

## ENIGMAS.

## MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS ENIGMATICALLY EXPRESSED.

1. Two-thirds of a mineral production; a consonant; and a French name, minus a letter.
2. Three-sixths of a fragrant flower, and three-fourths of a useful agricultural product.
3. An article used in travelling, and what is always to be had at a public-house.
4. Three-fourths of what is uninteresting; two-sixths of a figure in Euclid, and three-fifths of compassion.
5. A consonant, and a spiritous liquor.
6. Two-thirds of an animal; a vowel, and a negative.
7. A disagreeable insect, and two-thirds of a part of the body.
8. A sweet wine, and a word that denotes uncertainty.
9. A swift animal, curtailed, and half of an abbreviation of the paternal parent.
10. Three-fourths of a body of soldiers.
11. Two-fifths of a number, and two-thirds of a remuneration.
12. To agree with, and an animal be-headed

A. D.

## NAMES OF POETS ENIGMATICALLY EXPRESSED.

1. A small twenty-hundred-weight.
2. Two French words Anglicised.
3. A moveable habitation, and an instrument producing sound.
4. The materials of language, and a synonyme for virtue.
5. A component part of the globe, and a preposition.
6. Deceitful, and a part of a pig.
7. One who is in the habit of changing color.
8. An article of domestic use, and a vowel.
9. A nickname (reversed), and the Negro's progenitor.
10. A tract of waste land, and a vowel.
11. Three-fourths of a piece of machinery, and a weight in common use.
12. To chastise, and to unite.

A. D.

## CHARADES.

## III.

My first is a right merry fellow;  
My second is part of his wig;  
My whole is the name of a bird,  
Seen nearer the stream than the twig.

A. D.

## III.

M. first is a personal pronoun. My first and second a voluntary exile. My third is a place of confinement (beheaded). And my whole is the residence of my first and second.

A. D.

## CONUNDRUMS.

Why should a glass blower be able to make the letter E fall off? Because he makes a decanter (D center.)

What is smaller than a mith's mouth? That which is put into it.

Why is a dog biting his tail like a frugal housewife? Because he makes both ends meet.

Why is a genteel and agreeable girl like one letter in deep thought; another on its way towards you; another bearing a torch; and another singing psalms? *Amusing, becoming, delightful, enchanting.*

Why are blind men like Plato, Socrates and Seneca? They are of a dark age.

What word deprived of a letter makes you sick? Music.

Why is the eye like a severe school-master? Because the pupils are under the lash.

If a pair of spectacles could speak, what ancient historian would they name? Eusebius.

## Answers

To Charades in January No.—1, River; 3, Blockhead.

To Conundrums.—1, The typhus fever (typo us). 2, Largess (large S).

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