BEAUTY AND INNOCENCE.

BY EDW. J. PORTER.

The rosy hours of childhood, How beautiful they seem, While glides life's fairy shallop, Like the spirit of a dream--Ere the bright blue sky of pleasure Hath one gloomy cloudlet known; Ere the heart's pure spirit-breathings Profaned by earth hath grown.

All the loveliness of childhood, What is it but the ray Of heaven which still tarries Around life's early day, Ere the birthright signet, given To mark a brighter sphere, Grows darkly dim, and vanishes Beneath each earth-stain here?

How pure the thoughts of childhood! In life's unshadowed hours They float amid a fairy land Of Zephers and of flowers, As float the sunbeams lightly O'er the glancings of a stream-The rosy hours of childhood, How beautiful they stem!

There is an immense deal of human nature in the following verse:

Of all my father's family, I love myself the best; So providence provides for me The d-l take the rest. Boston Bec.

FLESH TURNED TO STONE .- The London correspondent of the Boston Atlas states that Dr. Sitvestre, an Italian, has revived the discovery of "a method of hardening, even to the consistency or rather solidity of marble, any organized substance." He is further said to have exhibited, among other specimens of his skill "a woman's head, with the hair parted and dressed, the hair retaining its flexible proprieties and color, although the surface from which it grew resembled stone." There was also a child's hand plump and dimpled as in life, but cold, semi-transparent, and ringing like marble when struck. A piece of liver, of its deep, rich, chocolate brown color, somewhat resembled red granite, and a petrified tongue appeared as if it never could have omitted a sound. It was literally "a tongue in stone." The learned Doctor says, that so cheap is the process, that at a very small expense our dead friends may be turned into stone. This process throws entirely into the shade the Egyptian art of embalming.

STATED PRAYER.—There is no religion without prayer. Have stated times for devotion. At least begin and end every day with God. Take time from sleep, rather than want proper time for prayer. Watch against formality in your devotions. It is heartfelt prayers that are alone acceptable to God. Besides your intercourse with God at stated seasons, often look up to him, and ever go with him in the name of Jesus. Go into your closet, and down upon your knees with as much reverence, as if you beheld the blessed God.

You require to be often reminded of this. For whether in childhood, in youth or in manhood, we are all too apt to have a wandering heart in prayer, and repeat an outward form with the lips, but with a heart alas, far from God.

Oh! pray against heartlessness. as one of the most powerful temptations of your spiritual enemy. Could you ascend into heaven every morning and evening to offer your devotions to the Most High, and then return to earth again. what a life of holiness you would lead! What fervent prayer and thanksgiving would you offer—consider that the eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good, and that "all things are naked and open before man astride of the bark! him with whom we have to do."

It is by affliction chiefly that the heart of man is purified, and that his thoughts are fixed upon a

better state. Would'st thou learn to die nobly? Let thy vices die before thee. Happy is he who endeth the business of his life before his death; who, when the hour of it cometh. hath nothing else to do but to die; who wisheth no delay, because he has no longer use for his time.

To win a soul is your noblest prize, and the greater number you win, the greater and richer will be that crown of rejoicing which you will wear in the day of the Lord.

Watson.

FEARFUL SITUATION .- A Min suspended in the air by the Thumb. -A Mr. Gray, of Providence, meeting House, in Kingston, R. I., last week ascended the steepie to take off the vane for gilding, and having left the ladders, climbed the iron spire to the distance of 12 to 15 feet above, relying upon the ball, half way up the spire, to rest his feet on, and from which position he could take the vane off with his right hand. While he was in the very act, the ball on which his feet rested gave way and ran down the spire. At this moment he was raising the vane over the end of it; as he did so. the spire growing smaller, made a convenient place for his thumb to keep the balancer in the gudgeon bore, when the ball gave way unfer him and sunk. The vane falling back with his thumb in the gudgeon nore, held him fast, with his feet dangling in the air. He remained in this perilous situation until a man ascended the spire, and placing his shoulder under his feet, at once releived him. The scene was tirrible to behold.

TREASURES IN HEAVEN.—In heaven are deposited all your treasures: and to what spot is a man's heart so ready to return, as to that where his richest treasures lie? You are the "heirs of God," "begotten, to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you." What have you to do with dust who have such a "hope laid up for you in heaven?" You are called upon to rejoice and be exceeding glad," "and leap for joy, for great is your reward in heaven.' But how can you "leap for joy" in view of your inheritance, if you do not send your thoughts to survey it? With such a treasure in heaven, will you brood over your poverty here, over your lands and shops, and lose the present enjoyments of that inheritance?

SILENCE ON THE PRAIRIES .- One of the most striking things is the silence of the prairies. It is absolutely awful. At night, when the moon has gone down, and the stars are all out, to stand in the centre of one of these mammoth plains, and mark the deep unbroken silence that surrounds you, is sublimely impressive. I never witnessed any effect like it. Not a solitary sound can be heard-no insect, no bird, no beast, no human voice or step-but all is one space of grand and fearful sitence. Such a spot, far from the haunts of congregated multitudes, becomes to the good man like the glorious Bethel where the journeying patriarch slept.

THE PERFECTION OF THIEVING .-They have some expert thieves in Mi souri, if we are to believe the St. Louis American, which states that a man lately carried a saw-log to a mill, that it might be cut into toards. The mill was engaged for that day, and the owner would not ensure the salety of the log until next morning, unless the customer would sit astride of it to watch it all night. The man agreed to do so, but fell into a slight dose sometime in the night which the thieves took advantage of, and stole the wood of the log without suspicion, and left the

That'll do Mr. American: take the hat and say no more about it'

A CIVIL 'QUESTION .-- " Peter Gumbo, I wish to profound one interjection to you, and laxes, nigger, a cat and dog-ical solution to the probleum."

"Intescede, nigger-dis child am conce teratin de intellectual qualification of mental corporosity."

"Well den. Why am a Taylor appointed to command de forcieles ob de Texam army of occupashum?"

Gib him up without a struggle. "Shaw, nigger! It is to strengthen de seat of war, to make breaches in Matamoros, an' sew up de Mex-

Advices from Naples to June 27th, state that Mount Vesuvius was in full eruption, and vomitpainter of the Congregational ing forth masses of lava with great noise. During the night the flames presented a magnificent spectacle.

The steamer Radnor containing 60 tons of government stores, bound from St Louis to Fort Leavenworth, was lost on the 31st ult at the mouth of Lamine river, seven miles above Boonville.

Musquitoes—Good if true.--Parley's Magazine contains the following: "To get rid of these tormentors, take a few hot coals on a shovel or a chating dish. and burn upon them some brown sugar in your bed room and parlors, and you effectually banish or destroy every musquito for the night.

BLINDNESS VS. SIMPLICINY .- " Did ou take the note to Mr. Jack?"

"Yes, sur,"

" And how was he?"

"Why, he looked pretty well, out he's very blind."

"Blind! what do you mean?" "Why, while I wor in the room. he axed me where my hat wor, and it wor on my head all the

A letter from Adjutant General Jones, states that the Court martial proceedings in the case of Capt. S. B. Thornton, 2nd Dragoons, have come to hand. They exhibit the gratifying fact that he is acquitted of all the charges on which he was tried.

The Rev. George Groly has confessed to the authorship of "Ten Thousand a Year," so long attributed to Counsellor Warren, the author of " Passages in the Diary of a Physician."

CANDIDATES.

We are authorized to announce Dr. S. V. CAIN, as a candidate for Clerk of the Court at the next ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce THOS P SPIERIN as a candidate for Clerk of Court of Abbeville District at the ensuing

We are authorized to announce Mr. J. R. TARRANT, as a candidate for Sheriff at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce T. P. MOSELY as a candidate for Sheriff of Abbeville Dis. at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce W. A. COBB as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Abbeville District at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce JAS. S. WILSON as a candidate for Clerk of Court for Abbeville District at the ensuing Election.

The friends of A C HAWTHORN anounce him as a candidate for Sheriff for Abbeville District at the ensuing election We are authorized to announce VA. CHAEL HUGHEY as a candidate for Sheriff, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce Maj. A. ARNOLD, as a Candidate for Sheriff, at the ensuing election.

Ware-House and Commission Business, AND RECEIVING AND FOR-

(HAMBURG, S. C.)

The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he still continues the Ware-House Business at his old stand, and will also attend to the Receiving and Forwarding of Goods and other Merchandize, and the sale of Cotton, and all other business usu al y transacted by a Commission Mer-chant, His charges will be ir accordance with the times

THOMAS KERNAGHAN.
July 22 21 4t

Lan's for Sale. The subscriber offers for sale the PLANTATION on which he lives, three and a half miles above Hamburg, ly ing on Savannah river, containing about Five Hundred Acres of Land. On the DWELLING HOUSE, in the Pin-y Woods, out houses, a Grist Mill, Cotton Gin carried by water, and a small Fighery is attuched to it.

A PLANTATION in Barbor county, Alabama, eight miles from the market town Eutaula, containing Nine Hundred and Sixty Acres of Land, one third cleared and nnd under good fence. It has a two story DWELLING HOUSE, out houses and quarters for 60 negrues.

Any reasonable terms, to suit the purchaser, will be given on either place.
July 29 22 8t GEO. PARROTT.

NOTICE

Is hereby given to those concerned, that the citizens of Due West Corner, will apply for an Act of Incorporation at the next session of the Legislature.

May 15, 1846

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line, at the market price of the country.

SIMPSON BOBO, Agent.

Hurricane, S. C., July 22

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ESTRAY. James Moore, who lives near Smith's bridge, on Saluda river, Abbeville District, toils before me a sorrel Horse, with three white feet, and a white face extending down his right nostril, with a lump on his left jaw; fourteen hands high, foor years

olc, and appraised at seventeen dollars, JOHN C. WATERS, Magis'te.

Valuable Town Property for Sale.

The subscriber intending to sal his HOUSE and LOT in he Voltage of Abbeville, structed in a move to the country, offers for on the Public Square. The House is a comfortable and commodious one, and in connection with it, are two LAW OFFI. CES, which can be rented at fair price 8. All the out buildings and fencing are new, and the Dwelling House has been recently PAINTED. Any person wishing such property, would do well to call and see me.

Dec 17 42tf J. RAMEY.

DR. HULL'S Vegetable Fever and Ague and Anti Fever Pills.

Among all the advertised remedies of the day for ague and Fever, or Chill and Fever, none seem to meet with such rapidity of sale and give so much general satisfaction, as Dr Hull's celebrated Pills. Wherever they have been introduced, all tonics in whatever shape, all mixtures and Pills and preparations of every character, designed for this disease, have been discar-ded, and Dr. Hull's Ague Pills have been

received as the only permanent cure.

They stop the Chills and Fever the first day, and do not sicken the stomach or operate on the bowels. Young children and persons of all ages sexes, and conditions may use these Pills, not only with safety, but with the certainty of success.

Judge Forrest of Jonesboro, Ala, was

cured of a severe and obstinate case of Chills, with only half a box, after two physicians had exhausted all their skill.

Ma Lewis Covin, of Abbeville Dis. S. C., says he has sold several boxes of Hull's Pills, and never knew them to fail curing the chills and fever in a single instance.

Mr Wm S Mills, of Abbeville Dis, S. C, certifies that his wife was cured of an obstinate case of chills and fever of twelve months standing with only half a box of Hull's Pills; and also says his little daughter was cured of the chills and fever of 6 months standing with the remainder of the same box.

We might give scores of references and certificates, but we refer the reader to our agents, where they may obtain a pamphlet (gratis) giving a full description of the medicine and its manner of use. Price, \$1 per box with directions.

Dr. Hull's Cough Lozenges. Every family in the United States should keep a supply of Dr Hull's Cough Lozens ges in the house, not only as a preventive medicine against the consumptive tendencies of the climate, but as an effectual remedy in all cases of Coughs, Colds, Spitting of Blood, night Sweats, difficulty of breath ing, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Emaciathat this medicine is not a mere palliative, but is all powerful in removing all diseases of the Chest and Lungs, leading to Consumption and death. Price 25 cts per box

Dr. Hull's Worm Lozenges Are a preparation that never fail to remove Worms from children or adults. Children will cry for them, and eat them

as they would candy We suggest to all parents having chil-

dren whom they suspect of being troubled with worms to give these Lozenges a trial. The fact of their having cured upwards of forty thousand cases, puts their efficiency beyond doubt. Price 25 cts per box. Please remember the name and get Dr.

Hull's Lozenges, as no others before the puelic contain the virtues of his medicine. The above Medicines are for sale at the Drug Stor of

Drs. WARDLAW & DENDY, And at the Post Office by July 1 3m JOHN McLAREN.

To the People of Abbeville The subscriber respectfully solicits all persons ind bled to the Sheriffs Office for COST, Plaintiffs or Detendant's, are earn estly requested to come forward and settle, as thus is my last year in office. I shall be compelled to have all cost due me in the office settled. You will find myself or Mr Taggart always in attendance April 15 7 it J. RAMEY.

IRON. NAILS, CASTINGS, &c. THE SOUTH CAROLINA

MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Having recently made extensive improvements in their works, now offer to the public a good assortment of all the articles in

our line. We have no hesitation in recommending our Nails as being the best ever made in this part of the country. Our Iron and Castings are warranted good. The Furnace will be in blast in about a week, and we will have a Cupulo in operation shortly, which will enable us to execute any jobs in the casting or machinery line, in the best manner.

We will be pleased to receive orders at any time, and having taken great pains to deserve patronage, hope to receive it.

We take in payment, hesides cash and good notes, Bacon, Flour, Corn, Wheat, Rye, Oats, or any thing in the provision Hurricane, S. C., July 22

The State of South Carolina, ABBEVILLE DISTRICT.

In the Court of Common Pleas. Thomas L. Whitlock, who is in the custody of the Sheriff of Abbeville District, by virtue of a writ of capias ad satisfaciendum, at the suit of McCarter & Allen, having filed his petition, with a schedule of his whole estate, real and personal, for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the Act of the General Assembly called "the In-

Public notice is hereby given, that the petition of the said Thomas L Whitlock will be heard and considered in the Court of Common Pleas for Abbeville District, at Abbeville Court Hoose, on Thursday the tw nty-second day of October next, or such other day ther after as the Court may order during the T rm commencing at the place afor said, on the third Mon-day in October next; and all the creditors of the said Thomas L Whitlock are hereby summoned personally or by their attornies to appear then and there in the said Court to show cause, if any they can, why the benefit of the act aforesaid should not be granted to the said Thomas L Whitlock, ipon his executing the assignment required

by the acts aloresaid.

JNO F LIVINGSTON, C. C. P. Clerk's Office, July 18, 1846

The State of South Carolina. ABBEVILLE DISTRICT. In the Common Pleas.

William A. Cobb, vs. James Knox .-Foreign Attachment.

The Plaintiff in the above case having this day filed his Declaration in my office, and the Defendant having no wife or attorney known to be within the State, upon whom a copy thereof may be served: It is Order d that the said Defendant do appear and plead thereto within a year and a day from this date, or judgment by default will

be given against hum.
JNO. F. LIVINGSTON, Clerk. Clk's Office, March I4, 1846. 3 1y

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District-In the Court of Common Pleas.

Joseph W. W. Marshall, bearer, vs. Francis Henderson, sen'r. - Decl'n. in Attach't. on Prom'ry. Note.

Whereas, the Plaintiff in this action did, on this day, file his Declaration agrinst the Defendant, who is absent from and without the limits of this State, as it is said, and having neither wife nor attorney known, upon whom a copy of the above Declaration, with a rule to plead thereto, on or before the Twenty-second day of November next, otherwise, final and absolute judgment will be then given and awarded against the Defendant.

JNO. F. LIVINGSTON, Clerk. Clerk's Office, Nov 22, 1845 39 1y

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District,

In the Common Pleas. Agnes Kingsmore, Adm'x.) Decl'n. in

Foreign Francis Henderson. Attachm't. The Plaintiff having filed his Declaration in my office, and the Defendant having no wife or Attorney, known to be within the State, on whom a copy of the same, with a rule to plead, can be served: It is Ordered that the Defendant plead to the said Declaration within a year and a day, or final and absolute judgment will be given against him.

J. F. LIVINGSTON, Clerk. Clerk's Office, Nov 19, 1845

The State of South Carolina. ABBEVILLE DISTRICT. IN CHANCERY. Uriah O. Tate, v. Enos Asbury Tate .--

Bill for Partition. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, that Enos Asbury Tate, the D f mlant, resides beyond the limits of the State: On motion of Complainant's solientor, Ordered that he do appear and plead, answer or demor to the said bill within three months notice from the publication of this notice, or the same will be

taken pro confesso against him. H A JONES, C. E. Com'rs office, 8th June, 1846 16 3n 16 3m

The State of South Carolina, ABBEVILLE DISTRICT.

Joseph Lively and Mary, his wife, v. Wm. G. Cain, James Bolds, et al -

Bill for Partition, &c.

It appearing to my satisfaction that Gilbert Ivy and Rosannah, his wife, Defendants, reside beyond the limits of this State; Ordered that they do appear and pleas, answer or demur to the said bill, within three months from the publication. hereof, or the same will be taken pro confesso against them. H. A. JONES,

Com'rs office, 4th May, 1846 C. E. A. D. My 6 [pr's bul \$7,50] 10 18t Land for Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale his PLAN.

TATION, five miles east of Cokerbury on Saluda river, containing Four Hundred Acres, one hundred of which is river bottom. There are two surveys of it, both joining one tract, one containing 272, the 139 acres. I will sell altogether or separate, as may suit purchaser. Any person wishing to buy would do well to call and examine for themselves. It is well watered, and very healthy; a tolerably good Dwelling House; the out buildings ordinary. I will give one, two, and three years for the payment, in equal install-ments, and the price shall be full below the value of the lands, as I am determined to

move to the west the ensuing fall.
July 15 mtfiN ISHAM GORREE.