

POETRY.

(From the Liverpool Chronicle.)

FIRST FLOWERS.

First flowers of spring-time, Bright gems of the year, All lovely and blooming, How fresh you appear!

(From the New-England Farmer.)

MY GIRLISH DAYS.

WHEN I WAS young I loved the boys, And now I love the men; And O, to taste those artless joys, I'd be a girl again.

(From the American Traveller.)

THE SHIPWRECK.

After a night of awful anxiety and suspense, the wearied mariners on board the Susan saw with delight the dawning of another day.

ship-mates as if they were engulfed in a watery grave. But these hardy tars toiled fearlessly at their oars, and after a violent struggle they gained the side of the sinking vessel.

By the attention of the officers and those females who had less suffered, Jane was soon enabled to comprehend how miraculously she had been preserved; and when all around her were expressing their gratitude to the commander and crew, the lovely maiden with streaming eyes fell upon the knees, and with holy fervour murmured forth the effusions of a grateful heart to her Heavenly Parent.

Upon our arrival at Lisbon, the ship after examination, was pronounced unseaworthy, and was to be sent back to her owners country; but a small portion re-embarked for America.

less likely to irritate than politics, less stimulating to the sordid feelings than profusion connected with his business or his profession, less perilous to charity than the discussion of the affairs and characters of his neighbours.

POLICE OFFICE.—LONDON.

THE SHANNON AND THE CHESAPEAKE.

A veteran sailor, named Denis Fitzpatrick, was on Wednesday brought to the Thames Police Office, charged with beating a couple of American sailors at a Jew's clothes shop in the East Smithfield, because they insinuated in a short discussion that the memorable action of Sir Philip Brooke, then commanding the Shannon, of Boston harbour, with the Chesapeake, large American frigate was won by treachery, and not by the gallant daring of the crew of the Shannon.

Defendant.—Why your honor, I am an old sailor. Capt. RICHBELL.—Well, I see you are, so am I. Defendant.—Well, your honor, I sailed with Nelson, and was at the action in the Basque Roads.

VARIETY.

What is happiness? Is it to bind up the wounds of the poor? Is it to extend the hand of compassion to the relief of the widow and fatherless, in the midst of afflictions? It is happiness, which reigns both in the bosom of the giver and the receiver.

GENERAL OPINION OF A SERMON.

Men speak of a sermon in the same language, and perhaps, with the same gesture of the hand, smiting the body in the same place, with which they speak of a dinner;—It did me good Sir, I felt the better of it.

NEW GOODS.

The Subscriber has received by the ships Mary from Belfast, and Jane from Liverpool, the following articles, viz:—1 CASE GAUSE RIBBONS—assorted, 1/2 ditto Lewd String do.

NEW DRY GOODS.

AND GROCERY STORE, South side of the Market-square. The Subscriber begs to inform the inhabitants of the City of Saint John, and vicinity, that he has opened, in the Store lately occupied by Messrs. PETERS & DELOIS, immediately under the Office of the Common Clerk, an extensive assortment of

Hardware, &c.

The Subscriber has just received per Briton and Augusta from Liverpool—HIS SPRING SUPPLY OF GOODS, viz:—34 H HDS. and Cases HARDWARE, 8 Tons rose, clasp and horse Nails, ass'd;

GEORGE THOMSON,

Has received per Ship Brothers, from Liverpool, and Brig Thomson's Packet, from Dumfries and Whitehaven: PART OF HIS SPRING SUPPLY OF DRY GOODS.

CHEAP

London Warehouse, (North side of the Market-square.) LOWE & GROOOCK, Have great confidence in offering to the Inhabitants of the City of St. John and its vicinity, a choice and cheap Importation, per Tweed, from LONDON.

BRITISH Dry Goods,

Of the newest fashions and best quality, all of which being purchased for Cash at the different Manufacturers, will be sold at unprecedented low prices for prompt payment.

STATIONARY.

COMPRISE: 556 Reams News, Letter, Post, Fol, Foolscap, Copy, Wrapping and Writing Paper; 75 doz. Dillworth's & Fenning's Selling Books;

New Goods.

The Subscribers have received per Brig Thad from London, Ships Augusta and Briton, from Liverpool, and Fort, from Greenock. Their Spring Supply of BRITISH MERCHANDISE, comprising—2 BALES SUPERFINE, Black, and Blue BRAD CLOTHS;

50 M. RED OAK STAVES.

M'KENZIE & TISDALE, St. John, May 23, 1829.

Ginger Beer, Cordials, &c.

ESTABLISHMENT, York Point. JOHN B. SMITH, BEGS leave to inform his Friends and the Sea Public, that he has commenced, for the Season, Brewing GINGER BEER, and distilling different kinds of CORDIAL, all of which will be had at the following prices:—Ginger Beer, - - - 1s. 6d. per gal.

NEW GOODS.

The Subscriber offers for Sale at his Store in St. John-street, lately occupied by Messrs. A. Edmond & Co. an extensive assortment of DRY GOODS, consisting of—SUPERFINE, Broad, and Narrow CLOTHS, Cassimeres, Pelisse, & Ladies Ditto;

FOR SALE.

HOGSHEADS SUGAR and MOLASSES, now landing per Ketch Fredericton from Saint Kitts. CROOKSHANK & WALKER, May 23, 1829.

NEW GOODS.

The Subscribers have received per Jane, from Liverpool, part of their Spring supply, which are now opening at their Store Market-square, viz:—CASES of Men's very best Waterproo, black and drab HATS,

ON SALE.

COPIES OF THE NEW SYSTEM OF DRILL AND MANOEUVRES FOR THE PROVINCIAL MILITIA, with which every Officer of Militia is expected to furnish himself, agreeably to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's General Order, dated Dec. 1, 1828.

HIDES.

Now landing from Brig Margaret—2000 DRIED and SALTED HIDES; for Sale by THOMAS SANDALL, May 23.

STORAGE.

STORAGE may be had on application to the Subscriber in Stores on C. J. Peters' Wharf, and Saint John-street, for 5000 Barrel Bulk of any description of Goods. May 23, SAMUEL STEPHEN.

BARGAINS

By Wholesale or Retail.

THE Subscriber purposing to make immediate Sale of his stock of MERCHANDISE, offers by private bargain, at his Store No. 10, South Market Wharf, adjoining Mr. WIGGIN'S, any articles, either by the Package or by Retail, at very reduced Prices.

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