

Cleveland.—The Superior Court closed its business yesterday. The only capital case was that of the State vs. Prior, charged with the murder of Jerry White, which was postponed by counsel for the prisoner, H. W. Guion and J. G. Bynum, Esqrs., who were assigned by the court for the defence.

Our town could scarcely appear more gloomy than it has for the week past, on account of the cold and wet that has caused a suspension of the improvements that were under way. When Mr Henderson's new establishment is completed, the Jail finished, (and a few high priced lots on main st. improved,) we will be proud to point them out to our visitors as monuments of individual and public enterprise, and home-mechanical proficiency. Blessed with health, and its concomitants, an industrious and moral community of every party and sect, eight merchant stores, four hotels, two "refectories," and any quantity of law or physic, who would wish a better location than Lincoln? There is not a vacant residence in town, and but one we know of that ought to be; yet if our boasting brethren of Spartanburg and Greenville will give us a call, we promise them a "possum supper and fixins," and a ball, too, if they don't say that Lincoln heads them yet. We are plain folks here, and am confident that none but ourself could dare expose such virgin honors to the world; but the fact is, any who has braved the troubles and vagaries of a Printer's life from 29 to 47 as we have done, just suits the occasion.

The Editor of the Lincoln Courier has been shocked to find that his birth day has not been chronicled among the "signs" and "remarkable occurrences," in the Almanac for 1847, said birth day occurring on the 4th December. He hopes his transit may meet that fate; as to age, that is a delicate matter.

FOREIGN.—By a late arrival we learn that the British Parliament was to assemble on the 18th for the despatch of business.

The Pope's rescript has been received, condemning the proposed Roman Catholic Provincial Colleges in Ireland. A feeling of universal sorrow and disappointment has been caused by it.

The Catholic Bishops of Ireland have addressed the Lord Lieutenant on the certain recurrence of the famine in the approaching winter. He promises that Government will interfere for the preservation of human life.

The affairs of Switzerland are fast approaching a crisis. The belligerent forces are in view of each other, and hostilities appear to be inevitable.

A reconciliation has taken place between the Queen of Spain and her husband. The late Minister of Finance is charged with the fraudulent issue of bonds to the extent of 160,000,000 reals.

The affairs of Italy are not yet satisfactorily adjusted. Austria continues obstinate, but does not seem disposed to take any aggressive steps.

Fresh failures to an enormous extent had taken place within the last fortnight, some of them the oldest establishments in the land, and all effecting, in a greater or less degree, various houses who have still continued to maintain their credit.

The Whig Legislature of Tennessee had not, at the latest dates, succeeded in electing a United States Senator. The two Houses had been balloting for a week or more. Mr Scatterling was always ahead. This is a pretty specimen of Whig love for the "spoils."

John McPherson Berrien and Wm B Dawson, both Feds, have been elected to the United States' Senate from the State of Georgia. Mr Berrien is an old sinner, politically, but the Whigs of Georgia hang on to him with as much tenacity as the Federalists of this State do to Mr. Badger.

The congregation who worship in one of the most gorgeous churches in New York, are about to construct a separate and cheaper place of worship for the poor! This, says the New World is making steerage passengers of the poor on the voyage to eternity. We rather think it is sending them to eternity in board horns or flatboats while the rich take passage for themselves in floating palaces.

The Bill for the Abolition of Capital Punishment was defeated in the New York Legislature, the vote being Ayes 43, Nays 53.

"My dear," said a gentleman to a young lady, whom he thought to be married, "do you wish to make a fool of me?" "No," replied the lady, "nature has saved me the trouble."

We have seen and heard of several curious articles being brought to market for sale but something entirely new, rare and unique was offered in our Streets on Saturday last—and for the Ladies, too bringing with it the strong recommendation of "being a labor-saving machine;" being nothing less than stick tooth brushes, already chewed to hand!



We are requested to invite the Democratic party of old Lincoln, to assemble at the Court House in Lincolnton, on Tuesday next, [County court] to take into consideration the subject of the Mexican war, and the approaching campaign for Governor, &c. General attendance is requested. X.

COMMUNICATION.
RAIL ROAD MEETING.

AT a meeting of the citizens of Lincoln county, held at the Court House in Lincolnton, on Saturday, the 20th ult., J. T. ALEXANDER, Esq., was called to the chair, and B. S. Johnson and T. J. Eccles appointed Secretaries.

The object of the meeting having been explained by Henry Casner, Esq., W. Lander, Esq. introduced the following resolutions, which he prefaced with remarks aptly suited to the occasion, and well calculated to carry conviction as to the necessity of our course, to the minds of all who will understand. They were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Lincoln County, hereby approve of the endeavors now being made to run the contemplated Rail Road from Columbia to Charlotte by Yorkville, S. C. and that we will co-operate with our friends in York District, to secure the road by the way of Yorkville.

Resolved, That we will extend not only our influence, but according to our ability, our money, to secure this great object.

Resolved, That these proceedings be published in the Lincoln Courier, Yorkville Miscellany, and Palmetto Banner, Columbia.

J. T. ALEXANDER,
Chairman.

B. S. JOHNSON, } Secretaries.
T. J. ECCLES, }

Attention! Town Company.



Be and appear at your usual muster ground in Lincolnton, on Saturday, Dec. 4th, properly armed and equipped as the law directs, for exercise.

Court Marshal on defaulters will be held after parade.
By order,
W. R. CLARK, O. S.

Dec 2

NOTICE.



There will be sold at the Court House in SHELBY, On Saturday, the 1st day of January next, on a credit of 12 months, TWELVE LIKELY NEGROES—belonging to the Estate of Thomas Roberts, deceased. This December the 1st day, 1847.

J. M. ROBERTS,
Administrator.

Dec 2

NOTICE.

The subscriber having retired from business, requests all those indebted to him to make settlement by the latter part of next week, or they will positively have to pay cost.

GILBERT PRESNELL.

Dec 2

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

By an interlocutory decree of the Court of Equity, made at Fall Term, 1847; it is required that all persons having claims secured in a Deed in Trust, made by Henry Fulenwider to Bartlett Shipp, present and prove them before the Clerk and Master in Equity of Lincoln County, on or before the 1st day of February next, or be forever thereafter excluded from any benefit therefrom.

W. WILLIAMSON,
Nov 6 50 C. & M. E.

TAILORING.

ALLEN ALEXANDER,
Having received the latest Fashions, is prepared to accommodate the public.—His terms are moderate, and his work shall not be excelled in taste or durability. CUTTING done at short notice.
Nov 10 21-

A STILLER WANTED.

Liberal wages will be paid for a good Stiller, for Four or Five months, by application to the subscriber, three miles south of Yorkville, York District, S. C.
JONATHAN L. SUTTON.
Nov 20 51-2

Church to Build.

Proposals will be received by the undersigned, Commissioners, until the 1st day of January, 1848, for building at the Brevard and Graham Family Grave Yard, nearly equi-distant between Graham's Furnace and Brevard's Forge, a new BRICK CHURCH, of the following dimensions, viz: 44 feet long by 28 wide; to have a stone foundation, and to be 15 feet high from the sills to the plates; to have 3 doors and 10 windows. The above building to be completed in a neat and workmanlike manner.

Further particulars and specifications will be given, when proposals are presented to
C. C. GRAHAM,
E. A. BREVARD,
W. M. JOHNSTON,
C. L. HUNTER,
D. DELINGER,
Oct 30 49-

Dr. MICHAEL'S PILLS,

AN EFFECTUAL CURE
For Chills and Fever, and warranted to cure whenever the directions are strictly followed; nor will they be found less effectual in relieving Nervous Headache.

The known efficacy and unparalleled success of these Pills, entitle them to more confidence than all the catch penny nostrums now deluging the country, and proposing cures for Chills and Fever, while the subsequent effects, arising out of deleterious compounds, serve to open new diseases, making serious inroads upon the tender coats of the stomach, &c. These remarks are not designed to puff, but simply to notify a suffering community where they may find a safe and efficacious cure.

The high testimonials, accompanying these Pills, justly entitle them to public confidence. By reference to the Bill of directions, it will be discoverable that they are not recommended by Tom, Dick and Harry, and nobody knows who; but by names whose veracity is beyond suspicion. A few will suffice—
Rev Saml Williamson, Pres't Davidson College, N. C.
Rev Cyrus Johnson, of Charlotte
Rev A M Foster & lady, S C Confer.
Rev W A Gamewell,
Rev Dr Jas F Gilmer, Mecklenburg.
Dr Thomas Harris, of Charlotte
H B Williams,

And many others. For particulars, see bill of directions. Supplies will be furnished by application to the inventor and proprietor, at Morganton, N C.
J. MICHAEL HAPPOLDT.
They can be obtained in Lincolnton, by application to
C. C. HENDERSON, Agent
Nov 5 50-1y

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

LINCOLN COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Qr. Sessions—Sep Session, 1847.
Asa F. Cochran and wife Caroline, vs.
George W. Motz.

Attachment levied on a servant Boy, named Bill.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant in this case resides without the limits of this State, so that the ordinary process of the law cannot be served on him, It is therefore Ordered, That publication be made in the Lincoln Courier, giving notice to the said defendant that he be and appear before the Justices of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for said county at the court house in Lincolnton on the first Monday in December next, then and there to plead or reply; or otherwise judgment final will be rendered against him, and the property levied on condemned to satisfy plaintiff's debt and costs.

Witness, Robert Williamson, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday in August, in the 72d year of our Independence, A. D. 1847.
R. WILLIAMSON,
Sept 18 Clerk.

LINCOLN SHOE STORE.

COME AND SEE!!



THE SUBSCRIBER,

Has just received an excellent assortment of Boots, Shoes, HATS and CAPS, which he flatters himself can be sold a little lower than any offered in this market.

Among his assortment [for Ladies] may be found all sorts, from the common Walking Shoe, up to the

FINEST CONGRESS BUSKIN, AND SEAL PARIS TIE.

Again he would say COME AND SEE before purchasing elsewhere. His store is on Main street, west of the Court House, in the building formerly occupied by Col. F. A. Hoke, as a Book Bindery.

HORATIO THOMSON.

Lincolnton, Dec 2, 1847.

52—1f

NEW STORE!

Hoke & Michal,

Would respectfully inform the public, that they have Just Received and opened at the old stand of Col. John Hoke, dec'd, an entirely NEW STOCK OF GOODS,

PURCHASED ENTIRELY FOR CASH,

Which they are determined shall be sold CHEAP. Call and see. No danger of getting old Goods—they have none. Besides Dry Goods and Silks of every variety, they will keep up a choice assortment of

Hardware, Cutlery, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, & Queensware

German Bolting Cloths, Carpenter's Tools, Groceries,

PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, &c &c.

They are young men anxious to do a business, and flatter themselves that they will sell Goods on such terms as will bring custom, therefore they ask you will come and look.
Lincolnton, N. C.
November 6 50—1f

NOTICE.

The Sale of the "High Shoals Property," advertised for the first, is postponed until the 8th day of December next.
H. W. BURTON,
Surviving Ex'r R H Burton, dec
Nov 20 51-2

NEW AND SPLENDID STABLES

The Proprietor of the YORKVILLE HOTEL, had his Stables burnt down in August last, by a stroke of lightning; he has now erected new ones, sufficiently large to contain Sixty Horses in good style, together with good orderly Hostlers. His hotel is now in successful operation, and he respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage of his old friends; and he hopes the travelling community will give him a call and see how they like him.

WYLLIE L. HARRIS.
Yorkville, S. C.
Nov 20 51-3

CENTRAL BOARDING HOUSE

BY MRS. OWEN.
Church street, opposite Planter's Hotel, CHARLESTON.

The location is in the very centre of business, within one or two minutes walk of the chief edifices of Religion, Commerce, Law, and the Daily Press.

Business men, Visitors, Country Merchants and Travellers genteely accommodated for one half the hotel charges. The patronage of the up-country is solicited.
Sept 25 47-3m

NOTICE.

George W M Calister, of this County, 3 miles and a half north-west of Dailas, on the 13 inst. entered with me as a stray, a GRAY MARE about 14 years old, about 15 hands high, dark mane and tail, spavined on the right hind leg, valued at 25 dollars.
M. H. HAND, Ranger.
Gaston County, Oct 14, 1847.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

LINCOLN COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Qr. Sessions—June Session, 1847.
ORDERED by Court, that hereafter Monday of each and every term of this Court be set apart for the transaction of County business. All the Justices of the County are requested to give their attendance accordingly.

Ordered further, that Jurors be summoned, and all State witnesses bound, to attend on Tuesday of each term, and not before.
Witness,
R. WILLIAMSON, Clerk.
Sept 18 46-

Land for Sale.

I will offer for sale, on the Land, on Monday, 6th December next, on the waters of Beaver dam, in Gaston county, 177 acres of LAND, joining the road leading from Lincolnton to Shelby, and joining Moses Roberts' land. Said Land sold under a Deed of Trust executed by Robert Smith, of Cleveland county, to secure the payment of certain monies to Thomas Williams.

Terms made known on day of sale.
JAMES W. JACKSON,
Trustee.
Oct 30 49-



FRESH ARRIVAL!

NEW GOODS.

C. C. HENDERSON,
Is now receiving at his old stand in Lincolnton, a large and splendid assortment of New and Fashionable

FALL AND WINTER GOODS, which, having been selected by himself with great care and economy, he can warrant as good, and sell as cheap, if not cheaper, than any other Merchant in the place. His Stock consists in part of

DRY GOODS:

Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, Oregon Cassimeres, Cashmerets, Croton Coatings, Erminets, Jeans, Vestings, Irish Linens, Drillings, Hosiery, Gloves, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, every quality. Laces, Ribbands, Edgings, Insertings, Patent Threads, Bindings, Fancy Colored Bonnet Silks, Rich New Style Oregon & Lama Plaid Silks, Velvets, Satins, Cashmeres, Delaines, Bombazines, Flairs, Alpaca, Gingham, Calicoes, Checks, Muslins, Cambrics, Bed Ticks, Flannels, Diapers, Worsted Serge, Jaconets, Sheetings, Shirtings, &c. &c. Queensware, Hardware, Crucibles, Carpetings, Dye Stuffs and Medicines, BOOTS AND SHOES, Bolting Cloths and Screen Wire, Coach Trimmings, a large variety, Harness Mountings and Saddle Trees, School Books and Stationary.

CHOICE PERFUMERY.

GROCERIES,

Of every description.

IRON CASTINGS and NAILS,

In fact the most General Assortment of Goods ever brought to this place.—The public are invited to call and examine for themselves; no trouble to show Goods.

Country Produce taken in exchange for merchandize.
Sept 18 46-