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The powers granted under the Constitution, being derived from the People of the United States, may be resumed by them, whenever perverted to their injury or oppression.—Madison.

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Letters to the Editor, unless containing money in sums of Five Dollars, or over, must come free of postage, or the amount paid at the office here will be charged to the writer, in every instance, and collected as other accounts.

Weekly Almanac for May, 1842.

Table with columns for DAYS, SUN RISE, SUN SET, MOON'S PHASES, and times for various days of the month.

Alexander Bethune, TAILOR.

RESPECTFULLY tenders his sincere thanks to the citizens of Charlotte and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received; and hopes by strict attention to business to continue to merit a liberal share of public patronage.

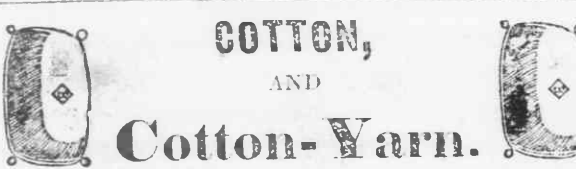
Orders from a distance will meet with prompt attention. His shop will be found in the North-East wing of Mr. Leroy Springs' brick building.

A liberal discount made to cash customers. Charlotte, April 12, 1842. 57...r

Coach Making.

THE Subscribers having entered into copartnership, will carry on the above business in all its various branches, at the old stand formerly owned by Mr. Carter Crittenden, opposite the Jail.

CHARLES OVERMAN, JOSHUA TROTTER. Charlotte, June 15, 1841. 12m



THE MILLEDGEVILLE COTTON FACTORY, (situated in Montgomery County, 22 miles east of Salisbury) is now in full operation.

N.B.—The Subscriber wishes to procure about FIVE HUNDRED BALS OF COTTON,

(Of the best quality,) to be delivered at the Factory, which he will spin, either one half for the other, or at eight cents per pound. EDWARD BURAGE. December 7, 1841. 39...r

REMOVAL.

Dr. J. M. Hoppoldt HAS removed to the Office directly opposite Maj. Joseph Smith's Hotel, where he may be found by his friends and the public, and consulted at all times, unless professionally engaged.

A report has been industriously circulated for effect, relative to his charges. They have been pronounced extravagant. He takes this opportunity to state to the public, that he holds himself ready at any time to compare charges, and weigh his service with any of the Faculty. He wishes it to be distinctly understood, that his CHARGES shall in all cases be REASONABLE. Jan. 4, 1842. 43...f

Dr. Finckney C. Caldwell

WOULD inform such of his friends as desire his professional services, that he has removed his Office to Mr. Johnson's brick house, two doors above the "Carolina Inn," where he may be found at all times, unless necessarily absent. Charlotte, February 8, 1842. 48...r



JOB PRINTING.

WE are prepared at this Office with a handsome supply of Fancy Type, to execute all kinds of Job-printing in a very superior style, and at short notice. Orders will be thankfully received. Jeffersonian Office, Charlotte, March 9, 1841.

State of North Carolina, MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, February Term, 1842. MARY N. TETER vs. ELAM J. TETER. Petition for Divorce.

IN this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, Elam J. Teter, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore Ordered, that publication be made for three months successively in the "Mecklenburg Jeffersonian," and "Charlotte Journal," commanding the said Defendant to appear at our next Superior Court of Law and Equity to be held for our said County at the Court-house in Charlotte, on the Fourth Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the said petition; otherwise judgment will be taken pro confesso, and the petition heard ex parte.

Witness, Jennings B. Kerr, Clerk of our said Court at office, the 4th Monday in February, 1842. Issued the 26th of April, 1842. J. B. KERR, c. m. s. c. Printer's fee \$10.

State of North Carolina, MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, February Term, 1842. DELITHA C. SPECK vs. WILLIAM H. SPECK. Petition for Divorce.

IN this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, William H. Speck, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore Ordered, that publication be made for three months successively in the "Mecklenburg Jeffersonian," and "Charlotte Journal," commanding the said Defendant to appear at our next Superior Court of Law and Equity to be held for our said County at the Court-house in Charlotte, on the Fourth Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the said petition; otherwise judgment will be taken pro confesso, and the petition heard ex parte.

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United States, NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT.

District Court in Bankruptcy, at Chambers in Fayetteville, April 13, 1842. ROBERT P. JOHNSON of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, having this day filed a Petition duly verified that he may be declared a Bankrupt: It is thereupon Ordered by the Court, that cause be shown before the Court, at Chambers in this Town, on Friday the twentieth day of May next, why the said Robert P. Johnson be not declared a Bankrupt, pursuant to Act of Congress in that behalf; and that this notice be published in the Mecklenburg Jeffersonian, four weeks in succession.

H. H. POTTER, Acting Clerk of Court in Bankruptcy.

United States, NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT.

District Court in Bankruptcy, at Chambers in Fayetteville, April 13, 1842. THOMAS BOYD of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, having this day filed a Petition duly verified, praying that he may be declared a Bankrupt: It is thereupon Ordered by the Court that cause be shown before the Court at Chambers in this Town, on Friday the twentieth day of May next, why the said Thomas Boyd be not declared a Bankrupt, pursuant to the Act of Congress in that behalf; and that this notice be published in the Mecklenburg Jeffersonian, four weeks in succession.

H. H. POTTER, Acting Clerk of Court in Bankruptcy.

United States, NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT.

District Court in Bankruptcy, at Chambers in Fayetteville, April 13, 1842. JOHN R. BOLTON of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, having this day filed a Petition, duly verified, praying that he may be declared a Bankrupt: It is thereupon Ordered by the Court that cause be shown before the Court, at Chambers in this Town, on Friday the twentieth day of May next, why the said John R. Bolton be not declared a Bankrupt, pursuant to the Act of Congress in that behalf; and that this notice be published in the Mecklenburg Jeffersonian, four weeks in succession.

H. H. POTTER, Acting Clerk of Court in Bankruptcy.

United States, NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT.

District Court in Bankruptcy, at Chambers in Fayetteville, April 13, 1842. DERIAS FOLSOM of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, having this day filed a Petition, duly verified, praying that he may be declared a Bankrupt: It is thereupon Ordered by the Court that cause be shown before the Court, at Chambers in this Town, on Friday the twentieth day of May next, why the said Derias Folsom be not declared a Bankrupt, pursuant to the Act of Congress in that behalf; and that this notice be published in the Mecklenburg Jeffersonian, four weeks in succession.

H. H. POTTER, Acting Clerk of Court in Bankruptcy.

United States, NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT.

District Court in Bankruptcy, at Chambers in Fayetteville, April 13, 1842. ANDREW MONTGOMERY of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, having filed a petition, duly verified, praying that he may be declared a Bankrupt: It is thereupon Ordered by the Court, that cause be shown before the Court at Chambers in this Town, on Friday the twentieth day of May next, why the said Andrew Montgomery be not declared a Bankrupt, pursuant to the Act of Congress in that behalf; and that this notice be published in the Mecklenburg Jeffersonian, four weeks in succession.

H. H. POTTER, Acting Clerk of Court in Bankruptcy.

More New Goods.

Is now receiving and opening a handsome Stock of Spring and Summer GOODS, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE.

Which were purchased at unusually low prices, and will be sold to suit the hard times, or at least as low as any concern in this section of country. His stock consists of all kinds of Goods usually kept in a country store. He has also a large stock of Groceries, which will be sold at reduced prices.

A few Good Things Yet, AND More Expected.

THE Proprietor of the "CONCORD COFFEE-HOUSE" would inform his customers and the public generally, that his Stock of GROCERIES, and fancy articles to tickle the palate, is yet quite full, and he respectfully invites all to give him a call and be their own judge.

DR. C. J. FOX. Has just received a large and general assortment of MEDICINES, Drugs, Paints, Oils, Dye-Stuffs, Perfumery, Thompsonian Medicines, Wines and Spirits for medical use.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, And a variety of other articles, all of which he warrants genuine, and will sell low for cash. Charlotte, April 27, 1840. 8...r

Fire Engine for Sale. THE Camden Independent Fire Engine Company wishing to procure a larger Engine, offer the one they now have for sale. It is a first rate suction Engine, of the most approved construction, with twenty-four feet of suction, and about one hundred and fifty feet of ordinary Hose. It is nearly new, has been but little used, and is kept in first rate order. For further information, address the Secretary of the Camden Independent Fire Engine Company. Camden, S. C., April 20, 1842. 50...3t

The Bankrupt Law IS in operation since the 1st instant, and the subscriber has received several applications for his professional aid. He is about to engage his services, and is willing to increase the number of applications, which will diminish the expense to the applicants.

The District Court of the United States has sole jurisdiction in all matters and proceedings in Bankruptcy, which for this District, (Cape Fear,) sits at Wilmington, and all Petitions are referred by the order of Judge Porree to that Court, which next sits on the 2nd of May next.

Wool Carding. HAVING thoroughly repaired his Machinery, the subscriber is now ready to execute all orders for CARDING WOOL in a very superior style, and at short notice. JACOB STIREWALT. Mill Hill, Cabarrus Co., May 2, 1842. 60...r

Notice. ALL persons are forewarned from trading with a William McNeely for a dark brown MARE, four years old this Spring. Said Mare is my property, for this year. Said McNeely left my employ with said mare on the 21st April, 1842. J. C. MASSEY. April 28, 1842. 60...3w.

Taken Up, AND committed to the Jail of this county, on the 27th of September last, a Negro man, about 20 years of age, round full face, smooth forehead, thick lips, and flat nose, five feet 7 or 8 inches high, with a scar on the fore finger of the left hand, made, he says, by a cutting knife. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. T. N. ALEXANDER, Sheriff. Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 19, 1841. 32...r

VALUABLE OFFICIAL STATISTICS.

North and South Carolina.—Their Property and Products.

We continue our tables compiled from the official census of 1840. The information is of the most valuable character, and is calculated to shew at a glance, the extent of the property and products of the various States of this Union. To-day we present North and South Carolina. These tables are prepared exclusively for Bicknell's Reporter, and not without much care and labor, so that those who copy, will see the propriety of giving due credit. We shall endeavor to condense into this lucid and acceptable form, the census of the entire Union.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Iron-cast, furnaces, Tons produced, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Gold—No. Smelting houses, Value produced, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Coal, Anthracite, Tons raised, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Granite, Marble, and other Stone, Value produced, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Hops, Wax, Potatoes, number of bushels, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Tobacco, No. lbs gath'd, Rice, number of lbs, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Cotton, gathered lbs, Silk cocoons, number lbs, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Sugar, number of lbs, Wood, number cords sold, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Dairy, value of products, Orchard, value of products, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Wines, gallons made, Family goods, value of home-made goods, etc.

Silk—number pounds reeled,

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Hats and caps, val. manuf., Straw bonnets, value of, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Soap, number of pounds, Candles, pounds tallow, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Distilleries, number of, Gallons produced, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Breweries, number of, Gallons produced, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Paper Mills, number of, Pounds of power made, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Medicines, drugs, paints, and dyes, value, Turpentine and varnish, value produced, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Glass—No. of glass houses, Men employed, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Potteries, number of, Value manufactured, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Confectionary—value manuf., Men employed, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Carriages and Wagons—Value of manufactures, Persons employed, etc.

Table with columns for N. C., S. C., and various categories like Mills, flouring, No. of, Barrels of flour made, etc.

Making a Conquest.—"Tom," said an impudent wag to a conceited fop, "I know a beautiful creature who wishes to make your acquaintance."

Home Industry.—A dandy with gold specs and Brush broadcloth on, making a speech in favor of encouraging home manufactures.

ANECDOTE OF GEN. HOUSTON. A very amusing incident was related to us by several citizens of Texas, which we do not remember to have seen in print. The field of San Jacinto is an open prairie, slightly waving, so that the position of the Mexicans was on an eminence, flanked by an island of timber on one side, and the river on the other. Their lines could be distinguished from no other point but the timber; and when the charge was resolved upon, Gen. Houston ordered the troops to advance in quick time, and at the flash of the enemy's artillery, to drop so as to avoid the shot. The order it seems was understood by all the Texian soldiers, except a man by the name of Love, formerly of Morgan county, Georgia. He was rushing on to the charge, in close column with the rest, when at the discharge of the Mexican cannon the Texans were all prostrate except Love, who