

In Greenock (Massachusetts) five out of seven persons who were in the water washing sheep, were, by the upsetting of a canoe, drowned. It is mentioned as a little singular, that most of those drowned were good swimmers, while those who escaped were not.

Cautions to Parents.—A little child of Mr. Hicks, of Orange county, in this State, while running about with an open knife in its hands, fell down, and the blade passing through the skull, immediately above the eye-ball, into the brain, killed the child almost instantly. Small children ought never to take an open knife into their hands.

A negro woman named Hannah, was hung in York district, S. C. on the 1st inst. for poisoning one of her master's children. She had before attempted to poison the whole family, by mixing drugs with the coffee.

Mr. Crawford.—The Milledgeville Journal states that the Hon. William H. Crawford has been appointed by the Gov. of Georgia, Judge of the Superior Courts of the northern circuit of that State, in place of Judge Dooly, deceased.

Not quite so fast.—The Courtland (Alabama) Herald, of the 25th ult. publishes the death of John Randolph, of Roanoke, and goes on to pay a flattering tribute to the memory of the Virginia orator. The Herald has probably, by this time, discovered, that Mr. Randolph yet liveth, and is in a fair way to continue to live, for many years to come.

Richard W. Harbersham, Esq. has resigned the office of Attorney of the United States for the District of Georgia, and Matthew Hall McAllister, has been appointed to the vacant office.

On Tuesday night, the 5th of May, ult. ice formed in the gutters of the streets of the city of New-York. The like had not been known for many years.

News for Snuff-Takers.—The English paper mentions, that a gentleman in Devonshire has invented a Snuff-Pistol. It has two barrels, and being applied to the nose, and touching an under spring with the fore finger, both nostrils are instantly filled with snuff, and a sufficient quantity is driven into the head to last the whole day. This must be an important invention: The number of snuff-takers is said to be as one to twenty of the whole number of inhabitants; and the number of pinches taken by each, will average twelve per day; and the this invention, each snuff-taker will save 20 minutes of time each day—154 each week, or 8008 (or 16 hours and 40 minutes) each year.

Fourth of July.—On the 7th inst. the citizens of Greensboro and Guilford county held a meeting. (Jno. M. Morehead, Esq. in the chair) and entered into arrangements for celebrating the coming 4th of July. Col. Wm. T. Shields spoke at some length on the propriety and duty of celebrating the day. Col. Dan'l Gillespie is appointed President of the day, and Dr. Jno. A. Mebane Vice President; Mr. Joshua G. Wright to deliver an Oration, and Mr. Jesse Harper Lindsay to read the Declaration.

As no steps have as yet been, nor are likely to be, taken by the citizens of Salisbury, for honoring the anniversary of the birth-day of the independence of our country, and the liberty of our people, it has been suggested, that, in imitation of the plan adopted in Washington county, New-York, instead of a convivial celebration, a Religious one be had.

MORGAN TON BIBLE SOCIETY.
Extract from the minutes of a board of managers of the Morganton Bible Society, April 27th, 1827: The board consisted of Col. John M. Greenlee, 1st Vice Pres.; Thos. Walton, man, Rec. Sec.; John H. Steville, John McGuire, Martin Keeliler, Mark Brittain, Wm. McEntire, Adolphus L. Erwin, Managers.

Constituted with prayer. The Pres. Col. Wm. W. Erwin, being absent by indisposition, Col. J. M. Greenlee, 1st Vice Pres. was called to the chair. Unanimity and a lively interest in the society, were the only feelings apparent to those present. In the close, it was unanimously resolved, that, as the anniversary will be on Saturday, 21st July, and as it will be the next stated meeting of this society, the Rev. Reuben Coffey be requested to preach a sermon on the occasion, at the church in this place; also, that Rev. Alexander Abernathy, be requested to attend, as his alternate. And should they both fail, the Rev. John Silliman perform this duty. And further, that Mr. P. White, the editor of the Western Carolinian, be requested to publish the above extract, in his paper, at least four weeks previous. 470 Managers, members, and others, are invited to attend. JOHN SILLIMAN, Rec. Sec.

LATEST FROM ENGLAND.
By the arrival at New-York, of the ship Canada Packet, English papers to the 1st of May have been received. They announce the final consummation of the ministerial arrangements of Mr. Canning, as follows:

LIST OF THE ADMINISTRATION.
THE CABINET.
Peers.—Lord Chancellor, Lord Lyndhurst, Sir J. Copley. Lord President, Earl of Harrowby. Lord Privy Seal, Duke of Portland. Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Lord Bexley. Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Viscount Dudley. Secretary of State for the Colonies, Viscount Goderick, (late Mr. Robinson.)

Commons.—Secretary of State in the Home Department, Rt. Hon. W. Sturges Bourne. President of the Board of Trade, Rt. Hon. W. Huskisson. President of the Board of Control, Right Hon. C. W. Wynne. Secretary at War, Viscount Palmerston. First Lord of the Treasury, and Chancellor of the Exchequer, Right Honorable George Canning.

NOT IN THE CABINET.
Lord High Admiral, His Royal Highness the Duke of Clarence. Master General of the Ordnance, Marquis of Anglesea. Lord Chamberlain of the Household, Duke of Devonshire. Master of the Horse, Duke of Leeds. Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, Hon. W. Lamb.

Law Appointments.—Master of the Rolls, Sir John Leach. Vice Chancellor, Mr. Hart. Attorney-General, Mr. Scarlett. Solicitor General, Sir N. Tindal.

It will be seen that neither the Marquis of Lansdowne, nor Mr. Tierney, nor Mr. Brougham are in place. But it is said confidently, by all the papers, that the Marquis of Lansdowne and the Whigs generally will give their hearty support to the new administration—and that as some future day Lord Lansdowne will take office.

The general sentiment of the English papers is approbatory of the new ministry and their appointments, although some have found fault.

Parliament was to re-assemble on the 1st of May—and the debates of the first days may be looked for with interest, as it is probable the retired ministers will justify their course to the nation.

The title of Chief Justice Abbot, is Baron Tenterden—of Mr. Plunkett, Baron Plunkett.

Affairs of the Greeks.—The Morning Herald contains a great variety of items from the Archipelago, together with an analysis of the contents of a number of Greek papers. We have not room to copy many of these. But their general aspect is favorable. Indeed the German papers say expressly, that "all the accounts from Greece are favorable." The Egin Gazette, of Feb. 18th, says the Turkish garrison of Salona have abandoned that fortress, which has fallen into the hands of the Greeks; "so that all western Greece is now free." Omar Pacha was routed at Distomo. Sesini, Dragon, Seatre, St. Elie and Acarnania, have been cleared of the Turks.

Karaiski, after having provided for the defence of Western Greece, had marched towards Attica.

On the 7th of March the plenipotentiaries at Egina declared themselves ready to begin their session, under Notara as mediator.

From Mexico.—The New York Gazette has received by the brig Brown, a regular file of Vera Cruz papers to the 5th ult. inclusive, and verbal advices to the same date. All was quiet when the B. sailed, The Spanish brig Joven Maria, captured by one of Com. Porter's squadron, had arrived at Vera Cruz. A convey from Mexico with two millions of dollars, had also arrived there.

From Havana.—We learn by the Rubicon, in 14 days from Havana, that Com. Laborde's squadron arrived there on the 18th. Commodore Porter had left Key West. We think it very probable that he had received a hint from our government.

MORE TROUBLE IN GEORGIA.
We regret to learn from the Savannah Republican, that a difference has arisen between the Commissioners of the United States and the State of Georgia, on running the boundary line between the latter and Florida, and that their further progress has been suspended by Governor Troup. Thomas Spalding, Esq. Commissioner on the part of Georgia, has returned to Darien, and Thomas Mann Randolph, Esq. Commissioner on the part of the United States, to Milledgeville, Georgia.

Extract of a letter to the editors of the Pittsburg Gazette, dated Long Beach, Ohio River, May 15, 1827.

"The government of New Harmony, on the Wabash, has changed from the social system of Mr. Owen, to one more congenial with the institutions of our country. He has sold a part (say one half) to Mr. McClure, of Philadelphia, the other part consisting of his mills, shops, tavern stand, &c. is leased to individuals, on terms in some cases approaching to the old system, but generally leaving the lessees to pursue whatever course they think proper, as to the management of themselves and families. Numbers have left the place in disgust. A body of them now reside at Nashville on the Ohio, and it is stated that Mr. Owen himself has started for Scotland, convinced of nothing respecting his system of sociality, except that it is not adapted to this country. From all that I can gather he has been well plucked on every hand."

An American mechanic has invented an Automaton, said to be equal to Melzell's, which is now exhibiting in New-York.

AN ODD FISH.
A strange fish—or rather one that the fishermen thought to be strange, until Dr. Mitchell assured them to the contrary—has been caught in the New-York waters. Its ribs, we are told, run lengthwise of the fish. The following is from Dr. Mitchell:—This uncouth creature is found in the waters on both sides of the Atlantic ocean within soundings; particularly on the coasts of England and Scotland; as well as along the shores of Long Island and the bay of New-York. Fishermen call it the Fishing Frog, and Naturalists term it, *Lophus Piscator*. There are many sorts of them, but this is the largest.

A Glasgow publication on the 14th March, contains an account of shipwrecks which had occurred on the coast of Scotland and Ireland, during a storm the preceding week. The extract shows the awful risk to which seafaring men are exposed. No less than 38 vessels, with the whole of their crews, were lost in a few days—an amount of calamity surpassing, perhaps, all that has been occasioned by steam boat accidents since the days of Fulton.

The Canadian Spectator mentions, that one seventh part of the soil of Upper Canada belongs to the Episcopalian clergy, who however at present minister to only one twentieth part of the population. This feature in the system of course keeps a large portion of the country uncultivated, and a large part of the people dissatisfied.

A Spaniard, at Old Canike, has just invented a musket of large calibre, which discharges 100 times in a minute. This little cannon, of a new form, borne on a lofty carriage, and supported by two wheels, is worked by steam. The king of Spain has ordered it to be examined by two generals of artillery, whose report is favourable to the new invention.

There are two children exhibiting in New-York, one of which is three years old and weighs 165 pounds, the other only 9 months weighs 45 pounds.

The English national debt exceeds four thousand million of dollars.

The Markets.

N. York Market, June 5.—Cotton, uplands, (under which denomination, all from N. Carolina is rated) 94 to 104; New-Orleans, 10 to 12 1/2; Cotton bagging, hemp 22 to 23; flax 15 to 19; domestic calicoes, blue (Taunton) 17 1/2 to 18; fancy, 16 to 20; brown cotton shirting (4 1/2) 17; bleached, 4-4, 14 to 19—do, 5-4, 17 to 20; yellow beeswax, 28 to 29; cheeda, 4-4, 14 to 18; cotton yarn, 5 to 10, 22 1/2 cts. per lb.; American feathers, 10; hides, 10 1/2 to 17; sole leather, oak tanned 23 to 26, hemlock tanned 17 to 22; North Carolina tobacco, in leaf, 3 to 4 cents.

Cotton.—Import since 26th, from North Carolina 113, S. Carolina 424, Georgia 1126, Alabama 875, Pensacola 185, New Orleans 293; in all 3019 bales. Since our last publication, prices have undergone no change—sales have been rather limited. The whole business amounts to 2,000 bales of all descriptions.—Uplands and Alabama 9 1/2 to 10 and 10 1/2 cts. and Orleans 10 to 11 1/2. The finer kinds, suitable for home use, continue in good demand at rates from 1 to 1 1/2 cts. over the above range.

Money Market.—In New-York, June 5th, North Carolina Bank Bills were at 54 to 56 per cent. discount; Virginia, 1; South Carolina, 14; Georgia, 24—Darien, 15 to 20; Alabama, Mobile bank 4, Tombigbee 10; Ohio, 7 to 8; Tennessee, 30 to 35; Kentucky, 60; Mississippi, 2; Louisiana, 2.

U. S. Bank Stock. at the above date, 122 to 124 1/2—Bank of New-York, 124 1/2.

Fayetteville, June 7.—Apple brandy, 45 to 50; rum, 20 to 25; Coffee 18, COTTON, 8 50 to 9; Corn, 70 a 70; flour, 6 a 6; Iron, 5 50 to 6 50; Molasses 34 to 36; Sugar, 8 to 10; Salt, 75 to 80; Whiskey, 37 1/2 a 40. **Observer.** Cotton is selling this morning readily at 89.

Journal, 6th inst.

Charleston, June 4.—Cotton, upland, 8 a 10; whiskey, 34 to 35; apple brandy, 37 a 38; beeswax, 25 a 25; bacon, 5 1/2 to 6; bagging, 21 to 24; salt, Liverpool in bulk 38 a 40; Furks Island 55; sugar, brown, 9 1/2 to 9; Coffee, 13 to 15; molasses, 30 a 32; black pepper, 18 a 18; corn, 50 a 55; flour 5 1/2 to 5 1/2.

North-Carolina bank notes, 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. discount; Georgia, do. 1 to 1 1/2.

Cottons.—There has been a good demand for Uplands throughout the week, and pretty extensive sales have been effected; the lower qualities being in more request than heretofore and commanding rather higher comparative rates.

Flour.—The best superfine Flour, in small lots, still brings 85 1/2.

Corn.—From 50 to 55 cents.

appreciated of the very lamentable mischief which these frosts, &c. have done to some of the people within the compass of their influence. We will not venture to speak of the extent of this mischief, but of this much we are well assured, that the editor of a neighboring newspaper, and some of his correspondents, (particularly those whose dwellings are not a thousand miles from this goodly Borough) must have suffered most alarmingly from the blights of the season. To be satisfied that the writers for said newspaper have not only been frost-bitten in the region of the season, but that they have suffered a general blight of intellect, you need only to examine its columns for some weeks past. It is said of these unfortunate men labor under an alienation of mind, that they view every thing through a false medium,—look upon all their fellow beings as lunatics, themselves only as rational creatures; so it appears to be with this luckless editor and his correspondents,—suffering, themselves, from the blight aforementioned, they imagine every thing around them is either frost-bitten or mildewed. Hence said paper weekly teems with direful tales of the ravages which smut and rust, rot and bugs, Hessian flies and caterpillars, cut-worms and weevil, &c. &c. are causing in our country,—to the great annoyance and terror of all nervous and hysterical persons.—And not only this, but said editor and his correspondents, in the vagrancy of their thoughts, have imagined that the chief executive officer of the nation holds a Pandorian box in his hands, from which he scatters all manner of evil over the land,—causing not only the fruits of the earth to be blighted, but horses' tails to be 'amputated,' saddles to be 'murdered,' bridles to be 'abducted,' and other venustous mischiefs, grievous to be borne.—Whereas, in truth and in fact, these calamities are found no where actually to exist, except in the imaginations of the before-mentioned editor, and his brainsick correspondents. We are truly sorry for their afflictions,—not alone for their sake, but for that of all chicken-hearted and credulous people, and filigree old women, who are likely to lose their sleep, and be kept in perpetual trepidation, by the marvellous and astounding recitals of floods and famines, frosts and mildews, horses' tails dock'd and saddles cut up, which are weekly put forth in said paper.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.
The production of "A friend to the single men," we shall not publish.—Indeed, it does not merit publication, on any consideration. And not the least of our objections to it, is its unpardonable lack of gallantry. Take a specimen: A wife—will (forgive me) sometimes tell a lie? A wife—will drink often before the 13th? "A friend to the fair sex," can best serve those for whom he professes so tender a regard, by keeping out of the newspaper. "Theophilus" is received; and, when we find time, shall be considered. "Tyro," and "O—d," shall be published at the appropriate time.

Married.

In Lincolnton, on Thursday, the 7th June, by the Rev. John Mufshaf, Mr. Henry Fulewider to Miss Ann, daughter of David Ramsour, Esq. On Tuesday evening, the 29th ult. by the Rev. Lovick Pierce, Felix Bryan, Esq. merchant, to Miss Julia A. Shields, daughter of Mr. Samuel Shields, merchant, all of Madison. In Mecklenburg county, by James Duberty, Esq. on the 23d ult. Mr. Abraham Stations to Miss Mary Moore.

In Morristown, N. Jersey, on the 23d ultimo, by the Rev. Mr. Holmes, Mr. William Adamson, of Camden, S. C. to Miss Frances A. Carmichael, daughter of the late David Carmichael, Esq. of the former place.

At Washington City, Mr. Edward D. Tippett, teacher, to Miss Gracia Ann Teachem. Our apprentice writeth as follows under this marriage:

How lucky Tippett's pupils are, For science now must reach 'em, Since their instructor's only care Will all be used to—TRACER.

CELEBRATION.

THE Anniversary of the Fourth of July next, will be celebrated at the house of Capt. I. R. Lindsey, on the Catawba River near Turbitt's Ferry, Lincoln County, N. C. The Declaration of Independence will be read at 10 o'clock, A. M. An address will be delivered at 12 o'clock, by the Rev. Mr. Spain. At 12 o'clock, 24 rounds of Cartridges will be discharged from a Cannon; and at 2 o'clock, dinner will be served up. June 14, 1827. 2168

The Catawba Journal is requested to insert the above, and send account to L. B. Lindsey, Mountain Creek P. O. Lincoln county, N. C.

Spinning Wheels, &c.

The subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he has a quantity of Flax and Cotton Spinning Wheels for sale; also Reels, and Sitting Chairs—all which are deposited at William Richards, opposite Krider's Store, in Rowan county, on the south side of South Yadkin, about 4 miles from Rensler's Ford, on the Iredell road. He will also, in the course of three or four weeks, have a parcel more deposited for sale at Turner's Mill, in said county, on Third Creek, on the Salisbury road. Also, these articles can be had by applying at the subscriber's shop, on the Huntsville road, 2 1/2 miles below Mocksville. Carriages repaired, Bedsteads made, &c. on the shortest notice. The work is warranted to be made of the best seasoned timber: Should any work fail in the least degree in six months, it will be repaired for nothing. Prices may be known by inquiring at either of the places where the articles are deposited. Reasonable credits will be given to responsible persons; but a deduction will be made on the prices, where the cash is paid down. SHELBY G. PARKER. June 11, 1827. 3169

Christ's Church, Rowan.

THIRTY or forty pews in the church lately erected, will be publicly rented, at the highest bidders, on Saturday, the 30th inst. of the highest bidders. JOHN D. SWANN, LUKK ALEXANDER, JAMES BARBER, ALLMAND HAML, Feetrymen. 3168

To Printers, and Others.

TRUENAN, a negro fellow about 18 or 19 years old, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, a very light mulatto, ran away from his owner, living in Madison county, Alabama, on the 20th of April; and it is suspected he will try to get back to Cabarrus county, S. C. from whence he was taken. Any printer who may have advertised said fellow as having been taken up, or any other person knowing of his being taken up, will confer a favor, and be well rewarded, by giving information of the same to the Editor of the Western Carolinian, Salisbury, North-Carolina. June 15, 1827. 3168

Taken Up.

BY John Good, and entered on the stray book of Burke county, a bright sorrel HORSE, about 14 hands high, supposed to be 12 years old, some saddle-marks on his back, wind-galls on his poster joints, and no perceptible brands. JACOB FORNEY, Ranger. June 7, 1827. 3169

Taken Up and Committed.

TO jail in Salisbury, on the 9th inst. a negro fellow, who says his name is Peter, and that he belongs to John Reeves, of South Carolina, whom he left about three weeks since. Peter is 5 feet 8 1/2 inches high, 20 years of age, rather slim, has a scar on the back of his left hand, and also a small one on the left shin, cut by an axe, is quite black, and has a tolerably pleasing countenance. The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges and take him away. FIELDRING SLATER, Jailor. June 11, 1827. 67

Taken Up and Committed.

TO jail in Salisbury, on the 9th inst. a negro fellow, who says his name is Willis John, 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high, black complexion, has a good countenance, lips rather thick, with a small burn on the forehead between the eyes, hardly discoverable, and says he belongs to John Reeves, of South-Carolina, from whom he ran away about three weeks since. The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges, and take the negro away. F. SLATER, Jailor. June 11, 1827. 67

State of North-Carolina, Johnston county.

SUPERIOR COURT of Law, April term, 1827. J. C. McLean vs. Cynthia McLean; Petition for divorce. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that Cynthia McLean, the defendant, is not an inhabitant of this State, it is therefore ordered by court, that publication be made three months in the Western Carolinian, giving notice to the defendant, that she appear at the next Superior Court of Law to be held for Rutherford county, at the court-house in Rutherfordton, on the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday of September next, then and there to answer, plead or demur to said petition, otherwise it will be taken pro confesso, and adjudged accordingly. Witness, James Morris, clerk of said court, at office, the 3d Monday after the 4th Monday of March, A. D. 1827, and in the 51st year of the Independence of the United States. JAMES MORRIS, CLK. Price adv. 84 3mt79

Public Entertainment.

The subscriber having lately taken possession of that convenient and elegant building in the Town of Concord, lately occupied by the late Mr. James M. Moore, and which he has now prepared to accommodate travellers on the most reasonable terms. His Table will be furnished with the best the market can afford; his bar with the best liquors, his Stables attended by attentive and careful hostlers; and no exertions on his part shall be wanting to render the stay of those who may call upon him comfortable and pleasant. CALSB P. ALEXANDER. Concord, June 4, 1827. 8173

Notice.

IN pursuance of a deed of Trust, to me executed, by Edward Yarbrough, and for the purposes therein mentioned, I shall expose to public sale, at the Court-House in Salisbury, on Tuesday, the 26th day of June inst. the following property to wit: Twelve or fourteen likely NEGROES, 1 Barouch and Harness, several head of Horses, and other property. Notes, negotiable and payable at the State Bank, will be taken from the purchasers. MICHAEL BROWN, Trustee. June 9th, 1827. 3168

NAILS for Sale.

THE subscriber, acting as Agent for Mr. Henry Fulewider, proprietor of the Lincoln County Nail Manufactory, offers for sale NAILS of all sizes and descriptions, by the keg or quantity, upon terms equally satisfactory as they can be brought from Charleston or any other city to this place. Those wishing to supply themselves, can do so by making application to the undersigned. EDWARD CRESS, Agent. Salisbury, Feb. 15th, 1827. 6mt76

N. B. Old Copper Stills, and other Old Copper, bought by the subscriber. E. CRESS.

GOLD WANTED.

HUNTINGTON & WYNNE wish to purchase a considerable quantity of Gold, for which they will give the highest price in cash, on delivery at their silver-smith's shop in Salisbury. May 9, 1827. 62

For Sale, or Rent.

I WILL sell, or rent for a term of years, my HOUSE and LOT in the town of Lexington. It is a valuable stand for a Tavern and Store, situated a few doors south of the Court-House, on Main Street; the house being sufficiently large for the above business, with all necessary out-houses. To those who may feel disposed to engage in business of this kind, this presents as favorable an opportunity as any in this place. The premises can be seen on application to the subscriber, who resides thereon. JACOB ALBRIGHT. April 19th, 1827. 3mt73

Estate of Samuel M'Guire.

THE subscriber having qualified as Administrator on the estate of Samuel M'Guire, dec'd, notifies all persons indebted to said estate to make payment without delay; and those having claims against the estate, are desired to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. JOHN CLEMENT, Adm'r. May 25, 1827. 9172