BY ROBERT GILFILLAN.

Oh! the gowan's in the glen, and the winter is awa'.

And through the budding birken tree the simmer breezes blaw,

And my heart's wi' my lassie, though my lassie's gane frac me—
Oh! my heart is wi' my lassie, for whare else could it be?

Why did she leave the hawthorn vale, for the city's glittering show? She's no like to the city dames—they're no like her, ah, no! Their looks are fa' o' warldly pride, but soul is in her e'e, And ye'se get a blink o' beauty, gin ye my lassie see!

And it's oh! wi' her to wander far frae the And it's—on! We not to wanter far has the city's din,
Whare the bonnie streams meander, the singin' burnies rin;
Whare the laverock is piping his music in

the cluds, And the blackbird is pouring his wild notes

Oh! her love is ever true, and her heart is

over warm,
And her smile to nature's loveliness, it adds
another charm!
Oh! the gowan's in the glen, and the lily's
on the lea,
And my heart is wi' my lassie, where'er my
lassie be!

EXECUTIONS AMONG THE JEWS.-Hebrews had no executioner. When a man was guilty of homicide, the execution devolved on the next of kin, by the right of blood revenge; in other criminals were stoned by the people, the witnesses setting the example; and when the king or chief ordered a person to be put to death, the office was performed by the per-son to whom the order was given, and this was generally a person whose consideration in life bore some proportion to that of the person to be slain. Thus Solomon gave the commission to kill Joab, the commander-in-chief, to Benaiah, a person of so much distinc-tion as to be himself immediately promoted to the command which the death of Joab left vacant. In fact, the office, even of a regular executioner, is not by any means dishonorable in the East. The post of chief executioner is, in most oriental courts, one of honor and distinction. Thus, when there was no regular executioner, it came to be considered a post of honor to put a distinguished person to death; and on the other hand, the death itself was honorable in proportion to the rank of the person by whom the blow was inflicted. It was the greatest dishonor to perish by the hands of a woman or a slave. We see this feeling distinctly in the narrative where the two princes much prefer to die by Gideon's own land than that of a youth who had obtained no per-sonal distinction. As to the hero commissioning his son to perform this office, it was, perhaps, partly to honor him with the distinction of having slain two chief enemies of Israel, as well as because the rules of blood-revenge made it necessary that the execution of those who had slain his own brethren should either be performed by himself or by a member of his own family. It seems very probable, from all that transpired, that Oreb and Zeeb had slain the brethren of Gideon, after they had taken them captive, in the

LIFE IN JAVA.—A traveler writes from Batavia, Island of Java:

same way that they were themselves

slain.

The Hotel des Indes, at which I am stopping—the main building two story high, with an immense piazza in front is connected on each side by buildings like railroad depots, three or four hundred feet long. Each suit of rooms contains room enough to make two, three, and even half a dozen ordinary rooms such as we get at the hotels in the United States. In front and back are bath houses, fountains, flower gardens, and out-houses, for cooking and for servants, marble floor, tiled roofs, ceiling from twenty to twenty-five feet high, no carpets, and but few curtains.

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The hotel is situated in the new or upper town, some half dozen miles from the water. It is a fair specimen of five or six others, within half a mile of each other. My hotel and occuments counds cover ten acres. The whole grounds cover ten acres. The whole ground, like the rest of the city, is one immense forest of trees and canals.

Why is the emancipation proclamation a demoralizing edict? Because it brings so many black legs into the Union lines.

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The first experiments were made by Venel, in France, in 1750, and published in 1776; by Priestly, in 1768; and later, by Bergmad, Black, Van Helmot and others.

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When is a cat like a tea-pot? When you're teasin it; (tea's in it.) [The perpetrator of this frightful attempt has been taken to a we'l-known watercure establishment, and is now slowly and, it is to be hoped, finally recover ing.]

"What's the use," asked a ragged fellow, "of a man's working himself to death to get a living?" And we respond to the inquiry, "What's the

Before 'love comes in at the door,' it would be well for him to peep through the key-hole. He might see something that would prevent him from entering.

"Think, when home returning." sweet song at any time, is especially roommended to rakish husbands, when slagging to their domiciles at 3 o'clock in the morning.

Judging from her likeness, painted by her papa, it is evident that Titian's fat daughter, Mary, was a great Polly-

"That which thou hast to do, do it with all thy might," especially it is to knock down a black-guard.

French for the beginning of the trouting season-Commencement de la fin.

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Definition of the "Happy Man"-

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WILLIAM H. PERRY,
Private Secretary.
Greenville, S. C., August 28, 1865.

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By the Provisional Governor of the State of South Caroling.

## A PROCLAMATION!

WHEREAS His Excellency President Johnson has issued his proclamation, appointing me (Benjamin F. Perry) Provisional Governor in and for the State of South Carolina, with power to prescribe such rules and regulations as may be necessary and proper for convening a Convention of the State, composed of delegates to be chosen by that portion of the people of said State who are leyal to the United States, for the purpose of altering or amending the Constitution thereof; and with authority to exercise within the limits of the State all the powers necessary and proper to enable such loyal people to restore said State to its constitutional relations to the Federal Government, and to present such a Republican form of State Government as will entitle the State to the guarantee of the United States therefor, and its people to protection by the United States against invasion, insurrection and domestic violence.

Mow, therefore, in obedience to the proclamation of his Excellency Andrew Johnson, Fresident of the United States, I, BENJAMIN F. PERRY, Provisional Government in South Carolina, for the purpose of organizing a Provisional Government in South Carolina, reforming the State Constitution and restoring civil authority in said State under the Constitution and laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim and declare that all civil officers in South Carolina, who were in office when the Civil Government of the State was suspended, in May last, (except those arrested or under prosecution for treason,) shall, on taking the oath of allegiance prescribed in the President's Amnesty Proclamation of the 29th day of May, 1865, resume the duties of their offices and continue to discharge them under the Provisional Government ill further appointments are made.

And I do further proclaim, declare and make known, that it is the duty of all loyal citizens of the State of Seuth Carolina to promptly go forward and take the oath of allegiance to the United States, before some magistrate or military officer of the Federal Government, who

allegiance to the United States, before some magistrate or military officer of the Federal Government, who may be qualified for administering oaths; and such are hereby authorized to give certified copies thereof to the persons respectively by whom they were made. And such magistrates or offizers are hereby required to transmit the originals of such oaths, at as early a day as may be convenient, to the Department of State, in the city of Washington, D. C. And I do further proclaim, declare and make known, that the Managers of Elections throughout the State of South Carolina will hold an election for members of a State Convention, at their respective precincts, on the FIRST MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER NEXT, according to the laws of South Carolina in force before the secession of the State; and that each Election District in the State shall elect as many members of the Cenvention as the said District has members of the House of Representatives—the basis of representation being population and taxation. This will give one hundred and twenty-four members to the Convention—a number sufficiently large to represent every portion of the State most fully.

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Every loyal citizen who has taken the Amnesty oath and not within the excepted classes in the President's Proclamation, will be entitled to vote, provided he was a legal veter under the Constitution as it stood prior to the secession of South Carolina. And all who are within the excepted classes must take the oath and apply for a pardon, in order to entitle them to vote or become members of the Convention.

The members of the Convention thus elected on the first Monday in September next, are hereby required to convene in the city of Columbia, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of September, 1865, for the purpose of altering and amending the present Constitution of South Carolina, or remodelling and making a new one, which will conform to the great changes which have taken place in the State, and be more in accordance with Republican principles and equality of representation.

And I do further proclaim and make known, that the Constitution and all laws of force in South Carolina prior to the secession of the State, are hereby made of force under the Provisional Government, except wherein they may conflict with the provisions of this proclamation. And the Judges and Chancellors of the State are hereby required to exercise all the powers and perform all the duties which apportain to their respective offices, and especially in criminal cases. It will be expected of the Federal military authorities now in South Carolina, to lend their authority to the civil officers of the Provisional Government, for the purpose of enforcing the laws and preserving the peace and good order of the State.

And I do further command and enjoin all good and lawfui citizens of the State to unite in enforcing the laws and bringing to justice all disorderly persons, all piunderers, robbers and marauders, all vagrants and idle persons who are wandering about without employment or any visible means of supporting themselves.

It is also expected that all former owners of freed persons will be kind to them, and not turn off the children or aged to peri

of supporting themselves.

It is also expected that all former owners of freed persons will be kind to them, and not turn off the children or aged to perish; and the freed men and women are earnestly enjoined to make contracts, just and fair, for remaining with their former owner.

In order to facilitate as much as possible the application for pardons under the excepted sections of the President's Amnesty Proclamation, it is stated for information that all applications must be by petition, stating the exception, and accompanied with the oath prescribed. This petition must be first approved by the Provisional Governor, and then forwarded to the President. The headquarters of the Provisional Governor will be at Greenville, where all communications to him must be addressed. The newspapers of this State will publish this proclamation till the election for members of the Convention.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal. Done at the [L. s.] town of Greenville, this 20th day of July, in the year of our Lord, 1765, and of the independence of the United States the ninetieth,

By the Provisional Governor:

WILLIAM H. PERBY, Private Secretary, July 26

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