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Warrenton Female Academy. The Rev. E. Brainerd and the Rev. C. C. Brainerd.

LEAVING purchase of the situation recently occupied by Mrs. PLUNKETT, as a Female Seminary, propose to continue the same for the Education of Young Ladies, in the following branches:

Spelling, Reading, Writing, English Grammar, Modern and Ancient Geography, with the use of maps and globes, projecting Maps, Simple and compound Arithmetic, Mathematics, Elements of composition, Modern and Ancient History, Astronomy, Mechanics applied to Chronology, History and Astronomy, Natural History, Elements of Grammar, Mythology, Natural and Moral Philosophy, Logic, French, Spanish, Italian, and (if required) the Latin Language, Catechism, Hebrew, and Miscellaneous, with a course of lectures on Poesy, Music, Ornamental Penmanship, Plain and Ornamental Needlework, Drawing and Perspective, Painting in water-colours, on paper, vellum, velvet and silk, painting transparencies and in various styles, and various other branches.

TERMS PER SESSION. As previously established by Mrs. Plunkett— payable in advance.

English Tuition, in all its branches \$15
The Languages 12
Music 25
Reading Work 5
Drawing &c. as above, for each or per session 15
Painting in Oil 15

Making artificial Fruit and Flowers in Wax
Gilding &c. 10
Children, in Spelling, Reading & Writing, only 10
Board 50

THE TEACHERS. It is the Seminary desires to say a word on the present subject of morals. While their attention will be devoted to the formation of lady-like manners in their Pupils, their morals will be all more the subject of anxious watchfulness.

Notice. THE Books and Accounts of Burges and Hunter are this day conveyed to Wm. H. Hunter, for purposes mentioned in the last issue of this paper.

Bell Tavern. THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has removed to his old stand, immediately west of the State House Square, in the occupancy of Mr. Robert H. Wayne, where he is prepared to accommodate Travellers, Boarders and others.

For Sale, 475 Acres of LAND, lying on both sides of Newhope Creek, in Chatham county, about one mile from its mouth, adjoining the tracts of Anthony Armand, James Branch and Stewart Armand.

Union Hotel. THE Subscriber having purchased this Establishment, on Fayetteville Street, lately occupied by Mrs. Sarah Jeter, is now in possession to accommodate Travellers and Boarders.

A Situation Wanted. A gentleman, who has for several years presided in a Public Academy, is desirous to obtain a permanent situation in some healthy part of N. C.

Jailer's Notice. A molatto man was apprehended and committed to the jail in this county on the 14th of this instant, suspected of being a runaway.

Land for Sale. WILL be sold, on Saturday the 25th of November, inst. at public sale, on the premises, a Tract of Land, containing 444 1/2 acres, lying on the waters of Richmond Creek, in Franklin county.

COMMUNICATION. FOR THE STAR. ON INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT. Follow Citizens—The field is large and wide, and requires great management, and great force to cultivate it to perfection!

Notice. I think, I think, would be productive of good, as no doubt with me, whose character is directly at stake, and much to be expected from the individual or individuals, that possess it, of necessity for their own good at least, they will be attentive.

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Notice. With respect to the stock purchased and to be purchased with the proceeds of the Treasury Notes issued and to be issued, the Treasurer has hitherto been enabled to procure nine shares only of State Bank Stock—and sixteen shares only of the Stock of the Bank of Newbern for each of which purchases he gave par, or one hundred dollars per share.—He has bought of the Stock of the Bank of Cape Fear, two hundred and thirty-five (235) shares at ninety-five dollars per share; and has agreed to purchase, at the same rate, the Stock of that Bank which is at present held by the Cape-Fear Navigation Company, on the ground principally, of the interest which the State holds or has in that Company: Others have offered of the like kind of stock, but it appeared to him best to decline purchasing so largely in the stock of one and the same Bank, for the present and until the wishes of the Legislature should be known.—He is persuaded the Bank of Cape Fear is unquestionably solvent, and that its Stock is safe and valuable, and believes withal, that the present reduced market price of it, is to be accounted for, principally, and perhaps solely, from the circumstance of her Dividends having latterly been declared at the rate of 3 per cent, only, whilst those of our other Banks were declared at 4 per cent.

Notice. In obedience to the Resolution of the last General Assembly in regard to Wrecks, &c. &c. the Treasurer has invited the attention of the Solicitors for the State, for the ridings bordering on our sea coast, to that business, and doubts not they will enable him, at some future and early day, to report satisfactorily on the subject.

Notice. The Exposures or Statements of the situation of the Banks of Cape-Fear and Newbern, in December and June last, are herewith transmitted. Those required of the State Bank are not yet prepared, but will be made up to the present time, early in the next week, when they shall likewise be forwarded, without further delay.

Notice. Much and respectfully, JOHN HAYWOOD, Pub. Treas. Raleigh, Nov. 29, 1825.

Legislature of North Carolina. SENATE. Thursday, Dec. 1.

Mr. McDowell presented the petition of sundry citizens of Burke, on the subject of the State Road from Fayetteville to Morganton; which was referred to the committee on Internal Improvement.

Mr. Matthews presented the petition of Elizabeth Brickell, praying a divorce from her husband. Referred to the committee on Divorce and Alimony.

Mr. Howell presented the petition of sundry inhabitants of Wayne, to restore to credit George Jernigan. Referred to the committee of Propositions and Grievances.

The bill to establish Oak Grove Academy, in the county of Greene; the bill compelling the Register of Rowan county to keep his office in the Court House of said county; and the bill to declare in force, in the county of Rowan, the provisions of an act of 1824, to regulate the time of appointing overseers of roads in the counties of Montgomery and Person, were severally read the third time and ordered to be enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Wilson. Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to enquire into the expediency of passing a law to prevent the sale of Lottery Tickets in this State; and that they report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Parker presented a bill to extend the time for registering grants, surveys conveyances, powers of attorney, bills of sale, and deeds of gift; and Mr. Hill, of Franklin, a bill to amend an act, passed in 1822, to make compensation to the Jurors in Franklin and Camden; which were read three times and ordered to be enrolled.

Friday, Dec. 3. On motion of Mr. Bodie. Resolved, That the Judiciary committee be instructed to enquire into the expediency of amending an act passed in the year 1819, to prevent fraudulent trading with slaves so far as to prevent slaves from selling, except to the owners, or other persons having the management of them.

Mr. Davidson, of Mecklenburg, presented the following resolution, which was agreed to: Whereas, the General Government is going on gradually to furnish arms for the whole body of the Militia, and it is highly important that their organization and discipline should be more perfect than what is at this time, and the encouragement of Uniform Volunteer Regiments, as well as Volunteer Companies, in different parts of the State, might have a salutary effect.

Resolved, That the Committee on the Militia Laws and Public Arms be instructed to enquire into the expediency of amending the Militia Laws so that in each Regiment there shall be one Regiment of Uniform Volunteers, to which companies of Riflemen, Artillery and Grenadiers, now in each Regt. shall be attached and form a part; and in which regiments, the Public Arms of the State shall be distributed, under the supervision of the Militia, when formed, and at all times be subject to the call of the State for the purpose of suppressing insurrection, invasion, &c. and that the committee report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Parker, from the committee on Divorce and Alimony, reported a bill to divorce Elizabeth Brickell from her husband; also, a bill to divorce Martha Ferguson from her husband; also, a bill to secure to Elizabeth Witherspoon such property as she may hereafter acquire; which were read the first time and passed.

Mr. Parker, from the same committee, reported unfavorably to the petition of Wm. Baldwin. Concurred in.

Mr. Gilchrist, from the Committee of Claims, to whom was referred the petitions of Thos. C. Dunn and Geo. C. Mendelhall, reported a resolution in their favor for \$267 42.

Mr. Davidson, from the committee of Propositions and Grievances, reported a bill to restore to credit Geo. Jernigan, of Wayne county.

Mr. Speight, of Greene, from the committee of Finance, to whom was referred the bill to repeal the law fixing the sum to be paid for vacant lands, reported the same without amendment, which was made the order of the day for to-morrow.

Mr. Davidson, of Iredell, presented the memorial of sundry inhabitants of that county, praying for the improvement of a road leading from Smith's, in Iredell, to David Low's, in Wilkes; Referred to the committee on Internal Improvement.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, Mr. Wilson, of Edgecombe, in the Chair, to take into consideration the bill to advance the administration of Justice in the Courts of Equity, and to establish a Court for that purpose. After some debate, the committee rose, reported progress, and obtained leave to sit again.

Mr. Sneed presented the petition of Horace A. Burton, of Granville, Ex'r. of Robert Burton, dec'd, praying compensation for certain services rendered by his Testator in the Revolutionary War; which was referred to the Committee of Claims.

Saturday, Dec. 3. Mr. Speight, of Greene, from the joint select committee, to whom was referred the resolution of the Senate, directing certain enquiries to be made relative to the Public Printing, made the following Report, which was read and ordered to be sent to the House of Commons:

The joint select committee, to whom was referred the resolution of the Senate to inquire, whether any, and what contract was made with Jos. Giles & Son, at the last session of the General Assembly, for the Public Printing, and also to inquire what price the Public Printing can be obtained, report, That your committee have entered upon the duties assigned them, and have ascertained so far as relates to the first matter referred, that during the last session a committee was appointed, on the part of the House of Commons, to ascertain if the Public Printing could not be done on more economical terms.

The said committee waited on Bell & Lawrence, who stated they would do it for 900 dollars. The committee then waited on Messrs. Giles & Son, who said they would do it for 700 dollars, but that they would do it for an small sum as any other person. The committee then reported to the House that the Public Printing could be done for 900 dollars. No order was taken on the report by the House, either by bill or resolution. The said committee did not find themselves authorized to make any contract, nor did they, but simply report to the House the result of their inquiry. How far Messrs. Giles & Son are morally bound, your committee do not. With respect to the last matter re-

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