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* * * Gentlemen of leisure, who possess a taste for literary pursuits, are invited to favour us with communications.

Grocery Store.

THE subscriber has opened a Grocery Store, in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Bacon as a shoe shop, where, among other articles, may be had, for cash,

Coffee, first and second quality,
Brown and loaf Sugar,
Molasses,
Good old Rum,
New England ditto,
French Brandy,
Sherry and Malaga Wine,
Porter and Cordial,
Imperial Tea,
Ditto in cisterns of two pound each, superior quality.
China, in boxes of forty-eight pieces,
Liverpool, Queen, Glass and Stone Ware,
Muscadel Raisins, Figs, Prunes, Palm Nuts and Almonds.
Nails, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 20d.
Window Glass, 8 by 10, and 10 by 12,
Putty, White Lead, Red Lead, and Spanish Brown,
Pepper and Spice,
Writing and Letter Paper,
Pots and Ovens,
Best Rifle Powder, and Shot of all sizes.
No credit can or will be given.

D. Yarbrough.

Hillsborough, May 22. 16-4w

NOTICE.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons from trading for a note executed by myself to Zechariah Herndon for twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents, due about Christmas next, with interest from the date, and dated sometime about the 9th of February last, as the said note was obtained from me by fraud, and I am determined not to pay it.

Brooks Corn.

Orange, May 12, 1820. 17-3w

DAVID PRICE, COPPER SMITH.

INFORMS his friends and customers, that he expects to receive, by the next arrival of the steam boat, a general assortment of

Strong Copper Sheets and Bottoms,

suitable for making stills of from thirty-five to eighty-five gallons, which he will warrant equal to any made in the United States. Persons wishing to purchase will please call at his shop in Hillsborough street, and judge for themselves.

He expects to keep on hand a constant supply of SHEETS, and of materials, which will enable him to execute any order with which his friends may favour him.
Fayetteville, May 10, 1820. 15-6w

25 Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber in April, 1819, a negro man by the name of BOB, about twenty seven years old, five feet six inches high, a black curly looking fellow, with two of his under fore teeth out, two bald spots on his head, and a scar on his brow. Any person who shall take up the said negro and put him in jail, so that I get him, shall receive the above reward.

Moses H. Bonner.

Granville County, on N. Spauldred
Creek, May 16, 1820. 15-3w

J. P. Sneed & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED THEIR SPRING
SUPPLY OF

GOODS,

Among which are,

SUPERFINE cloths and cassimers, linens, lawns, cambric muslins, calicoes, bombazines, silks, muleskin, dimities, vestings, nankeens of different kinds, cotton and silk hose, domestic stripes, checks and plane, men's fine hats, straw bonnets, shoes, umbrellas, parasols, flag handkerchiefs, canton crapes, superb crape Tapes, &c. &c.

They have lately received from New York a good assortment of

SADDLERY,

viz.

Saddle-trees, hogskins, girth and straining webbing, plated and common bridle bits, stirrup irons of the latest fashion, buckles of various kinds, tacks, boss nails, ornaments, &c. &c.

They have on consignment and for sale, 50 bushels of SALT, 3 hogheads of BROWN SUGAR, 3 barrels ditto, and 1 hoghead of MOLASSES.

Hillsborough, May 10. 14-1f

BLANKS of various kinds,

for sale at this office.

Traveller's Inn.

A. MASON & Wm. CLIFTON,

HAVING purchased that well known stand in Hillsborough from Messrs. Hinton & Brame of Petersburg, formerly the property of Mr. Henry Thompson, inform their friends and the public generally, that they are now prepared to accommodate as many as may honour them with their company. They are provided with good beds, liquors, &c. and will keep as good a table as the country will afford. They are also provided with good stables, and will always keep the best of provender. They solicit a share of the patronage of the public. Mr. Clifton will always give his personal services, and pledges himself to the public, to do all in his power to please and give entire satisfaction.

Hillsborough, N. C. April 10, 1820. 4-10

Military Pensioners.

FUNDS for the payment of the United States Pensioners on the Roll of North Carolina to the 4th March, 1820, have been provided at the office of the Bank of the United States at Fayetteville. Claims duly authenticated, will be paid on demand. April 23

Mason Hall Eagle Hotel.

A. MASON,

WISHES to inform his former customers and the public generally, that he has nearly finished his house, so that he is now able to accommodate as many as may honour him with their company. His house is large, having seven comfortable rooms which have fire places in them, suitable for families, or travelling gentlemen wishing such. He has provided good beds, liquors, &c. and will keep as good a table as the neighbourhood will afford. He is also provided with good stables, and will always keep the best provender. The situation of the place is pleasant, and very healthy. Gentlemen wishing to visit him with their families, during the summer season, can be accommodated on moderate terms.

The keeper of this establishment pledges himself to the public to do all in his power to please and give entire satisfaction. Gentlemen who call can amuse themselves in reading the newspapers in his hall-room, where he keeps files of papers from almost every part of the United States.

Mason Hall, Orange county, N. C. }
Feb. 28, 1820. 4-6m

The celebrated Horse OSTRICH,

WILL stand the ensuing season, to commence the first day of April and end the first day of August: on Monday and Tuesday of each week at James Morrow's, on Cane creek; on Wednesday in each week at James Hutchison's, esq; and on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Mason Hall, all in the county of Orange; will cover mares at the reduced price of four dollars the leap, the cash to be paid at the time of service; six dollars the season, otherwise eight dollars will be charged for the season; and ten dollars to insure a mare with foal, which money will become due as soon as it can be ascertained the mare is with foal, or the property changed.

All possible care will be taken to prevent accidents, but the subscriber will not be liable for any that may happen.

PEDIGREE.

Ostrich, a beautiful bay, black legs, mane and tail, five feet four inches high, was thirteen years old last July, was bred by Allen Young, of the county of Mecklenburg, in the state of Virginia; was gotten by the imported horse Wrangler, and came out of the celebrated mare Miss Fidget, her sire the imported Sterling, her dam by Old Mo setrap

John Mason.

N. B. Gentlemen living at a distance, who think proper to send their mares to the subscriber at Mason Hall, are informed that their mares shall be well fed, and pastured gratis.
March 2, 1820. 5-3m

D. HEARTT

Proposes publishing by subscription

THE

PROCEEDINGS AND DEBATES

OF THE

Convention of North Carolina

On the adoption of the Constitution of the United States;

TOGETHER WITH

The Declaration of Rights and Constitution of the State.

TO WHICH IS PREFIXED

The Constitution of the United States.

THE former edition of this work having become so scarce as to render it difficult to procure a copy, it has been suggested to the publisher that a new edition would be acceptable to the public; he has accordingly submitted the proposal for their patronage, and will commence the publication as soon as the number of subscribers shall be such as to justify the undertaking. The debates of the North Carolina convention on the adoption of the constitution of the United States, must certainly excite sufficient interest to prevent their becoming extinct; it is therefore presumed that the proposed edition will be extensively patronised throughout the state.

CONDITIONS.

The work will be comprised in a duodecimo volume of about three hundred pages, neatly printed on fine paper.

The price to subscribers will be one dollar and fifty cents, handsomely bound and lettered.

It will be put to press as soon as three hundred subscribers are obtained.

Subscriptions received at this office, and at most of the post-offices in the state.

ACTS

OF THE SIXTEENTH CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

A List of the Titles of all the Acts, Resolutions, and Treaties, approved and ratified at the first session of the Sixteenth Congress, which was begun and held in the city of Washington, on Monday the sixth day of December, 1819, and ended on the 15th day of May, 1820; with a brief abstract of the provisions of each law; together with the branch of the Legislature in which each act, &c. originated, the dates of approval, and the dates, respectively, at which they were published in the National Intelligencer.

(Concluded.)

LIGHT HOUSES.

1. An act to authorize the erection of a light house on one of the Isles of Shoals, near Portsmouth, New Hampshire. [Senate. 15th May, 1820.] 20th May, 1820.

Besides the light house designated in the title, this act provides for other light houses, buoys, light vessels, piers, and bells, in other situations, and makes appropriations of money for them.

LOAN.

1. An act to authorize the President of the United States to borrow a sum not exceeding three millions of dollars. (House. 15th May, 1820.) 17th May, 1820.

The President empowered to borrow not exceeding 3,000,000 dollars, at five per cent. reimbursable at any time after 1st Jan. 1832; or at six per cent. if made at the pleasure of the United States. The bank of the United States may lend the money; or the Secretary of the treasury may cause certificates of stock to be constituted and sold. An agent may be appointed to procure subscriptions or sell the stock. 4000 dollars are appropriated for the expenses of the loan; for the repayment of the principal and interest of which the surplus of the annual appropriation of 10 millions of dollars is pledged.

MAINE.

An act for the admission of the state of Maine into the Union. [House. 3d March, 1820.] 6th March, 1820.

Maine, with the consent of the legislature of Massachusetts, admitted into the Union from the 15th of March, 1820. See Congress, 1.

MILITIA.

1. An act to establish a uniform mode of discipline and field exercise for the militia of the United States. (House. 12th May, 1820.) 7th May, 1820.

The system of discipline and field exercise observed by the regular army, to be observed by the militia; and Baron Steuben's rules and discipline repealed.

MISSOURI.

1. An act to authorize the people of the Missouri territory to form a constitution and state government, and for the admission of such state into the Union on an equal footing with the original states, and to prohibit slavery in certain territories. (House. 6th March, 1820.) 8th March, 1820.

This act, in general, contains the same provisions as precedents in like cases. The election of representatives to form a convention is to take place in May, and the convention is to meet at St. Louis on the second Monday of June, 1820. The state is to be entitled to one representative in congress until the 4th census; and there is the usual reservation of land for schools, for a seminary of learning, and for a seat of government. The 8th section of this act forever prohibits slavery and involuntary servitude, in the territory ceded by France, under the name of Louisiana, north of 36 degrees 30 minutes north latitude, except that part included within the state of Missouri, unless in the punishment of crimes; but fugitives may be reclaimed.

NAVY.

1. An act authorizing the building of a certain number of small vessels of war. [Senate. 15th May, 1820.] 18th May, 1820.

Not exceeding five, of not exceeding 12 guns each, at the discretion of the President. 60,000 dollars appropriated for the object.

2. An act to amend an act, "making reservations of certain public lands for naval purposes," passed the 1st of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen. [House. 15th May, 1820.] 19th May, 1820.

The secretary of the navy no longer to appoint agents and surveyor. The duties to be performed by such surveyors of public lands as the president may designate.

3. An act to amend the act, entitled "An act to amend the act authorizing the employment of an additional naval force." (House. 15th May, 1820.) 19th May, 1820.

Enlistment of able seamen, ordinary

seamen and boys, authorized during the continuance of the service or cruise; but not to exceed three years.

OFFICE, LIMITATION OF THE TERM OF

1. An act to limit the term of office of certain officers therein named, and for other purposes. (Senate. 15th May, 1820.) 17th May, 1820.

District attorneys, collectors of customs, naval officers, surveyors of customs, navy agents, receivers of public moneys for lands, registers of land offices, paymasters, apothecary and assistant apothecaries general, and the commissary general of purchases, are to be appointed for four years, removable at pleasure. The commissions of officers now in service are to cease as follows: if dated before 30th Sept. 1814, at their dates ensuing 30th Sept. 1820; if after 30th Sept. 1814, and before 1st October, 1816, at their dates ensuing 30th Sept. 1821. All others four years from their dates. The President is authorized to regulate and increase the sums in bonds required from officers, from time to time. And the commissions of officers employed in collecting revenue, are to be made out and recorded at the treasury department.

PENSIONERS.

1. An act in addition to an act, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war," passed the eighteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen. (House. 1st May, 1820.) 3d May, 1820.

No person is to receive a pension after payment of that due on 4th March, 1820, unless he exhibits a schedule of his whole estate and income, clothing and bedding excepted, and takes an oath. A certified copy of the schedule and oath, and opinion of the court, must be delivered to the secretary of war; but in case of insanity or incapacity, the schedule may be received by the court without oath. The original schedule must be filed in the office of the clerk of the court; and persons swearing falsely are to suffer as for wilful and corrupt perjury. The secretary of war may strike from the pension list the names of persons who, in his opinion, are not in indigent circumstances, &c. And persons who relinquished pensions to avail themselves of the act of 18th March, 1818, and stricken from the list in virtue of the third section of this act, are restored to pensions relinquished.

2. An act to revive and continue in force an act, entitled "An act to provide for persons who were disabled by known wounds received in the revolutionary war," and for other purposes. (House. 15th May, 1820.) 18th May, 1820.

The act of the 10th April, 1806, revived and continued in force for one year. Pensions to commence at the time of completing the testimony of claims to them. Agents for paying in valid pensions, to give bonds, &c.

POST OFFICE.

1. An act in addition to an act, entitled "An act regulating the post office establishment" (Senate. 13th March, 1820.) 15th March, 1820.

The president of the senate pro tempore, and the speaker of the house of representatives, entitled to frank as the vice president of the United States.

POST ROADS.

1. An act to alter and establish certain post roads. (House. 13th May, 1820.) 17th May, 1820.

This is an act, such as is usually passed every year, discontinuing and establishing post roads.

PRIVATE ACTS.

1. An act for the relief of the legal representatives of Philip Barbour, deceased. (House. 14th January, 1820.) 18th January, 1820.

Upon a legal representative's filing a release, the commissioner of the general land office is to issue to him a certificate of the amount of the value of 1,500 acres of land, patented in 1770, to Philip Barbour, by the government of West Florida; which certificate is to be receivable for public lands on sale.

2. An act allowing Sarah Allen the bounty land and pay which would have been due to her son, Samuel Drew, had he lived, for his services as a private in the late war. (House. 19th January, 1820.) 25th January, 1820.

Warrant for bounty land, and money, due to Samuel Drew, a soldier, to be issued and paid to Sarah Allen.

3. An act for the relief of Matthew Barrow. (Senate. 28th January, 1820.) January 29th, 1820.

309 dolls. 19 cents to be paid to him; expended in defending a prosecution for property impressed by him.

4. An act for the relief of James Hughes. (House. 28th January, 1820.) 29th January, 1820.

Secretary of the treasury to issue a certificate for 400 dolls. to him, &c. receivable in payment for public land.

5. An act for the relief of the heirs

of Anthony Burk. (House. 18th February, 1820.) 21st February, 1820.

They are authorized to enter, within 12 months, in the land district of Chilli-cothe, two quarter sections, without payment.

6. An act for the relief of Denton, Little & Co. and of Harman Hendrick, of New York. (House. 18th February, 1820.) 21st February, 1820.

271 dolls. 7 cents. to be refunded to the former, and 5,725 doll. 61 cents to the latter, being a return of duties paid on articles not liable to duty.

7. An act for the relief of William M'Donald, administrator of James M'Donald, deceased, late captain in the army of the United States. (House. 28th February, 1820.) 7th March, 1820.

Further allowance for bounties and premiums, in the settlement of the accounts of capt. J. M'Donald; but not to exceed the amount charged to him.

8. An act to confirm Anthony Cavalier and Peter Petit in their claim to a tract of land. (House. 28th February, 1820.) 7th March, 1820.

Their claim to Appie Island, in the Mississippi river, confirmed; but the claims of others are not to be affected.

9. An act for the relief of Ether Shipley, administrator of Thomas Buckminster, late lieutenant in the thirty-third regiment of United States' infantry. (House. 28th February, 1820.) 7th March, 1820.

The accounts of T. Buckminster to be settled on principles of justice and equity; but the sum allowed is not to exceed the amount charged to him.

10. An act for the relief of Mary Cassin, widow and administratrix of Patrick Cassin, deceased. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

Her claim to be settled, for moneys advanced by her husband to soldiers in the army; she to give a bond of indemnity to the comptroller of the treasury.

11. An act for the relief of the heirs and legal representatives of Nicholas Vreeland, deceased. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

Their claim to be audited and settled, on account of a certificate for 245 dolls. and 66 90ths; the surviving executor to deliver a bond of indemnity to the comptroller of the treasury.

12. An act for the relief of John A. Dix. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

The secretary of war to pay him 112 dolls. in full for extra services as adjutant, &c.

13. An act for the relief of the legal representatives of John O'Connor, deceased. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

Confirmed in their title to a tract of land on Buffalo Creek, in Mississippi; but the claims of others not to be affected.

14. An act for the relief of Robert Swartwout. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

To be allowed such sums as may appear equitable and just for loss on sale of treasury notes.

15. An act for the relief of John Harding, Giles Harding, John Shute, and John Nichols. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

To be allowed not exceeding 900 dollars, for fifteen boats, detained at Baton Rouge by gen. Thomas in 1815.

16. An act for the relief of Jennings O'Bannon. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

His account of expenses incurred in a suit erroneously instituted against him in behalf of the United States, to be settled, and the sum found due to be paid.

17. An act authorizing the secretary of state to issue letters patent to Richard Willcox. (Senate. 5th April, 1820.) 7th April, 1820.

Letters patent to issue to him for a rotary portable oven, and for inventions in the process of distillation.

18. An act for the relief of Anthony S. Delisle, Edward B. Dudley, and John M. Van Cleef. (Senate. 7th April, 1820.) 11th April, 1820.

Forfeiture of the brig Sally, for the importation of persons of color from Martinique, remitted so far as the U. States are interested.

19. An act authorizing payment to be made for certain muskets impressed into the service of the United States. (Senate. 7th April, 1820.) 11th April, 1820.

228 dollars to be paid to David Henley, agent of E. Fox, for 19 muskets impressed. D. Henley to give security to indemnify, &c.

20. An act for the relief of Walter Channing. (Senate. 11th April, 1820.) 14th April, 1820.

Moneys paid into the treasury, as duties upon salt petre, imported in 1803, to be repaid to him.

21. An act for the relief of certain persons who have paid duties on certain goods imported into Casine. (Senate. 11th April, 1820.) 14th April, 1820.

The secretary of the treasury to