...state of the Union. Mr. Everett ... that sending such a memorial to ... Committee on Manufactures, ... be like sending sheep to the ..., considering the report which they ... presented to the House. Would ... be asked, prefer sending it to an ... unprejudiced and impartial ... committee, or to one which, it might ... considered, had already prejudged ... question? He was in favour of re... ...ing it to the Committee of the ... on the state of the Union. After ... observations from Mr. Hoffman, Mr. ...uffie, addressed the House in favour of ... reference proposed by his colleague, (Mr ...ton,) adverting, in the course of his re... ...ks, to the circumstance of the indignity ... upon the Committee of Ways and Means, ... the rejection, on its first reading, of the ... which they had reported, embracing, ...g other provisions, the subject of the ...ent memorial for the reduction of the ...y on bar and rolled iron, which, at pre... ...s, paid a duty amounting almost to an ut... prohibition. Mr. Ramsey, Mr. Burges, ... Mr. Mallary, likewise spoke upon the ...ject; and Mr. Verplanck replied: after ...ell, the memorial was referred to a Com...tee of the Whole on the state of the Un... The House then took up the conside...tion of the resolution proposed by Mr. Vin..., for the printing of the laws of several ...the Southern States, in relation to the In...ns within their territorial limits, as an ap...dage to the report of the Committee on ...ian Affairs presented by Mr. Bell, of ...nessee, and previously ordered to be ...inted. Mr. Bell addressed the House at ...e length. The question was upon the ...endment of Mr. Foster, of Georgia, as ...dified, to strike out the original resolu..., and direct the Clerk of the House to ...se to be printed the original laws of the ...tes extending jurisdiction over the Indian ...bes. Mr. Sterigere, after some observa...ns from Mr. Test, of Indiana, with respect ... the foregoing question, moved that the ...bject be referred to the Committee on In...n Affairs, after some discussion, Mr. Wilde ...ved that the resolution, as amended by ...e motion of Mr. Sterigere, be committed ... the Committee on Indian Affairs, with ...structions to select and report such, or so ...ch of the laws of the several States, the ...raties, and judicial doctrines, as it may be ...pper to print for the information of the ...use. Mr Sterigere adopted the amend...nt, upon which Mr. Vinton called for the ...s and nays. They were about to be taken ...on the question of agreeing to it, when, ...e hour having expired, the further con...deration of the subject was deferred. The ...l for the relief of Mrs. Decatur was taken ..., and advocated by Mr. Drayton, until the ...se of the sitting. The Hon James W. ...pley was, on motion of his colleague, Mr. ...clutyre, allowed leave of absence on ac...unt of indisposition.

Wednesday, March 3.—Mr. Thompson, of ...eorgia, from the Committee on the Militia, ...esented a communication received from the ...cretary of War, on the subject of that im...rtant arm of National defence. It was com...itted to a Committee of the Whole, on the ...te of the Union, and ordered to be printed. ...e resolution of Mr. Vinton, as amended by ... Foster, and subsequently modified, on ...e subject of the printing the laws relative ...the condition of the Indians, was then taken ..., and considerable debate ensued. The ...port of the Committee, on the contested ...ection case between mr. Newton and mr ...yal, was taken up. Mr. Storrs moved that ...e Committee rise, and re commit the report ...the Committee, on the ground of its not ...ing precise information, with respect to ...names, and conditions in life, of the dis...ilified voters. Mr Claiborne strenuously ...posed the motion, and urged the expedi...y of immediately proceeding to the con...eration of the subject. Mr. Alston, the ...airman of the Committee, stated that, al...ugh the motion of Mr. Storrs was utterly ...unprecedented, yet, nevertheless, he would ...ture to state, that the Committee on Elec...ns would be prepared, if it were consider...d necessary by the House, to state the rea...s of their rejection of some of the votes, ...d their decision in support of others. Mr. ...right and Mr Johnson, of Tennessee, ad...essed the Committee, the former in sup...rt of the proposed recommitment, and the ...ter in opposition to it. Mr. Polk also con...ded for the propriety of pursuing the in...estigation; as well from the circumstances ...nnected with the case itself, as from the ...t that, by reason of the session being now ...ore than half over, it was desirable that the ...estion respecting the person entitled to a ...t in the House, should be speedily settled. ... Taylor advocated the motion for recom...tment, and referred to former precedents ...support of his opinions. Mr. McCoy re...ied, and was followed by Mr. Sterigere, ...o expressed himself in favor of the recom...ttal of the report. Mr. Buchanan said, that ... deplored the fatality which appeared to ...vade the House, in respect to preventing ... progress of any business, without a long ... fruitless debate occurring upon its intro...ction. Mr. Tucker, of S. Carolina, vindi...ed the course pursued by the Committee ... Elections, stating, that the rule upon ...ich they had approved or rejected the ...s questioned, had been made equally ap...able, and had been, in fact, equally ...lied to the voters for each of the compet... Mr. Craig, of Virginia, deprecated ... continuance of the discussion, and argued ...avor of the report presented by the Com...ee on elections. Mr. Storrs, after some ...her discussion, withdrew his proposition; ... Mr. Loyall, from the bar of the House, ...essed the Committee until it rose, and an ...journment took place.

Thursday, March 4—Mr. Johnson of Ken...ky, Chairman of the Committee on the Post ...e and Post Roads, presented a report upon ... subject of the transmission of the public ...s upon Sundays; concluding with a resolu... that the committee be discharged from the ...ther consideration of the various memorials ...ferred to the House respecting it. The re..., which is of considerable length, presents a ...nous view of the arguments heretofore ad...ced upon the question. A debate arose upon ...tion of Mr. Chilton to print ten thousand ...s of the report. mr. McCreary, a member ... the committee, stated that, inasmuch as he ...ered from a majority of the committee in ... report, it was his intention to present a re... from the minority as soon as he should have ...ared it. The report of mr. Johnson was ...ately ordered to be referred to a Commit... of the Whole on the state of the Union. mr. ...ter moved that the usual number, only, be ...nted; but before a decision was taken upon the ...tion, the hour allotted for the consideration ... reports and resolutions expired. The House ... in Committee of the Whole, resumed the ...sideration of the contested election case be...n mr. Loyall and mr. Newton, of Virginia. ... former gentleman concluded his speech in ...ort of his claim as recognized by the Com...ee on elections, to assume his seat in the ...se, and was followed by mr. Newton, in re...ply, until the committee rose, and the House ...urned.

Friday, March 5.—The resolution of mr. Chil...on for the printing of ten thousand copies of the ...rt on the subject of the Sunday mails, was, ... some observations from mr. Mallary, in ...ort of the proposition, and a call from mr. ...Kiffe for the previous question, carried in ...affirmative, by a vote of 93 to 67. Mr. Me-

every principle) an adverse report on the merit of the project, which was read, and no equal number of copies were ordered to be printed. The after part of the business was then taken up, and the question upon the motion of mr. Hamlin to lay upon the table the proposition to remunerate the Commissioners, with instructions, to the Committee on Indian Affairs, was negatived by a vote of 111 to 69. The House went into Committee of the Whole on the contested Virginia election. Mr. Newton concluded his remarks in vindication of his right to a seat in the House. After a further and prolonged discussion, mr. Lovall spoke in reply, until after four o'clock, when the committee rose, reported progress, and obtained leave to sit again.

COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Editors of the Star.

Gentlemen.—In the Star of the 25th instant, Doctor Hunt has been so good as to give information to his "anonymous commentator," as he calls him, that "he never notices the attacks of one who seeks to fight behind a Q." It is extremely curious, indeed, that arguments lose their weight and importance, by being anonymous, or placed over a letter of the English alphabet. The author of Q did not consider himself bound to give his real name, as Doctor Hunt's remarks upon Mr. Leland's letter were before the public, and subject to the animadversions of any person who might think proper to examine them; and further, the Doctor was considered a man of so great zeal and invincible courage, that he would attempt the confutation of any argument that could be brought forward, name or no name. It is much easier to quibble about ceremonies of little or no consideration, than to answer arguments. Some pretext for getting off is better than none. The author of Q dont much like the Doctor's term "commentator;" for he never considered himself as writing a commentary upon the Doctor's puerile effort to confute the doctrine contained in Mr. Leland's letter. Q.

FOR THE STAR.

Sabbath Mails.—I have heard it asked, what is the difference between stopping the mails and stopping any traveller in a gig upon the road? I answer, very great; besides the two cases do not apply. Congress are not asked to *stop* the mails, but only not to *compel* them to run. Over the mails they have jurisdiction, over the traveller not. Compulsion is not desired. They are only requested to *abstain;*—not to exert power, but too withhold it. F.

THE STAR.

RALEIGH, MARCH 11, 1830.

Warning to Parents.—An infant child was recently burnt to death in Granville county. The mother left it asleep in the cradle, and went out to attend to some of her domestic affairs, and when she returned, the cradle and clothes were consumed, and part of the child's body burnt to ashes! It is supposed a spark of fire was wrapped up with the child when it was laid down.

Fire.—The dwelling house of Mr. Robert Jones, in Granville, we regret to learn, was lately destroyed by fire. It was consumed in the day time, and the fire was communicated to the building by the burning of shavings in the fire-place. This is the second time Mr. J. has met with the same misfortune within the space of a few years.

Fire at Wilmington.—It is with regret we learn from the Wilmington Recorder, that that town has been visited by another fire. At about day break, on the 1st instant, the house occupied by Mrs. George Smith, bordering on Front and Chesnut Streets, and owned by St John's Lodge, was consumed by fire. Besides the principal loss, which falls on the Lodge, whose policy of insurance had expired on the preceding day, Mrs. Smith sustained the loss of part of her furniture; and the fire companies were under the necessity of pulling down Mr. Lawton's cabinet work shop on the contiguous lot. The cause of the fire is attributed to the carelessness of a servant, in leaving a candle in the pantry, which, after burning most of the night, communicated fire to the window.

Editorial Changes.—The Halifax Minerva has altered its title to that of the *Roanoke Advocate.*

Mr. Henry D. Machen, editor of the Freeman's Echo, published at Washington, in Beaufort county, has entered into copartnership with Mr William G. Carrington; and the paper is, in a short time, to appear under the name of the *Washington Times.*

Mr. *Troup*, of Georgia, resumed his seat in the Senate of the United States on the 3d instant.

On Friday last, Gen. John Floyd took the oaths of office, and entered upon the duties of Governor of Virginia.

Mr. Webster.—We copy the subjoined extract of a letter, relative to an occurrence in the Senate in which Mr. Webster was called to order by the Vice President, from the Philadelphia Gazette, which paper states that it is from a source that may be depended upon. The account it gives of the transaction fully accords with the one which we have received from a gentleman of the first respectability, who was also an eye-witness.

Mr. Webster in the course of his reply to Mr. Hayne, took occasion to vindicate his own consistency in relation to the subject of internal improvement. He traced his own course back to the year 1816, and alleged that he had been in favor of this power, as exercised by the general government, and that he followed a South Carolina lead. *To Duce*, he said, in this part of his argument, bowing towards the Vice President. He proceeded to remark, that if the *leaders* whom he followed, saw other lights and turned a short angle, he not seeing the same lights, would go on. No man could mistake this direct allusion, when immediately afterwards Mr. Webster spoke of the ascending state of South Carolina, which had gone off in a tangent. At this place Mr. Calhoun interrupted him somewhat sternly, and enquired whether "the gentleman from Massachusetts intended to charge the person who occupied the chair, with having changed his sentiments on that subject." Mr. Webster, somewhat to my surprise, considering the directness of the attack, disclaimed all such intention. He was unwilling he said to allude in any manner to a person not in a situation to reply, and he had no knowledge of any such change in the sentiments of the Vice President. How (this language admits with the due force, that our judge of well as to the facts as we have stated, and they were so understood by every person who was present, with whom I have conversed on the subject. I was present myself, and cannot be mistaken.

Obedient Letter Writers.—The following note from Mr. M'Duffie goes to root one of the many misrepresentations relative to the officers of government, which are fabricated and circulated by a set of anonymous letter writers at Washington, whose effusions have, for several months past, found a conspicuous place in almost every opposition print in the Union:

To the Editor of the United States Telegraph.

WASHINGTON, 4th March, 1830.

SIR: As the anonymous letter writers from Washington, persevere in repeating the story which originally appeared in the Richmond Whig, relative to an alleged interview between Mr. VAN BUREN and myself, notwithstanding your denial of it, I ask the use of your paper to state, unequivocally, that the story is utterly destitute, in all its parts, of the shadow of truth. Nothing, having the remotest resemblance to any one of the details of that story, ever occurred; nor have I ever had a single word of difference with Mr. Van Buren, on any subject whatever. As a longer silence on my part, might be construed into an acquiescence in the truth of a statement, which I know to be unfounded, I have felt it to be due to my *self*, as well as to Mr. Van Buren, to make this public contradiction of it.

Your obedient serv't
GEO. McDUFFIE.

Distressing Accident.—The Norfolk papers announce the death of Mr. *John Harrell* of Hertford county, under the following afflicting circumstances: Mr. Harrell was returning home from court on Monday, the 22d ultimo, with his little son, in a gig; when the horse took fright, and, whilst endeavoring to pull him in, the reins broke. Having thus lost all control over his horse, Mr. H. desired his son to jump out, who did so, and escaped without injury. The father then attempted to escape from the vehicle in the same manner; but, unfortunately, the wheel came in contact with his head, and fractured the temporal bone. He lingered until the following evening, when he expired.

On the 4th instant, a public dinner was given to the Hon. *Langdon Cheves* at Charleston, S. C. which was numerously attended. Among the regular toasts were the following:

The President of the United States.—May the wisdom and equity of his administration place him as exalted in the estimation of posterity, as he already is in the favor of his countrymen.

The Vice President of the United States.—The virtues of the Man, and the talents of the Statesman, unite to render him the admiration of the Country, and the pride of his native State.

Our distinguished guest, Honorable Langdon Cheves.—Absence has not estranged his affections from his early friends—His return to his native home, is greeted by the cordial welcome of a whole community.

Here Mr. Cheves rose, made his acknowledgments to the company in an appropriate address, and offered the following sentiment:

The City of Charleston, my kind foster Mother.—May renewed prosperity enable her to cherish many, not more grateful, but more meritorious Sons.

Ohio.—A meeting of a number of democratic republicans of Ohio, assembled from various parts of the State, friendly to the present Administration, was held at Columbus on the 20th ultimo. After the organization of the meeting, a committee was appointed, who, after retiring a short time, reported a preamble and resolutions, approving of the administration of President Jackson, and recommending the appointment of delegates in the several counties to attend a State Convention, to be holden at Columbus on the second Monday of July next, for the purpose of nominating a suitable candidate for Governor.

The Legislature of New Jersey has passed an act abolishing imprisonment for debt in that State.

Female Witnesses.—At the late session of the Legislature of Georgia, an act was passed, dispensing with the attendance of females in Courts as witnesses, except in criminal cases. Their testimony is to be taken in private by Commissioners, before whom they are required to give depositions under the same penalties that before enforced their personal attendance in Court.

Shameful Outrage.—We learn from the New Hampshire Patriot, that, on the 24th ultimo, the effigy of Col. *Decatur*, a brother of the late gallant Commodore, was hung before his own door. This was done by the Adams party, in consequence of the part which Col. D. in conjunction with the other friends of the present National Administration in New Hampshire, took in the pending elections in that State for Governor, &c.

Tarboro', March 5.

Mysterious Circumstance.—We understand from a creditable source, that on Saturday week, a negro boy going to mr. Hearn's mill, discovered about 8 miles from this place, traces of something having been drawn across the road into the woods; curiosity prompted him to follow the track, when he discovered, a short distance from the road, the body of a white man which had on only a shirt and white flanned drawers—the boy went to the mill and told what he had seen, which induced several persons to visit the body, at this time become so disfigured by the buzzards, that its features could not be discerned—before proper steps could be taken to investigate the matter, the body was suddenly and secretly removed. Considerable excitement prevails in the neighborhood, and enquiries are making which we trust will elucidate this singular and unprecedented affair.—*Free Press.*

Washington, March 4.

A Rogue Caught.—A few nights ago, one of the clerks of the Post-office of this city, going into the office at a late hour, discovered a tin trap suspended from the outside of the mouth of the letter-box, which at the time of its discovery, was full of letters, which had been dropped into it since the snare had been set. It being an ingenious contrivance, in which some mechanical dexterity had been employed, our police officers were set to work, and, having found out the workshop where a particular part of the work was done, and thus obtained a clue to lead them to the detection of the offender, soon traced him out. On Monday he was apprehended, and confessed the fact, and is now committed for trial. He is an entire stranger in the city.

National Intelligencer.

Milledgeville, Feb. 27.

The two troops of Cavalry sent from Alabama into the Creek Nation to aid the Sheriff in arresting the Principal Chief, Tuskina, for the stoppage and detention of the public Mail, had to return without accomplishing their object, as Tuskina kept himself concealed. It was understood however, that the Chief had since gone to Fort Mitchell, with the intention of surrendering himself to the officer commanding the United States troops there. The Indians as may be supposed, were greatly alarmed at the appearance in their Nation of the armed men from Alabama, and the Chiefs prudently resolved not to countenance their headman in his improper conduct.

The Montgomery Journal of the 19th says "A more serious disturbance than the stopping of the stage by Tuskina, has taken place in the part of the Creek nation attached to the county of Shelby. The keeper of the public property, in that part of the nation, which consisted of cattle, wine and ammunition, was a few days since attacked by the Indians, and after being whipped and tied for some time, was drove from the nation. Another white man was also beaten very severely, and, however, without his stabbing an Indian and killing a squaw. The Indians have taken possession of the property. The whole regiment of Shelby county has been ordered out, consisting of 800 men, who were to have crossed into the nation on the 17th, to rescue the property. It is said a fight is more than probable."

Since the above was written, we have been told that Tuskina is not the Head Chief of the Nation, as stated in the Alabama papers, and that his only object in stopping the Stage was to compel the payment of toll over a bridge in the Indian country.—*Recorder.*

The Court Martial.—We regret to see that some respectable papers have copied the notices of the National Intelligencer upon the subject of the Court Martial now in session in this city. A moment's reflection must satisfy all of the impropriety of such notices, at the present time, *if true;* they are highly culpable, being *false.*

U. S. Telegraph.

Tri weekly Mail to Salisbury.—It will doubtless be an acceptable piece of information to a large portion of our readers, to be informed, that assurances have been given, by the Post Master General, that the semi-weekly Stage Mail through Salisbury, North and South, will, some time within twelve months, be extended, so as to run three times a week. We are advised, by the Hon. *Bedford Brown*, one of our Senators in Congress, that the state of the finances of the Department will not warrant the Post Master General in granting the extension immediately; but that our application will be kept in view, and our wishes be complied with early in the ensuing year. We learn further, from the same source, that the subject of an alteration in the main stage route, &c. from Greensborough to the south, has been under advisement by the Department; and a decision made, adverse to any change *at present.*

Western Carolinian.

Hayti and Spain.—By the brig *Mentor*, arrived at Baltimore from Port au Prince, the editors of the *American* have received a copy of a proclamation of President Boyer, relative to a demand made upon the Haytien Government by the King of Spain, for the delivery of the former Spanish part of the Island. The President exhorts the inhabitants of the eastern part of the Island and its dependencies to remain firm in their adherence to their constitution, &c. and promises his protection in case of danger.

Powers of Attorney.—The New York Mercantile Advertiser states, that the Superior Court, sitting in that city, has made the following important decision on the subject of powers of attorney. A note, indorsed under a power of attorney, was discounted by one of the banks in New York, and the proceeds drawn out by the agent. It appeared, however, that, on the day previous, the principal to whom the note belonged, and who resided in Massachusetts, had died, without any knowledge of the event, on the part either of the bank or the agent. The Court held that the indorsement was void—that, by the common law, death, whether known or not, operates as an instantaneous revocation—and that, as a necessary consequence, the Bank could not recover on the note. The principle of the decision, as will be seen, is equally applicable to the case of a transfer of stock, or any other act, done under a power.

Something new.—Sometime during Christmas holidays, a married lady in Currituck county, by the name of Bundy, hearing the noise of hounds in full chase, looked in that direction and perceived a deer approaching the house.—She immediately seized a gun and as soon as the deer came near enough, she fired and brought down a large buck, to the astonishment of all the sportsmen, who soon came up.

Elizabeth City Star.

Hillsboro', March 3.

Melancholy Accident.—A melancholy accident occurred near Mr. John Mooring's, on the Raleigh road, on Friday evening last. Mr. William Hall, of Guilford county, was on his road to Newbern with a loaded wagon; and in attempting to get into the fore part of the wagon, his foot slipped and he fell, and the wheel passed over his breast. He survived but a few hours.—*Recorder.*

Shocking casualty.—We learn from the Rutherford Spectator, that the house of Mr. Wm. Thompson, of that county, was burnt on the night of the 26th Nov.; and Mrs. Thompson, and two of her children, perished by the flames.

It is stated in the same paper, that a little daughter of Mr. Stott, aged about 12, was burned to death on 31st Jan.—her clothes having caught from a fire kindled with shavings out of doors, around which a number of children were playing. It is to be hoped this latter casualty will serve as a warning to parents, and others who have the care of children, to exercise a due vigilance in guarding against the occurrence of such afflictive accidents.—*West. Carolinian.*

FROM MEXICO

We have received late intelligence from Mexico, confirming the account of Bustamente's triumph over Guerrero, and all the particulars of the new revolution in the Mexican Government, as they have been related in this paper. Mr. Poinsett left the city of Mexico on the 5th ultimo, with an escort, provided by the Government, of twenty men, who behaved well on the whole route to Tampico. At this port, he found the Falmouth ready to receive him. The appearance at Vera Cruz, some time before, of the three American ships of war, the Falmouth, the Erie, and the Peacock, created a sensation even in the Mexican capital. On the 1st January, the Americans in the city of Mexico gave Mr. Poinsett a grand public dinner, of which we shall publish a full account to-morrow or the next day. Col. Butler, Charge d'Affaires of our Government, arrived a few days before, and was present at the dinner.

The revolution is not calculated to give tranquillity to the country; and the spirit of the new rulers is far from being kind to these United States. The paper called *El Sol* is now the official organ of the Government. We quote from it the two subjoined paragraphs as specimens of its tone, which scarcely realizes the hope expressed by President Jackson in his message that an advantageous change would occur in our affairs in Mexico.

[From the Mexican Gazette "El Sol," 5th January.]

"Joy to North America on the departure of the Minister *Poinsett.*

"On Sunday, the famous Mr. Poinsett left Mexico, after having fulfilled his diplomatic mission wonderfully well. This renowned founder of Yorkism, on flying from amongst us, was accompanied by millions of curses, and by the Deputy Cerecero, who will remain without his lord and best friend."

[From the same, 9th January.]

"A few days before the departure of Mr. Poinsett from this capital, the American *Col. Butler* arrived, commissioned, it is said, by the Government of Washington, to negotiate with ours on the cession of the Province of Texas, and authorised to offer for the same the sum of five millions of dollars. As we are not informed that the Colonel has as yet done any thing in this matter, we presume he does the new Administration the justice to believe them incapable of lending themselves to a transaction as prejudicial and disgraceful to the Republic, as disreputable to the Minister who should subscribe it.

"We understand, also, that Colonel Butler came by land from Philadelphia, and that the fatigue consequent on so long a journey, is the ostensible reason for not having presented himself to our Government, and delivered his credentials, which it is known he received after his arrival at this capital, to enter upon the duties of Charge d'Affaires of the United States of the North."

Heretofore, the insults to the representatives of this country originated with those whom the Mexican rulers themselves styled factious: now, they seem to proceed from the administration itself.—*Nat. Gaz.*

Sir Thomas Lawrence, the most eminent portrait painter of the age, died suddenly in London on the 7th January.

A law was passed at the late session of the Tennessee Legislature, the first section of which contains the following extraordinary provision:

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, That it shall be lawful for any man in this State, whose wife has had or may have *three or more children at one birth*, to lay down on any one of the general plans in either of the Surveyor's offices South and West of the Congressional reservation line, any quantity of vacant land not exceeding two hundred acres for each of his children, so that the same does not interfere with the claims of any occupant.

Oriental Manuscripts.—We have seen, with great pleasure, a collection of curious Oriental manuscripts, now in the Capitol, and some of which have been left in the Library of Congress. They were brought to this country from Algiers, where they were procured by Wm. B. Hodgson, Esq. late acting Consul General at that place. These MSS. are in the Arabic, Turkish and Persian languages, and amount to nearly three hundred in number. Among them, are represented to be two in the Berber language, the only ones that are known to exist.

These manuscripts, as we understand from Mr. Hodgson, comprise treatises on every subject known to the science of Mahommedans. There are works on history, grammar, geography, astronomy, poetry, and medicine. Among the works on medicine, is a beautiful manuscript of the celebrated Avicenna. A system of geography was shown to us, having a colored map of the world, according to the Ptolemaic theory. Some of these manuscripts are magnificently illuminated.

This is, as far as we can learn, the first extensive collection of Oriental manuscripts, that has ever been brought to this country. It doubtless required much patience, time, and expense, to procure them; and for this valuable contribution to our rising literature, acknowledgments are due to the enlightened zeal which prompted it.—*Nat. Int.*

Captain Crocker, of the N. York packet ship Pacific, has now completed *one hundred and fifty two passages* across the Atlantic, without having met with a serious accident at sea.

MARRIED

On the 18th ultimo, at the house of the Rev. Robert Tate, in New Hanover county, the Rev. Duncan M'Intyre, of Richmond county, to Miss Margaret E. Tate.

In Orange county, on the 24th ult. Mr. William A. Royster to Miss Ann Glass.

In Iredell county, on the 18th ult. Mr. David H. Bodell, of Burke, to Miss Marina Wallace, of the former county.

In Brunswick county, on the 24th ultimo, Mr. Henry Nutt, of Wilmington, to Miss Louisa Frink, daughter of Samuel Frink, Esq. of the former place.

In Perquimons county, on the 17th ult. Mr. Samuel Newby to Miss Martha Ann Perry, daughter of Josiah Perry, Esq. At Hertford, in the same county, on the 18th, Mr. Enos Elliott to Miss Eliza Pool.

In Granville county, on the 25th ultimo, Mr. Samuel Fuller to Miss Nancy Bryant, daughter of Mr. Edward Bryant.

At Scotland Neck, Halifax county, on the 25th ultimo, Mr. Arthur E. Barlow, of Edgecomb, to Miss Winifred Atkinson, daughter of Mr. Joel Atkinson, of the former county.

DIED

In this city, on Friday morning last, at the residence of Gavin Hogg, Esq. the Rt. Rev. John Stark Ravenscroft, D.D. Bishop of the Prot. Episcopal Church in North Carolina, in the 68th year of his age. During a long illness, which, from the first, he was persuaded was a "sickness unto death," he manifested a perfect and Christian resignation to the will of God, and looked forward to his approaching dissolution with a calmness and intrepidity inspired only by an unwavering faith, and a steadfast hope in the mercy of God through the atonement of Christ. Retaining his confidence in the principles which he had so ably maintained, unimpaired to the last, and exhibiting in his conversation and deportment an impressive example of the power of the Gospel—in the full possession of his reason, he resigned his soul into the hands of his Redeemer and his God, and thus closed his Christian course in a manner becoming the eminent character which he had sustained as a minister of Jesus Christ. On Saturday evening his remains were attended by a numerous collection of the citizens to the Episcopal Church, and interred within the chancel—the burial service being performed by the Rev. George W. Freeman, Rector of the Church.—*Communicated.*

In Surry county, on the 21st ultimo, Mrs. Elizabeth Hill, consort of Mr. John Hill, aged 74.

In Cabarrus county, on the 29th ultimo, Mr. Parmenio Rodgers, in the 41st year of his age.

At Washington, in Beaufort county, on the 22d ultimo, Mrs. Elizabeth Price, relict of the late Capt. Matthew Price.

At Wilmington, suddenly, on the 1st instant, Mr. David Jones, aged 37.

Lately, in New Hanover county, Mr. William Sharpless, aged 85.

In Brunswick county, on the 14th ultimo, Mrs. Mary Sullivan, aged 73.

In Perquimons county, on the 23d ult. Mrs. Martha White, consort of Mr. Andrew White.

To Hatters.

The subscriber wishes to employ one or two journeymen hatters by the piece, month or year. Good wages will be given for those well qualified for the business.

C. JOHNSON.

Pitt county, N. C. Feb. 25, 1830 11 3t

Trust sale.

By virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by Dr. Wm. H. Hunter, deceased, for certain purposes therein mentioned, will be sold on Wednesday the 31st inst. at or near the Post Office, a valuable library of medical, scientific and miscellaneous books; also several cases of surgical instruments, medicines, shop furniture, drawers, a small housemaid's pistol, &c. &c. Terms made known on the day of sale.

THO. G. SCOTT, Trustee.

March 8, 1830 11 3t

Notice.

I hereby forewarn all persons from trading for, or receiving a note of hand, executed by the late Robert C. Hilliard, to Nathaniel Hunt, for fifty-two dollars and sixty-two cents, the 10th October, 1829, as I do not intend to pay it until the said Hunt comes to a settlement with me, as executor of said Robert C. Hilliard. This 9th March, 1830.

WILL. H. HILLIARD, Ex'r.

11 3tp

Jacks and Jennies

FOR SALE.

On Tuesday, the 16th day of March next, will be sold on a credit of twelve months, at Pittsborough, Chatham county, North Carolina, one Jack, 11 years old; one Jack, 7 years old; one Jenny, 11 years old; one Jenny, rising 2 years; all likely; one gold watch and one silver watch, the property of Henry Lutterloh, deceased.

LEWIS LUTTERLOH, Adm'r.

February 22, 1830 11 3t

WASHINGTON

Has arrived at his stand, in fine health, and will render service at ten dollars the single instance, to be paid in advance—twenty dollars the season, which may be discharged by the payment of fifteen dollars, if paid within the season; thirty dollars to insure, to be paid when it is ascertained the mare is in foal or the property changed; fifty cents to the Groom in every instance. Mares left with the horse will have good pasturage gratis, or if required fed on grain at 20 cents per day. Every care will be taken to prevent, but I will not be responsible for escapes, or accidents of any kind.

Washington's pedigree and performance being so well known, I deem it unnecessary to mention them; for particulars see bills.

JOHN C. VANHOOK.

Leasburg, Caswell, N. C. Feb. 27 11 3t

20 Dollars Reward.

Runaway from the subscriber on the 17th of January last, a likely negro fellow Abram, dark complexion, bald headed, and a little cross-eyed, he is about five feet three or four inches high. He was purchased by me from Hamil. Blackwell, of Kentucky, about six years ago, and was formerly the property of John Gromes, of Kentucky, and I expect he will try to get back to that country. If any person should take up said negro fellow, they will render a particular favor on me by giving information where he is, besides the above reward.

JACOB SHUFFLEY.

Edgefield C. H. S. C. Feb. 26, 1830 11 3t

Five Cents Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber on the 25th December last an apprentice by the name of Harrell, aged between 19 and 20 years old. All persons are forewarned from harboring or employing said apprentice, and the above reward will be given for his apprehension and delivery to me.

ALSEY HUNTER.

Wake county, March 11, 1830 11 3t