

Miscellaneous.

THE MODERN THEATRE.

AN EXTRACT.

Long has the stage, determined to impart such scenes alone as meliorate the heart;

In Fancy's rose no vivid color sees, Unless that vividness the just can please;

Love of PERSON and of MONEY.

FROM HUDIBRAS.

Certain no lover has that power To enforce a desperate amour,

VICISSITUDES OF ROYALTY.

In one of his novels, Voltaire, that witty and facetious Philosopher, whose chief delight it was to view the ludicrous side of human nature and sublimity things, describes with an inimitable vein of humor and pleasantry, truly Cervantic, the profound amazement of Candid and Martin at finding themselves, during the Carnival at Venice, in company with six strangers, each of whom was addressed by the title of your Majesty;

"Every servant having withdrawn, (he adds) the six strangers, Candid and Martin, remained silent. At length, Candid renewed the conversation.—Gentlemen, said he, the joke is strange, passing strange. How comes it that you are all kings? Neither I nor Martin are so I assure you.

Cacambo's master answering in a solemn and grave tone, said in Italian, I am not joking—my name is Achmet III. I have been Grand Sultan for several years—I dethroned my brother—my nephew has dethroned me—I am doomed to pass the remainder of my life in the old Seraglio—the Grand Sultan Mahmoudy, my nephew, allows me to travel at times for my health; and I have come to spend the Carnival at Venice.

A young man seated next to Achmet, then spoke and said: my name is Ivan—I have been Emperor of all the Russias; I was dethroned while yet in the cradle. Both my parents were confined; I was brought up in a prison—I am occasionally permitted to travel, accompanied by guards placed over me; and I have come to spend the Carnival at Venice.

The third Stranger said—I am Charles Edward, king of England; my father has ceded to me his right to the British crown—I have made war to maintain that right. Eight hundred of my followers have been executed—their hearts torn from their bodies, and their cheeks slapped therewith; I myself was confined for a time—I am going to Rome, to pay a visit to my father, now dethroned, as well as myself, and my grandfather—and I have come to spend the Carnival at Venice.

The fourth, speaking in his turn, said, I am King of the Polaks; the vicissitudes of the war have deprived me of my hereditary dominions; my father has experienced similar reverses; I resign myself to providence, as Sultan Achmet, Emperor Ivan, and King Charles Edward, whom may God bless with a long life!—and I have come to spend the Carnival at Venice.

The fifth said—I am also King of the Polaks—I have twice lost my kingdom, but Providence has given me another State, in which I have done more good than both the Sarmatian Kings together have ever been able to do, on the banks of the Vistula.

The sixth monarch had yet to speak: Gentlemen, said he, I am not so great a Lord as you—but after all, I have been a king as well as yourselves. I am Theodore, I was elected King of Corsica. They called me Your Majesty; and now they scarcely vouchsafe to call me Sir. I had money coined in my name; and now I have not a penny. I had two Secretaries of State—and at present I hardly have a single lackey. I was seated on a throne—and I have long been in London jail, upon a bed of straw—I am very much afraid of being here treated in the same manner, altho' I have like Your Majesties, come to spend the Carnival at Venice.

The five other Kings listened to this discourse with noble compassion.—Each of them gave twenty scellini to King Theodore to buy shirts & cloths. Candid gave him a diamond worth two thousand scellini. As they were rising from the table, there came to the same inn four Most Serene Highnesses, who had also lost their possessions by the vicissitudes attendant on war.

Had the Philosopher of Ferney lived in our days—had he witnessed the chequered scene in the great drama of the

French revolution—observed the mosaic work which the playful hand of fortune has for twenty-five years made and unmade, as Penelope did her celebrated web—what abundant objects he would have found in that olla podrida of motley events, for the exercise of his sarcastic genius!—How many pictures approximating to the above, that grand master of the satiric pencil, that moral and intellectual Hogarth, might have presented to the world!

MONUMENT TO BURROWS.

PORTLAND, Sept. 27.

It is with peculiar pride and pleasure we record an instance of liberality and honorable munificence to the memory of the brave, which recently came under our inspection.

A gentleman from N. York, Mathew L. Davis, Esq. while passing thro' town a few days since, on a tour to the eastward, had accidentally taken a walk into our burying ground. His attention was attracted to the neglected grove of the late gallant Capt. Burrows. The only guide to the spot, where is deposited the remains of one, who had so much heroic merit, and who deserved so much of his country, was the tomb-stone of his deceased competitor, the British Captain Blythe.—This was erected two years since by the surviving officers of the Boxer.—The thought was instant. Mr. D. immediately gave orders for an elegant marble monument to be erected over the grave of Burrows—to be finished by his return, and without the sparing of labor or expense. It is now completed and put up. Its style of execution does much credit to the ingenious artist, Mr. Bartlett Adams, of this town, the inscription is highly creditable to the taste, judgment and modesty of the generous donor, and worthy the hero whom it is designed to commemorate. It is in the following words:

BENEATH THIS STONE

THE BODY OF WILLIAM BURROWS,

Late Commander of the United States' Brig ENTERPRISE, who was mortally wounded on the fifth of September, 1813. In an Action which contributed to increase the Fame of American Valor, by capturing His Britannic Majesty's Brig BOXER, after a severe contest of forty-five minutes.

A passing stranger has erected this Monument of respect to the manes of a Patriot, who, in the hour of peril, obeyed the loud summons of an injured country; and who gallantly met, fought and conquered the foe.

LONDON, AUG. 20.

BONAPARTE.

When Bonaparte first boarded the Bellerophon, he said to Capt. Maitland, with his usual quickness, "Come capt. Maitland, suppose we walk over your ship." To this the captain replied by saying, that the decks were then washing, and that the ship was consequently not in a state to be inspected; that he had better wait an hour or so, &c. To this Bonaparte responded, "No, no, capt. Maitland, let us go now, I have been accustomed to wet and dry, and confusion, &c. for upwards of 20 years, and I must see her in her present state." He did so, and inspected her with all the alacrity, minuteness and curiosity so characteristic of him, walking several times over the ship. After this he expressed himself highly delighted with the admirable economy of a British man of war. One day addressing an old marine, he asked him "how long he had served?" The reply was "sixteen years." "Where are your marks of distinction then?" "I have none," answered the marine. Bonaparte shrugged up his shoulders and retired.

Previous to the removal of Bonaparte from on board the Bellerophon, he gave to some of the officers left behind, a certificate to the following effect, which had been first drawn up, at the general request, by general Gorgaud, and then altered by Bonaparte himself, and signed:

"Circumstances prevent my retaining you any longer near me. You have served me with zeal. I have always been satisfied with you. Your conduct on this last occasion deserves my praise, and confirms me in what I had reason to expect from you." On board the Northumberland, 7th Aug. 1815. "NAPOLEON."

The words quoted were substituted by Bonaparte for "In my prosperity you have served me with zeal: and in accompanying me in my adversity, you have confirmed the good opinion I had of you.—Receive my thanks."

The editor of a newspaper, published at Nottingham, England, animadverting on the conflagration of the national library at Washington city, stated, that "the burning of the library was an act without example in modern wars, or in any other wars, since the inroads of the barbarians who conflagrated Rome, and overthrew the Roman empire."—The printer was prosecuted for this as a libel, and has been condemned to such punishment as is usually inflicted on the most abandoned villains. The English government is determined to maintain its character!

FOR SALE,

THE PLANTATION whereon I now reside, in Montgomery County, on the waters of Grassy Lick Creek, about six miles from Mount Sterling, containing one hundred forty six and a half acres of first rate LAND, held by an indisputable title, all in good repair—19 acres of Meadow, 35 acres well set in grass, with sufficient water for stock; the balance of the enclosed lands in good farming order. On it is a convenient Dwelling House, Kitchen, Smoke House, Spring House, Stables, Corn Crib, with a never failing Spring; a small Apple and Peach Orchard, and other Fruit Trees. This Farm is well situated in every respect for a stock farm.—For further information enquire of the subscriber, on the premises

Oct. 28

LOVISA BELL, Ex'r.

Wheels! Wheels!

CLOSE & DENNIS

INFORM the citizens of Winchester and the public generally, that they have commenced the WHEEL WRIGHT'S BUSINESS, in Winchester, 3 doors from J Miles's Sadding shop, where they intend carrying it on in all its different branches, together with all kinds of turning. They warrant their work to be as good as any in the county. From their experience and attention to business, they hope to receive a liberal patronage. All orders from the country thankfully received and punctually attended to

Oct. 14

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Fresh Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, &c.

THE subscriber has just received from Philadelphia a complete and extensive assortment of DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c. &c. which he offers for sale (wholesale or retail) on the most reasonable terms, at his drug and medical store, Mount Sterling, Ky.

MOORE PARKE

Nov. 4

Those who are concerned are desired

To take Notice,

WHAT on the 30th day of this month, I shall attend at my house in Clarke County, with Commissioners appointed by the Clarke County Court at their October term, 1815, and from thence proceed to procession and remark the lines, and take Depositions to establish the corners of a survey of 500 acres (whereon I now live) entered, surveyed, and patented in the name of William Stone, Jun. and conveyed by said Stone to me by deed, bearing date the 5th day of Sept. 1803, and do such other acts as may be necessary and agreeable to law and continue from day to day till the business is completed.

November 2, 1815

MATTHEW THOMSON.

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Printing Business.

THE subscriber intends carrying on the above business in all its various branches, in a manner not surpassed in this state. And for the convenience of his customers in Clarke County, he will attend at the store of James Ritchie, in Winchester, on the first Court day in each month for the purpose of receiving Cloths—which Cloths will be returned the succeeding court.

November 2, 1815

JOHN G. CAMPBELL.

66--3w

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

STOLEN out of the subscriber's Bar Room on the night of the 25th inst.

Three Great Coats;—

One light drab, of superior quality, with two large capes lined with red;—one common colored drab, lined with green, the cloth of middling quality; the other of dark brown coating, good quality. The above reward will be given for apprehending and securing the thief, and a liberal reward for each coat.

Winchester, Oct. 28.

HAY TALIAFERRO.

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For Sale,

A Valuable Farm,

CONTAINING three hundred seventy-one and a half acres, lying immediately on the Kentucky River, on the Madison side, nearly opposite the mouth of Indian Creek—it has a good framed House on it with two good rooms and stone chimneys; sixty or seventy acres cleared, good water, &c. A good and suitable title will be made, and possession given about Christmas. For terms apply to either of the subscribers

Winchester, Oct 21

JAMES DANIEL, SPENCER ADAMS.

64--tf

Notice.

THE subscriber, after returning his sincere thanks to his customers for their liberal encouragement, earnestly requests all those who are indebted to him to come and close their accounts either by payment or note.—He hopes that all who are in arrears, will avail themselves of this opportunity, of saving cost on their respective accounts; and to enable him to discharge the expenses, necessarily incurred, by purchasing materials to carry on his business.

Oct. 26.

JOHN PRESTON.

Cabinet Business.

Merry & Spillman

RESPECTFULLY inform the inhabitants of Winchester and its vicinity that they have commenced the CABINET BUSINESS, on Main Street, two doors below the bridge, where they intend carrying it on in all its various branches.

Orders from the country will be duly attended to, and every exertion used to give general satisfaction, Nov 4

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NOTICE.

THAT a full and perfect understanding may be had respecting the principles upon which the Presbyterian Meeting House in the vicinity of this town is now building, it is with feelings of cordial friendship to our Christian Brethren, and a high degree of conscious satisfaction, that we now make the following statement, viz:—That the lot of ground on which the house is situated, is to be deeded to us as individuals in trust for the benefit of the First Presbyterian Church in Winchester, agreeably to a bond given by David Dodge, sen. the donor of the ground. With regard to the privileges of the occupancy of the house, a full assurance is given, that agreeably to the liberal principles manifested by the Presbyterian Church in general, and felt and acted upon by the members and officers of the above mentioned church, in particular, the preachers of other christian denominations, who are of good standing in their respective societies, will be privileged to preach in said house at all times, when the house is not occupied by the Presbyterians.

AMZI LEWIS, THOS. BARBEE. Winchester, Oct. 26, 1815.

Doctor ABBAY

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and customers that he still continues the Practice of Medicine, Surgery, &c. at his former residence, (his father's) near Aaron's Run. N. B. Those in arrears are solicited to come forward and settle their accounts.

Oct. 28

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NOTICE!

ALL persons indebted for TICKETS in the Winchester Presbyterian Church Lottery, are requested to pay for the same immediately, as indulgence cannot be given.

Nov. 4.

Last Notice.

THE subscriber having sold his Grocery, Livery Stable, &c. finds it indispensable to call upon all persons indebted to him to come forward without delay and settle their accounts either by payment or note. Those who do not comply with this request will positively find their accounts in the hands of proper officers for collection. No one need expect to be favored on account of his personal friendship as no respect will be paid to persons.

Winchester, Nov 4.

JAMES LAMPTON.

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Public Sale.

WILL be sold to the highest bidder, on Wednesday the 15th day of November, at the late dwelling house of JOSHUA DUNCAN, deceased, on Pretty Run, all the Personal Estate of the said decedent, consisting of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs; Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, Corn, Wheat, &c. &c. A credit will be given by the purchaser giving bond with approved security.

Nov 4

THOS. WORNALL, adm'r of Joshua Duncan, deceased.

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Hemp wanted.

THE subscribers will give the Lexington cash price for good well cleaned and strong HEMP, delivered to NATH'L PATRICK, at the rope walk built by Dr J. Young, in Mount Sterling.

Oct. 21

LYLE & ARMSTRONG.

64 6w

Strayed or Stolen,

FROM the subscriber, in Winchester on the night of the 27th October, a BAY HORSE, 14 hands 3 inches high, heavy and compactly made—ten or twelve years old—had shoes on, paces well, and branded with J. A. the side not recollected; some of his feet white—remarkably gentle. The person securing said horse so that I get him shall receive a suitable reward for all expenses and trouble.

Nov. 4, 1815.

CHILTON ALLAN

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C. MERSHON,

TAILOR,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Winchester and its vicinity, that he has commenced business in the room lately occupied by J. Maccoun, as a book store, where he intends to carry on the above business in all its various branches. Those who may please to favor him with their custom may expect to have their work done in the neatest and best manner, and at the shortest notice.

Oct 7

WANTED, two smart active Boys to the above business.

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NEW GOODS.

Thomas R. Moore

RESPECTFULLY informs his customers and the public in general, that he has received from Philadelphia, and now opening at his store in Winchester, an elegant assortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

suitable for the present and approaching season, which he will sell at a small advance for cash. As his goods were selected with care and attention he flatters himself their good qualities and cheap prices will secure to him a due proportion of public patronage. He will give the highest price in cash for Tobacco.

Oct. 7

62 tf

New and Cheap Cash Store.

MOORE & MACCOUN

HAVE just received, and are opening, a large white house in Winchester, Ky. door to Messrs. George G. Taylor & Co., E. M'Guire, an extensive and general assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HATS, WARE, QUEENS WARE, &c. &c. which we offer unusually low for cash. N. B. The highest price given for Salt, Tre and Tobacco. Winchester, Oct 7

Notice.

THE undersigned earnestly solicit all those who are indebted to them to come forward and make payment immediately. They wish to engage twenty thousand dollars of LAND, to be delivered by the first of January next. They also continue to give cash for Hay delivered at the ropewalk in Winchester, C. K. DUNCAN & Co. Winchester, Sept. 13.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP lately existing between the subscribers under the name of EDWARD M'GUIRE & CO. was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of September 1815. All persons having accounts, notes which are unsettled and unpaid, are requested to make payment to EDWARD M'GUIRE, who has resumed business at the stand previously occupied by said firm. EDWARD M'GUIRE, P. B. WINN, JOSEPH COULTER.

Sept 6

CLARKE CIRCUIT, Sct.

September Term—1815. Bartlett Dedman, complainant, AGAINST William Ferguson, &c. debtors. IN CHANCERY.

ON the motion of the complainant, and defendants William Turner, John Daniel and Henry Disbrow, who are not inhabitants of this commonwealth, and the law, known or unknown, of James H. Joseph Turner, Thomas Atkins, and He Pauling not having entered their appearance agreeable to law and the rules of court, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here on or before the first day of next March Term and answer the bill amended bill of the complainant, and the copy of this order be published in some authorised newspaper printed in this state for three months successively. A copy—Attest, WM. T. BERRY, d c c c

63--2m

Thomas Triplett, Jr. ATTORNEY AT LAW

WILL punctually attend the Circuit Court of Montgomery, Clarke, Greenup and Floyd. He keeps an office in Mount Sterling opposite the Court House, where he can be consulted, or if absent he can be seen and consulted at his clerk's office, Owingsville. Letters directed to either place will be attended to.

September 6

TAKEN UP in Clarke County by William Striplen, near Boonsborough, a bright MARE, 14 hands high, three years old, brands perceivable. Appraised to \$30. 4, 1815.

53 3w

A CHRISTY, j p c c

TAKEN UP by Elijah Elliot, living on waters of Indian Creek, about one mile from the mouth of Muddy Creek, one ROAN HORSE, 3 years old past, 14 1/2 hands high, star in his forehead, 75 cent bell on. Also one roan FILLY, appears to be two years old, past, about 14 hands high, off hind foot white long tail. The Horse appraised to \$30. Filly appraised to \$22-50. August 12, 1815.

63 3w

JAMES WOODS, j p c c

TAKEN UP by Andrew Wilson, in Floyd County, and given up to James Kashi, justice of the peace for the said county, on the head of Red River, a slim sorrel Mare four years old last spring, 13 hands high, with a small blaze on her forehead, and a small tail, no brand perceivable. Appraised to \$20, before me this 23d day of June, 1815.

63 3w

JAMES KASH, j p c c

TAKEN UP by Jacob Vert, living in Boone County, near Point Pleasant Meeting House, a BAY MARE, about fourteen hands high, and about five years old, no brand marks perceivable. Appraised to \$25, before me this 14th day of August 1815.

65-3w

A PARKER

TAKEN UP by Jonathan Myers, living on the waters of Stoner, five miles from Winchester, a bay MARE, 14 1/2 hands high, 3 years old, has a star in her face, left hind foot white, has two saddle spots on her right side. Appraised to \$30. Posted before me this 24th day of July 1815.

64 3w*

JOHN WARD, j p c c

TAKEN UP by Joseph Carter, on Stoner Creek, in the County of Bath, a light bay Mare, supposed to be three years old, a small white spot on the end of the nose, a small white streak round her left hind foot, brands perceivable. Appraised to \$25, before me the 26th day of May, 1815.

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PETER DAVIS, j p c c

TAKEN UP by George Allan, living on the waters of Four Mile Creek, 3 miles from Winchester, a Sorrel HORSE, 14 1/2 hands high, 4 years old, blind or nearly so in the eye, blaze face, one half of his hind foot white on the inside, shod before. Appraised to \$25. Posted before me the 9th day of July, 1815.

62 3w

JOHN WARD, j p c c

TAKEN UP by John Davis, in Montgomery County, lying on the waters of Stoner, a year old black mare COLT, the hind foot white. Appraised to \$5. Posted before me

62 3w

JOSEPH SIMPSON, j p c c