

proper some time ago, to break open a packet containing Scribblers which was addressed to Mr. John Russel, innkeeper, and which was not sent by the mail, but by the mail-stage; he examined the contents, and found two of the Scribblers to contain written enclosures, and he referred the matter to Mr. Sutherland at Quebec, who, in answer, directed him that if any person would pay the postage of the packet (which was not in the mail-bag,) at the same rate as for a letter, (13s.) it might be delivered; and it was therefore left in Mr. Richard's hands.

Major ARCHIBALD McMILLAN, postmaster at GRENVILLE, received from the driver of the mailcoach, not as belonging to the letter-bag, but as a parcel by the stage, a packet with Scribblers, which he would not deliver to its address, and has either detained, destroyed, or embezzled it: having declared that he will deliver no Scribblers that come to his hands in any way.

*Some borrowers of the Scribbler having taken the hint in No. 86, and become subscribers; the Black List, of those pilferers from the pantry of literature, is again deferred, in hopes that others will follow their prudent example.*

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS, &c. The petition and remonstrance in behalf of the canine species, is unavoidably postponed; and reasons of state prevent the announcement this week of the circuit-courts of Oyer and Terminer proposed to be held as per last. Mrs. McE. can not receive attention till next week; in the mean time the editor will be much obliged if she can procure and send him a copy of the song or prologue she speaks of. JONAH will appear as soon as possible; also most certainly, PAUL CRIMPS, tho' with a little pruning. JERRY's promised small pieces will be very welcome. More on the subject on which THE RECLUSE writes is expected, and the whole will then be worked up together. The DREAM, and *verses upon an empty tub* are under consideration; the editor is rather anxious to cultivate a correspondence with the writer, for whom a letter directed to S. P. Q. R. will be left at the Scribbler-office. ALEXANDER will also find one there, to explain the reason why his last prose-communication is not inserted. The lines attributed to Arthur O'Connor sent by J. C. have appeared several times before in print. A WELL-WISHER, BILL EAVESDROPPER, CONJURER, FABRICUS, and COPERNICUS, just received.