To Correspondents.

If Armideus would correct the last verses of his "Ode" it may appear, with credit to himself. The last verse "Ma muse e'tant interrompu" must strike him as perfectly prosaical. Indeed all the concluding verses induce us to believe that his interruption was rather real than poetical.

Insps will appear in a future number

We shall hold it as a general rule to publish nothing relating to any subject which must ultimately come before a Jury, till after the Trial, when we will be happy to publish an account of any proceedings on the case; and we are perfuaded the object of public utility or precedant will thus be equally obtained. We know that a contrary line of conduct is adopted by public papers in England: it is there attended with danger; but we fear, in a finall fociety like this, Juries are too liable to be influenced previous to Trial, without the aid of the press. The risk is theirs; it is of awful confequence, and we would be in nowife concerned in it.

MARCHE'S.

A QUEBEC, 7 Mai, 1803.

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ORIGINAL POETRY.

ODE

On the ift of May, 1803.

RISE O mule, arise and sing, Hear the toneful voice of fpring; Sing the fweet delights of May, Quali the Zephyrs topid breeze, Stretched beneath the shady trees, Stretched and finging at thine eafe; Whilst around the slowers so gay With their sweets persume the air : Violets deck the purple plain ; Culture nature's nurse so fair Now o'erforeads the fields again. Now upon each peaceful vale, Gentle showers from fleecy clouds, How unlike the flormy bail Which the winter tempest broods; Then all vegetation fleeps Whelmed by failing weight of fnew Deeply piled in drifted heaps, Which fuspends all life below And in freezing torpor ficeps.

Now my muse proceed, and sing,
Th' force of vivifying spring,
And the cheerful voice of May;
Vegetation wakes to day,
With new vigour waked to life,
Now skips the playful lamb, nor fears the
butcher's knife.

In the lofty pine the crow Bids adieu to frost and snow, And the fost wood-pigeons throat Echoes with the murm'ring note, Echoes thro' the lift'ning grove To his mate the tune of love; While the Lark Clutes the fun Ere his daily course begun ; Philomela charms the moon With her melancholy tune; All the feathered tribe fo gay, All falute the first of May, From the cock with plumed creft, To the wren upon her neft, All the feathered tribe fo gay, Salute the God who made the chearful firft of May; And shall not man grateful fing

And shall not man grateful sing

The God, the awful God who made the
chearful spring.

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