



## THE FAREWELL TO THE DEAD.\*

BY MRS. HEMANS.

Come near!—ere yet the dust  
Sift the bright paleness of the settled brow,  
Look on your brother, and embrace him now,  
In still and solemn trust!  
Come near! once more let kindred lips be press'd  
On his cold cheek—then, bear him to his rest.

Look yet on this young face!  
What shall the beauty from amongst us gone,  
Leave of its image, e'en where most it shone,  
Gladdening its hearth and race?  
—Dim grows the semblance, on man's thought im-  
press'd;  
Come near! and bear the *Beautiful* to rest!

Ye weep—and it is well!  
For tears befit earth's partings!—Yesterday  
Song was upon the lips of this pale clay,  
And sunshine seem'd to dwell  
Where'er he mov'd—the welcom'd and the blest'd!  
—Now gaze! and bear the *Silent* to his rest!

Look yet on him, whose eye  
Meets yours no more, in sadness or in mirth!  
Was he not fair amongst the sons of earth,  
The beings born to die?  
But not where Death has power, may Love be blest!  
—Now gaze! and bear ye the *Belov'd* to rest!

How may the mother's heart  
Dwell on her son, and dare to hope again!  
The spring's rich promise hath been giv'n in vain,  
The lovely must depart!  
Is he not gone, our brightest and our best?  
—Come near! and bear the *Early call'd* to rest!

Look on him! is he laid  
To slumber from the harvest or the chase?  
—Too still and sad the smile upon his face,  
Yet that, e'en that, must fade!  
Death will not hold unchanged his fairest guest:  
Come near! and bear the *Mortal* to his rest!

His voice of mirth hath ceased  
Amidst the vineyards; there is left no place  
For him whose dust receives your last embrace,  
At the gay bridal feast!  
Earth must take earth to moulder on her breast;  
Come near! weep o'er him! bear him to his rest.

Yet mourn ye not as they  
Whose spirit's life is quench'd!—For him the past  
Is seal'd. He may not fall, he may not cast  
His birthright's hope away!  
All is not here of our belov'd and blest'd!  
Leave ye the *Sleeper* with his God to rest.

\* These lines were suggested by a part of the Greek funeral service, which summons relatives and friends to bid their last adieu. During, and after the recitation of this service, they kiss the cheeks and forehead of the deceased, who is laid in an open coffin.—See Christian Researches in the Mediterranean.

## FROM THE NEW YORK DAILY ADVERTISER.

### Leslie's Illustrations of the Waverley Novels.

We have examined with great pleasure a new set of prints, from designs by Mr. Leslie, and engraved by some of the leading artists in England, illustrating scenes in several of the Waverley novels. They are conceived and executed in a style which reflects high honour on the genius of Mr. Leslie; and several of them are so fine that they exceed, rather than fall short of, the ideas excited by the original descriptions; and we are confident they will be well received in this country, the native land of this distinguished young artist. A glance at the names of the engravers, which we give in the following list, will be an additional recommendation of the prints.

1. Waverley.—Flora in the Glen of Glennaquoich. Charles Heath.
2. Waverley.—Major warned of his fate by the Grey Spirit. Jas. Mitchell.
3. Guy Mannering.—Meg Merrilies compelling Dominic Sampson to eat. J. Romney.
4. The Antiquary.—Mr. Oldbuck incensed at the intrusion in his "Sanctum Sanctorum." E. Portbury.
5. Do. Dowsterswivel digging for treasure in Misticot's cave. C. Rolls.
6. Rob Roy.—Francis Osbaldistone and Diana Vernon in the Library. C. Heath.
7. The Black Dwarf.—The Black Dwarf in frenzy of grief on beholding the tomb of the affianced bride. C. Rolls.
8. Old Mortality.—King Charles the Second saluting Bellenden. J. Romney.
9. The Heart of Mid Lothian.—The affecting scene between Effie Deans and her sister in the Tolbooth. C. Rolls.
10. Do.—The interview of Jeanie Deans with the Queen.
11. The Bride of Lammermoor.—The ominous incident at the Mermaid's Fountain.
12. A Legend of Montrose.—Dalgetty and Ronald of the Mist escaping through the Chapel. The 3 last by Chas. Heath.

## INDIAN LAW ALTERED.

DETROIT, Dec. 5.—A few days ago, a Chipewewa Indian, living at Sarinaw, was killed by a neighbouring Indian of the same tribe. Agreeably to the old custom, the relatives of the deceased met those of the slayer, for the purpose of compromising the matter by receiving presents, or putting the slayer to death. At the council it was finally determined, that the brethren of the deceased should receive a certain amount of presents to indemnify them for their loss, and both parties were on the point of shaking hands and lighting the pipe of conciliation, when Kishkault, the notorious Saginaw chief, stepped up to the slayer, and with a single blow of his tomahawk, laid him dead at his feet. The Indians present were very much astonished, and asked him the reason why he had interfered to prevent the operation of their old law? He replied in his peculiar tone and manner, "The law is now altered!"

## LAW BLANKS,

For sale at this Office.

## Deblois & Mitchell,

HAVE just received by the Ranger & Hannah from Liverpool, which they offer at Private Sale on the most reasonable Terms.—

- 4 bales Bombazetts
- 1 do. Ladies Coatings & assorted colours
- 2 do. Superf. blue & black Broad Cloths
- 2 do. second do. do.
- 2 do. blue saved list do.
- 3 do. rose Blankets
- 4 do. Whitney do.
- 3 do. white & red Fannels
- 1 do. white Plains
- 1 do. double raised Swanskin
- 16 trusses of striped cotton Shirts.
- 2 do. red baize Shirts
- 2 bale Guernsey Frocks
- 10 do. assorted Slops
- 4 do. Flushings, assorted colours
- 1 do. mixt & drab Druggits.

And have on hand from their former Consignments—  
Carpetings, blue, black & grey Cassimeres, Point Blankets, Downlases, Russia Drills, Cassimere Shawls, Brown Canvas, from No. 1 to 6. Cutlery, London Mould Candles & Soap, a few chests Hyson & Souchong Tea, Paints & Oil, a variety of Stationery, Pipes, Brandy, Gin, Bronte Madeira Sicilian Wines

—ALSO—

700 puncheons Windward Island Rum,  
3 Hhds. Sugar, fine & middlings Flour, &c. &  
Sept. 12.

## William Deblois & Co.

Have received, per RANGER, from LIVERPOOL,

AN assortment of BOOK, CAMBRIC, JACONET, and other MUSLINS; Ladies' Robes & Dresses—a variety of NAPS, for cloaks & mantles; Steam Loom and Striped Shirting Cottons; Checks, Carpetings, &c.—which will be sold very low for cash, Sept. 12.

## New Pelise Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Naps, Flushings and Broad Cloths:

THE Subscriber offers for sale, on the lowest terms, 15 bales of the above, landing ex RANGER, from Liverpool.

J. Lyons.

## IRON

WILLIAM FOSTER,

HAS imported in ships Victory and Mercator bolt, flat and square IRON, all sizes; best Crawley STEEL plough moulds, and plough plate iron, cast iron backs, hot hearths, and checks for grates, cast iron mould boards, without heads spades and shovels, two Mooring Chains, made of 2 iron, with swivels in each; all of which he will sell on moderate terms.

Also, VINEGAR—Ploughs and Wheel Barrows, June 6.

## The Subscriber,

Has received by the Industry from LONDON, A Supply of Barclay & Co's best BROWN STOUT; which may be had in bottle or wood, at his Wine Cellar.—Also, West India and London Particular Madeira; Old Port; pale old Sherry; Dry Lisbon, and other WINES—Cognac Brandy; High flavor'd old Rum; Gin, Irish Whiskey, &c. &c.

## FROM CANADA,

A large assortment of Single and Double STOVES; with various other Castings, on Consignment.—which, with his usual assortment of Ironmongery Cutlery, &c. are for sale, at moderate prices, Oct. 17. 1823. GEO. N. RUSSEL.

## Notice.

ALL persons having any demands against the estate of the late ROBERT DUPORE, Esq. Half Pay Dy. Asst. Cy. General, of Annapolis Royal deceased, are requested to render their accounts duly attested, for payment; and all persons indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment to

THOMAS HENRY BAILEY, Exor.

Annapolis Royal,  
June 3, 1825.

## Notice.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of Mr. JOHN ANDERSON, late of Chester, County of Lunenburg deceased, are requested to exhibit them, duly attested, to the subscribers, within eighteen months from this date; and all persons indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

GEORGE TANNER, } Executors.  
ALEX. McDONALD, }

July 25.

## SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE.

AT a very numerous and respectable Meeting of the Halifax Diocesan committee of this Society at the National School, on Wednesday the 1st of Dec.

His Excellency the Right Honourable the Earl of DALHOUSIE in the Chair.

The attention of the Committee was called to the injury which is sustained from the want of some funds which may be applied to the benevolent objects of this Committee within the Diocese of Nova Scotia; as the benefactions of Members of the Society, at their entrance, and their Annual Subscriptions are the exclusive property of the Parent Society.

Whereupon it was unanimously Resolved, That a column be opened in the Subscription Book of this Committee, for the names of such persons (whether Members of the Society or otherwise) as may be pleased to subscribe any sum, not less than half a Guinea, annually, for the benefit of this Committee; with understanding that all persons, so subscribing, although they may not be Members of the Society, shall thereby become Members of this Committee, and be entitled to purchase books at the reduced prices, and to attend and vote at all its Meetings.

JOHN INGLIS, Secretary  
Any Contributions or Subscriptions in pursuance of the above Resolution, will be thankfully received by the Secretary, Treasurer or Assistant Secretary.

A new Catalogue of the Books, on sale by the committee, including the numerous additions which have lately been made to its stock, will soon be ready for distribution.

Those few Members of the Society, whose subscriptions are in arrears, are very respectfully requested to send the amount to Mr. James C. Cochran Assistant Secretary.

## Industry from London.

DEBLOIS & MITCHELL have received by the above vessel the following articles, which they will dispose of at Private Sale, cheap for Cash

- 51 chests Souchong TEA,
- 5 bags Pepper,
- 1 chest Indigo,
- 3 bales Salempores.

Oct. 10.

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## Final Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the Hon. JAMES FRASER, or late Firm of JAMES FRASER & Co. by Note or Book Account, are hereby notified, That, unless they discharge their respective Notes or Accounts, between this date and the 1st April 1824, they will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection, without discrimination; and all persons who are in arrears for Interest, due on their Bonds and Mortgages, will likewise take Notice, That unless the same is regularly paid up, on or before that day, suit will be instituted for recovery of both Principal and Interest,

JAMES D. FRASER,

ALX.R.G. FRASER

Acting Executors Estate late Hon. James Fraser, and Agents late Firm of James Fraser, & Co.

Halifax, Nov. 8 1823.

## Notice.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of the late JASPER HARDING, yeoman, of Little Port le Bear, deceased, are hereby requested to send in their accounts, duly attested, within eighteen calendar months from this date; and all persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to

JAMES HARDING.

Administrator.

Little Port le Bear, }  
Sept. 8, 1823. }

## SHIP BREAD, &c.

THE Subscriber is this day landing from Schr. Rein-deer, at Mr. Thomson's Wharf, and offers for Sale,

## 100 Bags Ship Bread,

Rye Flour, Tobacco, & Corn.

JOHN H. BRAINE.

May 2.

239 Upper Water street.

## To be Sold at private Sale.

ALL that Tract of Land belonging to the Subscriber, and now occupied by William Bannerman, Esq. situate, lying and being, on the East side of the GUT of CANSO; and is known as Lots Nos. 14, 15, 16, & 17, containing in the whole about 500 acres, more or less—There are two Dwelling Houses, with a good Garden on the premises, and about Thirty Acres of land cleared; One half of which is fit for the plough. The Land is in general of a good Soil, and there are three good Brooks running through it; One of which is strong enough to drive a Grist Mill, in the driest season of the year—There are also enough of pines growing on the lands to erect any buildings that may be wanted; and the situation is well calculated to answer either a Trader or Farmer.—The Land will be sold in small Lots, or One Lot, as purchasers may wish; and any further particulars will be furnished, on application, either to the subscriber, at Arishat, or to the said WILLIAM BANNERMAN, Esq. on the premises CLEMENT HUBERT.

## MICHAEL BENNETT,

HAS for sale at his store, at the corner of Duke and Water Streets the following Articles, cheap for CASH, to-wit:—

MADEIRA	Hogs Lard,	
Port	Mustard,	
Sherry	Raisins,	
Lisbon	Currants,	
Teneriffe	Nutmegs,	
Fayal	Mace,	
Malaga	Cloves,	
Claret	Cinnamon,	
Jamaica Spirits	Pepper,	
Rum,	Aspicie,	
Cordials, assorted	Fine & Common Scotch	
Bottled Porter;	Barley;	
Molasses,	Fine and coarse Salt;	
Vinegar,	Superf. & com Flour,	
Sweet	Rye Flour,	
Seal	Indian Meal,	
Hyson	Patent Blacking cake	
Young Hyson	Indigo,	
Hyson Skin	Starch,	
Souchong	Fig Blue,	
Green	Old Castile Soap for	
Congo	family use;	
Bohea	Turpentine Soap,	
Double & Single refined	Mould and Dipt Can-	
Sugar;	dles;	
Brown Sugar,	Leaf & Twist Tobacco	
Butter,	Scotch & Rappee Snuff	
Coffee,	Glass & Earthenware	
Chocolate	Writing and Wrapping	
Cheese,	Paper.	

## DRY GOODS.

Cotton Shirtings; Cotton Shirts; Mens and boys blue Jackets & Trowsers; Kerseymer and Swan down; Waistcoats & Waistcoat Patterns; Men and women's cotton & worsted Stockings; Men Women & children strong Shoes; Women's morocco & leather Slippers; Men's and boy's coarse Hats; Sewing & Twine; Linen & Cotton Checks; Bandana and black Silk Handkerchiefs; An assortment of Ribbons; Threads and Tapes; A handsome assortment of printed Cottons; A good assortment of Flannels & Baizes; Shawls & pocket Handkerchiefs; Cotton Wool; Broad and narr. Cloth Dimity; Cambric Muslin; Long Cloths; Blankets; Dowlas; Bed Ticks; Nails & Window Glass; Jack Knives Penknives & Scissors; Table Knives & Forks; Cotton & Wool Cards; Table & Tea Spoons; Pound & Paper Pins; An assortment of Combs; Whiting, Pipe Clay; Spelling Books; And many other articles, all of which are of the best quality.

## CHEAPEST NEW FURNITURE WARE

HOUSE.

No. 43 Jacobs' Brick Building, Upper Water Street.

## Smith,

UNDERTAKER, UPHOLSTERER CABINET AND CHAIRMAKER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public in general—That he manufactures all sorts of FURNITURE, and now offers for sale—elegant Mahogany High Post Bedsteads, with mahogany corner cases, and double and single Tent Bedsteads; Rocking Cradles; Dining, Sofa, Card, Pembroke, Ladies' Work and Toilet Tables; Light Stand Music and Reading Tables; Dinner Trays; Mahogany Secretaries and Book Cases; Ladies' Secretaries and Portable Desks; Haircloth, Grecian and common Sofas, and Couches; mahogany and birch low priced Chests of Drawers; Liquor Cases Basin Stands; elegant Side Boards; mahogany and birch Night Chairs and Bed Steps; patent Easy Chairs, with Bedstead to fold out; common do. mahogany cane and rush bottom Chairs; elegant gilt ornamented Window Poles and Cornices; bed and window Curtains, Carpets, Sofa and Chair Covers made on the shortest notice; a few English Feather Beds, Bolsters, and Pillows; Hair Mattresses and Piasse for sale. All kinds of Furniture made to any pattern or plan, and Furniture neatly cleaned and repaired.

For Sale seasoned Birch Plank and Scantling for Newel posts and Hand Rails for Stairs.

All orders from town and country thankfully received and punctually attended to.

Feb. 14.

Gentlemen of the Army, Navy, Town, and others, are respectfully informed, that

THE following articles, imported in the late vessels from London and Glasgow, are for sale at the CHRONICLE PRINTING OFFICE—at the lowest rates, for cash viz:

Imperial Paper	single
Super Royal	Log book Slates
Royal	Common do large and small
Medium	Slate Pencils
Demy	Sliding Gunter Scales
Folio Post	Common ditto
Foolscap, p. very best gilt	Office Files with Laces
Do black edged	Best and com. Lead Pencils
Do plain	Hudson Bay Quills
Very best Pot	Dutch Quills and Pens
2d quality do	Inferior low priced Quills
Com. low priced do	Crow do
Extra fine 4to Post, wove	Best Dutch Wax
yellow'd and gilt.	Com. do. for bottles
Common do	Crown Office Wafers
Note Paper, gilt & plain	Coloured Wafers in boxes
Very fine Cartridge—of	Office Tape, broad and narrow
log book paper finest	Green Silk Taste
Common do	Plated and common Tape
Blossom Blotting Paper	per Stands
Blue do	Green Wax Tapers
Music Paper	Black Ink Powder
Bristol Boards	Red ditto
Coarse Paper for Sketches	Japan Ink, black red
Paste Boards	in small phials
Large Message Cards—	Durable Ink for marking
wove and hotpressed	on linen or cotton cloth
Small do	with a pen
Ditto gilt do	Pewter Ink Chests
Sketch Books—neat	Do Ink holders
Ruled Music do	Pocket ditto
Account Books	Lead Paper Pressers
Receipt do	Small Hones
Best Foolscap quire Books	Reves' Water Colors, 1
marble covers	box large and complete
Do Pot do do	Ditto in small boxes
Copy Books, with picture	Pounce & Pounce boxes
covers—per gross, dozen, or single	
Copper Plate Slips—by the gross, dozen, or	

## C H A R T S.

British Channel	Chesapeake Bay
Irish do	Halifax to Philadelphia
Bay of Biscay	Cape Cod to Havana
Mediterranean	Nova Scotia
Atlantic Ocean	Newfoundland and
Azores	Gulf of St. Lawrence
Rio Janeiro	Labrador,
Coast of Brazil	One large Map of the
West Indies	World—four quarters
St. Domingo	on rollers

## B O O K S.

Jacobs' Law Dictionary,	Tardy's French pron
Blackstone's Commenta	Dictionary
ries	Johnson's Poets
Burns' Poems	Catholic Prayer Books
Johnson's Dictionary	Balfour's Natural History
Do. pocket do.	William's Auctioneers
Buchan's Medicine	Guide
Mackay's Navigation	Campaign in Germany
Mair's Bookkeeping	& France
Willich's Encyclopaedia	Essay on Gothic Archi.
Walkers pron. Dictionary	ture
Cesar Delph.	Elegant Prayer Books
Ovid do.	Beauties of Mackenzie
Bollingbrook's Works	Chambrad's Fr. Gram.
Life of Garrick	mar.
Pratt's Harvest Home	Pilgrim's Progress
Chateaubrian's travels	Nourjahad
Bell's Tour	Mavor's Spellings
Foster's Letters	Dilworth's do.
Paisley's Essay	Selectae Profani
Thompson's Letters	Eutropius
Homer Burlesque'd 2 vols	Cornelius Nepos
Murray's Grammar, Key	Gay's Fables
and Exercise	Evans' Sketch of Relig
Mair's Reader	ions
Tutor's Assistant,	The Campaign—a Poem
Ward's Latin Grammar	Faulkner's Shipwreck
Goldsmith's Geography	Mason's Collection
Life and adventures of	Quarles's Emblems
Robinson Crusoe	Pliny's Letters
Complete Letter writer	Enfick's Dictionary
Vicar of Wakefield	Shakespeare's Plays
She thinks for herself	Homer's Iliad
Destination	Milton's Works
Cowan's Anthopaidea	Thompson Seasons
Young Man's best Com-	Holy Bible, 9 vols
panion	Stevens Harmonica
Dakin's Greek Testa-	Kirkwood's improved
ment	method of Writing.
Art of preserving the	Bibles, Testaments, and
sight	Psalters

Lavender in 3 pint bottles; sundry Essences Windsor Soap; London Mould Candles very best Hyson Tea &c. &c.

Halifax, March 22.