

POETRY.

Selected.

MY VERY PARTICULAR FRIEND.

From the Comic Offering for 1834.

Are you struck with her figure and face? How lucky you happened to meet With none of the gossiping race...

VARIETIES.

ESCAPE OF NORTHERN TRAVELLERS.—As the motion of the sea under the ice had grown more perceptible, they became alarmed, and began to think it prudent to keep close to the shore...

the spectacle was awfully grand; immense fields of ice rising out of the ocean, clashing against one another and then plunging into the deep with a violence which no language can describe...

A NEW WAY TO PAY OLD DEBTS.—A certain physician, who possessed a powerful Electrical Machine, discovered a sheriff making rapid strides towards his house, and suspecting, from circumstances, that he had some design on his personal liberty, the worthy M. D. made preparations accordingly...

SINGING.—When I was a boy, my father determined one Sunday to send me to a singing school. Never having sung much, I thought I would try a little before I went. So up I went into a great chamber, and after locking the door, went to singing as loud as I could bawl...

SIR ISAAC NEWTON.—This illustrious philosopher was once riding over Salisbury plain, when a boy keeping sheep called to him—Sir, you had better make haste on, or you will get a wet jacket. Newton, looking round observed neither clouds nor a speck on the horizon, jogged on taking very little notice of the rustic's information...

DEAF AND DUMB.—The late Mrs. Jane W—, of Scottish memory, was equally remarkable for kindness of heart and absence of mind. One day she was accosted by a beggar, whose stout and healthy appearance startled even her into a momentary doubt of the needfulness of charity in this instance...

for seven years?" "Why," was the quiet and unconscious answer, "he told me so!"—Literary Gazette.

STRIKE OF THE LADIES' SERVANT MAIDS.—The "Maid Servants Union Society" of Edinburgh contemplated a "strike" on the 14th instant, with a view of obtaining higher wages; and really, after perusing the resolution of that respectable feminine institution, we hesitate not to confess that they have strong grounds for making the stand they have determined upon...

GOVERNMENT.—A young lady was enquiring of her old nurse, the widow of a pensioner, how she got on. "Badly enough darlint, only the government intends to do something for us."

A TRUE STORY.—A village schoolmaster said to one of his pupils, a very small boy, who had just gone ahead of his class for beat. "Well done my little fellow, you shall have a feather in your cap."

A MERRY LIFE.—An impudent, ridiculous fellow being laughed at by all that came into his company, told some of his acquaintance that he had the happy quality of laughing at all those who laughed at him.

Charles V. in his retirement, amused himself with making clocks; but he could never bring his clocks to strike at the same minute. Upon that, he said "he saw the folly of endeavouring to bring all men to be of the same mind in religion, since he could not make machines to agree exactly."

An Irishman on board the Lady Herbert packet, when she was on the point of foundering, being desired to come on deck, as the vessel was going down replied, that he had no wish to come on deck to sea himself drowned!

hands, and soles of his feet; every other part of his person is abundantly supplied with this green horny substance. He sheds his horns or quills annually, and a fresh crop succeeds.—He has been thus afflicted since his earliest infancy, and all the male members of his family, down from the great grandfather, have been similarly well furnished. His general health is excellent, and his secretions very regular. A model has been taken of him in one of the Borough hospitals.—London Medical and Surgical Journal.

IN HABITANTS OF FREDERICTON, that he has this day opened a School in the large Room immediately over Mr. E. L. Moulton's Workshop, in Queen Street, where he is prepared to give instruction in the following branches, viz:—

Reading, Writing and Arithmetic, English Grammar, and Geography, Plain and Spherical Trigonometry, Mensuration, Surveying, and Navigation, Construction of Maps, Dialing and Algebra.

WESTMINSTER HOSPITAL.—A MAN PORCUPINE.—A middle aged man of very athletic and robust form of body, presented himself at the Hospital, a few days ago, in order to show himself to the surgeons and students of the establishment. He is completely covered with a green horny substance, in the form of quills, not dissimilar to those which are produced on the porcupine. The parts which have escaped the deformity, are his face, the palms of his

ONE Ton of OAT MEAL for sale by JED. SLASON. Fredericton, June 18, 1834.

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New Establishment.

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