

SELECTED POETRY.

THE FRIEND OF ALL.

There is a charm in Friendship's voice,
A feeling dear to age and youth,
Which bids the sorrowing soul rejoice,
And lights the flame of love and truth.
If heaven-bright skies be overcast,
Enshrouded with affliction's pall,
When the dark mists of woe have passed,
A SUN shall shine—THE FRIEND OF ALL.

And if, when verging to the tomb,
No cheering ray of hope appear,
To guide the spirit through the gloom,
And lead her to a happier sphere—
Yet still let every murmur die,
And mercies past to mind recall;
Know there's a POWER enthron'd on high,
The fervent, faithful, FRIEND OF ALL.

O, after all the ills of life
In sad succession flee away,
Why should the soul prolong her strife?
Why wish in woe a longer stay?
Free as the air she wings her flight,
For now no more can guilt enthrall;
She hails the source of life and light,
THE ONE ETERNAL FRIEND OF ALL.
LOTHAIR.

From the Village Record.

ADDRESS TO MY CIGAR.
Yes social friend, I love thee well,
In learned doctors' spite;
I love the fragrant misty spell,
I love thy calm delight.

What tho' they tell, with phizies long,
Our years are sooner past!
I would reply with reason strong,
They're sweeter while they last.

And oft, mild tube, to me thou art,
A monitor, thou still,
Thou speak'st lessons to my heart,
Beyond the preachers skill.

When in the lonely evening hour
Attended but b' thee,
O'er history's varied page I pour,
Man's fate in thine I see.

Awhile like thee the hero burns,
And smokes and fumes around,
And then like thee to ashes turns,
And mingles with the ground.

Thou'rt like the worthy man that
gives
o goodness every day,
The fragrance of whose virtue lives,
When he has passed away.

Off when thy snowy column grows,
And breaks and fades away,
I trace how mighty realms thus rose,
Then tumbled to decay.

From beggar's rags to monarchs
robes
One common doom is cast;
Sweet nature's works the mighty
robes,
Must all burn out at last.

And what is he who smokes thee now?
A little moving heap,
That soon like thee to dust must go.
Like thee in ashes sleep.

And when I see thy smoke roll high,
Thy ases downward go.
Metinks 'tis thus my soul shall fly,
Thus leaves my body low.

STRANGE ADVICE OF A LAWYER.
Mr. T. an eminent counsellor in the state of New-York lately deceased, had lately acquired a large fortune by his profession, and as he had no children of his own, he had adopted a daughter and two sons belonging to his sister. Among some other charges and bequests, the following was most prominent: "I give unto my daughter — and to my two sons, — and — the sum of \$25,000 each: Provided that neither of them follow the degraded profession of a lawyer, priest or prostitute. Yet if Providence in his wisdom shall have predestinated them to the calling; my next prayer and request is, that the lawyer to *enferme* *le* *qui* *est* *no* *salary* nor even the prostitute *no* *reward*. For now on the brink of my grave, I am convinced that neither earthquakes, famine or pestilence, have caused half so much misery to the human race as the general mercenary character of these professions!!"

DRUNKENNESS.
— O that men should put an enemy in their mouths, to steal away their brains! — but we should with joy, revel, pleasure, and applause, transform ourselves into beasts!

FEMALE HEROISM.
Madame Lafont, during the French revolution, like the illustrious Madame Lafayette of our times, bought a permission to visit her husband who was imprisoned as a conspirator. It was discovered the following day that aided by a change of apparel and occupying the prison in his stead, she had effected his escape. When arraigned at the tribunal, the represen-

tative addressed her in a menacing tone, "Wretch! what have you done?" "My duty," said she, "do yours."

GEORGE R. C. SULLIVAN,

(ATTORNEY AT LAW)

Will practice in the first Judicial Circuit of the state of Indiana and in the County of Crawford and Edwards in the Illinois state.

He may always be found at his office in Vincennes unless when absent on professional business—he has made an agreement, for business forwarded to him, in his absence, to be attended to.

J. & W. L. COLMAN.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

(Vincennes Indiana.)

HAVE just received, in addition to

their former stock of

Merchandise,

Window glass, all sizes by the box.

Glass ware assorted by ditto.
Best rosin soap, and tallow candles by ditto.

Smoked herrings by do.

Snuff and segars by do.

Chewing Tobacco by the keg.

Best gun powder by do.

Cutt and wrt nails by do.

Lead—best new Eng. cheese

Monongahela whiskey, cherry

bounce, Jamaica spirits A-

merican wine, by the barrel

Castings, iron and brass wire.

Seaves and riddles and fire

fenders.

Patent ploughs and plough irons, mattocks, axes, hoes and drawing chains,

Wind mill irons,

Spanish brown,

Far rosin longwood, twild bags

Raw cotton domestic cottons,

Delf and Liverpool Wares.

Writing, Printing & Wrapping Pa-

per by the REAM.

Six, Seven, and ten plate

STOVES,

for sale or rent.

All of which, we are enabled to sell at the most reduced prices for cash or current paper in hand; most of the paper of the Independent Banks of Ky and uncurrent Banks of Ohio and Penn. will be received at par, or a small discount in payment for Merchandise.

No credit will be given for Merchandise at our store by retail after this date.

Those indebted to us by note or book account, are earnestly requested to come forward and settle the same, on or before the 15th day of Jan next, and save costs, as those neglecting this notice, may expect to find their notes and accounts in the hands of an officer for collection.

Good CORN FED PORK, will be taken as cash in payment of debts

J. & W. L. COLMAN.

January 1, 1820. 6-1f.

Entertainment.



THE subscriber has again taken his former stand in PETERSBURGH; he assures his old customers and travellers that nothing shall be left undone on his part, to render their stay with him comfortable—he has plenty of new Oats, Hay and old Corn, and promises every attention to travellers horses. His bar is well furnished.

THOMAS CASE

Petersburgh Ia. Aug. 18 9.—36f

If Wm. Chapman.

Who formerly lived in the town of Hanover, Columbia county, in the state of Ohio, will take the trouble to enquire by letter or otherwise at the Western Sun office, in this place, he will receive information which is deemed of the utmost importance to him in a pecuniary point of view.

Simeon Sweitzer.

Jan. 22.—1f.

CASTINGS.

J. McGiffin & Co.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general that he has just received in addition to his former stock, a large quantity of

CASTINGS,

comprising a general assortment of

Hollow-Ware,

also, a few sets of

MILL IRONS,

All of which he offers low for CASH
Vincennes. July 23, 1818. 3-4f

NOTICE

STEPHEN COLLINS, an invalid pensioner, of the U. States, will call at this office, he will receive some serviceable information.

TAKEN up by Aa
ron Decker, Ma-

dison township, Pike

county state of Indiana, on the 1st day of January, a white MARE sup-

posed to be 19 years old, 13 and a half

hands high, branded on the near

shoulder with a swivel stirrup iron,

trots natural—appraised to ten dollars

by Wm. Wright jr. George Wright

John Sullivan.

I do hereby certify the above to be a true copy from my estray book—given under my hand and seal this 17th day of January 1820.

WM. WRIGHT, J. P.

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Mortgages, and all other instruments of writing, drawn upon the shortest notice, at reduced price.—Apply

at the Vincennes Post-Office.

Jan. 1—estw.

W. Mills, jr. & co.

Commission Merchants,

EVANSVILLE, (IND.)

REFERENCES.

Mess. Calvin Sampson, & co. { Cincinnati.

Hayden & Aubin,

Hathorn & Barnes,

Dan'l Hirts & co.—Louisville.

Rives & Phelps, — N. Orleans.

W. E. Breading.—Vincennes.

They have on hand,

and intend keeping a large and general assortment of

DRY-GOOD,

GROCERIES,

QUEENS and

HARD-WARE.

All of which will be sold very low for CASH.

Evansville, May 20, — 22f

H. H. Moore J. N. Dunbar.

(Attorneys & Councillors at Law.)

HAVING entered into partnership, will in future practice law in conjunction, they will attend the Circuit Courts of Orange, Washington, Jackson, Jefferson, Clark and Harrison; — also the Federal and Supreme Courts, and one of them will attend in the western circuit.

Those who wish to consult them in their professional capacity, will find one or the other, constantly at their Office in Corydon.

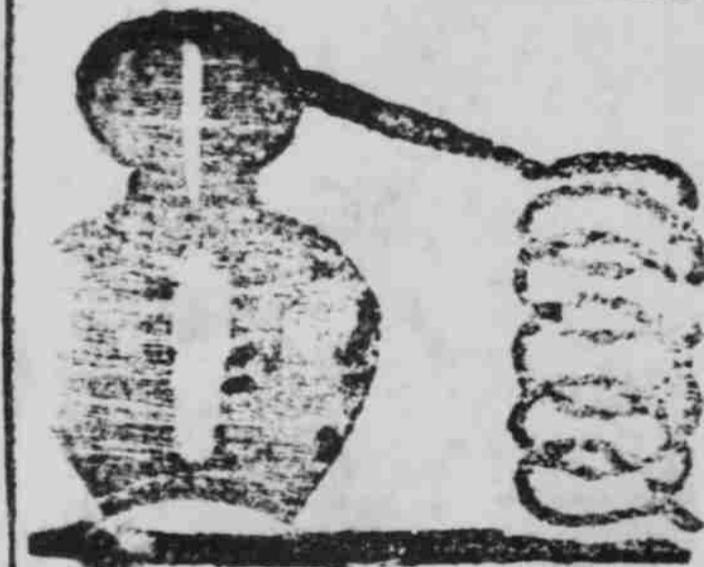
MOORE & DUNBAR.

Letters on business must be sent paid.

AMORY KINNEY,

HAVING returned to Vincennes, respectfully gives notice, that he has resumed the practice of the Law and that he will punctually attend to conveyancing at his room on Water-street.

Vincennes, January 26, 1820.



Tin and Copper Manufactory.

THE subscribers have commenced the COPPER-SMITH'S BUSINESS in this place, on Water street, near the Vincennes Hotel, and hope to meet with encouragement from the public in general.

They have now, and will constantly keep on hand, a supply of

ALL KINDS OF
COPPER & TIN WARE,
OF THE FIRST QUALITY,
which they will dispose of on reasonable terms.

TODD, YOUSE, & CO.

NOTICE.

THE Cofpartnership heretofore existing between SAM'L HILL & JOHN COLTER of Vincennes and JOHN FEZER of Baltimore, under the firm of

Samuel Hill & Co.

is from this date dissolved. All persons indebted to said concern, are hereby notified that immediate payment must be made to JOHN EWING Esq. who is duly authorised to receipt for the same—otherwise suits will be commenced indiscriminately.

SAMUEL HILL,

JOHN COLTER,

Vincennes, Feb. 1, 1829.

JOHN D. HAY,

RESPECTUALLY requests all persons indebted to him to call and make payment, as he is about to take measures to renew his ASSORTMENT.

Vincennes Sept. 1. 39-1f.

J. Roseman,

Windsor and Fancy Chair

Maker.

Three Doors below Mr. Beaumont's Hotel will pay one dollar per bushel for clean

FLAX-SEED.

Vincennes, Dec. 11.

FRESH

GARDEN SEEDS,

(From the Shaker's Society)

for sale at the Apothecary store of

SHULER, WOOD & CO.

Feb. 8. 6f

THE co-partnership of SULLIVAN & CALL, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Their united attention will be bestowed on all business heretofore entrusted to their care.