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POETRY.

The Pearl, The Crown, The Road, The Hope.

The pearl that worldlings covet,
Is not the pearl for me,
Its beauty fades as quickly,
As sunshine on the sea;
But there's a pearl sought by the wise,
'Tis called the pearl of greatest price;
Though few its value see,
O that's the pearl for me.

The crown that decks the monarch,
Is not the crown for me;
It dazzles but a moment,
Its brightness soon will flee;
But there's a crown prepared above,
For all who walk in humble love;
For ever bright 'twill be,
O that's the crown for me.

The road that many travel,
Is not the road for me;
It leads to death and sorrow,
In it I would not be.
But there's a road that leads to God,
'Tis mark'd by Christ's most precious blood,
The passage here is free,
O that's the road for me.

The hope that sinners cherish
Is not the hope for me;
Most surely will they perish
Unless from sin made free.
But there's a hope which rests in God,
And leads the soul to keep his word,
And sin ul pleasures flee;
O that's the hope for me.

Dictionary of Americanism.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 29th, 1848
My Dear Editor—I discover in looking over the latest papers, that some gentleman is about publishing a "Dictionary of Americanism," which item does not exactly please me, as I had just commenced a collection of them myself. But as he has got considerably the start of me, I will decline the idea entirely; still I would desire to see a few "isms" in his publication which, as they are just out, I am satisfied will not be in it. The first which I shall offer, is bible-back—a term which is applied to any one who is a good model, or has a good figure (for carrying salt sacks.)
JOHN OR MARY IN THE WAGON.—This is applied to persons of either sex, who are removed at any considerable distance from pretensions to good looks. It originated thus:

There was a collection of cotton-buyers once standing on the street very early in the morning, a little before the "sovereigns" began to come in with the loads of cotton; they were waiting the arrival of the wagons to commence the day's operations. While waiting very patiently, there came along one of said sovereigns, walking by the side of his "horses." He had no more pretensions to good looks than a dog has to "book learning," and as he passed, one of the buyers remarked in a loud tone that he would bet "spit" that he was the ugliest person in the world. The hoosier heard him, and stopped, saying he would take the bet, which was agreed to, and he was called upon for his "uglier." He went to the end of his wagon and called out, "Oh, sis, Marg, jest poke your purty face out here. I betting liquor on it."

The folds of the curtain were gently parted and put aside, when there protruded a phiz that would break any degenerate retype instrument to try to catch. The bet was settled, and the hoosier said that he was willing to risk five dollars that he could produce a phiz that would be as far ahead of Mary's as Mary's was a head of his, which was taken immediately, and the money put up. The hoosier walked around to the end of the wagon and called out, "John! John! wake up, and come to a showing, I'm a bettin' my pile on you! come out come out of that," when there was a head shoved out and raised a longside Mary's that would have shamed any sheep-head fish in the sea. The ugly spots were as thick on it as flies in a honey-gourd. Of course the bet was won by the hoosier.

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