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DESULTORY.

Singular Casualty.—In the town of Attleboro, a girl about 12 years of age, having left in the school house something which she wanted, and finding the door shut, undertook to get in thro' the window; and it is supposed, as she jumped from the ground to effect her purpose, the sash fell at the moment, and caught her by the neck, her feet just cleared the ground. Her mother found her dead, suspended from the window.

The North American Review has been proscribed in France. By a formal order of the government its title is inserted in the list of prohibited books, and the custom house officers are commanded not to bid it to have it on sale, and it is subject to be seized when found in any person's possession.

A Wandrous Tree.—A paper in South Carolina, states that near Howells Ferry, on Broad River, on the York side, stands a Sycamore Tree, which, for its great size and capacity, surpasses perhaps any one in the United States. It is seventy-two feet in circumference, with sixteen feet of a hollow in diameter—has held within that space seven men on horseback. Tradition reports it gave shelter and afforded protection to many families, during the lowering days of the American Revolution.

The following is the number of inhabitants of the 4 wards of Charleston, from a census taken by order of the corporation of that city:

Whites	12,357
Slaves	13,812
Free Col'd.	1,008

Total—27,817

Of this number 648 were children under one year old.

Pedestrianism.—On Saturday, the 17th inst. a pedestrian fete was performed in Amity, N. Y. by John Finch, which it is presumed equals, if not surpasses any thing of the kind ever achieved. One hundred Eggs were placed in a direct line, three feet apart—a box was placed at one end of the line, and in forty seven minutes, Mr. Finch took them up singly, and carried them one by one to the box and placed them carefully in it. He performed the fete with apparent ease, and was the opinion of several gentlemen present, that he might have performed it in much less time.

A decision has lately been made in England by the Lord Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench, which is of some interest to the citizens of the U. States. The decision goes to exclude persons born in the United States, after the peace of 1783, from inheritance of land, the property of progenitors who continued to be British subjects, even at the time of their death. It is intimated that an appeal will be made from this decision to Parliament.

Delusion, or Allusion!—A paper published in Maine states, that an acre of land with trees, has glided from the shore into the river adjacent, and formed an island in the channel, on which the trees are yet standing.

Mr. Perkins, besides discovering a method of discharging cannon by steam, has lately taken out a patent for steam rockets. They may be made of any size of several hundred pounds weight, if necessary.

Something called a constitution is wanted of his states. The assemblies of Westphalia and the Rhine are to consist of four branches—two composed of nobles, one of representatives of the cities, and another of delegates elected by the manry, each having a conditional negative on the others.

France. By a law recently passed, the present French chamber of deputies, and succeeding ones, are to have a duration of seven years, like the English parliament.

The National Intelligencer uses the words *ultra prints, ultra politicians*, &c. &c. as applicable to the friends of the administration. We had thought that those opposed to the administration, were termed *ultra*, we suppose, conceive Mr. Crawford the head, and themselves the body, of the Government, and of course, that the papers opposed to them are *ultras*. But it is cruel to laugh at a whipped boy, isn't it? We wish Hogarth could have witnessed friend Joseph's countenance when he made his exit "for the last time" from the President's house! Those who saw it, say it was of most dolorous import. *Balt. Patriot.*

The Georgia Chronicle intimates that the Savannah postmaster is to be Postmaster General, when Mr. Crawford is elevated to the Presidency! This is the agent who appeared in Providence, Rhode Island, of late, and presided over the caucus party there.

RADICAL STATISTICS.

A Philadelphia paper states that Crawford meetings in that state were attended in

Delaware county, by	3
Fayette county, Democratic	9
Radicals,	
Federal do.	6
Federal do.	17
Mount Holly	1
Philadelphia, "Fragment of	
Factions,"	120
Aggregate of Caucus men in	
Pennsylvania and New Jersey,	165

We are extremely gratified to find that the appointment of Captain Barron to the command of the Philadelphia Navy Yard and station, has given such general satisfaction to the respectable citizens of that place. The same feeling seems to pervade the country, generally, wherever the intelligence of his being brought again into service has been received. *Nat. Journal.*

Early Cotton.—A Merchant of Hamburg, N. C. has several hands picking out Cotton; and from the specimens exhibited, the color appears beautiful—the crops bid fair to yield plentifully, notwithstanding the drought.

Parrots.—In England, a milliner lately brought an action against a lady of the same avocation, to recover the value of a parrot. The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff of 30 guineas (\$340) damages. One of the witnesses, a dealer in parrots, said they were birds of great value, especially if they spoke French; and that he had sold one as high as 60 guineas, (\$420).

FROM THE ALBANY GAZETTE.

SICILIAN DWARF.

The body of the little Sicilian dwarf, who has been recently shown to death in London, had been presented to the royal college of surgeons, by the person who had exhibited it when alive. The father, who it appears resided in Dublin, and was only apprised by the public papers of the death of his child, arrived in London only in time to recognize its dismembered trunk in the dissection room of the college. It appears the child had been taken surreptitiously from its parents.

Ancient Inscriptions.—in various places of Galloway, large crags are to be met with, having very ancient writings on them, some of which the antiquary deciphered, but others not; one of these, in the farm of Knockibay, has cut deep on the upper side—
"Lift me up, and I'll tell ye more."

A number of people at one time gathered to this rock, and, after much labor, succeeded in lifting it up, with hopes, no doubt, of being well repaid for their trouble with the treasure beneath; but how must they have been disappointed, when instead of finding gold, they found written on its ground side,
"Lay me down, as I was before."

An old fellow was set in the pillory for abusing the civil authority; he was afterwards brought before a bench of judges, and threatened with a severe punishment, if they heard of any such doings in future. You shall hear no more (says he) but I'll serve you a trick which the devil never did. 'And what is that?' said one of the judges. 'I will leave you,' said he.

Cheap Religious Tracts.

THE subscriber having been appointed agent for "the American Tract Society," he received from the general depository, a great variety of interesting religious Tracts, which he is now offering to sell at the rate of 10 pages for a cent. The Tracts are of various kinds, and are respectively sent to forward their orders for these valuable publications. *DANIEL GOULD.*
Salisbury, Aug. 16, 1824. 5c'25

Dwight's Theology.

THIS justly celebrated work has undergone seven or eight editions in England. "It is now published there in a pocket form—it has been previously stereotyped, in octavo and quarto." A Copy of New-Haven, has purchased the copy right of this most excellent work, for the United States, and has already published two or three stereotype editions. More than one hundred copies of his editions have, within a few months, been circulated in Western Carolina, it is believed, to the universal satisfaction of subscribers. The present edition is, in all respects, to be equal to his former editions. The price of the present and future editions, well bound, is Eleven Dollars to subscribers, Twelve Dollars to non-subscribers. Subscriptions to be paid on the delivery of the Books, in December next. Subscriptions received by the gentlemen who took them last year, and is general by the Clergy of Concord Presbytery. *August 16, 1824. 5c'25*

THE subscriber still continues to mail all kinds of Cotton Sew Gigs, at his shop in Salisbury, on Main-street, north side, three doors east of the Court-House. He will warrant his Gigs to be as well made as any in the state and will, hereafter, keep a supply constant on hand, of his own make, for the accommodation of such gentlemen as live at a distance, or others who cannot wait.

The subscriber takes this occasion to give his thanks to all those who have patronized him in this line of business; and assures them, that whenever they may again want jobs done in the way of making or repairing Gigs, his best exertions shall continue to be exerted to give them satisfaction. The public at large are respectfully invited to try the subscriber's Gigs, and will feel confident, if they will once try, they will ever afterwards buy from his shop. *SAMUEL FRALTY.*
Salisbury, Aug. 16, 1824. 19

Morganton Academy.

THIS institution having received such assistance from the acts of the last Assembly, as places it on a stable and respectable foundation, and enjoying the labors of Mr. Alexander E. Wilson, a graduate from the State University, a satisfactory proof of his talents and ability, is now recommended to the attention of the public. The Trustees are aware of the little reliance which can be placed on recommendations of this nature; still, having witnessed the rapid improvement of the youth, in morals and literature, under the instruction of Mr. Wilson, considering the pleasantness and perfect healthfulness of the situation, and the benefit which must result from having the teachers of both departments of the institution, together with the Rev. Mr. Eddy, residing in the Academy buildings, where they will continually watch and labor for the intellectual and spiritual good of the pupils; they cannot but ask those gentlemen who wish to fit their sons for college, or to give them a valuable scientific education, to inquire whether the facilities afforded at this institution are not, at least, equal to any in the state. By order of the Board. *ISAAC T. AVERY.*
3mt30

Mansion Hotel,

SALISBURY, NORTH-CAROLINA, BY EDWARD YARBROUGH.

WHO respectfully informs the public, and his friends, that he has taken the extensive and elegant establishment, situated at the north corner of the Court-House, (lately occupied by Mr. James Huie.) The convenience of this situation for business, is equal to any in the place. The House contains a number of private rooms, well calculated for the accommodation of Travellers and Boarders; the Stables are equal, if not superior, to any in the place, and attended to by obliging and attentive Hostlers; his table and bar, will be supplied with the best market affords; and the regulations of his House, such as he hopes will give entire satisfaction to those who may think proper to call on him; and he assures them, that no pains shall be spared to render their stay comfortable and pleasing. *February 24, 1824. 96*

Entertainment.

CALEB SMOOT, takes this method of informing his friends and the public at large, that he has now finished repairing his house, and has fitted it up in the first rate style for the accommodation of Travellers, and all others who may feel disposed to call on him. His House is in Davidson county, on the main road leading from Salisbury to Salem, by Lexington, &c. twelve miles from Salem, eight from Lexington, and twenty-four from Salisbury. Gentlemen travelling from south to north, or from north to south, are invited to call, as every convenience of refreshments for themselves, feed for their horses, &c. will be afforded them at rates to correspond with the general reduced price of provisions and other necessaries. *Davidson co June 1, 1824. 13c'22*

Mare Stolen.

STOLEN from the subscriber's stable, living in Guilford county, near the Randolph line, on Saturday night, the 7th inst. a sorrel mare, with a blazed face, with one white hind foot, and also one fore foot white, with a small lump on her left shoulder, near the top, she is about 3 feet high, and 8 or 9 years old. Whoever will return said mare and thief, shall be well rewarded—or a reasonable reward for the mare alone. *ABSALOM FIELDS.*
August 11, 1824. 3c'25

New Leather, BUT OLD WORKMEN!

EZRA DICKSON again presents his compliments to old customers and new friends, and to all others who want shoes, and cased, "all the way from" Philadelphia, a supply of good Leather as ever covered the feet of men in Salisbury; this leather he is prepared to make up into boots, shoes, shooters, pumps, &c. &c. in as handsome a style of workmanship, and on as low terms, as any shoemaker in North-Carolina. As the subscriber constantly works in his shop himself, and will keep none but the best of workmen; he can pledge good work to those who may favor him with their patronage. His shop is on Main street, opposite the Bank, with his sign before the door, as a sign. The public are invited to try the new leather; and if they are not then satisfied, why, they can try another shop. *E. DICKSON.*
Salisbury, July 20, 1824. 17

Martin F. Revell, Tailor,
ADOPTS this plan of informing the citizens of Salisbury, and its vicinity, in general, that he has commenced the

Tailoring Business.

In part of John Utzman's house, situated in Market Street, a few doors from the East corner of the Court-House; where he is prepared and will be happy to accommodate any gentlemen who are disposed to patronize him in his line of business, in the greatest and most fashionable style, in any of the country. He flatters himself, few, if any, in the country, that there is any one in the execution of his work. A fair trial is all he asks, to prove the above assertion. The changes of fashion shall be strictly attended to, as he has left a correspondent in the District of Columbia, (where he is last from) who will send him the fashions on, in their regular seasons. He hopes by strict attention to business, to receive a liberal share of public patronage, as he is determined nothing shall be left undone to render general satisfaction. *Salisbury, May 5, 1824. 206*

Coach Making.

THE subscriber offers his services to the public in the above line, and flatters himself, from long experience and steady application for a number of years, in Europe and America, to give general satisfaction to those who may favor him with their work.

Carriages of all descriptions, Panelled and Stick Gigs, Sulkeys, &c. made and repaired on reasonable terms. *SAML. LANDER.*
Salisbury, April 26, 1824. 204

N. R. Carriages, of all descriptions, bought and sold, on commission.

P. S. A journeyman wanted at the above business, to whom a reasonable salary will be given.

The subscriber keeps two Gigs for Hire, which will always be kept in readiness, with good harness, for the accommodation of those who may, at any time, wish to ride on pleasure or on business.

Wanted, as an Apprentice at the above business, a young man from 14 to 16 years of age, and of correct and industrious habits—one from the country would be preferred: to whom a good chance will be given.

Coach Making.

THE subscriber begs leave to return his grateful acknowledgments to his friends and the public, for the very liberal patronage he has received in his line of business; and informs them, that he has procured a number of workmen from Philadelphia and Newark, which enables him to finish work in a style rarely seen in the western part of the state. He also has a continual supply of materials, of the best quality and most fashionable patterns. He intends keeping constantly on hand, at reduced prices for cash only, Sulkeys, Stick and Panel Gigs, Chariotees, Coaches, Landaus, Phaetons, Barouches, Landauls, Caravans, and Mail Stages, of a superior construction. Repairs done at the shortest notice, and in the best manner. Orders from a distance thankfully received, and punctually attended to. *J. G. MORSE.*
Charlotte, March 1, 1824. 97

Another Watch Stolen.

WAS stolen from the subscriber's bed-room, by some daring villain, on Tuesday night, the 10th inst. a silver, doubled case'd, cased Watch, made by B. Bolton, Liverpool, No 3166; and, also, at the same time, a black fur hat, about half worn. The street window of the room in which I usually sleep being left open on that night, the hardened rogue crept in, and took the watch and hat from one end of the room, while myself and family were asleep at the other end. A reasonable reward will be paid for apprehending the thief and returning the stolen articles, or for the thief alone. All watch-makers and others, are requested to stop the watch, should it be offered for sale, or for repair. *CHARLES BILES.*
Salisbury, Aug. 13, 1824. 19

P. S. It is ascertained that *Lex Bass*, a runaway from Henry Allemong, (who is described in his advertisement) is the thief who robbed my house of the above-mentioned articles. *C. B.*
August 24, 1824.

Stray Mare.

STRAYED from the subscriber, 8 miles west of Salisbury, on the 15th inst. a bay MARE, four years old, and about 15 hands high; no particular mark recollected. Any person who will give information of said mare to Mr. Charles L. Bowers, in Salisbury, or to the subscriber, shall be reasonably rewarded. *JOHN SHAVER.*
August 21, 1824. 3c'22

House and Lot in Charlotte.

FOR sale, on accommodating terms, the house and lot in the town of Charlotte, which adjoins Mr. John Irwin's store, on the north corner. Apply to *JAMES TORRENCE.*
Charlotte, May 7, 1824. 7



PEOPLE'S TICKET.

which will be the second Thursday of November, 1824, for the election of President and Vice President of the United States.

- John Giles, of Rowan county;
- Montfort Stokes, of Wilkes do.
- Peter Farney, of Lincoln do.
- Robert Love, of Haywood do.
- Augustin H. Sheppard, of Stokes do.
- John M. Morehead, of Guilford do.
- James Albans, of Orange do.
- Joshua Craddock, of Wake do.
- Walter F. Leake, of Richmond do.
- William A. Blount, of Beaufort do.
- William S. Blackledge, of Craven do.
- William Martin, of Pasquotank do.
- William Drew, of Halifax do.
- William B. Lockhart, of Northampton do.
- Edward B. Dudley, of Wilmington.

To the Friends of North-Carolina!

A number of the citizens of Cabarrus county having met at Concord, with a view of consulting on the most practicable method of forming a ticket with the express view of promoting the election of JOHN Q. ADAMS to the Presidency of the United States—believing, as we do, that the prosperity and happiness of the People of these United States—may, not only that, but the very existence of our government, in its present form, be endangered, if we do not refrain from expressing the deep solicitude we feel in the passing scene. We believe the interest of J. Q. Adams is daily increasing in this section of the State; and we hope that, at the day of the election, if a ticket can be formed, he will have a decided majority over either of the other candidates. We believe, further, that, in point of talents, experience, and moral character, he stands first on the list; and that his claims to the Presidency are superior to those of any other. We therefore invite those of our fellow-citizens throughout the state, who are friendly to the election of John Q. Adams as President, and John C. Calhoun as Vice President, to nominate an Elector in their respective districts, and forward the names of their electors to Benjamin S. King, Esq. of Raleigh, with a request that he will have the same published in the Raleigh newspapers.

This meeting have appointed John Plifer, Alphonso Alexander, and Joseph Young, a committee of correspondence. Editors of newspapers throughout the State are requested to publish the foregoing communication.

JOSEPH YOUNG, Sec'y. of the meeting.
August 16, 1824. 24'21

It is our duty to give part to the above communication, we must express our regret at seeing an effort of this kind come from such a quarter. It looks as though man, mere peccable man, not principle, was the aim of some. Heretofore, one peculiar circumstance has marked the progress of the contest in North Carolina—namely, that the friends of Gen. Jackson and Mr. Adams, though preferring different men, have agreed in principle. Their first object seemed to have been, to put down the odious practice of caucusing—and, of course, that party which built its hopes of success alone on caucus management. To succeed in this patriotic endeavor, required that they should not quarrel among themselves about men. Accordingly, as if simultaneously actuated by the same spirit throughout the state, the friends of Gen. Jackson and Mr. Adams, composing the great mass of the people, united together in getting up the "People's Ticket," which stands in opposition to the "caucus ticket." This union, formed on principle, struck terror into the ranks of the caucus party. They plainly see that the people must, and will, triumph in North-Carolina, unless they can succeed in producing schism and discord among them. "Divide, and conquer," is as much their maxim, as it has been that of the tyrants of Europe: while, on the other hand, the people's maxim may be found in the words of Washington, "united we stand, divided we [may] fall."

The friends of caucus, true to their maxim, have been busy in every part of the state, trying to excite the friends of Mr. Adams to start a separate ticket. Before Mr. Calhoun was withdrawn, their cry then was, to get up a Jackson ticket! but now, their schemes are all directed towards getting up an Adams ticket. Under this state of things, ought it not to be regretted, that any of the friends (the real and true friends of Mr. Adams, not his pseudo friends) should come forth and make efforts to accomplish the wishes of the caucus party? Whether, indeed, these gentlemen can be the real friends of Mr. Adams, is not for us to say. We are told by a correspondent, (an eye-witness,) that the meeting was very small, consisting of only about a dozen persons who participated in its proceedings; that it was held in a back room, without any general notice. We think proper to state these facts, lest the address may be considered, at a distance, as proceeding from some numerous collection of the friends of Mr. Adams; when, in fact, a majority of the friends of Mr. Adams, in the town of Concord, suspecting all was not fair, did not attend.

We do not say that this feeble effort was the direct work of the caucus party, for we believe several of the persons present could not be made tools of in such a way; but, on the other hand, we are certain that it is the very movement the radicals have long since been praying for: nothing would please them more; but we have no fears of the result. This weak effort will soon expire—all the secret arts of the caucus-men to divide the people by starting another ticket, will expire. The second Thursday of November will show forth a glorious triumph to the people of North-Carolina, over those who are trying to caucus them out of their rights and constitutional privileges.

Com. Barron has been invited by the citizens of Philadelphia, to partake of a public dinner; but, from his dislike of useless show and ostentation, has begged to be excused the honor.

EDITOR.