POETRY.

FROM FRIEND, HIP'S OFFERING.

MAY MORN SONG.

grass is wet with shining dews, eir silver bells hang on each tree; While opening flower and bursting had Breathe incense forth-unceasingly. The mayis pipe in green-wood shade, The thresilegials the spreading thern neers the blits some lark, ates the rosy face of morn. And, hark! bark! hark! His merry chime, Chirrups the lark! ...irrup! Chirrup! he heralds in he jolly sun with matin hymn.

ie, come my love, and Mov-dews shake a pada' from each drocping bough; cay'll give wash lustre to the bloom That breaks upon the young cl. ok now. Ger hill and dale, o'er waste and wood, Abrore's smiles are streaming free;

. south it doesns brave holliday, In heaven it looks liigh jubilee. And it is rig! For, mark, love mark! How, bathed in light, Chirrups the i k! Chirrup thirrup! he upwards flies,

Like holy thoughts to cloudless skies. They le k all heart who cannot feel The voice of heaven, within them thrill, In summer mern, when mounting high, The merry minstrel sings his fill. New let us seel, you booky dell, Where brightest wild flowers choose to be And where its clear stream murmurs on,

Meet type of our love's purity. No witness there-And o'er us, hark! High in the air, Chirrups the lark! Chirrup! chirrup! away soars he Bearing to heaven my yows to thee!

Ah what would be the life of man, If left in desert or on isle, Unlighted up by beauty's smile? Even though he breathed a Monarch's name, And o'er his own sex reigned supreme, With thousands bending to his sway, 17 lovely woman were away,-What were his life? what would it be? A vapour on a shoreless sea, A troubled cloud in darkness tost, Along the waste of waters lost; A ship deserted in the gale, Without a steersman or a sail, A star or beacon light before, Or hope or haven ever more, A thing without a haman tie. Unloved to live, unwept to die.

VARIETY.

WISHING FOR DEATH.

The habit of avoiding personal danger, or the instinct that leads to the preservation of life, is so strong, that persons who are resolved on suicide sometimes conduct it in a very ludicrous manner under the fear of that death which they are desirous of pro-

We have heard of a countryman, who had made up his mind to "shuffle off this mortal coil, and only waited until he had settled in his mind the most comfortable way of dying. Not being able readily to agree with himself on the important point, he informed a neighbor of his, whom he met with an axe on his shoulder, that he was resolved upon death, and would take it as a favor if he would assist him in the accomplishment of his entertainment and charges do not justify his purpose. His neighbor being willing the invitation. to humour the candidate for a change of worlds, told him he was just going into the woods to chopping, and that if he would accompany him he would tell a tree upon him and put an end to his life with very little

"I am very much chiefed to you," said the we are o'the-world, and consider myself bound to you for life. I'll go and be killed directly.

Accordingly he followed the axe-man to the woods. A tree was chosen, and he was creeted where to stand, so as to received the full force of its fall. He fixed himself at the spot, and folded his arms, and prepared to await the event.

The chopper began to lay on with vigorous blows while the death's candidate kept his eye upon the top of the tree, to see when it would fall. He stood composed for a while but at length began to appear uneasy and not perfectly satisfied with his prospects.-And while the axe-man scenied to him to redouble his blows, winking and winking, he thought he perceived the tree nod, and that the next moment would be his last. The cold sweat began to issue from his skinhis limbs trembled he could stand it no longer! He took to flight and never looked behind him until he had got at least forty rods, when he ventured to stop. He was pursued by the axe-man, who, on coming up, asked him why he ran away.

"Oh!" said he, "I was afraid if I staid there I should be killed."

"I thought," returned the chopper, "you

came on purpose to be killed!" "Ah, true," said the mart with great simplicity, "but I forgot that. Oh how I trembled. If I'd staid there a minute lon-

ger, I should have been a dead man. What a crash it made when it fell!" "Crash! why the tree is standing vet. I merely chopped it with the header the ave."

"With the head of the axe! do you say? O you cheating rascal! but I'll never trust you to kill me again, I'll be-hanged if I do.'

"I have lost my appetite," said a gigantic Irish gentleman, and an eminent performer on the trencher, to honest Mark Supple. "I hope," no poor win has found it; or it would rain him in a week."

From the Seneca Falls Adv. QUERY .- How long is a "Juck-Mason's CABLE TOW! The Muson's cabletow is found to be of no definite longth, but it is accommodated to the necessite of the case abunya extending protection to a worthy

prother, 'right or wrong,' murder and treason not excepted. But how to measure that of the Jacks we are puzzledfor they are neither this nor that. They will tell you that Freemasonry is a bad that-nur. That the murder of Morgan was a bad thing-nur. That the guilty should be punished -- Bur That they are antimasons-RUT, it won't do to oppose masons -no, not at all-it will hurt their feelings. Such is the inconsistency of thousands in our land, that iniquity must be countenanced through tear of the consequences of opposing it.

"Blest be the rape that binds us."

A GOOSE STORY .- If any man, waman or child, resident this side of the Cape of Good Hope, or Cape Horn, should stand in need of a goese, they can be accommodated with one, on application to the editor of this payer. We have one on-hand, that was purchased last Saturday, and has been seven times roasted, six times baked, and fifteen times stewed and boiled, and yet the sarcophagi that envelopes his flesh, resists the edge of the axe, the cleaver, and the knife. As we have a small regard for the cutlery that we possess, we are desirous that the aforesaid goose be disposed of-We fancy he would last a family of common size about six and thirty years.'

Cincinnati Repub.

STARRY THOUGHTS .- The following unique composition appears in the Huntingdon(Pa.) Courier, in the shape of a caugion to the public:

Whereas my Pink, my pretty toy, My wife, My SARAH JANE, Has left my home, and her employ, To rove about again; This caution's therefore to forewarn All people not to trust

To her the worth of an Acorn, Or lose it all they must; For I'm determin'd not to pay The value of a straw

Of her contracts, in any way, Unless compelled by law, ROBERT HARPER

Mrs. Chapone was asked why she always came so early to church. Because, said she, it is a part of my religion not to disturb the religion of others.

Advertisements.

PUBLIC HOUSE.

The subscriber has taken that old



(FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY Co. LASHELLS,) On the York and Gettysburg Turnpike Road, 5 miles from Gettysburg, and

24 from York. Having provided himself with every accommodation for Travellers, Wagoners, and Drovers, he invites those who travel that way to give him a call, and judge whether

ROBERT TAYLOR.

April 27, 1831. N. B. Persons indebted to me, are requested to call on Moses McClean, Esq. in whose hands I have placed my books, and make immediate settlement. R. T.

CARINET-MAKING.

The subscriber respectfully informs the citi zens of Gettysburg and its vicinity,

THAT HE IS MAKING, AND PREPARED TO MANUFACTURE, ALL KIADS OF

E. H. ES M. H. A. H. ES ES.

IN HIS LINE OF BUSINESS IN A SUPERIOR STYLE; At Mr. Hugh Denwiddie's Shop, in South Baltimore street, and next door to Mr. David Little's Coach Factory.

He hopes that those wishing to purchase will do themselves and him the favor to call and examine his work before they purchase elsewhere.

COOFFINE made to order at the

shortest notice. L. SHARP.

March 9, 1831.

WALLORING.

The subscriber takes this method to inform his friends, and the public generally, THAT HE HAS COMMENCED THE

TAIZORING BUSINZES.

In Cash, Lown, Adams county, Pa., Where he will execute all orders in his line of business promptly, and in the most fash ionable manner, for Cash or Country Produce. As he has made arrangements to recoive the Quarterly Reports of the

Philadelphia Fashions.

Through the aid of Mr. Allen Ward's Protractor System of Catting Garments he will be enabled to please all who may favor him with their custom.

JACOB HOSSLER. Cash-Town, March 30, 1831

LOOK AT THIS!

OR THE LAST THREE I call on all those indebted to me, either by bond, note or book account, to come forward and make settlement-If this netice has no more effect than my former notice, those indebted will have to make sattlement with persons who will add COSTS

April 27, 1831.

Advertisements.

LAYING

The public is respectfully informed, that the CORNER STONE

CORNER STONE.

Theological Seminary, IN THIS PLACE, WILL BE LAID ON THURSDAY, the 26th of May instant.

It is expected that the Rev. Messrs. Unknown and Reck will address the audience in the German, and Messrs. Schaef-FER and KRAUTH in the English language. The services in the German language to commence at 10 o'clock, and in the English at half past 11 o'clock A. M. A collection will be taken for the benefit of the Institution. On the evening of the same day the Addresses of the Students.

J. G. MORRIS, May 11, 1831. Sec'ry of the Board.

MOTICE.

THE creditors of JOHN BEAR Jr. an insolvent debtor, are notified to present their claims to the subscriber for settlement. ELIZABETH YETTS,

May 18, 1831. Trustee.

NOTICE.

Prothonotary's Office, ? May 5, 1831.

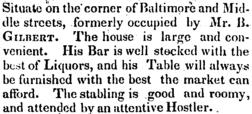
HE account of John Ziegler, Trustee of ELIZABETH EHRHART, a non compos mentis, is filed in my office, and will be affixed for confirmation on the 4th Monday of August next.

GEO. WELSH, Proth'y.

THE EAGLE HOTEL.

THE undersigned respectfully informs his old friends and customers, and the public in general, that he has taken that

EAGLE



HOTEL.

Travellers and others are assured, that he will use every exertion in his power to render both Man and Horse comfortable. PHILIP HEAGY.

April 6, 1831.

New Store.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the Public, that he has just returned from the Cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore, with an

EXTENSIVE AND ENTIRELY NEW

STOCK OF GOODS. Which he intends opening in the house of the late John M'Conaughy, Esq. deceased situate on the South West Corner of the Centre Square in Gettysburg,

CONSISTING OF A

GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, Queens and Glass WARE,

LOOKING GLASSES,

LIQUORS, &c. (FOR PARTICULARS, SEE HAND-BILLS.)

A personal appearance at his establishment, the LOW PRICES of the Goods, and elegant assortment, will be an inducement for them to purchase-"Look before

you leap!" The Public's humble servant, SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK. Gettysburg, April 20, 1831. tf-2-2

AGENCY IN PHILADEPHIA. OFFICE OF THE LADYS BOOK, 112 Chesnut Street.

L. A. GODEY & CO.

FFER their services to collect for their city and country friends, and all others, having claims against individuals and others in Philadelphia. They have determined to devote a considerable portion of their time to this new branch, and are well convinced that their exertions will give satisfaction to their employers. There are no doubt many persons at a distance having aware of responsible persons to address.-The great expense in many instances paid for Lawyer's fees, and where there has been no necessity for such a proceeding, prevents many lawful accounts from being adjusted. They will receive hills & accounts from any city, or forwarded by mail as may be directed. No charge in any case will be made unless to their visits.

JAMES A. THOMPSON. 1 sed and returned to the person sending.

May 11. must be paid or all letters will be reinclo-11-2-3 May 11.



The Subscriber respectfully informs the inhabitants of Gettysburg and vicinity, that he has taken the Shop, in .

West York Street, lately occupied by Mr. Robert Taylor, and that HE IS PREPARED TO MANUFACTURE

BOOTS & SHOES,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, In a neat workmanlike manner, and that he will constantly keep on hand, a supply of ready made work, which he will warrant to be as good and cheap as can be had in My cure was effected solely by your celebrated Graduate Address will be delivered by the any other shop in the place. As he is a and agreeable Catholicon. Rev. Mr. HAVERSTICK, and on the morning complete hand for making LADIES SHOES, following, at 10 o'clock the Anniversary and just from the city of Baltimore he will ensure such work done in the most fashionable and durable manner.

DAVID SOMERS.

March 30, 1831.

POTTER'S

VEGETABLE CATHOLICON. ADVERTISEMENT.

The unrivalled and extensive reputation acquired by this medicine for the last five years, both in Hospital and private practice, demands from the proprietor his grateful acknowledgments to a discerning public.

Potter's Vegetable Catholicon is offered for the cure of Diseases of the Liver, Ulcerated Sore Throat, Debility resulting from Intemperance and Dissipation, Scrotnla or King's Evil, Old and Inveterate Ulcers, Pains in the Bones, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Diseases of the Lungs, Syphilis, Blotches on the Face and Skin, White Swelling of the Joints, Tetter, Mercurial diseases, Piles, &c. &c. .

The Catholicon consists exclusively of vegetable matter, and with a slight determination to the bowels, which it preserves in a soluble state, acts insensibly, is pleasant to the taste, and requires no particular regimen or confinement. As a gentle cathartic medicine, improving the appetite and restoring the general tone of the system, it is confidently recommended to ladies in a delicate situation.

The unrivalled and very extensive character which this medicine has enjoyed, for the last six years, as a complete renovator, and purifier of the blood and humours both in Hospital and Private Practice, is a substantial basis for its future support. It has obtained its present great distinction by the extraordinary success which has attended it in the Healing Art, while every avenue and track have been searched in vain for its parallel; indeed, its discovery may be considered one of the most sacred boons that tf-52 can be afforded to the unfortunate; and I garity, and too offen evinced an utter disregardmost sincerely hope the sympathy of the of decency, unmindful that public will be excited to diffuse its invalua-

There are at this time several spurious mixtures in circulation abroad, and some vended in this city, assuming to possess the same, or equal virtues, of Potter's Catholicon. It is to be hoped that the unsuspecting will be placed on their guard against such impositions, as much mischief has resulted from their use. They consist principally of sarsaparilla sirops, viz. Sirop de Cuisiner or Rob L'Affecteur, and are sold affair, with numerous other laughable and mirthfor a much less price; you will therefore be particular and purchase of none but my authorized agents, where you can obtain the GENUINE CATHOLICON.

W. W. POTTER, Philadelphia.

The following strong testimonial is furnished at the request of Dr. Davis, of Lynchburg, Va. by a gentleman of great respectability, residing in that place, whose original certificate, of which the following is an exact copy, is left with the proprietor of the Catholicon.

CASE.

LYNCHBURG, Va. May 5th, 1828. At the request of Dr. ---, I here give a statement of the effect of Potter's Catholicon in the restoration of my health. My constitution had been in a declining state for more than eighteen months. I was much troubled with a short dry cough, slight difficulty of breathing, which was much increased by bodily exercise. At night, great oppression at the chest was experienced, with excessive colliquative sweats, soreness and pain in the sides and breast, with extreme languor and loss of ap, tite. In this situation, I travelled to the New England states by sea, but obtained no permanent relief. Some time after my return, by way of experiment, I was induced to use Potter's Catholicon, and after using two bottles, my health was periortly restored. DAVID R. EDLEY.

- CASE. PHILADELPHIA, March 28th, 1829.

Dear Sir-After many but meffectual trials to relieve myself from a most severe and distressing attack of dyspepsia, I have been completely cured by the use of, to me, your invaluable Catholicon, and I think it my duty thus publicly to state my case, and in order that others may profit thereby. The first symptoms of the disease were manifestclaims that might be collected, were they ed in the spring of 1827. Warned at the approach of this lestroyer of all ease, I had recourse to physician after physician, and remedy after remedy, but received little or no relief. I was recommended to retire into the country, where I so far-recruited, that I began to think the enemy was dislodgeft. I returned to the city, where in a short time all my old symptoms returned with double violence. My stomach became so debilitated with part of the country, which will be immediate- drugs that I relinquished the regular system and ly attended to, & the proceeds applied in this entered on a course of Swaim's Panacea. It did me no good, and I went back to my doctor, who crammed me with pulverized oyster shells, etc. etc. My tenth became loose, and some actually fell out; the money is actually collected. The com- there was a constant pain in my joints, particularmission in every instance; to be charged on by in damp weather, pains in my right side and collections, will be 10 per cent. Postage shoulder, etc. I now submitted to another course of medical treatment, until the full of 1829, when my physicians stated the disease to be a schirrus To the liver. Then it was that I determined to try ple of the "Caricatures," above spoken of, can be gone Catholicon a few doses of which improved gravified by calling at this office.

BOOT & SHOE MARING. my appetite, and gave me a feeling of ease and comfort, I cannot readily describe. In twelve days after using but one bottle, I found myself wellthe few teeth I had left were firmly clasped by the gums and my appetite and digestion perfectly restored. I now enjoy as good health as I ever did, and I must say it is to your valuable Catholicon that I attribute this happy result.

Respectfully yours, EZRA P. WILTBANK.

CASE.

NORFOLK, Va. May-1st. 1828.

Dear Sir .- I will shortly state my former case. I labored for six years under a violent Liver Com. plaint. It first manifested itself in the summer of 1821, and rendered frequent application to an eminent family physician necessary, by whose prescriptions I could obtain only a temporary relief. After the lapse of many months, without receiving any permanent benefit from medicine, I came to the determination to try your Catholicon. I took three bottles, and thank God, I can truly say the disease of the liver entirely left me; and I have since been as well and hearty as man can be, in the fullest enjoyment of health and spirits.—

Your friend, · EDWARD L. YOUNG, To W. W. POTTER, Philadelphia.

CASE.

WILMINGTON, May 22d, 1830.

Dear Sir .- This was a case of rheumatism in an intimate friend of mine, an old gentlemen about sixty years of age, who had the Rheimatism for a number of years past, part of the time confined to his bed; he took it merely through experiment, and was surprised to find himself entirely freed from his painful disorder by using only one

> Your well wisher, JEREMIAH NICHOLAS.

An emminent physician says, "I have known everal cures performed by the use of your-Catholicon, which had previously resisted the ordinary prescriptions of the faculty, and I have never known it to produce INJURIOUS EFFECTS!"

To be had at the Drug Store of Dr. J. GILBERT. Gettysburg, May 18, 1831. 11-2-6

ENTIRELY NEW WORK. NPRECEDENTED IN THIS COUNTRY!

"Wrinkled Mirth, that Care derides, And Laughter holding both his sides

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For want of decency, is want of sense." The favorable disposition which the public have so constantly manifested towards similar attempts to amuse and entertain, has convinced the publisher that a well conducted and pleasing melange of Wit and Humour, will be extensively patronized. Under this impression, he has made extensive arrangements to procure, at great cost, the best productions of a humorous nature both at home and abroad, including the comic works of Hood, Cruikshank, and other genuine sons of Cos mus; the Looking Glass, an amusing and unique

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sic to the dogs."
We can only specify among the general and diversified topics of the future payes of the work:

l'ouches at the Pride, Whims and Follies of the Times, in which the lash of satire will be used with unsparing severity; but always in such general terms, and with such perfect good nature, as to give no cause of personal offence. Inmors and Vagaries of the Police Office, where human nature is exhibited in its true colors,

and vice exposed in its naked deformity, only that the beacon may serve as a warning to the dissolute and vicious. Doings of Folks about Town; the Ways of the World, & Peeps behind the Curtain; Caricatures; Tales of Humor? Sketches of Wit, and Anecdotes of Celebrated Characters, men of Fancy

and Fashion, who have nothing else to do but

to entertain their neighbors, and inspire others

with their flashes of wit and morrimont, which is "wont to set the table in a roar." he whole will be illustrated by numerous Comic ·Engravings, excented at great expense, and which of themselves will furnish an inexhaustis ble fund of amusement and may, better than any thing else, be taken up on a dull rainy day, or serv to beguile an hour which would other-

wise pass heavily away. TERMS-Nothwithstanding the heavy excuse attending the publication of this singular and entire' unique work, the publisher has determined to put the subscription at the very lowest price at which it can possibly be afforded, conidently relying on an extensive patronage for remuneration. It will be published every other week, at only \$1.50 per annum. Agents will be allowed a commission of 15 per cent. on all remittances. No unpaid letters or orders withou the amount of subscription, will receive attention, as the expense of the publication and the lowness. of the subscription, will not warrant the publish

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