

The daily papers announce the death on the 5th inst., of Mr. Frederick Shoberl, senior, after a short, but painful illness. He was, we believe, a German by birth; and in conjunction with old Mr. Ackermann of the Strand, he was the first to introduce among us the class of illustrated books called 'Annuals,' (the old 'Miscellanies' of the trade, with illustrations). 'The Forget Me Not' was the first,—and nearly the last—of its

kind. The family of the Shoberls has long been connected with the English press. One Mr. Shoberl (the son of the deceased) was for a long time a leading assistant in Mr. Colburn's great house for novels,—and was afterwards, as a publisher, in Great Marlborough Street, on his own account. Another Mr. Shoberl (a younger son, who died before his father) was long a well-known printer in Rupert Street. *March '53* 171040.2

Catal. of Printed Books

Stow's Annales folio.

F. Shoberl

Turo August 18. 1819

Dear Sir,

The above, the last trouble I hope, that I shall ever give you, has been delayed, owing to our Apices last week. It might indeed have been returned earlier in the present week; but that would have been of little use, as Mr. Tuxedy could not advise Crues of it till this day. Trusting that, before long, I shall have the pleasure of seeing you in London, I am

Dear Sir,

Yours very truly
F. Thoburn

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