

The North Carolinian.

"CHARACTER IS AS IMPORTANT TO STATES AS IT IS TO INDIVIDUALS; AND THE GLORY OF THE STATE IS THE COMMON PROPERTY OF ITS CITIZENS."

BY WM H BAYNE

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CONFECTIONARY, FRUIT, AND TOY STORE.
THE Subscriber has taken the New Brick Store on the north side of Hay street, a few doors above the Market House, where he is now opening a fine assortment of GOODS in the above line, consisting in part of the following articles:

Fruit.
Almonds, Filberts, Madeira, Brazil & Pecan Nuts, Peaches, Currants, Cane and Havana Preserves, Citrus, &c. Arrangements are made for fresh supplies of Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Cocoa Nuts, &c.

SPICES.
Mace, Nutmegs, Cloves, Cassia in mats, Ground Cassia, Ground Pepper, Allspice, Mustard and Ground Ginger.

PICKLES AND SAUCES.
Peanut Sauce, Tomato Catsup, Olives, Sardines, and assorted Pickles.

CRACKERS.
Bacon, Butter and Water Crackers, Soda and Lemon Biscuits, Pilaf Bread.

PERFUMERY.
Cologne, Lavender and Rose Water, Bay Rum, Balm, Antique and Macassar Oils, Verbena Cream, Extracts, Soaps, of every variety.

WILLOW WARE.
Wagon, Cradles, Chairs, and Baskets.

SUNDRIES.
Paved, Crushed, Lead and Brown Sugars, Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Macaroni, Vermicelli, Cocoa, Starch, Indigo, Gambour, Lemon Syrup, Madeira and Sweet Malaga Wines, Champagne, Scotch and Maceboy Snuff, choice Chewing Tobacco, Regalia, Principe and Havana Cigars, Sweet Oil, Spices, Candies, Hairing, Brooms, Whisks, Flutes, Violins, Accordions, &c. &c.

A great variety of **TOYS AND GAMES** &c. &c., suitable for Presents, too numerous to mention. Also, Every variety of **CANDIES**, at Wholesale and Retail.

Call and take a look. W. PRIOR, 349-1/2.

A. M. CAMPBELL,
Having been appointed
AUCTIONEER
For the town of Fayetteville, is prepared to attend to the sale of any goods which may be entrusted to him.

Assignments from abroad will be promptly attended to.
April 19, 1845. 321-y.

Encourage Home Manufactures

Gardner & McKethan,
HAVE lately made considerable improvement in their style of Carriages, and have now on hand a GENERAL ASSORTMENT, consisting of Carriages, Barouches, Buggies, Gigs, Sulkeys, Waggon, &c.

Persons wishing to buy, would do well to call and examine our stock, as we have determined to sell at a low rate for cash, or on approved notes.

Living in our employ fast rated Smiths, we are prepared to do any Iron work in the above line on moderate terms.

We warrant all our work to be of good and faithful workmanship and materials, for one year.

REPAIRING done in the most expert manner, and on reasonable terms.
Fayetteville, February 8, 1846. y.

BRIGGS' HOTEL,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
THE Subscriber, having taken that large and commodious brick building, formerly known as the Planter's Hotel, and recently refitted in the best manner; the building having been thoroughly repaired and properly furnished for that purpose.

The Northern and Southern Stages stop at this House.
Connected with the Hotel, and a few yards distant, are extensive Stables, which will be attended by careful and experienced Ostlers.

W. M. W. BRIGGS, 350-1/2.
Fayetteville, Nov. 1, 1845.

RANAWAY
FROM the subscriber, living near Little Catfish P. O. Marion District, S. C. a tolerably black negro boy named WALKER, about 17 years of age, 5 feet 3 or 6 inches high, square shoulders, his head appears to be drawn down between his shoulders, when spoken to he is slow to speak, but when he does speak is very quick and short, and is apt to look straight at the person he is talking to and shut one eye when he goes to speak. He wore of brown woolen round coat and pants, rather ragged, and a good wool hat. He was purchased from Mr. Archib. McKay, of Richmond county, N. C. in Nov. last, who bought him from a trader who had purchased him in Richmond, Va. about a year ago. I have no doubt that he is endeavoring to make his way back to Virginia.

I will pay a liberal reward for his apprehension and confinement in any jail so that I get him again.
JAS. W. BASS, 370-1/2.
March 25, 1846.

NEW GOODS.
The subscriber is now receiving his **SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS**, direct from New York and Philadelphia, at the New Store west side Hay street, a few doors above Market Square. The stock embraces a great variety of ladies and gentlemen's Spring and Summer wear, together with a good stock of fine Boots and Shoes; Panama, Leghorn and Palm-leaf Hats; Bonnets, &c. Iron, Steel, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Hardware, heavy Trace Chains, Cooper's Tools, &c. &c.

New Firm.

The subscribers have entered into a Copartnership, under the firm of
H. W. Beatty & Co.,
For the transaction of
A General Commission Business
In the Town of Wilmington, N. C.
They will give particular attention to the sale of Timber, Lumber, and Naval Stores; the receiving and forwarding goods, and the sale and purchase of goods for the back country.
They would respectfully solicit a portion of public patronage, and pledge their best exertions to give satisfaction.
H. W. BEATTY,
JOHN C. LATTA,
July 19, 1845. 334-1/2.

MALLEABLE IRON,
SUCH as Carriage Makers use. A good assortment always on hand, and for sale at one cent per pound advance on the Manufacturers' prices by
W. PRIOR,
October 25, 1845. 349-1/2.

IMPORTANT TO MILL OWNERS.

HOTCHKISS' Vertical Water Wheel.
THE Subscribers having witnessed the successful operation of these wheels, were induced to purchase the right of using them in the State of North Carolina; and they now offer for sale individual rights, at FIFTY dollars, or rights for a whole county, on reasonable terms.

These wheels are more durable, and more easily kept in order than any other wheels in operation in the Southern States. We have sold about 100 rights, 20 of which are in successful operation in Cumberland county.

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More than double the strokes per minute. We refer, among others, to the following gentlemen, some of whom have had them in operation 12 months or more; and from many of them, and others, we have received certificates expressing their high approbation of the superior advantages of these over the flatter wheel, and stating that their saws will cut 2500, 3000, 3500, and even as high as 4000 feet per day, and save one-third of the water.

FAYETTEVILLE. LENOIR. John Williams, Esq. Thomas Rouse, Jr. James McDaniel, CRAYEN. John Bryant, JOHN COLUMBUS. W. C. McNeill, RICHMOND. John C. McLaughlin, J. H. Fairley, J. R. Reed, Millwright, A. Buchanan, CASWELL. Wm. Bassell, J. T. Dawson, Millwright, CHATHAM. Col. S. Brantley, Smith & Pollen, N. Clegg, WAKE. S. Deady, JOHNSTON. Jesse T. Leach, GEN. FORD. Dr. Faulkner, JOHN JONES. Dr. Robert and Richard Williams, DANICAN MCKENELL. ARCHIB. McLAUGHLIN. A. A. MCKETHAN. Fayetteville, January 31 1846. 363-1/2.

NEW GOODS.

R. A. STUART HAS received in FALL and WINTER GOODS, consisting of Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Bonnets, Shoes, &c. &c.

J. J. Dupuy & A. Seignell's French Brandy, (choice brand.) Saddles of all descriptions, from \$5 to \$25, and also daily expected, Groceries, Hardware, Cutlery, Drugs, Window Glass, &c. &c., all of which he will be glad to exchange for CASH or Country Produce. Give me a call.
Sept. 29, 1845. 343-y.

NOTICE.

Whereas, Felix Bell, late of Sampson county, N. C., has departed this life, and Letters of Administration have been granted to the subscriber, this is notice to give notice to the next of kin and distributees of said estate, that the subscriber is now ready to close the same, and pay to those entitled, their share of said estate.

JOSIAH WATRINS, Adm'r. 353-6m.
Dec. 20, 1845.

LANDS AND MILLS FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale 640 acres of LAND together with his Grist and Saw Mills, on Beaver Creek, in Moore county. To persons desirous of investing a small capital in property of this kind, a more favorable opportunity seldom offers. This is a most valuable and profitable property, and an abundance of the best timber in the Country, but their productiveness renders them highly desirable for purposes of Cultivation. The stream is unfailing, the grist Mill is the very best in the State, and the Saw Mill is within two and a half miles of a stream on which Lumber may be rafted into the Cape Fear almost every month in the year; besides the health of the country gives to these Lands and Mills an increased value over property of a similar kind in the lower counties. For terms apply to
HUGH A. CAMERON, 367-1/2.
Moore county, Feb. 25 1846.

INDEMNITY

Against loss or damage by Fire.
THE WILLIAMSBURG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—\$105,000.
Office in Grand near First Street, Williamsburg, opposite the City of New York.
Agency Office, Wells Building, 62 Wall st., New York.

DIRECTORS:
Christian Zabrickie, Ab'm T. Boskerck, Andrew C. Benedict, Francis Steinheil, Frederick W. Favre, Sam'l H. Clapp, Jeremiah Johnson, John Leggett, John Skillman, Chas. O. Handy, Saul Willits, Lemuel Richardson, Nicholas Wyckoff.

LEMUEL RICHARDSON, Pres't.
ANDREW B. HOGES, Sec'y.
WASHINGTON POST, Agent, New York.
THE Williamsburg Fire Insurance Company, having been incorporated by an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, for the purpose of Fire Insurance, the Directors offer to insure their fellow-citizens throughout the United States.

Against Loss or Damage by Fire, On Buildings, Goods and Merchandise, and Personal Property generally, assuring them that the affairs of the Company, shall be conducted with such fairness, candor and liberality as they trust will entitle it to public confidence and patronage.

The Subscriber, Agent for the above Company, will give any further information that may be desired by those who wish to insure.

JAMES MARTINE, Agent,
Hay Street.
Feb. 8, 1845. 311-1/2.

P. B. WARD, WOULD respectfully

inform the citizens of Fayetteville and the public generally, that he has taken the stand recently occupied by E. J. Clark, on Gillespie Street, 5 doors South of the Market Square, where he will manufacture and keep constantly on hand an assortment of

TIN AND SHEET IRON WARE.
Persons wishing to purchase would do well to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he is determined to sell as cheap as any other manufacturer in the State.

ROOFING done in the latest style, and best manner. Also **GUTTERING.**
Aug. 17, 1844. 261-y.

Jas. D. McCallum, JAILOR.

Has removed his Establishment from his late stand, to the store next door west of the Cape Fear Bank, recently occupied by Mr. Wm. J. Anderson. He will warrant his work to be equal to any in the place, and charges as moderate.

Nov. 22, 1845. 349-1/2.

NOTICE.

The subscriber is authorized, and will sell to the highest bidder, on Tuesday the 12th of May, at the Market House in Fayetteville, at 12 o'clock, that tract of LAND where Brazell Carter now resides, containing two hundred and sixty eight acres.

DAVID CARVER, Sen'r.,
Agent for John and James Carver.
April 11, 1846. 373-4.

LIFE INSURANCE.

CAPITAL \$2,500,000.
The Insured entitled to participation of Profits in both European and American policies.

NATIONAL LOAN FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, LONDON.
U. S. BOARD OF LOCAL DIRECTORS.
(OFFICE 74 WALL STREET, New York.)

Jacob Harvey, Esq. Ch'n. George Barclay, Esq. John L. Palmer, Esq. Sam'l S. Howland, Esq. Jonathan Goodhue, Esq. Gatham A. Worth, Esq. James Baerman, Esq. Samuel M. Fox, Esq.

Philadelphia.
Clement C. Biddle, Esq. Louis A. Godey, Esq. Seneca C. Walker, Esq. Geo. Rex Graham, Esq. J. LEANDER STARR, Manager and General Agent for the United States and British N. A. Colonies.

The Subscribers, having been appointed Agents for this Company in the Town of Fayetteville, are prepared to effect Life Insurance, and to furnish all desired information and explanations on the subject.
STARK & PEARCE, Agents
Fayetteville, Nov. 22, 1845. 353-1/2.

LANDS FOR SALE.

1100 and 1200 Acres on Black River and on Black Mingo, Cumberland county, N. C.
To be sold in Fayetteville, before the Court House, on the 1st Monday in May next, over ELEVEN HUNDRED ACRES on Black River, below Smully's Falls—the remotest point probably not more than three miles from good landings on the Cape Fear, and a level way.

ALSO, more than 800 acres on Black Mingo, about eight miles from the landing below Smully's Falls.

These lands are all in forest, and chiefly valuable for Turpentine and Tar, with some timber. The former tract has a capital winter range for cattle; the latter a more productive soil. A resurvey will soon be made.

Persons desiring to buy are referred to Thomas Johnson, Esq., near Averasboro, who will show said lands. For further information as to title, &c., apply to Mr. George Shepherd of Fayetteville. Terms will be declared on day of sale.
ROBERT G. EDWARDS,
Attorney for the heirs of R. H. & M. C. Drayton.
March 14, 1846—369-1/2.

INSPECTOR OF NAVAL STORES.

DOUGLAD A. LAMONT,
HAVING been appointed Inspector of Turpentine, Tar, &c., &c. for the town of Wilmington, would respectfully solicit a portion of the patronage of his friends and the public.

All rats or lots sent to him will be attended to promptly; and he will cheerfully assist the owners in the way of them, in any way in his power.
Wilmington, April 15, 1846. 374-3/2.

INSPECTOR OF LUMBER.

JOHN McLERAN,
HAS been appointed Inspector of Lumber for the Town of Wilmington, and solicits a portion of the patronage of his friends and others who send the article to market.

He will promptly attend to the Lumber sent to him, and assist the owner, if required, in effecting sales.
Wilmington, April 15, 1846. 374-3/2.

JOHN M. ROSE

IS receiving his recent purchases, and has in store the following Goods, which are offered on the most liberal terms for cash or produce:

50 Bags Rio Coffee; Porto Rico and N. O. Sugar, 40 lbs. Whiskey, Baltimore & N. O. rectified, 10 do. do. "Monongahela River" do. 25 do. Apple Brandy, best Baltimore Ala. 5 lbs. Chile Vinegar, New England Rum, Liverpool Salt, Cuba and other Molasses, "Justa Sanz" Cigars, Mvra's Aromatic Tobacco, Bladder Snuff, Ginger, saleratus, pepper, allspice, Cheese, &c.

Also, Rowland's mill Saws; Turpentine casks, grass and grain scythes; scythes, scissels, axes, cotton plough lines, socket shovels, tance, halter, log, and fifth chains; Smith's tools assorted nails, assorted; white lead, pure, extra, and No. 1; chrome green; prussian blue and other colors; tan; wool; fur, wool and summer hats; horse collars and wagon wheels; men's and women's coarse shoes; together with common crockery, suitable for the retail trade; real stone ware, consisting of covered butter and milk pans, jars, &c.; with many other articles not mentioned.

April 18, 1843. 374-6w.

Rarely a day passes that we do not get some testimony, either verbal or written, of the great efficacy of Dr. Jackson's Pile Embrocation. Read the following:

New York, 721 Broadway, }
September 2, 1845. }
Dr. N. Jackson—Dear Sir: Will you send me six bottles of your Pile Embrocation? I wish them to keep myself, and part for a legal gentleman, a friend of mine, who has found great relief in using from my bottle two or three times. You remember, when in Philadelphia, I was suffering dreadfully from this terrible scourge. I only took one bottle from you; I have not used it quite all, and am perfectly well. As you may suppose, I proclaim the virtues of your medicine wherever I go. I tell every friend about it; and it is singular to believe how few have as yet seen it. I believe half of my acquaintances are more or less afflicted. Let me tell you that you can sell as well as buy as you choose to make. When you want a certificate from me you shall have it, and you are at liberty to show this letter if you wish.

JAMES B. NONES, Vice Pres't.
LEWIS P. ASHFORD.
A great number of persons who have been cured, will be referred to, by calling on the Agents. If never fail.

Prepared only by Dr. Jackson, and sold by **SAM'L J. HINSDALE.**
April 18, 1846. 374-6m.

Fire Proof Roofs.

THE undersigned is ready to contract for the covering of roofs of buildings with tin, copper, or zinc, and will execute promptly any work he may contract for, and for small profits.

June 21, 1845.—339-1/2. F. T. WARD.

THE Members of the

Board of Superintendants of Common Schools in Cumberland county, are requested to meet at the Court House on Tuesday next September 11 at 11 a. m.

WILLIAM McMILLAN, Ch'm.
April 14, 1846. 374-1m.

(MUTUAL) Croton Insurance Company.

Office, No. 35 Wall Street, Adjoining the Mechanics' Bank, in the City of New York.

THIS Company insures Marine, Inland Navigation, Transportation, and Fire Risk. By its Charter the profits are to be paid back to the assured, in proportion to the amount of Premiums paid by them respectively. The rates and terms of Insurance will be moderate and liberal, and the assured subject to no responsibility.

JAMES S. ACEY, Pres't.
JOSEPH B. NONES, Vice Pres't.
NICHOLAS CARROLL, Sec'y.
Capt. SAM'L CANDLER, Marine Insp.
Also, Insp. for "Lloyd" for the port of N. York

The undersigned, as Agents of the above Company, will be pleased to receive applications for Insurance.

STARK & PEARCE,
Fayetteville, April 11, 1846.—344-1/2.

TO BRICKMAKERS:

A person well acquainted with making and burning bricks, can find profitable employment by enquiring at this office. April 25-2w

New Goods, AND CHEAP.

The subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he is now receiving and opening a part of his Spring and Summer Stock of Goods, which he is determined to sell at the lowest possible prices that can be afforded in this market, consisting of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.—Plain, figured and plain Silks; Bregzes; Lawns; printed and colored Muslins; white, plain, figured, striped and cross-barred do.; Balzoning, of the latest styles and patterns; Muslin Lanes; lawn Gingham; striped do.; Chusans, corded Skirts; Calicoes &c.

FANCY GOODS.—Ombre Swiss Muslin Scarfs; plain, figured, and checked, very beautiful, silk do.; lace do.; muslin and silk Shawls, from 10-4 to 2-4; silk Cloths; French worked Collars; Tippets; Cuffs; Chemises; silk, muslin, worsted, and cotton Hose, a good assortment; kid, silk, thread, worsted, and cotton Gloves, half-Gloves and Mitts, a variety of styles and qualities; thread Lace and insertings; cotton do.; Gyp; Gyp Cord; silk Hinges; Cords and Tassels for dresses; black linen cambric handkerchiefs; Scarfs, handkerchiefs; imitation do.; linen Lawns; fringed and plain-edged Ribbons, a good assortment; silk and zitt Buttons for Ladies' dresses; marking Canvases; Crewel Yarn; Pins, Needles, Hooks and Eyes, of the best qualities; silk and cotton Sewings and Bindings; finer and cotton Tapes; White and Rattan for dresses and bonnets; Parasols, sun-Shades, &c. &c.

FOR GENTLEMEN.
A variety of staple and fancy goods such as, cloths Cassimeres, a variety of Linen and Cotton goods for coats and pantaloons, silk worsted, muslins, and printed vestings, silk, worsted and cotton hall Hoses; Hoskin, Kid, Silk thread and Cotton gloves, silk & pocket handkerchiefs, Scarfs, Stockings, and Rattan for dresses and bonnets; Parasols, sun-Shades, &c. &c.

ALSO
A fresh and full stock of Groceries of all kinds, Crockery, Boots, shoes, Hats and Caps. Now in store 1 qr. each French Brandy, 4th proof choice brand; Gin, Port, Madeira, Malaga wines, choice brands, &c. &c.

C. R. JONES,
March 14, 1846.—369-1/2. Foot Haymount.

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

THE subscriber has just received from Philadelphia and New York, a handsome and varied assortment of fashionable Fancy and Staple

DRY GOODS,

To which he would invite the attention of Ladies and Gentlemen wishing to purchase at retail. His stock will be found to embrace the richest and latest styles of Ladies' Dress Goods; shawls, shawls; embroideries; fine cambric hdk's; cravats; shell buttons; patent ivory toilet and fine ditto; kid gloves, assorted colors; oil silk; corded, grass, and hair-cloth skirts; fashionable bonnet ribbons and flowers; fringed handkerchiefs and insertings; polka and lisle ditto ditto.

For Gentlemen's Wear—Super brown and black French cloths and cassimeres; black, brown, and green, and blue English do.; light and plain satin and silk vestings; linen goods for light summer wear; suspender; silk and cambric handkerchiefs; a great variety of worsted goods for coats and pants; latest style of hats; light calf-skin and Morocco shoes and pumps.

He would also say to country merchants, that he has bought expressly for the whole trade, a very extensive assortment of cheap & fine calicoes, bleached shirtings; bleached and brown drills; ticking; light and brown linens; brown hollands; linen drills; silices; paper cambric; black and white wiggins; canvases; padding; sewing silk and twist; low priced vestings; broad ribbons; chamberlains; blue and York Drills; Kentucky Jeans; coat, vest, pantaloons and shirt buttons of every variety; neck, side, and dressing combs; pins and needles; flax and cotton thread; table and pocket cutlery; Collins' axes; straw, wool, and fur hats; ladies' and gentlemen's shoes; cotton and wool caps; fine mill; sweet and castor oil; essence of peppermint, cinnamon and lemon; cologne; ink and ink powder; indigo, warranted best quality or nothing charged; madder; camphor; borax; alum; saleratus; copperas; spanish brown; powder; blond hair; sugar, coffee, molasses, and salt; iron and steel; French Brandy; Wine and Gin; together with many other goods not named, which on examination will be found to render the assortment as complete and desirable as any in the market; all of which will be sold for cash, country produce, or on time, as low as can be bought at any store in town.

JNO. D. WILLIAMS,
Brick Row, foot of Haymount, 371-1/2.
March 28, 1846.

P. S. A few very superior Nova Scotia Grindstones, for Mills or Pantation use.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having at March term, 1846, of the County Court of Cumberland, qualified as Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary Shackelford, hereby notifies all persons having claims against her estate, to present them within the time prescribed by law, otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

MARY ANN HARDIE, Executrix.
March 14, 1846. 369-4/2.

MORE HATS.

I have received my stock of Spring and Summer HATS, consisting of Panama, Leghorn, Palm leaf, Black and Drab Beaver, white Russia, black and white Coney, &c., all of the latest style and best quality. I also continue to manufacture all kinds of Fur and Wool Hats and MILITARY CAPS of all sorts. I sell cheaper than ever known in Fayetteville.

DAVID GEE,
371-y.
March 28, 1846.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber offers his services to the citizens of Fayetteville, as Carpenter and Contractor, and hopes by prompt attention to business to share a part of the public patronage.
G. W. ROSE,
July 19, 1845. 335-1/2.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

ALL persons, without distinction, who are indebted to me, are hereby requested to settle their accounts as early as possible; and they are hereby notified that such settlement must be made by cash or note, by the 1st of May next, as further indulgence cannot be given.

MALCOLM B. GILLIS.
March 7, 1846.

A poetical "lover," not long since, sent the following to Sally Ann, his lady-love:
TO SALLY ANN.
Soft is the down of the butterfly's wing;
Soft is the whisper when lovers speak;
Soft is the light which moonbeams bring,
But softer by far is my lady-love's cheek.

SALLY'S REPLY.
Soft am Iaters all smother'd up,
And much are soft as soft kin be;
But softer be'd that silly pup,
Yet writ that verse to me!
Go it, Sarah! never mind your bonnet!

The following is taken from the original manuscript of Col. Guilford Dudley, a Revolutionary officer. He was a native of Carolina county. An interesting account of the battle of Camden from his pen, was published during the last year:

"The upper parts of North Carolina, as far West as its population then extended, were settled by a hardy race of men, mostly emigrants from the back parts of Pennsylvania, Maryland and New York, and were chiefly either what are called Scotch-Irish or Dutch, their descendants tenaciously retaining the broad dialect and phraseology of their respective ancestry. As hands could be easily acquired, they were almost universally farmers, these being few tradesmen among them and no slaves. They drove their own wagons to market and performed all sorts of labor with their own hands. They were dissenters from the established Church, and were not easily reconciled to the payment of tithes to support the established clergy. These hardy back-woodmen, whose hands were as rough as the paws of a bear, from manual labor and all sorts of drudgery, whenever any well-dressed victim fell into their power, were in the habit of nicely examining the palms of their hands, which if they found soft and ductile and the backs fair and unscorched by the sun, they pronounced them "gentlemen" unused to work, who could live without labor, and then they were sure to inflict stripes upon their backs, in proportion to the softness of their hands, alleging that it was such "gentlemen" who were the cause of their oppressions and were maintained by the product of their labor unjustly extorted from them. A singular instance of this kind of discipline or ordeal happened in the morning of the battle of Allamance. A small reconnoitering party of Governor Tryon's, consisting of three or four young gentlemen of the volunteer cavalry from Cape Fear, being sent out to explore the flanks of the enemy, happened to fall in with a strong patrol of the "regulators." The party was soon captured and unharmed. Vengeance waited upon them. Without any parley they had to undergo the aforesaid ordeal. Judgment went against them, and flagellation instantly ensued, because there was no time then for parleying, as the firing had commenced between the advanced guards. But when they came to examine the last culprit, they found the matter rather dubious, for the palms of his hands were rather hard and dry, and the backs sun-burnt. They nevertheless tucked him up with his shirt off and gave him thirty stripes on his naked back, and the flagellator declared that if appearances had not been a little in his favor, he would have given him forty. But by this time the battle began to rage, and the terrified patrol hastily left their prisoners to release themselves, and hastened to their main body.

The incredulous will not believe this anecdote. The last sufferer whom I have just mentioned, was a young gentleman of highly respectable family and fortune, on Cape Fear, and no less a personage than afterwards a lieutenant Colonel in the Continental line of North Carolina and Governor of that State. I became intimately acquainted with him in the course of the Revolutionary war, and he was my particular friend. I had the whole story from his own lips about the close of the war. He observed that the scars were still on his back, and that they would descend with him to the grave. He told me at the same time who his fellow-sufferers were. This transaction and the usual practice of the "regulators" on such occasions, I had long before heard of, but as no names were mentioned, I disbelieved the story, until I could no longer doubt its truth."

Did you see the balloon, Patrick? Yes, honey, and I watched it half an hour after it was out of sight.

An advertiser in the New York Mirror addresses "Ladies who have shopping to do." He might as well address the whole sex.

A STREAK OF LIGHTNING—A Vermontor owned a very fine trotter, whose extraordinary speed he illustrated by the following anecdote