

Salisbury

OCTOBER 23, 1827.

"Will of the Mountains" is received, and shall be published, as soon as we can conveniently find room.

In Petersburg, Virginia, 12th inst. Cotton is quoted at from 8 to 10 cents; Bacon, 9 to 10; new apple brandy, 25 to 30; old peach, 75 to 85; flour, \$5; tobacco 4 to \$10; whiskey 26 to 36.

North-Carolina bank notes, 3/4 to 4 per cent. disc't; S. Carolina, 1/4; Georgia, 2.

Mr. Eaton's address is published in our columns this week. It will be found to develop some facts hitherto not generally known, which strengthen the suspicion that there was a perfect understanding between the friends of Mr. Adams and those of Mr. Clay, before the latter came to the conclusion of voting for Mr. A. Of this, we have ever been fully satisfied, in our own mind; but unlike many others, we have always had too high an opinion of Mr. Clay's tact at political management,—we have believed him too much of an adept at intrigue,—and have thus repeatedly expressed ourselves,—to suppose for a moment he would so bunglingly manage his cards as to "expose his hand." No; politicians much less skilled than Mr. Clay is admitted by all parties to be, in the various arts of managing political friends, could easily have effected all he did, without exposing themselves to detection; and it would be denying him that great talent at intrigue, which is conceded him on all hands, to suppose he could not wield the extensive influence he possessed over his friends, to his personal aggrandizement, without being caught in the meshes which his enemies might spread for him. In short, we do not, nor did we ever, believe Mr. Clay could be fully convicted of a corrupt bargain with Mr. Adams, in the election which elevated the latter to the Executive chair of the nation. But at the same time, from all the statements made, and facts elicited on the subject, for more than two years past, we don't know how any candid, intelligent inquirer after the truth, who has had access to all these publications, can resist the conviction, that had not Mr. Clay been perfectly satisfied of receiving the office of Secretary of State from Mr. Adams, he and his friends never would have voted for the latter. It is as plain as demonstration to us.

Nashville Bank.—Our readers know that this bank failed some two years since, which caused a good deal of excitement, and no little distress among the people of Tennessee, its notes composing a considerable proportion of the circulating medium there. Resolutions were immediately entered into by the board of directors, and prompt measures taken, to wind up the concerns of the institution. Since which time, the labors of the officers of the bank have been directed to the accomplishment of that object. In the last Tennessee paper we find a detailed statement of the affairs of the bank, submitted to the legislature of that state, now in session. From this statement we learn, that the bank is indebted, at this time, for notes in circulation \$196,411, and for deposits \$9,896—in all \$206,308. The means which the bank can command, with which to pay this debt, are, notes of individuals, after deducting amount of stock, \$267,361; specie and notes of other banks, \$14,547; real estate, \$88,993; due by other banks, \$7,146—making \$373,848; deduct from this amount for bad and lost debts, and loss on real estate, \$100,000—which will leave a balance in favor of the bank, of \$273,848. From this, it would appear that the ability of the bank is all sufficient, unless it meets with heavy and improbable losses, to redeem all its paper in circulation.

Hugh L. White, Esq. has been re-elected by the Legislature of Tennessee, a Senator in Congress from that State, for six years from the 4th of March, 1829, when his present term will expire. The reason of his being thus soon re-elected, is, we presume, because the legislature of that state only meets biennially, except by special requisition of the Governor; for had they not re-elected Judge White at this session, his term would have expired before another meeting of the legislature, unless an extra session should have been called.

From the returns of the recent elections for members of assembly, &c. in Maryland, it appears that the Senate is composed of a very decided majority of the friends of Gen. Jackson; while in the lower house, there is a small majority of administration men. From the demonstration of the strength of the two parties, which these elections have afforded, very confident calculations are made, that Jackson will receive, at the next Presidential election, seven at least (it not more) of the eleven electoral votes of that state.

Georgia.—An election for Governor, one member to Congress in place of E. F. Tatnall, resigned, and members of the legislature, took place on the 1st of this month. John Forsyth had no opposition for Governor, and of course is elected,—although in some counties the scattering votes were a majority against him;—and Geo. R. Gilmer is, in all probability, elected by a large majority over Thos. V. P. Charlton.

Tennessee Legislature.—The Nashville Republican gives the pieces of nativity, and the occupations, of all the members of the present legislature of Tennessee: from which we learn that 26 are natives of Virginia, 14 of Tennessee, 12 of North-Carolina, 2 of Pennsylvania, 2 of Kentucky, and 1 of Delaware. Of their occupations, 36 are farmers, 19 lawyers, 3 merchants, 1 physician, and 1 mechanic. In the way of matrimony, they are enabled to hold up their heads, we think, before any legislative body in the Union: Of the 60 members of both houses, only eight are in a state of single-blessedness—four in each house.

Dr. Young, one of the representatives in Congress from Kentucky, died on the 19th ult. He is represented as a very amiable man; and his death is most sincerely regretted, even by his political opponents. A Mr. Calhoun, an administration man, and a Mr. Chilton, a Jacksonian, are candidates for the seat in Congress vacated by the death of Dr. Young.

John Sergeant, the administration candidate, has been elected to Congress from the second district in Philadelphia, by a majority of 157 votes only, over Judge Hemphill—the whole number of votes given in being 5248. The district had been Gerrymandered, to favor the election of Mr. Sergeant: there are 15 wards in the City; three of these, which are strong for Jackson, had been struck off from the 2d district, and attached to the 1st, by which manoeuvre, the Panama minister was elected, by a meagre majority. The city and county of Philadelphia, together, gave an overwhelming majority for the Jackson ticket.

Kinsey Johns, the administration candidate, has been elected to Congress from the state of Delaware, in place of Louis McLane, translated to the U. S. Senate.

SOUTHERN REVIEW.

It is proposed to publish, in the city of Charleston, quarterly, (on the 1st of February, May, August, and November) a Review, similar in its character to the North American, the Philadelphia Quarterly, &c.; to be edited by Stephen Elliott, Esq. professor of natural history in the medical college of South-Carolina. This work ought to, and no doubt will, be liberally patronized in the southern section of the Union,—provided it is conducted with ability; and the high literary standing of its editor affords a guaranty that it will thus be conducted.

Dogs used as Bravos of Burden.—Col. McKenney, in his tour to the Western Lakes, &c. mentions, that "in the winter of 1820, two gentlemen came from Lord Selkirk's (British) establishment on the Red River, to Prairie du Chien, on the Mississippi, a distance of several hundred miles, each drawn in a Train by 2 or 3 dogs." We have heard of dogs being used in this manner in Russia, and perhaps in some other Eastern countries; but were not apprised of their ever having been subjected to the yoke, or the collar, on this continent. The "train" here spoken of, is a species of broad-bottomed land-canoe, much used throughout Lower Canada, calculated to be drawn with ease on the surface of the snow, where there is no beaten track. Unlike our sleighs, they have no runners, but are drawn on their flat bottoms, and move in an irregular, zig-zag manner, having nothing to guide or steady them.

John Randolph.—The Hudson (New-York) Republican, relates an anecdote of John Randolph, which, of all the oddities attributed to him, we never heard mentioned before. It is said he "objects to the simple and beautiful Liturgy of the American Episcopal Church, on account of an unimportant grammatical error; he makes use of the liturgy of the 'bulwark of our religion' (the one printed in England, and used in the High Church there) throughout, praying for King, Lords and Commons, with all imaginable devotion." This may appear a little strange to those who do not know Mr. Randolph's predilection for every thing English. But it is a fact, that although an American by birth, and a Republican by profession, he always speaks with perfect contempt of every thing American, when brought in comparison with any thing British.

Large Apples.—A Mr. Massey, near Dover, Delaware, has shown the editor of the Gazette of that place, an apple weighing two pounds, and measuring 15 inches in circumference. We think this the largest apple we ever heard of.

A Philadelphia paper says that an apple was taken from a tree in the orchard of a Mr. Cole, in New Jersey, opposite that city, which weighed 26 1/2 ounces; and another one was taken from the same tree, weighing 26 ounces; the tree contained a number of bushels, the least of which would weigh 20 ounces!

A duel.—In consequence of a dispute which arose during the recent election in Baltimore, a duel has taken place between Mr. McMahon, a member, elect, of the legislature, and Mr. Tyson, a defeated candidate. On their way to Bladensburg, (the "field of honor") the peace officers overtook and arrested Mr. Tyson; but he managed to escape, and all parties repaired over the Virginia line; where the combatants shot at each other twice, and were preparing for a third blast, when the peace-officers hove in sight, and put the fighting party to flight.

Where they fled to, or when they stopped to look around, or whether their amours were healed, we cannot say, not having heard.

One of the parties was shot in the pantaloon,—but no other damage done!

More brutality.—Near Northampton, in Massachusetts, a man by the name of Robert Bush, being an intemperate man, had for some time been in the habit of shamefully treating his wife,—so much so, that she was obliged to leave him, and live with her friends; after which, he had repeatedly threatened to take her life; and in pursuance of this diabolical resolution, he went on the 29th ult. to the house where she resided and deliberately shot her; she died in a few hours; he was immediately arrested.

John Marquis, of the city of Richmond, on the 9th inst. in a fit of rage, stabbed to the heart and killed Agnes Tucker, who was living with him; Marquis was arrested, and committed to prison, till he shall have his trial.

Unfortunate.—On Tuesday night, the 9th inst. the stables, carriage-house, cow-house, barn, corn-crib, &c. of John F. May, Esq. in the suburbs of the town of Petersburg, Virginia, were burnt to the ground: a large quantity of grain, &c. and nine horses, were also destroyed: loss estimated at \$7000. The carelessness of the ostler, in carrying fire into the stable, was the cause of the conflagration.

Tedious Election.—On the 19th ult. John H. Morgan was elected engrossing clerk of the senate of the legislature of Tennessee, on the forty-second balloting.

The Kentucky Reporter relates the following incident of recent occurrence: The time of service in goal of an excellent blacksmith lately expired; the keeper was desirous of retaining him, on account of his mechanical skill; and offered him 50 or 60 dollars a month, which he refused. He had not been but a short time absent, (perhaps only a few days) before he stole a horse, for which he has been tried and again sentenced—so that he has resumed his station without wages.

Henry Shultz and Alexander Boyd were tried before Judge Johnson at Edgefield Court House on the 4th inst. on an indictment for the murder of Joseph Martin. The prisoners were assisted by a very able array of counsel, among whom was Mr. M'Duffie. After a full and patient examination of the testimony, the jury returned a verdict of manslaughter.

Eloquence of smoke.—The perfection to which oratory has arrived in Harvard University, is attributed by a writer for the Boston Courier, to the general use of cigars.

FOR THE WESTERN CAROLINIAN.

FAST DAY, &c.

Mr. White.—Please to publish in the Western Carolinian, the following extract from the last Minutes of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States; and you will probably gratify a considerable number of your subscribers.

A PRESBYTERIAN. The committee appointed to draught a pastoral letter, reported one, which was adopted, and ordered to be signed by the Moderator, and committed to Dr. Rice, and the Stated Clerk, to have the same published and sent to the churches.

The same committee also recommended that the General Assembly should set apart the second Thursday in November next, as a day of Thanksgiving, humiliation and prayer, to be observed in all our churches. The above recommendation was adopted by the Assembly; and all the churches under the care of this Assembly are hereby earnestly requested to sanctify said day unto the Lord.

Deaths in Charleston, from the 23d to the 30th September, 1827.

Died.—Of consumption, 2; Debility, 1; Dropsy, 2; Fever Bilious, 3; Fever Yellow, 3; Inflamm. of Brain, 1; Locked Jaw, 2; Old Age, 2.—Total 16.

The Markets.

Fayetteville, Oct. 10.—Apple brandy, 52 to 53; Peach do. 35 to 35; Bacon, 84 a 10; Bagging, 22 to 25; Coffee 15 a 17 1/2; cotton, new 9 1/2; do. old, 9 a 9 2/3; Corn, 40 a 45; flour, 4 1/2 a 5 1/2; Iron, 5 50 to 6; Molasses 37 1/2 to 40; Sugar, 10 to 11 1/2; Salt, 75 to 80; Whiskey, 30 a 3 1/2; Wheat new, 75 to 80, per bushel. Journal.

Transactions in Cotton have been considerable for the last two weeks. Sales fully support our quotations. Flour is rather scarce; but little in town except what is made in the mills here.

Sugars are not plenty—other groceries are. Journal 10th inst.

Charleston, Oct. 8.—Cotton, upland, 9 1/2 to 11 1/2; whiskey, 22 to 33; apple brandy, 35 a 36; beeswax, 24 a 25; bacon, 7 1/2 to 8 1/2; bagging, 23 to 25; salt, Liverpool in bulk 40 a 40; Furks Island 52; sugar, brown, 9 1/2 to 9 3/4; Coffee, 13 to 15; molasses, 33 a 35; black pepper, 18 a 20 cts.; corn, 40 a 45; flour 5 1/2 to 5 3/4.

Exchange—at short sight, on Boston, New-York and Philadelphia, par a 1/2 per cent. prem. 60 days, 3/4 per cent. dis.

Exchange on England—10 a 10 per cent. prem.; on France, 5 1/2.

North-Carolina Bank Bills, 3 1/2 to 4 per cent. discount. Georgia do. (except Darien) 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 per cent. discount.

Candor, Oct. 13.—Cotton, 9 1/2 a 10 1/2; corn, 40 a 45; whiskey, 40 a 45; salt, 75 a 80; flour, 5 to 5 1/2; wheat, 81 to 88 cents; peach brandy 30 to 50; apple do. 35 to 40; bacon 7 1/2 to 14; beef 6 to 7. Journal.

Money Market.—In New-York, Oct. 11, North Carolina bank bills were at 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. discount; Virginia, 1; South-Carolina, 1 1/2; Georgia, 1 1/2—except Darien, which are 3 1/2.

Cotton.—The price of cotton during the week has been steady at 9 7/8. Considerable purchases have been made. Spectator.

MARRIED.

In this place, by Rev. Mr. Rankin, on 16th inst. Mr. John Palmer to Miss Maryann Hampton.

At Litchfield, (in England) Thomas Butler, Esq. to Miss Eliza Tippet. A wag, who is always on the alert, wrote the following couplet on this union:

Although the sun is sultry yet,
The cold will soon set in;
And Thomas does quite right to get
A Tippet for his Chin.

DIED.

In this town, on Wednesday evening, the 17th inst. after a short but distressing illness, Mrs. Rebecca Yarbrough, wife of Col. E. Yarbrough, in the 25th year of her age.

In Lincoln county, lately, of a violent fit of apoplexy, four days duration, Mrs. Mary Whitener, wife of Mr. Daniel Whitener, in the 63d year of her age.

In Raleigh, on the 9th inst. Benjamin Rush Woodruff, youngest son of John Haywood, Esq. Treasurer of this State.

In Montgomery county, near Kindall's post-office, on the 15th inst. Mrs. Polly Carter, wife of Mr. Henry Carter, aged about 45 years,—leaving a husband and thirteen children, to mourn the loss of an affectionate companion, and tender mother. [Communicated.]

State of North-Carolina.

BY virtue of a decree of the honourable Court of Equity for Rowan county, made at October term thereof, 1827, the Clerk and Master will sell at the village of Mocksville, on the 1st day of January next, the LANDS and MILLS known by the name of Sauer's Mills, on Dutchman's creek, forks of the Yadkin: Also another tract of land on the same creek, containing 196 acres; being the property of George Sauer, dec'd. A credit of twelve months will be allowed on the whole, and a further indulgence of 6 and 12 months for a moiety, with interest after the expiration of 12 months. Purchasers will be required to give bonds, with approved securities, on the day of sale. And, the deeds will be delivered upon full payment of the purchase money, by
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SAM'L SILLIMAN, C. M. E.
October 18th, 1827. Price only \$2 75.

Sarah Harris's Estate.

All persons indebted to the estate of Sarah Harris, late of Montgomery county, dec'd, are requested to settle their accounts; and all persons having claims against the estate of said Sarah Harris, will present them duly and legally authenticated, within the time limited by law, otherwise the acts of a court in such cases made and provided, will be plead in bar.
DANIEL HARRIS, Adm'r.
Montgomery county, N. C.
October 18th, 1827. 3/87

Five Dollars Reward.

Run away from the subscriber, on the 15th inst. an apprentice to the carpenter's trade, by the name of Jacob Wainner, about 17 years of age. I do expect he is gone to Stokes county, where his mother lives, as she left Salisbury about that time. He may pass for a blacksmith, as he first was bound to that trade, and afterwards to me, to learn the carpenter's trade. I will give the above reward to any person that will bring him to Salisbury.
JOHN ALBRIGHT.
Oct. 19th, 1827. 35

MANSION HOTEL,

SALISBURY, N. CAROLINA.

By EZRA ALLEMONG

THIS elegant establishment, situated at the north corner of the Court House, has been recently repaired and fitted up in a new and superior style, for the reception of Company. The greatest pains have been taken to procure for this establishment new furniture of every description, necessary for the comfort of Travellers; the most approved seats have been selected with great care; the bar stocked with choice liquors; and the stables attended by obliging and attentive hostlers. The convenience of this situation is equal to any in the place. The house contains a number of private rooms, a d-out houses, well calculated for the accommodation of Travellers and Boarders. Attached to which, there is a Dry Goods and Book Store.

To those who may please to call on him, he assures them that no pains will be spared to render their stay comfortable and pleasing.
EZRA ALLEMONG.
Salisbury, N. C. Sept. 17, '28 81

Private Entertainment.

EDWARD YARBRO'

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends, and the public, that his lease of the Mansion Hotel having expired, he has removed to the large and commodious House owned by his mother, and formerly occupied by her as a House of Entertainment, on Main street, a few doors east of the Court House; where he is prepared to accommodate Travellers and Boarders, in a style which he feels assured will give general satisfaction. He invites his acquaintances, as well as strangers, to call on him: every attention which he and his family can bestow, will be most cheerfully extended to them.
Salisbury, N. C. Sept. 26, 1827. 81

For SALE,

A HOUSE and LOT, situated on the corner of the public square, in Rutherfordton, fronting the court-house. The lot contains about the fourth of an acre; the house is two stories high, 36 feet by 24; the lower corner room has been occupied as a Store and Grocery, and from its central situation, would afford a good stand for either a merchant or mechanic. The terms will be made easy, as the subscriber wishes to leave the country. Apply on the premises, to
MATA COULTER.
October 2d, 1827. 789

Steam Boat

NORTH CAROLINA.

THIS boat is in complete order, and will commence running to Georgetown and Charleston, on the first of October, and will carry produce at customary rates. The subscribers will spare no exertion to expedite the transportation of produce and goods to and from either of the above places. This boat has made a trip from Charleston, with a full freight in less than five days.

We have a pole boat now on the stocks which will be launched about the first of November, calculated to carry five hundred bales of cotton, and of so light a draft of water, as to be enabled to go at all seasons. This boat in conjunction with the steam boat will ensure the certainty of up and down freights, without delay.

The subscribers will receive cotton to freight on moderate terms, and make no charge for storage; if shipped by their boats.

They will also receive and forward goods, on reasonable terms, having commodious stores and ware-houses, for the security of goods.

Mr. Henry W. Conner, the agent in Charleston, will attend to the receiving and forwarding all goods to this or any intermediate places on the Pee Dee river, and will receive and attend to all orders respecting cotton that may be sent to his care. The subscribers pledge themselves, to use all diligence and attention in their power for the interests of those who may make consignments to them.

J. & J. H. TOWNES.
Charter, N. C. Sept. 24, 1827. 891

Valuable Property.

BEING determined upon removing to the Western Country, the subscriber offers for sale the whole of his valuable possessions, lying on the south side of the Yadkin river, and on both sides of Grant's Creek, adjoining lands of James L. Long, Adam Miller, and others, between 3 and 6 miles of Salisbury, Rowan county, N. C. There is, in all, 1000 acres of land, a good portion of which is first rate land in the county. On the premises there are a good country dwelling house, corn-crib, stables, and all necessary out-houses. A sufficient quantity of land is under cultivation, profitably to employ 14 or 15 hands: with a sufficient quantity of excellent meadow ground cleared, to answer all purposes, and a considerable quantity uncleared. The land is susceptible of being, and will be, as may suit purchasers, divided into two or more plantations.

Also, will be disposed of, the subscriber's interest (the half) in the valuable MILLS, well known as Long's Mills, on Grant's Creek, between 3 and 4 miles from Salisbury: The subscriber being determined to sell, all the above property, or any part of it, will be disposed of on the most accommodating terms to the purchaser. Persons desirous of purchasing, are invited to examine the premises,—which, in my absence, will be shown by my brother, James L. Long, living near Long's Ferry;—or by my Overseer, on the premises.
RICH'D W. LONG.
Rowan county, July 10, 1827. 700f

BOOK BINDING.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Salisbury, and the surrounding country, that he has established a Book Bindery in said town, on Main Street, a few doors south of the Court House; where he will be thankful to receive any kind of work in his line of business. From a number of years experience; in Europe and America, he feels confident of being able to give entire satisfaction to all those who may favor him with any description of Binding. Blank Books made to order, after any pattern furnished, on short notice, and at prices which no one can complain of.

Old Books Rebound, either plain or ornamental, on the most moderate terms. All orders from a distance, faithfully attended to. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited, by their obedient servant,
JOHN H. DE CARTERET.
Salisbury, April 28th 1827. 60

Stolen

FROM the subscriber, on the 1st of October, inst. a Bay Horse, 8 years old next spring, about 14 hands high, some white on his hind feet, a small star in his forehead, has two lumps on his back, is newly shod before and he paces very well. A good saddle, bridle, and blanket, were taken away with the horse. Any person giving information of said horse, directed to Krider's Store, Rowan county, N. C. shall be liberally rewarded for so doing.
MARTIN W. PIPHER.
October 1, 1827. 985

Committed to the Jail

OF Wake county, on the 20th of May, 1827, a negro man who says his name is SANDY, he is 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, about 25 years old, very black, speaks quick, has lost some of his upper front teeth rather on the left side, both ears cropped, and says he belongs to James Blackmon, Lancaster district, South Carolina, who purchased him in the lower part of this state, and that he left his master below Charlotte. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges, and take the negro away.
CHARLES PHELPS, Jailor.
May 31st, 1827. 65

State of North-Carolina, Stokes county:

COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, September term, 1827: John Webb vs. Edmund Beazley; original attachment, Herd A. Rodgers summoned as guaranties. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that Edmund Beazley, so absconds and conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on him, or that he is an inhabitant of another state,—it is therefore ordered by the court, that publication be made in the Western Carolinian for six weeks, that unless the defendant aforesaid appear at the next court of pleas and quarter sessions to be held for said county, at the court-house in Germantown, on the 2d Monday of December next, and plead or reply, that judgment final will be entered against him for the amount of the plaintiff's claim.
Test: M. H. MOORE, c. c.
By C. L. BAXTER, D. C. Pk.
Germantown, Sept. 25th, 1827. 683

To Bank Dealers.

THE undersigned having been frequently applied to by dealers in the Bank at this place, who reside at a distance, to accept an agency to procure the renewal of their bonds &c. in Bank, has concluded to offer his services to those who are disposed to confide to him any business of that nature. His charges will be the lowest that are usually made.
PHILO WHITE.
Oct. 1st, 1827. 687