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POETRY.

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THE VIRGIN QUEER. All hait to thee, there a of the fair and the brave! Let the bold song of joy ceach the skies: Bright, bright o'er the foun of her own subject was

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Be thine in thy place of renown;
To say that we honor thee, means not enough,—
For Britons all hone the Courts,
But the Crown that ensireles young bounty's fair

brow,
With fouther devotion is seen;
ad chivalry sheds its remaines o'er the you
We pledge to Victoria the Queen. With for

We pletge to better the stars.

Long, love, loved Maid, may the olive entwice With the harries that each the crown;

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To buttle, while rushing, each heart would beat high 'To triumph, as word as have been;

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(From Friend hip's Offering for 1838.)

WINNING THE GLOVES; Or, The Winard Guest. BY W. H. HARMSON.

Who are you? Whenever come you? and what seek you here at this hear?" was the still address of the porter of the castle of ridne, to a nounced traveller, whose load and quickly repeated knocks at the gate arased in suight impatience at being kept on the contains of it.

I marvet," we the sunswer, "that you, when, from the important nost you hold. I

"I marvet," was the enswer, "that you, whom, from the important post you hold, I take to be a man of discretion, should propound to me time questions, two of which, had I an object in deceiving you, I could as easily answer by a lie as by the truth; while, as to what I seek, methinks the pelling shower, which is dreaching use to the skin, would "which they explain."

"Nevertheless," rejoined the other, "I trust need never your arrival to my superior,

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"Nay, then." exclaimed the traveller, you may even spare yourself the trouble; for before you can return, both 1 and my borse will be wished away bodily into the torrent below. Thi, man, for what do you take me? & knight errant come to storm your stronghold bis glo-handed?"

"Are your alone?" inquired the jacitor,

"Are you alone?" inquired the janitor, peering through a grated aperture in the mas-

"Yes," was the reply, " as you may see,
even by this fight."

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Ay," rejoined the other, "and by the same light, if you use your eyes, you may discover a pent-house, a few yards to your left, which will afford you shelter for a brief space, mid I have received authority to admit you liy what style shall I amounce you?"

Rolandi, a merchant of Firenze, if you must needs know," returned the traveller, who, expressing his opinion of the porter spertinacity in terms, which, however, they might have augmented the self-knovietedge of that functionary would have added attle to his vanity, sought the shelter to which he had been directed.

directed.

Leaving the traveller to endure the delay as he best may, we will follow the trusty janitor to an apartment, which, by virtue of a few shelves of worm-eaten folios and mouldy manuscrips, was dignified by the appellation of the library. It was a lofty, although, in comparison with other chambers into the building of the library of the comparison of the library of the l directed. companson with other chambers into the companson with other chambers in which, on opposite sides of a blazing hearth, were seated two young females, whose personal attractions, though their styles of beauty were different, were of a superior order. One was apparently, a year or two the older of the twain, and had a slight advantage of the other in point of staure; she had, also, a somewhat graver ex-

no reason to doubt it, for I reconnoitered him from the keep, and could perceive no one near

"We have nothing to fear from a single aveiler," rejoined Blanca; " so admit time ithout delay." traveller. with

" Beware cousin," exclaimed Emilia; " remember the injunctions of our worthy guardian, who strictly * god you to admit no one in his obsence; and I suspect that his p validite "was especially levelled at ringle travellers."

"I care not," responded the other; "for

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"I care not," responded the other; "for although my uncle has chosen to establish himself in the castle of my ancestors, under the pretext of taking better care of it and me, I am mistress here, and will render an account of my actions to no one."

"A most commendable resolution, my dear cox," rejained the other, "If you can but held."

A most commendable resolution, my dear cox," rejoined the other, "If you can but hold to it; and, redist me, Bianca, I am the last person in the world to counsel submission to a usurping guardian; but what can we poor weak women oppose to the will of an unscrupulous tyrant?"

pinous tyrant?"

"I know him, Emilia for what he is," was the response; "and I know, also that he will stop at nothing to compel me into a marriage with his dissolute sen; while 1--triendless orphan that I am-have no present means of appealing from his oppression. He little knows me, however, if he supposes that I would not perish in the deepest dun geon in my own eastle, rather than lend myself to his designs; to which his need, not less than his natural rapacity, impel him.

The dialogue was interrupted by the entrance of a youth, who officiated as a sort of page, followed by the newly crived guest. The latter, who had availed hisself of an opportunity of throwing aside his travelling clouds, and arranging his toilet as well as circumstances would permit, was a man appara-"I know him, Emilia for what he is," was

counstances would permit, was a man appar-ently about five-and-twenty, with fentures remarkable rather for intellectual expression remarkance mare for interactual expression than boanty. He was somewhat above the middle stature, slenderly, but compactly made. His dress, although plain for the custom of the day, was of the finest materials, and newest fashion.

He advanced towards the ladies, and with graceful, though somewhat grave courtesey. graceful, though somewhat grave courses, thanked them for the shelter which they had so hospitably afforded to him. There was a slight degree of lameness in his gait, which he accounted for by stating, that, in riding through the forest, on the skirts of which the castle was built, he had struck his foot against

cossion of countenance, and a more dignified stating than her companion, whose features, cough beaming with good temper and intelligence, were of a more arch and girlish character. The name of the elder lady was flance,—that of the younger, Emilia, which could only have been acquired by teach and girlish character. The name of the elder lady was flance,—that of the younger, Emilia, what are we indebted for a sight of your iron visare, at this hour of the evening ??

"An" it please you, lady," said the parter, addressing himself to blance, "there is a traveller as the gate who asks suches from the storm,"

"Is he young or old?" impured Emilia, not giving the cousis time to reply; "handsome or ugly—dark or fair?"

"This is a carcely a might in which to tell the complexion of a man's heard, lady," was the complexion of a man's heard, lady," was the reply; "but the imputience with which is ment of the complexion of a man's heard, lady," was the reply; "but the imputience with which is ment of the parter, for seven mortal weeks, like a bracely an admit him without arders, savered somewhat of the but has a constant of the provided of the complexion of a man's heard, lady," was the reply; "but the imputience with which the clouds, there comes a handsome cavalies to treak the morntoury of our solithic, your them to might as well have an oa, or a bat for a janitor, as thee!"

"How provoking?" exclaimed for any there is a traveller in exposed to the fury of the first researchle pretext to depart."

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way; where, although every man's he they say, is his castle, they do not shut young damsels because they will not marry gridius; and where the charch does not com-pel them to tell their beads and their secrets, periodically, as ours does. It is true, Father Pietro tells us that the English are all devils; Firther tells us that the English are all devits; and it is not for me to contradict, him, although Phanst way that the only Englishman I ever saw, looked infinitely more like an angel than a devil. Then, again, I was lenging to ask our visitor about Egypt, and the pyramids, and Cleopstra's needle, the eye of which, they say, overlooks half the world; and to beg of bim, when he goes there again, to bring me a

say, overlooks balf the world; and to beg of him, when he goes there again, to bring me a "Toot art a silty girl," remarked her graver cousin, with a snile, however, which she could not forbear; "but to confess a truth, our guest has somewhat puzzled me. If there be aught in physiognomy, he is no ordinary man; I mean not in the point of rank, for he may be what he professes himself—a merchant. Did you observe the expression of his eye? I marked him once when Alberto handed him Did you o'serve the expression of his eye? I marked him once when Alberto handed him the cup; the stripling, albeit of the holdest, and one whose molesty is not likely to stand in the way of his previous, queled beneath the glance of the stringer, and spilled the wine upon the salver, before the other could take the gobbet. I say it in on inhospitable spirit, but I wish we were well rid of him.²⁷

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"So say not I," responded the other damsel,

"for I think him a very pleasant gentlemen."

It is not easy to describe the feeling of the
elder lady, when, on the following noming,
the page entered the breakfast-row, with the
intelligence that the acrid at which the structer met with in the forest had proved more serious than was at first apprehended; and that his ancie had become so much swellen in the course of the night, that there was not the least chance of his being able to put his foot in the stirrup for some days.

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Even Emilia, although she professed to be greatly rejeized at an accident which promised here better acquaintance with the agreeable stranger, could not shut her eyes to the inconvenience and probable embarasament which his prolonged sojourn threatened to entail upon them, especially in the event of the return of the marchese, their quardian. Not choosing, however, to participate in her consin's feelings on the occasion, Emilia exclaimed, "Why, Bianea, what a fass you make about the man! He will not eat us, and if his stay be prolonged a few days, we can appoint yorder slip of a page to attend upon bim; and if, on his being able to quit his chamber, the common decencies of hospitality should compel us to any closer communication with him, castle was built, he had struck his foot against the trunk of a tree.

Bianca immediately ordered refreshments to be placed before the stranger, who partook of them speringly. He evidently felt the restraint naturally imposed upon him by the youth and beauty of his fair entertainers; but nevertheless, in the few remarks in which h.

Matters went on for some days, without any reaters went on for some days, without any occurrence to vary the monotony which usually prevailed at the eastle: the lame guest kept, if not exactly to his chamber, at least to kept, if not exactly to his chamber, at least to kept, if not exactly to his chamber, at least to kept, if not exactly which had been assigned to him; while the ladies contented themselves by sending, every merning and evening, to enquire after his health.

It was on the fourth day of the stranger's sejourn that one of the female domestics rush-ed into the apartment in which Bianca and her cousin were conversing together, and pro-chained the unwelcome intelligence, that a band of freebooters, aware, probably, of the absence of the marchese and the majority of his followers, had presented themselves at the gate of the castle, and were demanding admit-tance. Their summons was backed by a threat, tance. Their summons was backed by a threat, that, if they were driven to the alternative of

that, if they were driven to the alternative of forcing an entrance, they would put every in-labitant to the sword. Bianca, although, as may easily be conceiv-ed, in no little darm, did not altogether lose her presence of mind on the occasion. She sent for Alberto, who assured her that the robbers would have littly difficulty in making a foreithe rature, and still less in overcoming a foreible entry, and still less in overcoming ny resistance which could be opposed to them y the few male domestics whom the marchese had left in charge of the castle.

After a moment's deliberation, Eianca de-After a moment's defineration, Flanca de-termined on requesting the presence of the stranger curst at their little council of war; reasonably enough arguing, that if he could not aid them by their advice, it was but right that he should be apprised of their common pe-cil.

The merchant instantly obeyed the summons, though evidently still suffering from the effects of his accident. He presented himself before the ladies with the same calm, himself before the ladies with the same calm, grave, but respectful bearing which distinguished him in the first instance; nor, on being informed that the castle was beset by a band of robbers, headed by a chief, who though recently added to their number was the terror of the district, did his countranance betray any emotion, except what might be gathered from a slight—very slight elevation of the ex-brow.

of the eye-brow.

He replied, that he did not think the place would hold out for half an hour against the force by which it was beleaguered; and therefore, although the character of the band was little security for their abstinence from violence, even should they be quietly admitted, yet as resistance would infellibly tend to blood below he about the course of a similar to the character of the second course of the second cour shed, he should counsel an imme a blood

surrender.

Alberto, who, to do him justice, would cladly have struck a blow in defence of the old walls, shrugged his shoulders, and departed to give the necessary instructions. The windows of the apartment in which the interview we have described took place opened upon a sort of small lawn, or grass plot, over which the robbers must necessarily pass in their way to that part of the building which was occupied by the ladies and their affrighted household. ed household.

ed household. The merchant, after an ineffectual attempt to calm the fears of Bianca and Emilia, stepped out upon the lawn, as if with the intention of parleying with the assailants on their arrival. In a few minutes the castle gates were thrown open, and the band were not long in finding their way to the spot on which Rolandi was standing. They rushed forward, and, regardless of their pledge for the safety of the inhabitants of the castle, expressed great indimation at the delay, trifling as it was, which had preceded their admission. A shriek from one of the females within, for a moment gainsed the merchant to turn his head in the direction whence it proceeded. Meanwhile the chief of the robbers, who was a few yards in advance of his band, had approached, and was about to seize the merchant.—The latter turned slowly round and fixed his cold, stem eye upon his assailant.

The effect upon the robber captain was perfectly electrical. His weapon, which he had raised with his right hand, as he prepared to grasp the merchant with his left, dropped to The merchant, after an ineffectual attempt

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THE LITERARY TRANSCRIPT.

A Young Murans.—Conneils of the Indians have lately been held in Canada, where it was announced to them that a William IV, was dead, they have no longer a "Great Faher," but a "Great Mother."

THE TRADESCRIPT.

"My Lords and Greating of Active Black at present lapping proval, are very favorable properties of the manual properties of such as the consideration of such measures of referres them, and such as the consideration of such measures of referres the consideration of such measures of the Interpreted in the consideration with other last parameter, and which is present the publication of a news paper. At the same time we have to state, that arrangements have been made for obtaining the disadvantures under which we abhour and it is hoped that our publication of a new apper. At the same time we have the state, that arrangements have been made for obtaining the disadvantures under which we abhour that it is hoped that our publication will group resistively become more interesting, and worth of the kind assurances of support with which we have been favoured.

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Extreming the freedom of opinion and of the press as our most valuable privilege, the soul of our institutions, and the safe mard of our rights, we shall exercise it freely; and our exertions, however hundle or inclicient, will always be made with a desire to incutcare respect and obedience to the laws, and to repress every indication of disaffection and sedition. Whilst, however, we assert with boldness and firmness those truths and prin-ciples on the maintenance of which we believe the future welfare of this Colony to depend, we shall endeavour to do so without wanter. and without rancour.

LATEST NEWS FROM EUROPE

ceived to the 2nd December.

Parliament assembled on the 15th. Mr. Abercrombie was unanimously re-chosen speaber, and his appointment was approved by Her Majesty.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S SPEECH.

" My Lords and tientlemen,

I have thought it right to assemble you for the
transaction of public business at the earliest convenient period after the dissolution of the late Parlia-

"It is with great ratisfaction that I have received from all forcien powers the strongest assurances of their fernish disposition, and of their cannest desire to cultivate and maintain with me the relations of amity and I rejoice in the prospect that I shall be able to premote the best interests of my subjects by securing to them the advantages of peace.

I haven that 'civil war still afflicts the kingdom of Span. I continue to exercise with fidelity the engagements of my Crown with the Queen of Spain, according to the stipulations of the Treaty Quadruple Alliance.

I have directed a Treaty of Commerce, which have concluded with the United Republic of Peru and Bolivia, to be laid before you, and I hope soon be able to communicate to you similar results of my negotiations with other powers.

I recommend to you serious consideration the state of the province of Lower Canada.

"Gentlemen of the Houre of Commons,

"The demise of the Crown renders it necessary." * It is with great satisfaction that I have receiv-

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons,
"The demise of the Crown renders it necessary
that a new provision should be made for the Crid
List. I place, unreservedly, at your disposal, those
Hereditary Revenues which were transferred to the
public by my immediate prefereesor; and I I two
commanded that such papers as may be necessary
for the full examination of this subject rhall be prepared and laid before you. Desirous that the expenditure in this, as in every department of the Government, should be kept within due limits, I feel
confident that you will make adequate provision for
the support of the honor and dignity of the Crown.
"The estimate for the services of next year are
in course of greparation, and will be laid before you
at the accusioned period. I have directed that the
utmost economy should be enforced in every branch
of the public expenditure.

authorised to call upon the troops in the avera-bouring Provinces in case of necessity. As to the policy meant to be pursued towards that Colony, he stated——That what the present apinion of the Government was he could no state, but that opinion was liable of course to be varied by the intelligence which might be received from Canada in the meanwhile. But, selves bound whatever they might think themselves be in justice to do, Her Majesty's Govern what-ver they mighthink themselves bound in justice to do, Her Majesty's Government felt deeply persuaded that it was their duty to support in Canada the cause of those who were well affected to the Crown of this Country," His Lordship was toudly cheered on making this statement

By the arrival at New-York of the packet arginst the ballot, extension of the suffrage, this Hibernia, Liverpool papers have been re-

The New-York packet slip Pennsylvania, which sailed on the 8th Nov., arrived in the remarkably short passage of afteen days. The news of the increasing difficulties in Canada attract some slight notices.

No news received by this day's mail from Montreal or Upper Canada.

COURT OF APPEALS.

The January tenn of this Court opened on Wednesday last,

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The members present were—the Hon, the
Chief Justice of the Province, and the Hon.
Messis. Stewart, Hency, Pemberton, and
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The majority of the above cases being Appeals from decisions in the District of Quebec, and the Hon. Chief Justice Reid not having arrived, the Court has adjourned from day day without doing any business.

QUARTER SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

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The proceedings of the Court of Quarter
Sessions commenced on Wednesday last. The
Magistrates on the Bench were—Edward
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Bi cauette, Thomas Baillarge, and Vital Teta,
Evanica.

Mr. Edward Wade was named foreman of

Mr. Edward Wase Was harmer soreman or the Grail Jury.

Joseph Hudon dit Beaulieu, Louis Beaupre, and Pierre Bessaint dit St. Pierre, accused on separate indictments, of assault, &c. were liber-ated, there not being sufficient evidence on the part of the prosecution to bring them to tital.

Maccaret For me was found guilty of larving the bases of Mr. Backer.

stolen a gold ring from the house of Mr. Hacker.

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On Taursday the same Magistrates were on the Bench as on the previous day, with the addition of F. X. Paradis, Esq.

Rosa Draun, a cirl of about eighten years of age, was put to the bar, charged with having obtained ber Christmas cakes under false pretures. Mr. Jusiah Eaton, the individual from whom the articles were obtained, stated that the prisoner called at his along, and asked the acticles in the name of Ms. Henderson. The tauticles in the name of Ms. Henderson. The tauticles in the name of Ms. Henderson. The tauticles in the name of Ms. Henderson. Alies eyes Mt. Eston's suspisions were aroused, and he refused giving them without the money or a written order from Mrs. Henderson. Miss's Drum then gave the "good things" to her careter, who had his carbole in waiting at the door, and drove off at a pure a little faster than additional order from the amovenee of Josiah, who should out—"stop thief!" The spirit hady" was apprehended the next morning, and accommodated with lodgings by Mr. Beldery. Two other witness swere examined. Racharland Mars Sutherland, who are in the Racharland Mars Sutherland, who are in the Jeffery. Two other witnesses were examined, Rachael and Mary Sutherland, who are in the employ of Mr. Eaton, and comborsted his evidence. The Jury returned a verdict of "not guilty." The evidence adduced proved a cuity." The evidence adduced proved a clony, and the Clerk of the Peace remanded the prisoner for further trial.

A true bill was brought in against William immerford for larceny, and the trial fixed

Jacques Modeste, a native of Fordeaux Jacques Modeste, a native of Forceaux, was charged with an assault upon John Walsh, a constable, while in the execution of his duty. The evidence went to prove that the prisoner "was in the wrong box," the prisoner "was in the wrong box," the prisoner was in the wrong box," the prisoner was under the word of the prisoner was the word, without laving offered places with a sword, without laving offered

places with a sword, without having offered any serious resistance, and the Jury hame-diately acquitted the prisoner. Rosa Drum was again brought up on a charge of larcency. The evidence was the same as that produced on the oreceing day. The Jury returned a verdict of "receiving eaols under false pretences;" but on the Court de-claring their verdict inadmisable, they again retired, and the Court adjourned until five o'clock. At that boor the Court again assem-bled, and the Jury returned a v rdict of "guilty of petty larcen," On Friday the same Magistrates were en

David Cooper was charged with having David Cooper was charged with having purloined several cod and ling fish, while employed carting them. He was found quilty.

The trial of Cummerford was postponed till this mornin, in consequence of one of the witnesses for the prosecution not being in attend-

The Court then adjourned, and a warrant ves ordered to be issued against the witness in the case aforementioned.

Among the passengers from New York in the packet ship North America, for Liverpool is Mr. Lafontaine, Member of the House of Assembly for Terretonne. We understand that the same vessel in which Mr. Lafontaine sailed for England, conveyed to the Colonial Secretary the information that a warrant had been ed against him for treason, and that he had

Francois Lemaitre, publisher of a small revolutionary journal in Montreal entitled "La Quotidienne," and formerly printer of "The Liberal" in this city, was arrested and committed to jail, on Tuesday last, on a charge of high treason; and his press, printing materials and papers, were seized.

The Montreal Morning Courier of Wedn day states that three or four prisoners had just been arrested and brought into town. Their tames are not given.

By Proclamation in the Official Gazette of Thursday last, the Provincial Legislature is further prorogued to the 19th February.

The Presbytery of Quebec have appointed Wednesday next to be observed as a day of fasting and humiliation by the congregations of the Church of Scotland within their bounds. on account of the present state of the country

Mr. John Ryan, a somewhat notorious character in this city, against whom a warrant for high treason had been issued, effected his es-cape on Saturday last. His papers have, how-ever, been seized, and are said to disclose an

ever, here served, and are said to disclose an ext noise correspondence with the chief rebels who have taken refuge in the United States. We understand that since Mr. Ryan's de-parture, his brother-in-haw, Mr. White, has judged it expedient to "absent himself."

THE ARMY.

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Montreal, January 9h.—Four Companies of the
22d Regiment under Major Reid, left his on Sun
day, in sleight, for the Upper Province. The late
mid weather and rain has so far carried off the
suon, that the progress of the trains was tedious,
the uses marching in preference a great part of the
distance. They stopped at Point Claire the first
night, and at Cateau du Law will take the steamer
Nepture for Cornwall. The head quarters of the
Nex meets, and the Light Company, under Capitain
Markham, remain in town. While speaking of this
gallant officer, we may be allowed to express the
gradification we have felt at noticing his return to
arthe duty, and on learning from himself that be
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*. To Correspondents.—Several interesting communications are deferred to our next, in conse-quence of their non-arrival in time for this day's publication.

BIRTH.
On Wednesday last, Mrs. Henry Sharples, of a

MARRIED.

At Montreal, on Tuesday last, Mr. John Orr, to Racheal, only daughter of the late Mr. Robert Mat-



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THE COMMITTEE will meet on MONDAY Quebec, 13th January, 1838.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

VOLUNTEERS.

THE Members of CAPT GILLESPIE'S COM-PANY, No. 4, Quebec Light Infantry, are re-quested to be punctual in their attendance at drill every seering at Half-past Six o'clock, in the Rid-ing Home, near the Chateau.

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Queb. c. 13th January, 1828.

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[For the Literary Transcript.]

LINES FOR THE NEW YEAR. Appher year halo closed his weary wing, To rest, his shousand beathern an mg. Benca h the throne of Time's Bencal King, To show he there, fill I row and the theory Who pend around that throne triumplant worg. The Judgment God confirms the Marke's fear Marching to might—who teership, the strong.— The march his perfect the restrict the strong.—

of course, was consealed, as much as you can conseal a small, from the Donine; till, one luckless evening, when the inpus were all huddled to gether round the fire of their dormitory, involving each ofter in vapours of their own creation,—10 i hurst the master, and stood in awful dignity before them. "How now," and stood in awful dignity before them. "How now," and subject to head-aches, and a jue takes off the pain." And you?—and he smaller to the desired the pedagogue, questioning every boy in his turn. One had "a raging tooth?—another the choic,—the third a cough—the fourth—in short, they all had something. "Now, sirrah," bellowed the master to the last boy, "what disorder do you sneek for?" Alas! all the excuses were exhausted:—when the intermediate in a whining hypocritical time.—"Sir, I snoke for corns." And so, joint the side of the property of a property of a property of an accession of the same of the property of a point of the property of a pr

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TALL AND SAURT MEN.

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No more, my fair, shall we meet thee in the social hall; no more shall we sit at thy hospitable board. Gone for ever is the sound of mirth -the kind, the candid, the meek, is now no more. Who can express our grief? Flow, ye tears of wee!"

A Good Reason,-An honest farmer wa A Good Reason.—An ionest farmer was asked why he did not subscribe to a newspaper. "Because," said he, "my father, when he died, left me a good many papers, and I haven't read them through yet."

" HOPE TOLD A PLATTERING TALE."-TWO sh labouring bricklayers were working at me houses, and one of them was boasting of some noises, to the of the was desired on the steadiness with which he could carry a load to any height that might be required. The other contested the point, and the conversation ended in a bet that he could not versition ended in a bet that he could not carry him, in his bed, to the top of the build-

ine. The experiment was made. Pat placed himself in the bed, and his contrade, after a groat deal of care and exercion, succeeded in tooing him up and bringing him down safety. The leser, without any reflection on the dan-ger he had exapped, observed to the winner. ger he had escaped, observed to the winner, "Well, to be sure, I've test, but don't you temember about the third story you made slip-I was then in hopes.

Prease Increases that.—An unjoyular actor being concurred in the Dublin play-bills to perform Richard the Third, was prevented washer initials being communicated by the manager from the communicated by the manager from the communicated by the manager and additional statements of the communication of th stage, a man in the pit spreng up, and addressing the audience, said, "Janitemen, you may ale your appies !"

Prier sporen .- " Hallo! mester," said a FRIFF FROTON.

Yankee to a teau ster, who appeared in something of a hurry, "What time is it? Where etc you roing? how deep is the creek? and what is the price of butter?" "Past one, sinest two-home-wat pense," was the reply. e-waist deep-and eleven

" FALSE AS FAIR."-The following extraonlinary advertisements appear in a Western (U. S.) paper:-

(U. 8.) paper 1—
To rite Tunite. I the undersiened, de-clare taxing given my consent to Mr. Fran-cois Vallet, for his union with my daughter, Metanis Youne, and that she herself had given tim her fath, but that by her having re-ceived some had advice, she has chenged her notions and refused the hand of Mr. Vallet without any legitimate cause. It is freezen, that I submit this notice to the as a reparation for any mischief that happen to Mr. Vallet, and to let him without might happen to Mr. Vallet, and to let him know that I regret very much the alliance did not take place.

JAMES YOUNG.

take place. Bayou Mallet, Sept. 18th, 1837.

There can be no dependence put in the masks of effectionate love, that may be reafter be shown to any one by Miss Meianic Young, because she has sworn love to me more than thousend times in a month, but as the time for the to write based with me approached, she recalled all her premises, and would not realize them. I give this notice to the public, so as to keep in future any benest man from being cuped by the perfect of Miss Melanie Young.

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Foint Noire, 18th Sept., 1837.

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