

To the Public.
 THE subscriber is now receiving a large and general assortment of
Dry Goods, Cutlery, and Hardware,
 of all descriptions, from New-York and Philadelphia, where they were selected by himself, with care, and bought for cash, and which are offered on the most reasonable terms. As he has two stores, he will sell for cash at the lowest prices—otherwise, on time. Country Produce bought, at the highest market prices. Arrangements are made to receive Goods monthly, from the above named places; which will keep up a good supply of Fresh Goods. Call at his Stores in Salisbury, and examine for yourselves.
 JOHN MURPHY.
 N. B. Sugar, Coffee, Salt, Iron, Molasses, Rum, Wines, French Brandy, &c. &c.
 Oct. 24, 1827. 1398

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 and from 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.
 Charlot., S. C. Sept. 24, 1827. 891

Latest from Philadelphia.
 ONE of the subscribers (Thomas V. Canon) has just returned from Philadelphia, with all the fashions of the day; and wishes to inform the public, that while at the north, he spent principal part of his time with the most celebrated Tailors of the city, (especially Messrs. Hobbs & Winebrenner, and Messrs. Charles C. Watson & Sons; where he worked a portion of his time, for the purpose of gaining more information respecting the manner in which garments are cut and made up; the above-named two shops are the most celebrated in the United States. He also visited many other very celebrated shops, in Philadelphia, Fredericksburg, Richmond, and Petersburg, Virginia; he also came through Baltimore and Washington City, and examined the fashions in all those places.
 The subscribers (Thos. V. Canon and Benjamin Fraley) can now assure the public, that they are prepared to accommodate any gentleman, in a very short time, in as fashionable and neat a style, as can be had in any of the above-mentioned places; and as to durability, they know their work will excel any. And they will do their work as reasonable as any in this section of country.
 THOMAS V. CANON,
 BENJAMIN FRALEY.
 Concord, Sept. 1, 1827. 97

No Postage Paid!
 THE Sheriff of tredegg county, gives this public notice to all persons who may have occasion to write to him through the medium of the post-office, on official business, that he is determined hereafter to pay no attention to communications on which the postage is not paid. He is compelled to adopt this rule, to save himself from a very heavy tax.
 P. CALDWELL.
 Statesville, Oct. 31st, 1827. 592

40 Dollars Reward!
 RAN away from the subscriber, on the 1st of May last, my Negro boy GEORGE, about 26 or 27 years of age, smooth black skin, pleasant countenance, having one of his fingers so injured by a machine as renders it useless, and, as well as recollect, quite doubled up in his hand, and 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high. Said boy belongs to the estate of Jesse Wren dec'd, now in the care of the subscriber, and lawful agent of said estate. It is supposed he intends making his way to some free state. The above reward will be paid on his delivery to me, in Lancaster District, S. C. or lodged in any jail in North Carolina, Virginia or Maryland, so as I receive him; or \$25 if taken in South Carolina.
 ROBERT STINSON.
 November 4th, 1827. 5mt100

Land for Sale.
 PERTAINING to a decree of the Court of Equity for Rowan county, will be sold on the premises, on the 15th day of January next, a Tract of Land containing 180 acres, adjoining Francis Gibson and others, near Stirewals Mill in said county, on a credit of 6 and 12 months, by
 SAM'L SILLIMAN, c. m. c.
 Price adv. \$225. 896

BOOK BINDING.
 THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Salisbury, and the surrounding country, that he has established a Book-Binding 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 Re-bound, 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 23th, 1827. 60

Scott's Napoleon.
 ONE copy of this work (new) for sale, at a price less than the original cost. Apply at the office of the Western Carolinian.
 Nov. 12, 1827.

MANSION HOTEL,
SALISBURY, NOR. 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 servants have been selected with great care; the bar stocked with choice liquors, and the tables 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, and 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. 87. 81

Gold-mines, negroes, lands
 U. S. at Public Sale.
 WILL be sold to the highest bidder, at the late dwelling house of Angus Chisholm, dec'd, on the 1st of January next, and to continue from day to day until all shall be disposed of.
 Sixteen or eighteen likely Negroes, Men, Women, Boys, and Girls.
 Also, the well known Gold Mine on Beaver Dam creek, known by the name of Chisholm's Gold Mine, including ninety acres of Land.
 Also, one tract of Land, containing 470 acres, adjoining the Randolph line and A. Harris' quarters; on which there has been a quantity of Gold found: One tract, do. adjoining the above, of 100 acres, on which Wm. Partin formerly lived: One tract, do. of 50 acres, in the lower part of Montgomery, adjoining N. Clarke's Mill tract: One tract, do. adjoining Capt. McAuley's two tracts, do. formerly belonging to Mrs. Ann Smith, on which there is a Gold Mine: One tract, do. of 50 acres on the west side of the Yalkin River, adjoining Josh. Carter's land.
 Also, an excellent Fishery, including the lower part of the Norrows, including 25 acres of land.
 Also, in Randolph county, 50 acres, where Edward Brewer formerly lived: One tract of 120 acres, on Jackson's Creek, where Jonathan Jerratt formerly lived.
 Also, in Davidson county, one tract of 208 acres, where Wm. Guff now lives, on which there is a Tan-yard and 25 acres adjoining.
 Also, 200 acres, on which James W. Daniel now lives.
 A liberal credit will be given, by the purchaser given bond with approved security.
 WHITSON H. CHISHOLM, Admr.
 November 3d, 1827. 704

Eben. Dickson,
GENTLEMEN AND LADIES FANCY
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER.
 RETURNS thanks to the gentlemen and ladies of Salisbury and vicinity, for the liberal encouragement he has met with since he has been in business; and hopes that his unremitting attention to business hereafter, and a desire to please, will enable him to a continuance of the same.
 He has now on hand, just received from the North, a general assortment of *Manicots*, which will enable him to execute every description of work in his line, in the most fashionable, durable and elegant style.
 Orders for work from a distance, will not be attended to, unless accompanied by the cash, or its equivalent. No Northern made work will be repaired, except ladies slippers, or the footing of boots.
 Salisbury, Oct. 29, 1827. 85

DR. J. W. HILLIARD,
 BEGGS leave most respectfully to inform the citizens of Davidson county, that he has just received a fine assortment of *Fresh Medicines*; and expects to receive within a few weeks, more extensive than has ever reached this country; and he pledges his time and talents, in future, entirely to his profession. He hopes, from years experience in the profession, to meet with that patronage which a man should, whose whole mind is devoted to it. His charges shall never exceed those made by other medical gentlemen.
 August 27, 1827. 78

To Jailers.
 PETER, a stout male, yellow complected fellow, 35 or 40 years old, about 5 feet 8 inches high, of rather an assuming and impudent manner; left my plantation in Kershaw District, South Carolina, on the 7th July last. Information of him directed, Liberty Hill, Kershaw District, South Carolina; would be thankfully received.
 JOSEPH CUNNINGHAM, Jun.

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 Yalkin. 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 title deeds will be delivered upon full payment of the purchase money, by
 SAM'L SILLIMAN, C. M. E.
 October 18th, 1827. Price adv. \$275.

Spanish Hides.
300 HEAVY Spanish Hides, for sale, by ANGUS TAYLOR,
 Fayetteville, Oct. 25, 1827. 100

POETRY.
THE LANGUAGE OF FLOWERS.
 In eastern lands they talk in flowers,
 And they tell in a garland their loves and cares;
 Each blossom that blooms in their garden bowers,
 On its leaves a mystic language bears.
 The rose is the sign of joy and love,
 Young blushing love in its earliest dawn;
 And the mildness that suits the gentle dove,
 From the myrtle's snowy flower is drawn.
 Innocence shines in the lily's bell,
 Pure as a heart in its native heaven;
 Fame's bright star, and glory's swell,
 By the glossy leaf of the bay are given.
 The silent, soft, and humble heart,
 In the violet's hidden sweetness breathes;
 And the tender soul that cannot part,
 A twine of evergreen fondly wreathes.
 The cypress that darkly shades the grave,
 Is sorrow that mourns her bitter lot;
 And faith, that a thousand ills can brave,
 Speaks in thy blue wax, forget-me-not.
 Then gather a wreath from the garden bowers,
 And tell me the wish of thy heart in flowers.
 PERCIVAL.

TO IMPROVE TEA.
 The cheapest, and most expensive teas, are said to be all the leaves of the same tree. The high flavour, therefore of some of the sorts, and the want of flavour in others, must arise from the manner of preparing them. The substance found to agree best with the original flavour of tea, is the *oil of bergamot*, by the proper management of which you may produce from the cheapest teas, the finest flavoured bloom, hyson, gunpowder, and cow-slip.
 In consequence of the competition of the steam boats on the Hudson, persons are now carried from New York to Albany for \$2: 50, and found, a distance of 170 miles.
 The General Insurance Company of Stockholm has to pay three hundred thousand dollars to the sufferers by the recent great fire at Abo, in Finland.
 A beauty seldom possesses wit. She is satisfied to see her own face, and watch the impression it makes upon others. A handsome woman is generally a *half idiot*. A male beauty ought to be put in petticoats, for it is always effeminate and love-sick with itself.
 Nature has supplied the deficiency of fools with a *good opinion of themselves*. Wise men are diffident; men of wit are nervous, men of genius are timid and humble, and men of learning feel and avow their ignorance.
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MISCELLANEOUS.
 Mr. White's *Plague* insert, in your paper, the following *temperance Anecdote*. A physician in New-England, of a facetious disposition, who had long practised, according to the customs of the day, giving and receiving wine and spirits in the social circle, became convinced of the evil of such a course about a year ago, and took the following method of arresting the influence of custom. Having several friends one day at his own house, he had his decanters produced as usual, and said to the company, "Gentlemen, will you help yourselves? Here are wine, and brandy, and gin, and arsenic; all are poisons; some slower in their operations than others, but equally sure; take your choice."
 A Friend to Temperance.

Medical.—The N. Y. Statesman says, that the Sulphate Quinine has become an important branch of industry in France,—according to the Monthly Magazine, several large manufactories have been established for the purpose. It is calculated that ninety thousand ounces were prepared last year.
 A young man at Auburn, N. Y. we understand was compelled to have his arm amputated a short time since in consequence of having an artery cut in the operation of blood letting.

Fish, food for Cows.—The Medical Intelligencer states, that about fifty cows live principally on fresh fish at Provincetown, Cape Cod, Massachusetts. The town is a body of sand, containing no vegetable but a little beach grass, which partially serves in some places to form a surface sufficiently firm to prevent its being blown away, or changed with every strong wind like a shifting sandbar at the mouth of a river. The houses are set on piles, that the wind and sand may pass under them, instead of covering them. The inhabitants of the place live by taking fish; many boats come in daily, when the weather permits, and dress their fish on the shore. The cows come, after cropping what little grass the place affords, to finish their dinner on animal food. They devour the heads, backbone, and tail of the fish, without leaving a particle behind for the cats or crows.

Preservation of Green-house Plants.
 It has been ascertained by Mrs. Tredgold, that plants may be completely protected from the depredations of insects, by washing them with a solution of bitter aloes, and the use of this wash does not appear to affect the health of the plants in the slightest degree; wherever the solution has been used insects have not been observed to attack the plants again.

Lutherans in the United States.
 We have eight Synods. More Missionaries are sent out than formerly, who speak both languages—Prayer meetings are established very generally, and we hear of many instances, that sinners are convicted and converted to Jesus—Sunday Schools and other godly institutions begin to flourish among us. Our people in different churches are rising from their slumbers—the destitute call from all quarters for Ministers well taught, and in such plaintive strains, that our eyes are often filled with tears. But most of our Synods are adopting measures to meet the wants of our dear people.
 Lutheran Intelligencer.

Mr. David Kiser, of New-York, has obtained a patent for making transparent paper. It is said if bank bills and bills of exchange were printed on it they could not be counterfeited or altered. It is cheap and excellent to put over pictures.
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GENERAL SUMMARY.
 Sir Walter Scott has published an answer to General Gourgaud's letter taxing him with falsely quoting Gourgaud's authority for some statement made in the *Life of Napoleon*. Sir Walter gives official papers from the colonial department in England to prove, that General Gourgaud while confined in at Longwood by Bonaparte, was also the confidential informer of the British government as to Napoleon's health, habits, and hopes of escape. The General has involved himself in an awkward predicament.
 Love.—A blind man had a wife whom he loved to excess, though he was told she was very ugly. A physician offered to cure him of his blindness—he would not consent to it—"I should lose," said he, "the love which I have for my wife, and that love is my happiness."
 We have heard of dressing flax so that it would look like silk, but we never before heard of making silk out of tow—it has been left for the Reverend Francis Herron, of Pennsylvania, to perform such a task.
 Married, on Thursday the 23d ult. by the Rev. Francis Herron, Mr. William Silk, to Miss Lucia Jow, both of St. Clair township, Pennsylvania.
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 With a cold damp floor and a mouldering wall,
 Than to bend the neck, and bow the knee,
 In the proudest palace of slavery.
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 Appearance may deceive thee—understand,
 A pure white glove may hide a filthy hand.
 The world is but an opera show:
 We come, look round, and then we go.
 Life's dearest joys, like sweet scented flowers,
 Bloom best in lowly places: there they group
 In safety, there they court the smiling hours,
 And they who wish to gather them must stoop.
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 And born in bed, in bed we die.
 The near approach, a bed may show
 Of human bliss to human woe.
EPITAPH ON A PHYSICIAN.
 Reader, Sangrado is, alas! no more:
 He visits those he visited before!
 Par of an epitaph, written by Sir W. Jones, probably intended for himself:
 Here was deposited,
 The mortal part of a man
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