Country attended to with punctuality and dispatch, and every favour gratefully acknowledged. Fredericton, 30th Sept. 1817.

A. Hagget, WINDSOR AND FANCY CHAIR MAKER,

BEGS leave to inform the Public, that he has taken a Shop in Union Street, where may be had at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms, all kinds of fashionable Windsor and Fancy Chairs.

All orders from the Country attended to with punctuality and dispatch. Fredericton, 30th Sept. 1817.

Sheriff's Sales.

TO BE SOLD, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, On the 4th day of February next, between the hours of 11 and 5 o'Clock in the afternoon, at the House of Mr. John M'Leod's, in Fredericton—

LOTS No. 13 and 14, on the Pennack, in the Parish of St. Mary's, taken in execution from JOHN CLEARWATER, by a Writ of *feri facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court, at the Suite of WILLIAM SEWELL, for £36:19:11, and will be Sold on the above day to the highest bidder, by EDWARD W. MILLER, Sheriff of York. 26th Aug.

TO BE SOLD, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, On the 4th day of February next, between the hours of 11 and 5 o'Clock in the afternoon, at the House of Mr. John M'Leod's, in Fredericton—

LOTS No. 15 and 16, in Woodstock, taken in execution from ANTHONY WOODLAND, by a Writ of *feri facias* issued out of the Supreme Court at the Suite of SARAH BRANNAH, for £27:3:9, and will be Sold to the highest bidder, by EDWARD W. MILLER, Sheriff of York. 26th Aug.

TO BE SOLD, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, On the 4th day of February next, between the hours of 11 and 5 o'Clock in the afternoon, at the House of Mr. John M'Leod's, in Fredericton—

LOTS No. 2 and 3, on the Southern Bank of the River Madamkeswick, of Lands granted to the Guides and Pioneers, 200 acres more or less, taken in execution from Peter Allen, by a Writ of *feri facias* issued out of the Supreme Court at the Suit of SARAH BRANNAH, for £102:10:8 and John M. Wilnot for £84 3 11 and will be Sold on the above day to the highest bidder, by EDWARD W. MILLER, Sheriff of York. Aug. 26.

FOR SALE, By Auction, AT Mr. JOHN M'LEOD'S on Monday the first day of June next, between the hours of 11 and 4 in the forenoon, **LOT** No. 99, granted for MALCOLM STEWART, in the Grant or Letters Patent to the Guides and Pioneers, containing two hundred acres more or less, taken in execution by a Writ of *feri facias*. E. W. MILLER, Sheriff of York. Fredericton, 1st Dec. 1817.

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS having any just demands against the Estate of DANIEL JAMES, late of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render their Accounts for payment; and those indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to JEDEDIAH SLASON, Executor. BRIDGET JAMES, Executrix. Fredericton, 16th Dec. 1817. 6w.

FOR SALE, THAT valuable PROPERTY in King's Clear, (County of York) consisting of about 1900 Acres, on the high land; with 180 Acres on Savage Island, six miles from Government House; including a handsome Stock and Farming Utensils on the Premises.—Possession given the first day of May next. Any Person desirous of making an offer for the above described Property, can direct to the Subscriber, to the care of Mr. W. ROBERTS, Fredericton. JOHN ALLEN. Sept. 3d, 1817.

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