

War Department—The aggregate number of Officers, privates, &c. in the U. S. army is 6,186; the expences of the same for the last quarter of 1827, and three first quarters of 1828 is \$1,135,193 63. The total number of the Militia of the U. S. is 1,208,419; the aggregate of arms apportioned to the militia this year, is 15,000; the militia of North-Carolina is stated to be 60,660, the arms the State is to receive, 753.

Navy Department—Including the vessels built and building, the U. S. navy now consists of 12 ships of the line, 20 frigates, 16 sloops of war and 4 schooners; it is estimated, that there will be required for the Navy, during the year 1829, the sum of \$5,006,277 49, in addition to the unexpended balances that may remain on hand the 1st of Jan. 1829.

General Post-Office—On the 1st July, 1828, there were 7651 post-offices, yielding a revenue of \$1,598,134 43, for the year ending that date; the expenditures for the same period, \$1,623,330 40. There are 114,536 miles of post-roads. The total number of persons employed by the Department, including postmasters, assistant postmasters, clerks, contractors, and persons engaged in transporting the mail, is 26,956; there are about 17,534 horses employed, and 2376 carriages including sulkies and waggons.

Land Office—During the year 1827, and the two first quarters of 1828, there were sold of the public Lands, 1,268,327,51 acres; the aggregate receipts for which is \$2,061,073 43—incidental expences, salaries, and commissions, \$138,933 59. The amount of balances due from individuals on account of public Lands purchased prior to 1st July 1820, is \$4,174,039 04.

(COMMUNICATED.)

Pursuant to appointment a Conference of the Associated Methodist Churches convened at Whitaker's Chapel on the 19th Dec. 1828. The number in attendance was as considerable as could have been expected from the shortness of the notice. Pleasing indeed was the coalescence of sentiment and feeling prevalent in the body. The articles of Association recommended by the late convention at Baltimore were unanimously adopted, and measures taken accordingly. Rev. WILLIAM W. HILL having been formerly elected to Elder's orders by the Virginia Annual Conference, and not having thought proper to apply to the Bishops so called of that body for a consummation of that election, applied to said Conference at Whitaker's and was duly ordained by a Presbytery of said Conference; he was unanimously appointed their President to travel through the State in accordance with the Articles of their Association. Rev. MILES NASH was also appointed his Assistant. Their struggle is for religious freedom, and they hope shortly to be able to make an enlightened community acquainted with their plans and objects.

Preaching—The Rev. WM. W. HILL, has appointed to preach

at Stantonsburg, on Saturday and Sunday, the 24th and 25th January next; Saturday 31st Jan. and Sunday 1st February, at Harris' M. H. in Granville county; Tuesday 3d February, at Warrenton; Wednesday 4th, at Shady Grove; Friday 5th, at Bear Swamp M. H. in Halifax county; Saturday and Sunday, 7th and 8th, at Sampson's M. H.; and Monday evening 9th Feb. at Tarboro'.

Foreign—Advices from Liverpool to the 8th November, have been received at Philadelphia. The Cotton market was rather languid, and common qualities had declined 1-3d per lb. Prices of bonded Wheat and flour, are fully supported; but Indian Corn, continues dull. The political intelligence is not important.

Raleigh, Dec. 13.—On Friday last, at 12 o'clock, the oaths of office were administered to Governor Owen by Chief Justice Taylor, in the Common Hall, in the presence of both branches of the Legislature, and a crowded gallery of spectators. He was attended by the Judges of the Supreme Court, Ex-Governor Iredell, and Messrs. Bailey, Brodnax, Waddell and Bynum, the committee appointed by the Legislature for that purpose. After the ceremonies of inauguration had been completed, Gov. Owen made his acknowledgments to the Legislature in an appropriate and handsome address.

On Saturday, Wm. Robards, Esq. was re-elected Treasurer, and James Grant Esq. Comptroller of this State, without opposition.

The Editors of paper were, on Thursday last, re-elected printers to the State, without opposition.

We omitted to mention in our last paper, the rejection of the bill, in the House of Commons, to erect a new county, out of a part of Buncombe county and that portion of Burke county which lies west of the Allegany. The bill was on its second reading, and was lost after an animated debate of two days continuance, in Committee of the whole, Mr. Spruill in the Chair, by a vote of 65 to 62. The delegation of a single county, might, it will be perceived, have produced a different result. The measure was advocated by Mr. Newland and Mr. Swain, and opposed by Mr. Bynum.—*Star*.

MARRIED,

In Pitt county, on Thursday, 18th Mr. Jacob Horn to Miss Martha Vines—also, Mr. Eli Gay to Mrs. Fanny Cobb.

Removal.

THE Subscriber has removed his Boot and Shoe manufactory to the building directly opposite the Court-House, recently occupied by J. H. Mathewson & Co. He has on hand, a complete assortment of gentlemen's, ladies', and children's BOOTS AND SHOES—made of the best materials, and by first-rate workmen, which he will dispose of at reduced prices, lower than they can be obtained in this part of the country.

Orders for any work in his line, will be attended to at the shortest notice and executed with neatness and durability, as he has in his employ first-rate workmen.

JAS. H. HARTMUS. Tarboro', Dec. 23, 1828. 19-3

Price Current.
At Tarboro', Petersburg & New-York.

DEC. 19.	per	Tar'o'	Pet'rg	NYo'k
Bacon, - - -	lb	7 8	6 1/2	7 9 14
Beeswax, - - -	-	20 25	25 30	23 20
Brandy, apple, -	gal	45 50	45 50	36 40
Coffee, - - -	lb	16 20	13 17	11 15
Corn, - - -	bu	30 35	40 45	50 53
Cotton, - - -	lb	8 8 1/2	9 10	9 1/2 11
Cotton Bagging, -	-	20 25	20 25	19 21
Fleur, sup. - - -	bb	\$6 1/2 7	\$7 8	\$7 8 1/2
Lard, - - -	lb	7 8	7 8	6 7
Molasses, - - -	gal	40 45	35 40	27 32
Rum, New-Eng. -	-	50 60	35 40	32 38
Sugar, brown, -	lb	11 13	9 12	8 11
Salt, loose, - - -	bu	70 80	75 87	47 54
Wheat, - - -	-	90 \$1	\$1 1 1/2	
Whiskey, - - -	gal	40 50	30 35	23

North-Carolina Bank Notes.
At Petersburg, 3 to 4 per cent. discount.
At New-York, 4 to 4 1/2 do.

Valuable Property FOR SALE.

ON MONDAY, 12th of January next, I shall sell to the highest bidder, at my plantation on Swift creek, in Nash county, a fine parcel of Mules, a first-rate Saddle Horse, and a good Harness Horse—all my stock of Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, Farming Utensils, &c. &c. At the same time and place I shall, as surviving partner of Wm. T. Williams, dec'd, sell for cash, his interest in two brood mares and five colts, viz: one two year old stud colt by Washington, one year old stud colt by Marion, one year old filly by Archy, and two last spring colts, one by Eclipse and one by Shawanee. E. D. WHITEHEAD. Dec. 23, 1828. 19-3

Notice.

THE Subscriber has just received, in addition to her former assortment, some new and elegant articles, viz: A fresh supply of Leghorns, from 3 to \$18, Superior hobinett caps and capes, Feathered, velvet, and down flowers, Coral ear-drops and necklaces, Fancy reticules, pin-cushions, &c. Also, several other beautiful articles, which are worthy the attention of the Ladies. A. C. HOWARD. Tarboro', Dec. 23, 1828.

Shocco Female Academy.

MRS. LUCAS respectfully informs her friends and the public, that the Exercises of the above Academy will be resumed on the first Monday in February next.

The utmost attention will be paid to the morals and behaviour of the young Ladies placed in this Seminary; and its retired, pleasant and healthy situation, its salubrious air and fine spring water, make it a very desirable residence for youth. This Academy has been under her care for the last seven years, and only one case of sickness has occurred during this time, although the principal part of her pupils were from the most unhealthy parts of the State. Being only a few miles from the stage road, her Academy affords opportunities for Parents and Guardians of regular communications with their children and Wards.

In addition to the usual elements of Education and Plain and Ornamental Needle Work, the young Ladies will be instructed in Geography, History, Astronomy, Chemistry, Botany, Philosophy, Mythology, Drawing and Painting on Velvet, Music, &c.

TERMS—Board and Tuition, \$50 per Session. Music, \$20. Painting on Velvet, \$5. For Drawing, Painting on Paper, or Needle Work, no extra charge will be made.

Warren County, Dec. 15. 19-3

Notice.

EXPELLED from the Polemic Society, at the Fork Chapel in Pitt County, on Saturday, 13th inst. Reading White and William Norvell, for conduct unbecoming members of said society—also, Willie Belcher and Benjamin Phillips, for non-attendance, agreeably to the bye-laws.

WM. R. DUPREE, Sec'y. Dec. 20, 1828. 19-2

Mrs. O'Brien's School.

THIS Seminary will resume its operations on the first Monday in next month. Owing to the pressure of the times, we feel it obligatory on us to graduate the terms of Board and Tuition, as nearly as maybe to correspond therewith:

Board and Tuition per Session, \$55 00
Do. Do. for the younger pupils, 50 00
Music, - - - - 20 00
Tuition alone, - - - - 12 50
Do. for the younger pupils, - 10 00

Those charges include all the expences of the Institution except for Books and Stationary, which (if not provided by parents) are furnished at cost. There will be no summer vacation.

Williamsborough, N. C. } 19-3
Dec. 18, 1828.

Oxford Academies.

THE exercises in these Institutions will be resumed on Monday, the 12th January next; the Male Academy under the superintendency of Mr. James D. Johnston, and the Female, under that of the Rev. Joseph Labaree, as heretofore.

THOS. B. LITTEJOHN, Pres't. 9th, Dec. 1828. 18-3

COHEN'S OFFICE, 114 Market-st. }
Baltimore, Nov. 26th. }

Drawing of the 3d Scheme Maryland State Lottery, No. 6, for 1828.

No. 17058 prize of - - - \$2000
6848 prize of - - - 1000
13538 prize of - - - 500
838, 2418, 2428, 5778, 17438, 400
3328 | 15438 | 16928 } prizes of 50
11688 | 15738 | 17368 }
13938 | 16318 | 17888 }

20 of \$20; 34 of \$10; 35 of \$6; and 2000 of \$4 each.

The first drawn from the wheel was No. 19138—the terminating figure being 8, agreeably to the scheme, therefore, all tickets ending with 8, are entitled to Four Dollars each, and in addition to whatever prize they may have drawn besides.

All tickets ending with either 5, 5 or 8, are now determined. The fate of all others will be decided by the drawing of the FOURTH SUB-SCHEME, which will take place on WEDNESDAY, the 31st of December, on which day the whole of the following prizes will be distributed, and will complete the Lottery, viz:

HIGHEST PRIZE, Ten Thousand Dollars.

SCHEME:
1 prize of \$10,000 is 10,000 Dollars.
1 prize of 3,000 is 3,000 Dollars.
1 prize of 2,000 is 2,000 Dollars.
1 prize of 1,000 is 1,000 Dollars.
2 prizes of 500 is 1,000 Dollars.
5 prizes of 100 is 500 Dollars.
10 prizes of 50 is 500 Dollars.
40 prizes of 20 is 800 Dollars.
100 prizes of 10 is 1,000 Dollars.
4000 prizes of 5 is 20,000 Dolls.

4161 Prizes am'ting to 39,800 Dolls.

The whole payable in CASH, which as usual at COHEN'S OFFICE, can be had the moment they are drawn.

Whole Tickets, \$5.00 | Quarters, \$1.25
Halves, - - 2.50 | Eighths, 62 1/2 cts.

To be had in the greatest variety of Numbers at

COHEN'S Lottery and Exchange Office,

No. 114, MARKET-STREET,

Where the Capital Prizes in all the previous classes were sold, and where both the great prizes of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS each were sold in former Lotteries, and where more capital Prizes have been sold than at any other office in America.

Orders from any part of the United States, either by mail (post paid) or private conveyance, enclosing the cash or prizes, will meet the same prompt and punctual attention as if on personal application. Address

J. I. COHEN, Jr. & BROTHERS, Nov. 27, 1828. Baltimore