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By LEMUEL BINGHAM,
THREE DOLLARS A YEAR, PAID IN ADVANCE.
No paper will be discontinued, unless at the
direction of the editor, until all arrearages are
paid.
ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted at the usual
rates. Persons sending in advertisements, are
requested to note on the margin the number of
insertions, or they will be continued until forbid,
and charged accordingly.

State of North-Carolina,
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.
Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, 1825.
JANE PERRY vs. Gray Perry.—Petition for
Divorce.—It appearing to the satisfaction
of the court, that the defendant is not a resident
of this state—Ordered, therefore, that ad-
vertisement be made three months in the Ca-
tawba Journal, that the defendant come forward
on or before the next Superior Court of Law,
to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at
the Court-House in Charlotte, on the 7th Mon-
day after the 4th Monday in September next,
and plead, answer or demur, otherwise the pe-
tition will be taken pro confesso and heard ex
parte.
Teste,
J. M. HUTCHISON, Clk. S. C.
5m51—price adv. \$4.

State of North-Carolina,
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.
Court of Equity for Mecklenburg county,
May Sessions, 1825.
Samuel Roach, vs. **ANDREW HERON,**
James Moore, &c. In this case it is ordered,
that publication be made
six weeks in the Catawba
Journal, that unless Andrew
Heron and James Moore, two of the defendants
in this case, appear at the next Superior Court
of Law and Equity, to be held for this county,
on the seventh Monday after the fourth Monday
in September next, and answer, the bill will be
taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to
them.
D. R. DUNLAP, c. M. E.
6m49.—price adv. \$2.

A Chance for Bargains.
THE subscriber has upwards of five thousand
dollars worth of stock on hand, consisting
of upper, sole, and harness leather, waggon
seats, of all descriptions, and coarse shoes.
All of the above articles he will sell low for
cash, or to approved customers, on a short
credit. Those who wish to purchase, will do
well to call and examine his stock.
CALEB M. NORWOOD.
August 5, 1825.—3m47
N. B. Hides, at the customary prices, will be
received in payment for any of the above arti-
cles.

House and Lot for Sale.
THE subscriber offers for sale
his house and lot in Lincoln-
ton, situated on Main-street, south
of the Court-House, and adjoining
Andrew Ramsour's. The lot is beautifully
situated, elevated and healthy, and will be sold low
for cash, or on a short credit. Any one wish-
ing to purchase, can learn the terms, on ap-
plication to the subscriber, or to Martin C. Plifier,
Lincolnton.
WM. CULVERHOUSE.
Charlotte, Aug. 5, 1825.—3m47

Tailoring Business.
THE subscriber has removed his shop from
Salisbury, and permanently located himself
in Cabarrus county, six miles south-west of Con-
cord, and one half mile south-east of Poplar
Tent, where he is prepared to do all kinds of
work in the newest and most fashionable style.
He has made an engagement with the most
celebrated Tailors in Philadelphia, for receiv-
ing the fashions regularly from that emporium
of taste and fashion; and he will at all times
have it in his power to comply with any orders
that may be sent him, at short notice. He will
also regularly receive the latest fashions of La-
dies' dresses and habits, and will be enabled at
any time to cut, and if required, to make them,
in a style equal to any in this part of the coun-
try.
THOMAS V. CANON.
August 5, 1825.—3m47

Notice.
THE "Southern Preacher" has been ready
for delivery to the subscribers for some
time past—the subscribers are requested to
come forward, by the County Court, and re-
ceive their books. The Editor is in debt for
the printing and paper, and wishes to settle his
accounts, as soon as possible. The books are at
Mr. Smith's store. Those books which are not
taken away by the above time, will be sold at
Public Auction to the highest bidder, and sub-
scribers will be held responsible for the bal-
ance on all sales under the subscription price.
August 5, 1825.—3m47

AARON WHEELER,
Coach, Sign, Chair & Ornamental
PAINTER.
RETURNS his thanks to his friends and the
public, for the liberal encouragement which
he has already received, and respectfully solicits
a continuance of patronage. He is prepared
to do all kinds of Painting in his line, and en-
sures may depend on having their work neat-
ly executed, and with despatch.
Painting in the country will be done on
short notice.
N. B. Old chairs re-painted and re-gilt.
Charlotte, October 4, 1824.—1m

Just Published,
AND for sale at this Office, in a pamphlet
form, "Sketches on a piece written by
Mr. David Henkel, entitled 'Heavenly Flood of
Regeneration, or, Treatise on Holy Baptism.'"
By Joshua Moore, U. D. M. Price, 25 cents.

Dr. Thos. I. Johnson,
Medicines, Paints, Oil, &c.

HAS just received from Philadelphia and
New-York a general assortment of articles
in his line, warranted fresh and genuine, which
he proposes to sell to Physicians and others,
wholesale and retail, on as reasonable terms as
can be purchased in Charleston, viz:—
Alum,
Alcohol,
Arrow Root,
Arsenic,
Acid Nitric,
Acid Muratic,
Antimonial Wine,
Anderson's Pills,
Ether Vitriol,
Bark Red,
Do. Yellow,
Do. Pale,
Do. Calisaya,
Borax,
Brimstone Rol.
British Oil,
Batesman's Drops,
Balsam Copaiva,
Balsam Tolu,
Blue Vitriol,
Cardamon Seed,
Carbonas Ferri,
Canella Alba,
Camelot,
Cantarides,
Castor Oil,
Castor Russia,
Cinnamon,
Cochineal,
Columbo Rad.,
Do. Pulv.,
Cream Tartar,
Cubeb,
Cheltenham Salts,
Calced Magnesia,
Camomile Flowers,
Castile Soap,
Carbon. Anomonia,
Corrosive Sublimate,
Cannella Alba,
Davies' Powder,
Digitalis Purpurea,
Epsom Salts,
Glauber Salts,
Elix. Vitriol,
Ess. Peppermint,
Ess. Bergamot,
Ess. Lemons,
Flos. Benzoin,
Flos. Sulphur,
Fowler's Solution,
Gentian Rad.,
Gum Ammoniac,
Gum Arabic,
Gum Assafetida,
Gum Myrrh,
Gum Aloes,
Gum Gambogia,
Gum Camphor,
Gum Opium,
Gum Guaiacum,
Gum Kino,
Henry's Magnesia,
Ipecac. Pulv.,
Jalap Pulv.,
James' Powder,
Rch Ointment,
Laudanum,
Lunar Caustic,
Lee's Pills,
Magnesia Lump,
Mercurial Ointment,
Nutmegs,
Opodeldoc,
Oil of Anis.
PAINTS, &c.
Ground White Lead,
Dry Yellow Ochre,
Spanish Brown,
Venetian Red,
Crimson Yellow,
Chinese Vermillion,
English Umber,
Rose Pink,
Terra Descana,
Red Lead,
Prussian Blue,
Stone Ochre,
Lamp Black,
Gum Copal,
Gum Shellac,
Spt. Turpentine,
Spanish Whiting,
Maccabba Snuff,
Rupree do.,
Silver Leaf,
Gold do.,
Bronze, Silver & Gold,
Oil,
Shop Furniture, of eve-
ry description.

The Doctor yet continues the practice of
Medicine, as heretofore.
Charlotte, July 16, 1825.—4m16

WINDSOR
AND
FANCY CHAIR MAKING.
WILLIAM CULVERHOUSE
HAVING commenced the above business in
the town of Charlotte, respectfully solicits
a share of public patronage. His work will be
neatly and durably constructed, and will be
disposed of on accommodating terms.
SEATINGS and WRITING CHAIRS, made to or-
der, can be had on short notice.
Charlotte, Feb. 5, 1825. 1m13

Valuable Land.
ON Tuesday, the 23d day of August next,
at the Court-House in Charlotte, will be
sold a valuable tract of LAND, now in the pos-
session of Samuel Porter, lying on the waters
of Long Creek, about nine miles from Char-
lotte, containing about three hundred acres.
This tract is nearly all woodland, there being
not more than fifty acres cleared. It is well ad-
apted to the culture of cotton, corn, wheat,
&c. and is remarkably well timbered. One half
of the purchase money to be paid in three
months, and the residue in fifteen months from
the time of the sale; the purchaser giving bond
and security.
Due attention will be given, by
JOHN BLACK, &c. Executors of
W. L. DAVIDSON, S David Smith.
June 21, 1825.—9m47

A BARGAIN.
A FAMILY of Negroes, consisting of a fel-
low, his wife, and several children, would
be disposed of upon the most accommodating
terms, by applying to W. J. Pugh, or to Dr.
Samuel Henderson.
July 9, 1825.—4m

A Lottery, For the benefit and encouragement of MECHANISM in the Western part of North-Carolina. SCHEME.

1536 TICKETS, at \$2.
Not two Blanks to a Prize.
1 Prize of \$500 (Phyton and Cotton Saw
Gin) is \$500
1 do \$300 (Family Coach) is 300
1 do \$250 (Gig) is 250
1 do \$180 (do) is 180
1 do \$130 (do) is 130
2 do \$100 (Side Board & Cotton Saw Gin) is 200
2 do \$80 (Gig and Sociable) is 160
2 do \$20 (Bedsteads) is 40
3 do \$14 (a set of Tables) is 42
2 do \$12 (Windsor Chairs) is 24
3 do \$10 (two Ladies' Work Tables and
one Pembroke) is 30
1 do \$8 (Bellows top Cradle) is 8
10 do \$6 (6 Ploughs, 2 Street Lamps, and
2 Lard Cans) is 60
10 do \$5 (Hats) is 50
1 do \$4 (Candlestand) is 4
1 do \$3 (do) is 3
20 do \$3 (do) is 60
300 do \$2 (25 cast steel Axes, and 275 pair
Shoes) is 600
451 do \$1 (Tin Ware, Jewelry, Shoes, &c.
&c.) is 451
793 \$3072

Tickets can be had in Charlotte of the under-
signed Commissioners, by letter, postage paid,
inclosing the money; or from their agents in
Salisbury, Statesville, Concord, Lincolnton,
Yorkville or Lancaster; who pledge themselves
to pay the prizes as set forth in the scheme,
thirty days after the drawing, or refund the
money to purchasers of tickets, provided the
scheme shall not be drawn.

SAM'L HENDERSON,
GREEN KENDRICK,
JNO. BOYD.
N. B. Explanatory Hand Bills can be had of
the Commissioners. *15

NORTH-CAROLINA LOTTERY, (For the benefit of the Oxford Academy.) SECOND CLASS.

To be drawn positively in November next, and
completed in a few minutes.
B. YATES & A. MINTYRE, Managers.

SCHEME.
1 Prize of \$20,000 20,000
1 10,000 10,000
2 5,000 10,000
2 1,000 2,000
18 1,000 18,000
18 500 9,000
18 100 1,800
186 50 9,300
186 25 4,650
1488 10 14,880
13950 5 69,750
15,870 Prizes, \$171,360
26,970 Blanks,

42,840 Tickets \$171,360
This is a Lottery formed by the ternary com-
bination and permutation of 36 numbers. To
determine the prizes therein, the 36 numbers
will be severally placed in a wheel on the day
of the drawing, and five of them be drawn out;
and that ticket having on it the 1st, 2d and 3d
drawn Nos. in the order in which drawn, will be
entitled to the prize of \$20,000, and those five
other tickets which shall have on them the same
Nos. in the following orders, shall be entitled to
the prizes affixed to them, respectively, viz:
The 1st, 3d and 2d to \$10,000
2d, 1st and 3d to 5,000
2d, 3d and 1st to 5,000
3d, 1st and 2d to 1,900
3d, 2d and 1st to 1,900

The 18 other tickets which shall have on
them three of the drawn numbers, and those
three the 2d, 3d and 5th, the 2d, 4th and 5th,
or the 3d, 4th and 5th in some one of their sev-
eral orders of combination or permutation, will
each be entitled to a prize of \$1,000.

Those 18 other tickets which shall have on
them three of the drawn numbers, and those
three, the 1st, 2d and 4th, the 1st, 2d and 5th,
or the 1st, 3d and 4th, in some one of their sev-
eral orders of combination or permutation, will
each be entitled to a prize of \$500.

Those 18 other tickets which shall have on
them three of the drawn numbers, will each be
entitled to a prize of \$100.

Those 186 tickets which shall have two of
the drawn numbers on them, and those two the 2d
and 4th, in either order, will each be entitled to
a prize of \$50.

Those 136 tickets which shall have two of
the drawn numbers on them, and those two, the
3d and 4th, in either order, will each be entit-
led to a prize of \$25.

All others, being 1458, having two of the
drawn numbers on them, will each be entitled to
a prize of \$10.

And all those 13,950 tickets, having but one
of the drawn numbers on them, will each be
entitled to a prize of \$5.

No ticket which shall have drawn a prize of
a superior denomination, can be entitled to an
inferior prize.

Prizes payable 30 days after the drawing, and
subject to the usual deduction of 15 per cent.

Whole Tickets, \$5 00
Half do. 2 50
Quarter do. 1 25

Packages of 12 tickets, embracing the 55
numbers of the Lottery, which most of neces-
sity draw at least \$21 25 net, with so many
chances for capitals, or shares of packages may
be had at the same rate, viz:

Packages of whole, \$50
Of halves, 25
Of quarters, 15

Orders for TICKETS received at this of-
fice.

PROPOSALS, FOR PUBLISHING, WEEKLY, IN THE TOWN OF FAY- ETTEVILLE, A RELIGIOUS PAPER, TO BE CALLED THE North-Carolina Telegraph, CONDUCTED BY REV. ROBERT. H. MORRISON, A. M.

THE importance of periodical publications
has long been felt and acknowledged. By
them intelligence is diffused, error corrected,
prejudice removed, vice restrained, and virtue
cherished, to an extent worthy of regard. As
men feel a deep interest in whatever relates to
their political rights and temporal prosperity,
vehicles of worldly news have, in all civilized
countries, been sought with eagerness and sup-
ported with liberality.

But as the claims of Jehovah, the interests of
the Soul, and the solemnities of Eternity, far
surpass in magnitude all other things, it is rea-
sonable to expect that religious publications
would rise up, gaining patronage among men
and exerting a beneficial influence in forming
their characters. Happily, the present age is
beginning to answer this expectation by a
growing anxiety for religious knowledge, and
a lovely display of benevolent enterprise. We
live at a time when plans for public good are
boldly conceived and fearlessly executed. To
bless others is becoming the ambition of the
highest and the recompense of the lowest. To
stop the growth of human misery by opposing
the march of human corruption, is now attempt-
ed in almost every land. To carry, "as far as the
course is found," the tidings of peace and the
means of purity, unites the strength of a thou-
sand hands, and engages the prayers of ten
thousand hearts.

These efforts are not without success. The
cause of truth prospers. The kingdom of right-
eousness advances. The works of darkness give
way, and unnumbered triumphs of the
gospel promise the approach of better times.
But the work is only begun. Millions of the
human family are yet covered with darkness,
guilt, and pollution. Thousands in our own
country know nothing of the way of life.

To Christians the cry for help must be rais-
ed. They are the honored instruments by
which Christ will set up his kingdom in the
world. His standard they are privileged and
required to follow, and to do so without dis-
may, and fight under it without defeat, they
must act in concert. To secure this they must
know their relative strength and movements.
In a well-organized army there are watchmen
to look out for danger, and messengers to re-
port the acts of each division, and the success
of every attempt; so, in the host of the Lord
there must be heralds to bear tidings of what
is doing, and sentinels to guard against hostile
invasions. The army of Christ is not drawn up
in one field of battle. It is scattered over the
whole earth. Hence the necessity and useful-
ness of religious papers, by which Christians in
every country may know what is effected, what
remains to be done, and how to co-operate with
each other in doing it. There is no other way
in which to make known the wants of every
section of the Church, and to insure concentra-
ted and vigorous exertions among the friends
of Zion. Accordingly, in all parts of the
Church, and among all denominations of Chris-
tians, such publications are rapidly multiplying
and cheerfully supported.

North-Carolina, containing a population of
more than six hundred thousand, and many
flourishing Churches, has not one such paper.
Why this lamentable deficiency? No state in
the union, of equal importance and respecta-
bility, but supports one or more.

The experiment is now to be made, whether
the people of our state are willing to patronize
such a publication. That they are richly able
none will pretend to deny.

The editor of the TELEGRAPH will use every
exertion to make it a faithful journal of reli-
gious intelligence, and an impartial advocate of
christian doctrine and vital piety. He will have
before him a choice selection of the best pa-
pers and magazines in this country, and some
of the ablest foreign journals, from which he
hopes at all times to be able to present an in-
teresting abstract of useful information. He
will also be aided by original communications
by some of the most distinguished gentlemen
in this state.

As learning and religion adorn and promote
each other, and cannot be separated without
mutilating both, the columns of the Telegraph
will be filled in part with select literary pieces,
designed to increase the knowledge and gratify
the taste of all its readers. And as Chris-
tians owe many of their dearest privileges to
the admirable constitution of our wise and hap-
py government, and are deeply interested in
its prosperity, a faithful detail of political
events, domestic and foreign, will at all times
be given.

Appropriate remarks on Agricultural Im-
provement and Domestic Economy will occa-
sionally be inserted.

And "last, but not least," the improvement,
dignity and usefulness of the Female Sex will
find a willing and sincere advocate.

The paper will be large, neatly printed, and
with the best type. No advertisements will be
admitted.

The first number will be issued as soon as a
sufficient number of subscribers is obtained.

Price, three dollars a year, or two dol-
lars and fifty cents, if paid in advance.
Fayetteville, July 1, 1825.

Subscriptions received at this office.

Coach Trimming & Harness Making.

THE subscriber has opened a shop for the
above business in the house one door be-
low Isaac Spencer & Co's. Carriage Making
shop, where he intends keeping constantly on
hand at reduced prices for cash or a short credit,
all articles in his line of business, viz: Road
and Jersey Wagon Harness, Gig Harness, plain
and plated, waggon and gig Collars, &c. &c.—
Repairs done at the shortest notice and on the
most reasonable terms.

ELIAS WATKINSON.
Charlotte, June 28, 1825.—2m11

FOR THE CATAWBA JOURNAL. JUVENILE ESSAYS—NO. 3. THE ADVANTAGES OF LEARNING AND DISCIPLINE.

"Doctrina sed vim promovet insitum.
Rectique cultus, pectora roborant."—HOR.

But Learning advances the innate force,
And right discipline strengthens the breast.

When I take a view of human nature,
and observe the various movements of
the human mind, on all sides I am in-
volved in difficulties which seem insuper-
able, because of the wonderful workings
of the human intellect. The understand-
ing of man presents to the philosopher a
problem too deep for him to fathom. Of
all the wonders connected with our sys-
tem, the power by which we reason seems
to be most wonderful—we can better un-
derstand the operations of the senses of
seeing, hearing, &c. because these things
are daily before our eyes—but how can
we reason, seems to us a paradox. Yet,
man continues the same from age to age;
except where Education renovates him.

The learned Horace remarks, as it is
in our motto, when speaking of the natu-
ral tendency that the offspring have to
follow the steps of their ancestors—

"Est in juvenis, est in equis patrum
Virtus; nec imbellem feroces,
Franguntur aquile cubantibus,
Doctrina sed vim promovet insitum.
Rectique cultus pectora roborant."

He endeavors to prove that there is in all
animals and in Man, a natural inheritance
of the parent's qualities, but which in
Man, must be cultivated, in order that its
beauties may appear, and that its use
may be palpable. To prove that Learning
effects this, we need only compare
ourselves with the Aborigines of our hap-
py country—these savages possess "in-
nate force" as well as we do, but have not
the advantages of Education; neither in
regard to them can we say "right cultiva-
tion strengthens the heart." For the
want of this, they are an inauspicious race
of mortals. The beauty of the savage
intellect naturally, and ours in a cultivated
state, may well be compared with the
beautiful monument and the huge block
in the quarry of marble. The fine tex-
ture and snow-like whiteness is naturally
in the marble, yet the hands of the artifi-
cer must pass over it, that these fine tex-
tures and beautiful colors may shine with
proper lustre. So with the uncultivated
savage.—The treasure of a strong mind
is hid within, and can only be brought
out by Education. We see those sons of
the forest, brave even to desperation, and
patient even to sullenness. If those fine
principles were wrought on properly by
Learning, what a mighty nation might
they be! By this comparison we may
see that nothing embellishes a man more,
and makes him an instrument of more
general utility, than Education. If it
were not for this Education of which the
Poet speaks, where would be our code
of wholesome laws and regulations, both
ecclesiastical and national, which are
so admirably calculated to guide us thro'
this world in temporal happiness, and
prepare for the happiness which awaits
us in the next? We cannot better value
Education, than by comparing our happy
condition with that of the Aborigines
of America. Learning not only promotes
the innate force, but right Discipline
strengthens the heart. What but this
Education and right Discipline animated
the magnanimous Cicero to the perfor-
mance of his difficult duty, and prompted
him in the midst of his danger, to per-
form the duty which he owed to his coun-
try. His mind was so enlightened, and
his heart was so strengthened by right
Cultivation and Discipline, that he could
stare danger, and even death in the face.
It was a substantial Education and good
Discipline, that prompted Washington to
defend his country. Had he not posses-
sed these advantages, what would have
prevented him from acting the part of
some of our Tory neighbors; and thus
aiding the invasion of his country? It
is well known that Gen. Marion attrib-
uted Toryism to Ignorance. The cultiva-
tion of our intellect is not only useful, but
it is honorable in the highest degree, as it
is enlarging and informing that part of
our nature, which distinguishes us most
from the brutal part of the creation; and
which may well be termed the Divine
part of Man. Then how laudable to cul-
tivate this Heaven-born principle! Ano-
ther reason that may be urged, why we
should pay peculiar regard to this Divine
part of our nature, is, because it alone will
survive the wreck of time. The rewards of
Education are many and great. Many men
it has raised from the darkest obscurity
to places of honor; and among the hap-
py

* There is in bulls and in horses the spirit of
their fathers, or sires. Neither does the fer-
ocious eagle generate the feeble dove. But
learning advances the innate force, and right
cultivation strengthens the heart.