

Poetry.

ON CARMEL'S BROW,
A Hebrew Melody, by the Eltrick Shepherd.

1.
On Carmel's Brow the wreathy vine
Had all its honours shed,
And o'er the vales of Palestine
A sickly paleness spread;
When the old Seer, by vision led,
And energy sublime,
Into that shadowy region sped,
To muse on distant time.

2.
He saw the valleys far and wide,
But sight of joy was none;
He look'd o'er many a mountain's side,
But silence reign'd alone;
Save that a boding voice sung on
By wave and waterfall,
As still, in harsh and heavy tone,
Deep unto deep did call.

3.
On Kison's strand and Ephratah,
The Hamlets thick did lie:
No wayfarer between he saw,
No Asherite pass'd by;
No maiden at her task did ply,
Nor sportive child was seen;
The lonely dog bark'd wearily
Where dwellers once had been.

4.
Oh! beautiful were the palaces
On Jordan wont to be,
And still they glimmered to the breeze,
Like stars beneath the sea!
But Vultures held their jubilee
Where harp and cymbal rung;
And there, as if in mockery,
The baleful satyr sung.

5.
But who had seen that Prophet's eye,
On Carmel that reclin'd!
It look'd not on the times gone by,
But those that were behind;
His Gray hair stream'd upon the wind,
His hands were raised on high,
As mirror'd, on his mystic mind
Arose futurity.

6.
He saw the feast in Bozrah spread,
Prepar'd in ancient day;
Eastward, away the eagle sped,
And all the birds of prey.
"Who's this," he cried, "comes by the way
Of Edom all Divine,
Travelling in splendour, whose array
Is red, but not with wine?"

7.
"Blest be the Herald of our King,
That comes to set us free!
The dwellers of the rock shall sing,
And utter praise to thee!
Tabor and Hermon yet shall see
Their glories glow again,
And blossoms spring on field and tree,
That ever shall remain.

8.
"The happy child in dragon's way,
Shall frolic with delight;
The lamb shall round the leopard play,
And all in love unite;
The dove on Zion's hill shall light,
That all the world must see;
Hail to the Journeyer, in his might,
That comes to set us free!"

These teeth are of three kinds;—the gatherers or incisors—the tusks—and the grinders. The first are subdivided into two centre or foreteeth; two middle, one on each side of the former; and two corner teeth, one on each side of the latter; so that each jaw has six of these, with two tusks and twelve grinders. At the root of each tooth is a hole, through which are conveyed an artery, a vein, and a nerve, for its nourishment.

When the foal is 10 or 12 days old, four front teeth appear, two in the upper, and two in the under jaw. In a month or six weeks after, the middle teeth follow; and the corner teeth about three or four months afterwards.

These foal-teeth continue in this state till the horse is from 2½ to 3 years old; when the first four, or centre teeth, are shed, and replaced by others, called horse-teeth. At 3½, or 4 years, the middle teeth; and at 4½, or 5 years, the corner teeth, are also cast. Until a horse is full 5 years of age, there is only the exterior shell of the new corner teeth visible, with flesh within. Between 5½ and 6, the inner edge of these teeth grow up to a level with the outer edge, which is furrowed irregularly, still being hollow, and becoming stronger and thicker. At this age, the hollow of the centre teeth has disappeared, and that of the middle ones is half worn out.

The corner teeth remain nearly in this state till the age of 7½ or 8 years; though a change sometimes begins at 7. The corner, as well as the other teeth, then become full, leaving only a brown speck (vulgarly called the *bean*) at the top; which in some horses, and particularly in mares, continues for several years longer: The furrows are also effaced, the gums retire, and the tooth appears longer. At 8 years complete, the marks in the teeth of the under jaw have disappeared in most cases; but we may still confirm the upper jaw, the bean in the front teeth of which begins to wear out at 9 years; that of the middle teeth at 9½, and that of the corner teeth from that age till 10; after which no mark is visible.

A knowledge of the age may be acquired from all these teeth; but we ought principally to attend to the corner teeth, and to the tusks of the under jaw. The tusks appear at 4½, often at 5, and rarely at 3½. At 5½, they are sharp at the point, and channelled or fluted in the inside. If the tusks are not very long, are sharp at the top, and have a cavity or fluted inside, the horse is not very old. This flute, ridge, or cavity, has yet eluded the devices of dealers to imitate, and is easily felt with the forefinger of the right hand. When a horse is very old, the teeth jut outwards, are long, and of a yellow colour; the eyelashes are white, and the nether jaw bone has become sharp.

There have long been complaints of the London dealers (and the practice has lately travelled northwards) contriving to pass their horses for a year older, by pulling out the corner foal teeth. But the most common device of our dealers is, to make their horses appear a year or two younger than they really are; which is perhaps a still more reprehensible practice.

Annexed is a recapitulation of the foregoing Narrative, in which the appearance of the Teeth, at the different periods of a Horse's age, is brought into one view.

State of the Teeth at various ages.
At from 2½ to 3 years old—A horse sheds, in both rows, the two centre teeth. He is then said to be a three-year old.

At 3½ to 4 years—The four corner teeth, one on each side of those he lost the preceding year, both in the upper and under jaw, having the four outside or corner teeth remaining. He is now called a four year old.

At 4½ to 5 years—The four corner foal teeth are cast, and then he passes for a five-year old. There yet appears but the shell of the new teeth with flesh inside. At full 5, the flesh disappears, and the corner teeth become complete shells, hollow within. The tusks have now pierced the gum, and their sharp points may be felt by the finger.

At 5½ to 6 years—The tusks become of a moderate size, sharp, the inside fluted, and the edge next the gatherers thin. He is now called 6; which is the most valuable age. The hollow of the centre and middle teeth is nearly filled up; but that of the corner teeth still remains; and the latter have grown up, so that the inner edge is level with the outer or front.

At 6 to 8 years—All the gatherers are now full, having only a brown speck on the top. The corner teeth have become much thicker, and the tusks longer. But as the speck remains with many horses for several years after, a person who is not a judge will be told, the horse is not more than six years old.

At 8 to 10 years and upwards.—At 8, the bean being generally worn out from the teeth of the under jaw, the upper jaw may be examined. At 9, the speck of the centre, or front teeth; at 9½, that of the middle; and at 10, the speck of the corner teeth is effaced. Then the horse is said to be aged, and to have lost all mark. The age can no longer be distinctly known by the teeth; but a probable conjecture, from the circumstances before mentioned, and particularly from the tusks, may be formed. * * * * * F. J.

Edinburgh, April 1813.

DOGS TAUGHT TO SMUGGLE.

In the Netherlands they use dogs of a very large and strong breed for the purposes of draught. They are harnessed like horses, and chiefly employed in drawing little carts with fish, vegetables, eggs, &c. to Market. Previously to the year 1795, such dogs were also employed in smuggling, which was the more easy, as they are extremely docile. As it is prob-

able that this mode of smuggling may have been again resorted to since the year 1815, we will give some account of it.

The dogs were accustomed to go backwards and forwards between two places on the frontiers, without any person to attend them. A dog of this kind was often worth six or seven louis-d'ors, as the training cost some trouble. Being loaded with little parcels of goods, (Lace, &c.) like mules, they set out at midnight, and only when it was perfectly dark. An excellent, quick-scented dog always went some paces before the others, stretched out his nose towards all quarters, and when he scented custom house officers, &c. turned back, which was the signal for immediate flight. Concealed in ditches, behind bushes, &c. the dogs now waited till all was safe, then proceeded on their journey, and reached at last, beyond the frontier, the dwelling of the receiver of the goods, who was in the secret. But here also, the leading dog only at first shewed himself; but on a certain whistle, which was the signal that every thing was right, they all hastened up. They were then unloaded, taken to a convenient stable where there was a good layer of hay, and well fed. There they rested till midnight, and then returned in the same manner back, over the frontiers.

CHARACTERISTIC OF THE DISSOLUTE.

Man is generally much pleased to behold the ills he owes to his debaucheries visited upon other men, who are free from similar excesses; but on a certain whistle, which was the signal that every thing was right, they all hastened up. They were then unloaded, taken to a convenient stable where there was a good layer of hay, and well fed. There they rested till midnight, and then returned in the same manner back, over the frontiers.

KINGSTON TANNERY.

T. UNDERHILL & Co. Respectfully beg leave to inform the Shoe-Makers, Saddlers and leatherfellers in general, that they have now selected from their extensive assortment of different descriptions of Leather, and are preparing it ready for Sale, upwards of one Thousand sides of Upper Leather, from one to Twenty Thousand lbs. of light and strong sole Leather, and one hundred and fifty sides of Harness do. together with twenty dozen of Calf Skins and a number of Horse hides, Dog and Sheep Skins, too numerous to insert, and which can be delivered on the shortest notice and lowest terms for Cash. T. U. flatters himself that those who are inclined to favour them with their Orders, will find the above articles by far superior to any yet offered for Sale, having already been proved, and acknowledged by the best judges in this Province. Kingston, November 5. 1819. 45

ON Monday night the 18th inst. the Store of the subscriber was broken open and to the amount of 75 Dollars or upwards in cash carried away; also a few large cotton Shawls, one remarkable Foreign red Scarf, upwards of four yards in length, one end of which richly ornamented with gold thread, the other end plain. Whoever may give such information as will lead to the recovery of any of said articles will be handsomely rewarded by applying to the subscriber.

For SAMUEL AYKROYD,
DONALD MURCHISON.
Kingston, 19th Oct. 1819. 43

Forwarding & Commission BUSINESS.

THE subscribers beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that they have formed a connection in business; the object of which is the transportation of Produce down the St. Lawrence, and of Merchandise of every description from Montreal to any part of Upper Canada and the United States adjacent to the Lakes Ontario and Erie.

The business will be conducted by W. HUBBELL, at Odensburgh, and under the firm of W. L. WHITING & Co. at Prescott.

To prevent delay, all property destined for Kingston, or any part of the Bay of Quinte, will be forwarded from Prescott by the Steam Boat Charlotte, which leaves there twice every week.

The subscribers engage to freight on as favourable terms as any who are engaged in the business; and, pledging their united exertions to give satisfaction, will be grateful for every favor.

W. L. WHITING,
W. HUBBELL.
Prescott, 20th May, 1819. 23

TO BE SOLD, and immediate possession given, the following Lots of Land, in the 6th Concession of the Township of Elmsley, viz. 19, 20, 22, 24, 29, 30, most eligibly situated on the North side of the Rideau Lake, which forms their southern boundary; the great road to the Perth Settlement, leading through one of the Lots. They abound in excellent Timber, which from its being contiguous to water communication may be rafted to Montreal at a trifling expence. The quality of the soil and other advantages are such as to render this a desirable purchase to Farmers or persons engaged in the Lumber Trade. For terms of payment and other particulars apply to William Marshall, Esq. Perth Settlement, John Kirby, Esq. Kingston, or the subscriber, in Wood-house, London District.

ROBERT NICHOL.
November 18, 1819. 47tf

To Clothiers.

For sale, a quantity of PRESS-PAPERS.
Tho. S. Whitaker & Co.
August 19, 1819. 34

Executive Council Office,
York, 25th August, 1819.

THE Order in Council of the 18th instant, respecting Locations subject to Settling Duties being revised, it is ordered by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council, that all Locations of Land subject to Settlement Duty made prior to this date, be rescinded, and the Land otherwise disposed of, if Certificate of the Settlement Duty being performed be not lodged with the Surveyor General within the time limited in the Ticket of Location, and the Patent sued out within Three Months thereafter: and that all Locations subject to Settlement Duty hereafter to be made will be rescinded, and the Land otherwise disposed of, if Certificate of Settlement Duty being performed be not lodged with the Surveyor General within Eighteen Months of the date of the Order for such Location, and the Patent sued out within Three Months thereafter.

JOHN SMALL, C. E. C.
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NOTICE

I hereby given, that William Taylor, heir at law and administrator of the late Allan Taylor, hath assigned all the real and personal estate of the late Allan Taylor deceased, unto John Kirby, Alexander O. Petrie and Thomas Parker, in trust for the benefit of creditors. All persons having any claims against the late Allan Taylor, Taylor & Parker, or Thomas Parker, are requested to present the same for adjustment and payment, and those persons indebted to either the late Allan Taylor, Taylor and Parker, or Thomas Parker, are requested to make immediate payment to the above trustees; who are fully authorized to give discharges for the same.

John Kirby,
A. O. Petrie,
Thomas Parker.
Kingston, August 28, 1819. 36tf

NOTICE

AN assignment having been made to the subscriber of all the Lands, Goods, and debts, belonging to the late firm of James Ranken & Co. of Ernest Town, Merchants, as well as those belonging to James Ranken individually, for the benefit of creditors. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said firm, or against the said James Ranken, to present them forthwith, duly authenticated; and such as stand indebted are desired to pay their respective accounts to CHR. A. HAGERMAN, Esq. of Kingston, on or before the first day of December next.

JOHN KIRBY.
Kingston, 1st September, 1819. 36

FOR SALE,

A VERY valuable FARM, situated near the Village of Brockville, in the rear half of Lot number two, in the second concession of Elizabethtown, U. C. containing two hundred acres, formerly the property of Reuben Sherwood, Esquire, but now belonging to John Shuter, Esquire, of London. There is a very good dwelling house, with a barn and other out houses on the premises. Also, Lot number nineteen, in the ninth concession, and the west half of Lot number one, in the eighth concession of the same Township. Also, Lot number fifteen, in the first concession, and number fifteen in the second concession, of the Township of Yonge, in the District of Johnstown. These Farms will be disposed of on terms peculiarly easy and advantageous to purchasers.—Apply to DANIEL JONES, Jun. Brockville, 15th January, 1819. 4

NOTICE

I hereby given, that I, William Taylor, as heir at law and administrator to the estate of the late Allan Taylor, deceased, have this day assigned all the real and personal estate of the late Allan Taylor, and all the interest in the concern of Taylor & Parker, and Thomas Parker, unto John Kirby, Alexander O. Petrie and Thomas Parker, as trustees, for the benefit of the creditors.

William Taylor,
Administrator of the estate of the late Allan Taylor.
Kingston, August 28, 1819. 36tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons are cautioned against purchasing Lot No. 22, in the 7th concession of Fredericksburgh, or lot No. 27, in the 1st concession of Richmond, from the Heirs or Assignees of Davis Hefs, as the Subscriber holds an indisputable title to the same. GILBERT HARIS.
Sidney, 4th Dec. 1818. 3

For Sale at this Office,

A FEW copies of a SERMON, preached at Quebec, on the 12th of September, after the death of His Grace the DUKE OF RICHMOND, by the Reverend G. J. Mountain, A. B. Bishop's Official in Lower Canada, and Rector of Quebec. 41

NOTICE.

Books of Subscription for the Bank of Kingston, will be opened at the Director's Room in the Bank of Upper Canada, on the 24th August next, and kept open each day from the hour of ten till three o'clock, until further notice.
Kingston, 27th July, 1819. 31

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200 CORDS of FIRE WOOD, lying on the bank of Mr. Daly's Farm, a little beyond Collins' Bay, convenient for conveyance by water to Kingston. Not less than 50 Cords will be sold to a purchaser; price 5s. per Cord.
A. WILSON.
Kingston, 5th Oct. 1819. 41

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LOTS No. 6 and 12 in the 3d Concession, containing 400 acres.
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Ditto ditto 10, in the 6th Concession, containing 200 acres.
The above Lands are all lying in the Township of Hamilton, Newcastle District, and will be sold on the most liberal terms. For further information, enquire of Elias Jones, Esq. Hamilton, or the subscriber in Kingston.
Thomas S Whitaker.
Kingston, May 28, 1819. 22tf

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THOMAS MARKLAND,
Agent.
Kingston, 3d Nov. 1818. 23

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ADJOINING Hay Bay, in the Township of Fredericksburgh, the East half of Lot No. 2, in the second Concession, containing 100 acres, and having about 40 acres under cultivation, with a log house and barn upon it. For the terms apply to Daniel Washburn, Esquire, Kingston.
P. VAN KOUHNET.
Cornwall, Dec. 7, 1818 30

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THAT valuable Farm, known by Lot No. 8 in the first Concession of Fredericksburgh, on the bay of Quinte, upon highly advantageous terms to the purchaser. There is a large two story House upon it that may be converted into a comfortable residence, at a trifling expence.—There are also various outhouses attached to it, with a well of excellent water.—An indisputable title will be given, and the terms made known at Mr. D. Hagerman's office in Bath, or on application to the proprietor,
JOSEPH BERGON.
Fredericksburgh, 8th Oct. 1819. 42

FOR SALE,

A QUANTITY of RED CEDAR PICKETS, from 7 to 8 feet in length.—Apply to Mr. JOHN DAWSON, Tailor.
Kingston, July 17, 1819. 30

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A COMMODIOUS HOUSE, near Doctor Keating's, two stories high, with seven rooms a Kitchen, and a Cellar under the whole, a good yard and stable; also a very good Spring near the house.—For further particulars apply to JAMES ROBINS.
Kingston, 4th June, 1819. 23

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