

POETRY.

DULL TIMES, &c.

Dull times from every mouth is heard,
And duller still by many fear'd—
The season has been cold and dry,
The crops are small, the taxes high.

THE PRINTER'S "HOUR OF PEACE."

Know ye the PRINTER'S hour of peace?
Know ye an hour more fraught with joy
Than ever felt the maid of Greece,

'Tis not when round the mazy case,
His nimble fingers kiss the types;
Nor is it when with lengthen'd face

'Tis not when news, of dreadful note,
His columns all with minion fill;
'Tis not when brother Printers quote

'Tis not when all his work is done,
His glimm'ring fire he hovers near,
And, heedless of the coming dawn,

'Tis not when in Mr. Fancy's Glass,
His advertisements meet his eye,
And he is to whisper as they pass,

Nor is it when with num'rous names
His lengthen'd roll of vellum swells,
As if were touch'd by conjuror's wand,

No—reader, no—the Printer's hour,
His hour of real sweet repose,
Is not when by some magic pow'r

But O, 'tis when stern Winter, drear,
Comes robb'd in snow, and rain and vapor,
He hears, in whispers soft and clear,

Every man, as Shandy says, has his
Hobby horse; it is certain, however,
That all men have bones—in their bodies

The Statesman's bone is a good place
—Look at him while he picks it.—
What a snarling he makes if any one

The Lawyer has his bone,—a good
fee which he keeps mumbling at,
until he can get no more marrow,
then leaves off in hopes of another.

The Parson has an ecclesiastical
bone,—a good living; no cur snarles
more when he has got it, but he is a

The Physician, too, has his bone,
which is most commonly a bone of
contention between him and the patient,

The Merchant has an excellent bone
in time of war, called a contract.—
There is a deal of meat in this bone,

The trading Justice has many excel-
lent bones; indeed, every poor or rich
devil who comes under his knowledge,

Every man, therefore, has his bone;
every man will pick his bone and keep
it as long as he can.

FROM THE GLEANER,

From the Desk of Poor Robert the
Scribe.

"Music is the science of sounds,"
we are told by that crabbed-looking old
fellow, whose conversation was music

The sportsman thinks no music e-
quals that of his hounds, when they o-
pen in full cry. The citizen believes

Benjamin H. Buckner & Co.
HAVE REMOVED their Store to the house
lately occupied by James Ritchie,

A Handsome Assortment of
Merchandise,
which they are determined to sell at the most

REMOVAL.
Benjamin H. Buckner & Co.
HAVE REMOVED their Store to the house

Kenaz Farrow,
(Attorney at Law,)
KEEPS an office in the town of Mountster-

Negroes Wanted.
A VERY liberal Hire will be given for six
or eight NEGRO FELLOWS; either by

Blank for sale at this office.

music. To our merchants, it is music
to hear the purse chink on the counter,
with "I'll take a couple of patterns,

But to old Robert, it is the best of
music to rise as the morning "peers
through the golden windows of the

Extract of a letter from Lieut. Guy, of
the 8th U States' Infantry, to the
Editor, dated

Fort Osage. (Missouri Ter.) Oct. 31.
"Some time ago, I learned that a
party of hunters from Boon's Settle-

The letter from Mr. Monroe to Lt.
Guy, referred to above, is dated at Fort
Kinkead, Howard County, Mis. Terr-

"I was out on a hunting party, with
some of my neighbors, about the 10th
of June last, 35 miles hence; and in an

He had on a black fur hat, which was,
by this time, gnawed by mice; he wore
a wig of fine light hair, had on a scarlet

"If he was a military missionary,
sent to extend British alliance with, or
influence over the savages, or whoever

It will be recollected, that during the
late war Matthew Carey, of Philadel-

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WE wish to purchase TOBACCO of the
best quality, for which CASH will be

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THE subscriber will give the highest price
(in Kentucky Bank Notes) for TOBACCO

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FOR SALE.
FOR SALE, Two Hundred and Sixty Hogs-

TOBACCO.
which will be delivered at the Inspections on
the Kentucky River. For terms apply to

Notice.
THE subscribers respectfully request all
those indebted to them, to call and settle

Notice.
THE subscribers beg leave to inform their
customers and the public in general, that

NOTICE.
WE wish to start to Philadelphia in the
month of February for a fresh stock of

NEW GOODS.
C. K. DUNCAN & CO.
HAVE just received from Philadelphia, and

MERCHANDIZE,
consisting in part of the following articles, to
wit:
Superfine and mid-
dling quality Cloths,

EDUCATION.
THE SCHOOL for Young Ladies
in this place will commence on

TERMS.
Small scholars learning to read, 6
Reading, Writing & Sewing, 8

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Richard French & Jona. Tay-
lor,
(Attorneys at Law.)
ADVISE the good people of Clarke, Estill

For Sale,
A PLANTATION,
TWO and a half miles from Mountsterling,

Notice.
THE subscriber wishes either to go or send
next month to Philadelphia for a fresh

Valuable Machine for Break-
ing Hemp and Flax.
THE joint committee of both Houses, ap-

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JUST PUBLISHED.
The American Schoolmas-
ter's Assistant,
BEING a compendious system of Vul-

OLD HAIL STORM
WILL stand the ensuing season at DAN-
IEL DUFF'S stable in Mountsterling;

MY HORSE
Haphazard
will stand the ensuing Season at my Farm in

Take Notice.
ONE of the undersigned wishing to start to
the eastward for a fresh supply of goods

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TAKEN-UP by Anderson Johns, on the wa-

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TAKEN UP by Henry Clappitt in Winches-

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LITERARY NOTICE.
The semi-annual examination of
the Students of the Transylvania Uni-

The friends of literature, through-
out our country, who can make it con-
venient to be in Lexington and its vic-

Lost or Stolen,
ABOUT the 20th December last, in Win-
chester, a SADDLE and BRIDLE. The

Take Notice.
ALL persons indebted to the subscribers
must make immediate payment, or they

Notice.
THOSE indebted to us will observe the
time of credit given them is out, and pay-

NOTICE.
THE subscriber wishes to inform his friends
and the public that he intends carrying on

Strayed,
ON the 19th February, a large SORREL
HORSE, with a blaze face, his hind feet

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will stand the ensuing Season at my Farm in

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