#### SHE COMES AT EVENTIDE.

By James Bruton, author of "Can I e'er forget the valley," "Happy Land," &c.

She comes at eventide, And on the seashore she sits; She looks o'er the waters wide, Like one who has lost her wits! When the wind above her raves, And the storm bird flits along, She talketh aloud to the waves, And singeth her mournful song.

Her's is the same sad tale, You in every village learn, Of a young heart left to wail For what shall no more return! From him who her love had won, She parted upon that shore, When he vow'd that, the voyage done, He'd return to part no more.

Watch'd she his coming, 'till The appointed time was gone; Then years pass'd away, and still In vain mourn'd the maiden on. Where foundered his bark, or how Her lost sailor-lover fell, Is another sad secret now, That the mute sea will not tell.

#### Miscellaneous.

[From the Liverpool Times.] MEDICAL MISSION IN CHINA.

On Monday there was a meeting of the medical profession of Liverpool, at the Medical Institution, Mount Pleasant, for the Empire, and the establishment of hospitals

to the chair. Dr. Parker then stood up, and said that a charge had been brought against him that he was a poor beggar. To this charge he pleaded guilty; but this he must say, that the object he had to present to them was good. The object of the Medical Missionary Society was two-fold, namely, to benefit the bodies and the souls of the millions of China. It was now upwards of seven years since he sionary to China. Being aware of the pedid at present amongst the Chinese. 'They deserved the name of surgery. To open a vein with a lancet, was one of the most selimbs; and here they certainly surpassed morrhage was prevented, he could not say. The man survived, and he was frequently seen rolling about the streets, a horrible object of pity and charity, until the foreigners, rather than see him, contribute a sum of money to take him out of their sight. Teethextractors, for example, were to be found in tions had received upwards of 8,000 patients, livid lightning burst like the flame from a volevery great thoroughfare, usually at some bridge, where different roads met. They were mounted upon horseback, and had attached to the animal they rode, strings of teeth, which were at once indicative of their profession, and trophies of their success. Whenever a patient offered himself, he was paraded about the streets, to attract the notice of the people. The quack had an attendant, and the first part of the operation of extracting a tooth, consisted in this attendant thrusting a pill into the mouth of to your hospitals, and are healed, then their the man. The doctor then separated the gum from the tooth, by means of a piece of which the medical institutions excited hesitating, and horror-struck. A sudden darksharp bamboo, and a similar instrument was amongst the Chinese, and their peculiar ness succeeded to the bright glare, but from the the phaeton and pluck the ladies from the seats used in extracting the tooth. The attendant stood by with another pill in his hand, and as soon as the tooth was drawn, the second pill was sent down the man's throat, lest he Missionary Society in China. The object should die instantaneously under the operation. There were also a number of people who lived by the vending of plasters, which, after having performed the intended service, were hung about the walls of the seller's dwelling, in order to spread abroad his reputation. The Chinese placed great depen-dence on the pulse. This was a subject they had studied with a good deal of care, and some of the distinctions they had noticed, were the same as those amongst us. They doubtedly be the most competent to pick out had the quick and bounding pulse,-the undulating pulse, -the deep pulse and the however, that the gentlemen chosen, should floating pulse; and they also formed opinions of a disease according to the pulse at differ ent points. They had directions for feeling within about an inch of the joint of the wrist, support of any agents, but to the support of and two inches above that. They even went the hospitals, and giving the missionaries blazing splinters, the shouts of defiance, the so far as to say that they could tell, by feeling the pulse, during gestation, whether the offspring would be male or female; and, if this be true, the palm of superiority must here be yielded to them by Europeans. There was no want of books in the empire. Indeed, there was hardly any subject on pressed their approbation of, and interest in our thickening ranks was dreadful; every mowhich the Chinese had not written. In the society. Sir Henry Halford had also describing the symptoms of diseases, they were tolerably correct. They had a work on zoology which occupied forty volumes. The system of classification amongst them was much the same as that which prevailed amongst us before the time of Linnæus. ston, &c. They wished to give an enlight-The beasts were classed according to their ened medical practice to 360,000,000 of peoappetites, and the birds into watery, marshy ple. If the medical profession of England precautions were to be observed in adminis- introducing the Gospel into China. If the and that terrible barrier did no man pass. In tering them; but when they came to the people were accessible, and Christianity could turn the bravest and the boldest would leap theory—the hypothesis on which they ex. at once be published, then hospitals and into the whizzing flame, and the taunting cheers plained the modus operandi, or the cause of diseases, they were totally at a loss. He other things might have been left to spring of the enemy triumphed in derision at the effort. Stormers, to the front! only the bayonet!

A distinguished native of this country, Doc- made. tor Alexander Pierson, was first attracted by the pecessities of the Chinese. He introduced the art of vaccination, in 1805, and Whatever the levity of the previous moment, the practice had since extended widely the scene before us now repressed it effectually. through this vast empire. There was a per- The deep-toned bell of the cathedral tolled son still living in Canton who had been en- seven, and scarcely were its notes dying away trusted with this business by the introducer. in the distance when the march of the columns head, by the name of Dr. Longhead, and murmuring whisper ran along the advanced had indeed the longest head that he (Dr. P.) files of the forlorn hope; stocks were loosened, had ever seen. On asking him, one morn- packs and knapsacks thrown to the ground; ing, how many persons he had vaccinated in each man pressed his cap more firmly down purpose of hearing from the Rev. Peter as hyperbole, if they could see the multitude came at last: the word 'march!' passed in gleamed upon the ramparts, and Ciudad Rod-Parker, M. D., Medical Missionary of the of children brought to him when he was whispers from rank to rank, and the dark mass rigo was won.—Charles O' Malley, in Dublin American Board of Foreign Missions in about to vaccinate. In 1819 or 1820, Dr. moved on. What a moment was that, as we China, a brief statement of the present state Livingston and the Rev. Dr. Morrison advanced to the foot of the breach! The conof medicine and surgery in the Celestial opened at Macao an infirmary for the poor sciousness that, at the same instant, from dif-Chinese. The former prescribed, the latter ferent points of that vast plain, similar parties in that country. Dr. Formby was called acted as interpreter, and a native physician were moving on; the feeling that, at a word, was employed in administering the prescrip- the flame of the artillery and the flash of steel tions. In 1827, Mr. College, surgeon to the would spring from that dense cloud, and death Hon. East India Company, opened an and carnage, in every shape our imagination opthalmic hospital at Macro, and during the can conceive, be dealt on all sides. The hurried three years of its continuance, it afforded re- fitful thought of home; the years long past, lief to four thousand patients of various ranks compressed into one minute's space; the last and from different parts of the empire. In adieu to all we've loved, mingling with the numer us instances he received from those on whom he had been instrumental in pour- all, the deep pervading sense that earth has no ing the light of day, unequivocal tokens of temptation strong enough to turn us from that had been ordained, at Philadelphia, as a mis. gratitude; and it was due to Dr. College to path whose ending must be a sepulchre. Each say, that it was a knowledge of the success culiar circumstances of that country, and of which had attended him at Macao, that conthe successful efforts of some who had pre- firmed him the (speaker) in the purpose of our leader guiding us through the gloom. On ceded him, in their endeavours to extend the qualitying himself as a physician and minisbenefits of medicine to China, he was ad- ter, for the mission which he had in prospect. mitted a clergyman for this object. The In 1834, he (Dr. P) embarked for China. Chinese were as destitute of correct medical After arriving there, for the better acquiring and surgical knowledge, as they were of the the language of the province where he conhigher blessings of Christianity. He was in- templated forming a mission, he went to clined to think that there had been a period Sincapore, and there opened an infirmary. when surgery, at least, stood higher than it In the course of six months, 1,000 patients were received into it; there was not a family had at present amongst them nothing that to whom the name of the foreign physician was not familiar, and he was sure that by no other means could the same favourable im- stant the whole scene before us was bright as rious surgical operations he had known amongst them, if he excepted those of the To one Chinese, who had been wounded by glistening bayonets of the enemy; on the other, government, in the amputation of heads and pirates, and from whose body he (Dr. P.) the red uniform of the British columns: compared like some solid wall they stretched ruins. Several persons have perished in this had extracted the ball, he gave Christian pressed like some solid wall they stretched even the surgeons of this country. A man books, and the man not only received, read, along the plain. A deafening roll of musketry guilty of felony, was doomed to lose his legs and commended them, but gave them to at the thigh, and his arms by the elbow, and the sentence was executed; but how he had appoved of those books, his brief and loud cry of our leader, as he sprang into the loss, it is incalculable; it amounts, however, to several millions.

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John N emphatic reply was, "I have found in them trench, summoned us to the charge. The the Saviour of men." At the end of six leading sections, not waiting for the ladders, months he returned to Canton, where the jumped down, others pressed rapidly behind Opthalmic Hospital was opened by him, and them, when a loud rumbling thunder crept and several of the Household, assembled in

> adaptation to gain the confidence of the people, the foreign residents proposed to originate a Society, to be called the Medical of the Medical Missionary Society was to encourage gentlemen of the medical profession to go and practice gratuitously among the ditch, they made towards the breach; the leaders was indeed thrown into the deep water, the Chinese, by affording the useful aid of supporting division of stormers gave one inhospitals, medicines, and attendants; but the support or remuneration of such medical gentlemen was not at present within its contemplation. To the Missionary Societies would when the vast column, pressing on like some thrown off, was both kicked by the ponies and be left the task of selecting the agents to mighty torrent, bore down upon our rear. Now run over by the phaeton, as he lay on the the right kind of men. It was requisite, unite to their missionary qualifications, those trivance, was rent open with a crash; the huge bled, and carefully attended to. The Queen of the surgeon and physician. The money things of no weight; the ringing clamour of the subscribed to this society would not go to the of doing their work, he was glad to say that the cause had been taken up with much interest in this country, and that auxiliary societies had been formed in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow. Dr. Wardlaw, of taken up the cause with much zeal, and brought it before many of the principal personages of the land-the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Bishop of Durham, the Duke of Wellington, Sir Robert Peel, Lord Palmer-

knew of one valuable life that was lost and they were obliged to reverse the usual trust to nothing but the bayonet!' cried a voice, through gross ignorance. One of the Hong order. In a commercial point of view, the whose almost cheerful accents contrasted merchants was troubled with constipation, plan had eminent advantages. He knew strangely with the death notes around, and and his physicians explained that the disease some who avowed that selfish motives alone Gurwood, who led the forlorn hope of the fifty List of Letters remaining in Office at this data depended on two subtle fluids, one of which would induce them to contribute largely, second, bounded into the chasm; all the officers arose from the lower part of the body, and The scalpe! knife of the surgeon was more united with another that came down from likely to win and conciliate the Chinese than pressed madly on; a roll of withering musketry Adams, Laurence Allen, (2.) above. "If," said they, "we can contrive to disentangle them, you would be better;" surgeons in London, had agreed to a proit. The British, springing over the dead and and, in endeavouring to do so, the Hong posal to educate three native youths, to be the dying, bounded like bloodhounds on their merchant lost his life. The Chinese were sent over from China for the purpose. The prey. Meanwhile, the ramparts trembled be prepared to receive and appreciate that prac- question now was, whether the hospital at neath the tramp of the light division, who, havprepared to receive and appreciate that practice of medicine and surgery which was to be sustained or suspended. In the lesser breach, came down upon Bond, James Boyd, J. H. Blake, David Bell. guided by fixed principles of science and ex- The last farthing in the treasury of the So- the flank of the French. The garrison, howperience, and he was glad to say that this ciety had been expended; but he hoped that ever, thickened their numbers, and bravely held was the case. Doctor Parker then proceeded it would speedily have an accession of funds. their ground. Man to man was now the com-

had been done by Europeans in the intro- burn, moved a vote of thanks to Dr. Parker, look for mercy; it was the death-struggle of duction of the practice of medicine into China. for the interesting statement which he had vengeance and despair. At this instant an ex-

THE STORMING OF CIUDAD RODRIGO .muttered prayer to HEAVEN, while, high above heart was too full for words. We followed noiselessly along the turf, the dark figure of arriving at the ditch, the party with the ladders moved to the front. Already some hay-packs were thrown in, and the forlorn hope sprang forward. All was still and silent as the grave. 'Quietly, my men-quietly!' said M'Kinnon; could not have struck the wall, when suddenly a bright flame burst forth from the ramparts, and shot upwards towards the sky. For an in. the General Hospital was opened at Macao along the earth, a hissing crackling noise folin 1838. Up to June, 1840, these institu- lowed, and from the dark ditch a forked and embracing every variety of disease. The cano, and a mine exploded. Hundreds of speaker then went on to detail the particulars shells and grenades scattered along the ground of several more important cases. He dwelt were ignited at the same moment; the air to show that this was the most fitting time trophe was enacting before our eyes, the difto reach and soften the hearts of the Chinese. ferent assaults were made on all sides; the pare. The whole ground, covered with commore than savage yell of those in whose ranks alone the dead and the dying were numbered, maddening with their excitement. On we ment some well-known leader fell dead or mortally wounded, and his place was supplied by some gallant fellow, who, springing from the leading files, would scarcely have uttered his cheer of encouragement, ere he himself was laid

sprung simultaneously after him; the men to give a brief statement relative to what Dr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. T. Black. bat. No cry for quarter. No supplicating plosion, louder than the loudest thunder, shook the air; the rent and torn-up ramparts sprang into the sky; the conquering and the conquered were alike the victims; for one of the great magazines had been ignited by a shell; the black smoke, streaked with a lurid flame, hung above the dead and the dying. The artillery and the murderous musketry were stilled, pa-He was known, from the formation of his was heard stealing along the ground. A low ralysed, as it were, by the ruin and devastation before them: both sides stood leaning upon their arms; the pause was but momentary, the cries of wounded comrades called upon their hearts. A fierce burst of vengeance rent the the course of his life, he said "about a mil- upon his brow, and, with lip compressed and air; the British closed upon the foe; for one Ferguson, Daniel Ford. lion," and this would hardly be looked upon steadfast eye, waited for the word to move. It instant they were met; the next, the bayonets University Magazine.

## DREADFUL FIRE AT SMYRNA.

The Smyrna Journal gives the following ac-

count of this mournful occurrence:-"A dreadful calamity has just visited the town of Smyrna, and plunged 20,000 of its inhabitants in desolation and misery. A terrible fire, such as in the memory of man was never known in this country, has destroyed, in the space of 18 hours, nearly half the town, and wholly ruined 20,000 persons. The fire broke out on Wednesday at midnight, in the coffeehouse of the Goldsmiths' Bazaar. Two hours afterwads the fire had spread over an extent of half a mile, and hundreds of houses were burning at the same time. The violence of the wind drove the flames with incredible fury towards the different quarters of the upper town, and rendered all human succour useless. The nature of the localities, and the bad construction of the old buildings, which were greatly agglomerated, with the intense heat, and the 'don't press.' Scarcely had he spoke when a all contributed to render the disaster complete. musket, whose charge, contrary to orders, had A third of the Turkish town, all the Jews' quarter, several bazaars, amongst which were those of the goldsmiths, the grain dealers, the shoemakers, the sadlers, the confectioners, the clothes'-dealers, the druggists, &c., a great number of mosques, seven synagogues, and 9,000 to 10,000 houses, were reduced to ashes,

An alarming accident occurred to some members of the Royal suite on Saturday, near Windsor. A party, consisting of the Queen carriages and on horseback, on the mount which overlooks Virginia Water, to witness the hunting of Prince Albert's pack of beagles. The little hounds were brought near, that the Pickles, David Pollard, Ebenezer Packard, some of them, which had run between the legs with much force on the boundlessness of sparkled with the whizzing fuses; the musketry of the four ponies harnessed to a phæton, congratitude expressed and exhibited by the plied incessantly from the walls, and every man taining Lady Ida Hay and Miss Cavendish, patients who had been cured, and quoted the words of one of the first Christian converts, blown to pieces. While this dreadful catasso loudly and suddenly that the leader reared up and threw the postillion off his back; the whole team became uncontrollably affrighted, "When I talk to them," said he, "of their whole fortress seemed girt around with fire. turned abruptly round, and rushed down the "When I talk to them," said he, "of their idols, they laugh at me; but when they go the shouts of the assailants. As for us, we between the first fright of the leader and the hearts become soft." Seeing the interest stood upon the verge of the ditch breathless, rush of the whole team, but just sufficed for midst of the gloom the agonising cries of the behind. By the time that the phaeton turned wounded and the dying, rent our very hearts. the crest of the hill, several persons on horse-Make way there! make way! here comes back and on foot had already run to the heads Mackie's party,' cried an officer in the front: of the ponies and were trying to hold them in and as he spoke, the forlorn hope of the 88th check; but nothing could stop them till they came forward at a run; jumping recklessly into came to the very brink of the lake: one of the spiriting cheer, and sprang after them. The traces that the rest were saved from going after rush was tremendous; for scarcely had we him; he was afterwards drawn out. Unfortuground. He received Royal aid and sympathy, however: Prince Albert helped to undress him, and the Queen sent for the Household Surgeon, bustibles of every deadly and destructive con- who soon came to the spot; and Rann was masses of the masonry bounded into the air like has since called on him twice to learn how he was. No wonder he is doing well.

BALLOONING .- Mr. Green made his 280th ascent from Vauxhall-gardens on Monday week, in the Great Nassau Balloon. He was accommade up a mass of sights and sounds almost panied by the Hon. Dudley Ward, the Hon. Mortimer West, of Grenadier Guards, Captain struggled, the mutilated bodies of the leading Currie, Mr. Leche, of Cardom, Cheshire, Mr. Glasgow, and the Hon. Baptist Noel, had exthird division had joined us, and the crush of came down in a corn-field close to a large wood; 50 yards further would have carried them into the middle of the wood.

### NOTICE.

heroic daring, and the next moment burst forth will present their Accounts, duly attested, of the said Thomas Harrison. in a death-cry. For above an hour the fright- within eighteen Calendar Months from this and forest. They were tolerably systematic in telling how their medicines were prepared, how much was to be given, and what
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introducing the Gospel into China. If the JOHN GEO. ALLAN,

JAMES DICKSON, Executors of the said Catharine Knapp. Westmorland Point, Westmorland County, June 8, 1841.

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rles Nevers, Mrs. Samuel Nicalson, James Nichol, Samuel Nelson, Jas. Nevill, Matilda Neill.

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# HUE & CRY! £40 Reward.

HEREAS THOMAS HARRISON, of the Parish of Sussex, in King's County, Farmer, did, on the night of the 28th ultimo, escape from the custody of Two Constables, who were conveying him, the said Thomas Harrison, to the Gaoi of the said County, charged with having feloniously fired a Gun, loaded with Powder and Ball or Slugs, at ISAAC CLEVELAND, of the Parish aforesaid, and him, the said Isaac, did severely wound, so that his Life is despaired of ;-

A REWARD of £40 is hereby offered for A LL Persons who have any demands his apprehension, and lodgment in the Gaol of against the Estate of Catharine Knapp, King's County, in the Province of New Brunslow. Many a voice with whose notes I was late of this place, deceased, Widow and Sole wick; and all persons are hereby called upon familiar would break upon my ear in tones of Executrix of the late Titus Knapp, Esquire, to be aiding and assisting in the apprehension

Dated at Kingston, the 17th Aug., 1841.

A. DAVIDSON, Sheriff. NDENTURES for Sale at this Feb. 11.