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On some things which appear useless.

Divine Providence by which the world is governed, is universal, and extends to the minutest things, & to events the most trifling. How many things are there in the world which appear useless? By the north wind, trees are blasted, and their blossoms are dispersed and become useless. Multitudes of insects appear not only useless, but hurtful to men, to beasts, and to vegetables. Many men and animals just show themselves upon the earth, and disappear; others are born monsters and deformed, or become impotent. Many faculties appear to be lost for want of an opportunity to make them useful. Many of the best undertakings fail before they come to maturity. Some may ask, Could all this be, if an infinitely wise being governed the world? But who are they that dare question the wisdom of divine providence? Are they sure they are right? Do they know all things well enough to see their connexion with, and dependence upon, each other, and to say with certainty, "This is absolutely useless, or, answers no good purpose?" We should remember how limited and weak our understandings are. It becomes us to observe a respectful silence; not to criticise, but to adore, when we reflect upon the works of the Lord, who has done all things well. Besides, many things may be useful in different ways. Certainly the insect devoured by the swallows cannot produce a new generation, yet it serves as food for the swallow. Though our tears cannot soften the cruel man, yet they are not lost; they serve to keep up the sensibility of our hearts; and besides, they shall not be forgotten before God. Blessed are the merciful, they shall obtain mercy. Do not let us think then, that there is any thing in the world entirely useless. All things answer the end proposed by God, and exactly in the way too which he determined upon before the world was. True wisdom, not only attends to the present, but extends to the future; and it is the connexion which one thing has with another, that renders them in many cases subservient to some good end. Each being has a share in the vast plan of the Creator; but the part which belongs to some beings is so small as to be imperceptible, and so may entirely escape our observation. But we ought not to infer, that they are therefore useless or hurtful. Let us be persuaded that God is infinitely wise, and that he acts by a well-informed plan; this will contribute to our peace and happiness. Daily events transpire, for which we cannot account; and then perhaps our confidence is weakened. Let us learn, however, from daily experience, and from the dispensations of providence, the wisdom and equity of the government of God; this will render our minds tranquil under all the vicissitudes of human life. We shall then be persuaded, that in all that God does, or permits to be done, he has wise ends in view. Instead of finding fault, let us constantly adore his wisdom; and render glory to his name. All events will justify that Being who has never been mistaken in the government of the universe; and of whom we are assured, that as the Judge of all the earth he will do right. A proper belief of this will tranquillize our minds here, and render us happy hereafter.—*Sturm.*

From the Treatise Emporium.

"I DIDN'T THINK."

A sprightly little girl, who occasionally entertains me with her prattle, has often amused me by the readiness with which, to every charge of misconduct, she furnishes this excuse. She erred always through inadvertence—*She didn't think.* It is a child's excuse. But how many of us are childish in this particular.

Close and habitual thinking is the foundation of all prosperity. There is no business, no pursuit, no situation in life that does not require this constant operation of the mind—whatever is thoughtlessly done, is ill done. A little observation will convince any man that a well regulated, close calculating mind, is seldom found on the shady side of the hill. While a great many of those whom misfortune has overtaken, have done things for which the only excuse they can offer is—*they didn't think.*

We had once a friend—a tolerably sensible man, one who took the world very easy, and made himself as happy as possible. He was a merchant, with a good capital and good credit. He bought largely, trusted freely, seldom troubled his debtors, and detested dancing; his great object seemed to be—*to sell.* And his creditors troubled him. And when his business came to be closed, it seemed wonderful that a man of so much sense should have travelled so distant to poverty. How did you expect,

said one of his creditors to him, ever to pay your debts when you never looked after your dues: when you did so wild a business. Ah, said he, "I didn't think."—He never recollected that to sell was the smallest part of a trader's business. All are not fools who do foolish things; the wisest men are sometimes caught in the silliest acts, simply for want of proper reflection.

Of that class of men who are in the habit of getting their wisdom by experience, the great majority make this particular mistake—"They didn't think."—and their misfortunes are to be traced to this heedless source. Only a single thoughtless moment is sometimes fatal. I have known a fine fortune ruined by a simple indorsement, the work of less than a minute; a house burned by the careless snuffing of a candle; a life of embarrassment produced by a bargain made in a few moments at a casual meeting. And ruin comes oftener in this way than by shipwreck, or the torch of the incendiary, or the changes of the times.

What grey headed man has looked back from the last stage of life over the history of his earlier times; and recollects no losses occasioned by thoughtlessness? It is the language of every man—language which you daily and hourly hear—In this and that transaction, I might have done better—but *I didn't think.*

O. O.

SELLING OFF.

THE Subscriber being desirous of declining Mercantile Business, will dispose of his whole stock in trade on accommodating terms, and will also with the goods rent the store and warehouse if required. The goods are well laid in, principally with cash, the assortment general and of great variety, consisting of dry goods, groceries, and queen's and glass ware, paints, medicines. The store House large and commodious, 36 by 24, with a cellar underneath of same dimensions, situated on Fayetteville street, on a good stand for business as any in the city.

To a young man, active and enterprising, who was disposed to embark in active and extensive business, this would doubtless prove a very profitable establishment. Until a sale or disposition as above offered is effected, I shall continue business as usual; but as I am anxious to decline as soon as possible, will dispose of every species of dry goods at unusually reduced prices. As groceries are already sold by me, and I believe by every store in this place, without profit, the current prices of them cannot be reduced. I tender to my friends and customers my sincere thanks for past favours and hope (while I continue in business) to share a part of their custom and patronage.

WILLIAM SHAW.
Raleigh, May 15, 1827. 64-3t.

University of North-Carolina.

THE Public Anniversary Examination of the Students of the University of North-Carolina will be held at Chapel Hill, on Monday, the 18th day of June next, and continue from day to day until Thursday the 28th, which last mentioned day is appointed for the Annual Commencement of the College.

The following Trustees constitute the Committee of Visitation for A. D. 1827:

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All other of the Trustees who may attend will be considered, under an Ordinance of the Board, Members of this Committee.

On Tuesday, the 26th day of June, (two days before Commencement,) a special meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held at the University, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Visitors, upon sundry Resolutions heretofore referred to them, and of considering other subjects of importance to the Institution.

To obtain a general concert of opinion in these matters, and to superintend with increased vigilance and care, the Anniversary Examinations and Exercises of the young gentlemen of the College, a punctual attendance of the Committee, and of the Trustees generally, is solicited and expected.

By order of the Board,
CHAS. MANLY,
Sec. Trustee's University N. C.
Raleigh, 15th May, 1827. 64--

LITERARY.

TO promote the cause of Literature and to give additional interest to their anniversaries, the students of the University have entered into the following resolution, viz. That some individual who has been a regular member of one of the Literary Societies attached to the University, shall be chosen every succeeding year, to deliver a public Oration in the College Chapel, in the day preceding each anniversary commencement. In compliance with this resolution, the friends of literature are informed that the Hon. Archibald D. Murphey has been appointed to deliver an oration, on the part of the Dialectic Society, in the College Chapel on the 27th of June next. We are happy to state, that this appointment has been accepted, and that the resolution has not only received the approbation of the distinguished individual, who is to be our Orator, but also of the Faculty of the University. We sincerely hope that all who take any interest in the literary character of the state will encourage our attempt by their attendance at the time and place specified.

By order of the
DIALECTIC SOCIETY,
Chapel Hill, April 19th, 1827. 58-6w

The Subscriber, who has presided several years in public Seminaries, is desirous to superintend an Academy in some healthy part of North-Carolina. Satisfactory testimonials of character and competency can be produced. Letters (post paid) directed to Raleigh, will be promptly noticed.

THO. L. RAGSDALE.
Feb. 15, 1827. 41-tf.

UNION CANAL LOTTERY,
OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Twenty-Ninth Class.
To be drawn on Wednesday, the 16th day of June, 1827.

SCHEME.		
1 Prize of \$16,000	is	\$16,000
1	5,000	5,000
1	4,000	4,000
1	3,000	3,000
1	2,500	2,500
1	2,000	2,000
1	1,750	1,750
1	1,500	1,500
1	1,275	1,275
5	1,000	5,000
10	500	5,000
20	200	4,000
40	100	4,000
102	50	5,100
204	20	4,080
1530	10	15,300
11475	5	57,375
13,595 Prizes,		\$136,880
20,825 Blanks,—		\$4,220 Tickets.
Whole Tickets \$5.		Half \$2 50.
Quarter \$1 25.		

WASHINGTON CITY LOTTERY.
(By authority of Congress.)
SECOND CLASS.
To be drawn on Wednesday, the 6th day of June, 1827.

SCHEME.		
1 Prize of \$10,000	is	\$10,000
1	3,500	3,500
10	1,000	10,000
20	500	10,000
52	100	5,200
51	50	2,550
102	20	2,040
1683	8	13,464
11475	4	45,900
13395 Prizes		\$102,660
20825 Blanks.—		\$4,220 Tickets.
Whole Tickets \$4.		Half \$2. Quarter \$1.

Tickets or Shares can be had in the greatest variety at the **MANAGER'S OFFICES, Raleigh or Fayetteville.**

Orders enclosing Cash or Prizes, (post paid) will receive prompt attention, if addressed to **YATES & MINTYRE,** Raleigh or Fayetteville.

* Tickets in all Northern Lotteries of respectability can be had at the Northern prices at either of our offices for Georgia, North or South-Carolina Bank Notes, and the Prizes of those lotteries always received in payment for tickets, or the cash paid for them on demand.

J. GALES & SON have at length received the first No. of the following valuable Work. The parcel has lain at Petersburg an unreasonable time. The Subscribers can now apply for their Nos.

American Quarterly Review.

LATELY published, by H. C. CAREY & J. L. ALA, the first number of the AMERICAN QUARTERLY REVIEW.

CONTENTS.

I. *American Biography.*—I. An American Biographical and Historical Dictionary, &c. by William Allen, A. M. 2. A Biographical Dictionary, containing a Brief Account of the First Settlers, and other Eminent Characters in New England; by John Elliot, D. D. 3. Biography of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence, by John Sanderson.

II. *Trigonometry.*—Elements of Analytic Trigonometry, Plane and Spherical, by F. P. R. Hassler, F. A. P. S.

III. *Eulogies on Adams and Jefferson.*—A Selection of Eulogies, pronounced in the several States, in honour of those illustrious Patriots and Statesmen, John Adams and Thomas Jefferson.

IV. *Fossil Remains.*—Historical Researches on the Wars & Sports of the Mongols and Romans; in which Elephants & Wild Beasts were employed or slain; and the remarkable local agreement of History with the Remains of such animals found in Europe and Siberia; by John Ranking.

V. *Doctrine of Contracts.*—An Essay on the Doctrine of Contracts; being an Inquiry how Contracts are affected, in Law and Morals, by Concealment, Error, or Inadequate Price; by Gulian C. Verplanck.

VI. *Secret Journals of the Old Congress.*—Secret Journals of the Acts and Proceedings of Congress, from the first Meeting thereof, to the Dissolution of the Confederation, by the adoption of the Constitution of the United States.

VII. *Mrs. Hemans's Poems.*

VIII. *Keut on American Law.*—Commentaries on American Law, by James Kent.

IX. *French Revolution.*—The Life of Napoleon Buonaparte, with a Preliminary View of the French Revolution, by the Author of Waverley.

X. *English Fashionable Life.*—Almack's.

XI. *Symmes's Theory.*—Symmes's Theory of Concentric Spheres; demonstrating that the Earth is hollow, habitable within, and widely open about the Poles; by a Citizen of the United States.

XII. *Greek Controversy.*—I. A narrative of the material Facts in relation to the Building of the two Greek Frigates, by Alexander Costantoylos. 2. Report of the Evidence and Reasons of the Award between Johannis Orlandos and Andreas Luriotis, Greek Deputies, of the one part, and Le Roy, Bayard & Co. and G. G. & S. Howland, of the other part; by the Arbitrators.

XIII. *Souvenirs.*—1. Forget me Not; a Christmas and New Year's Present. 2. The Amulet. 3. The Literary Souvenir; or, Cabinet of Poetry and Romance. 4. Friendship's Offering. 5. The Atlantic Souvenir; a Christmas and New Year's Present. 6. The Memorial.

TERMS OF PUBLICATION.—This work will appear on the first of March, June, September, and December. The price will be \$5 per annum.

FOR SALE.
A valuable Plantation in Wake.

THAT valuable Farm, lately known by the name of West-Hill, lying on both sides of Swift & Williams's Creeks, adjoining the Plantation of Governor Branch, about nine miles from Raleigh, on the Road to Haywood, settled originally by Joseph Lane, the Grandfather of the late occupant of that name, at a time when farmers had choice of the best lands in the country. The whole Tract of land contains Two Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty acres—near 1200 of which is prime land—a considerable portion of it fine low grounds. The residue is well-timbered long-leaved Pine Land and is supposed to afford the best range for cattle and hogs in the county. The farm under cultivation is between 3 and 400 acres, on which there is a tolerably good Dwelling-House, and other out-buildings, on as handsome and healthful a site as can be found in the county, or perhaps in the State. There is a small Grist-Mill, which is convenient for family and neighbourhood purposes. The farm is in good order, and that and the land may be viewed, on application to Mr. Thomas Howell, on the premises; and the terms of sale, which will be accommodating, will be made known on application to J. Gales. Raleigh, April 26, 1827. 59-tf.

OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN FARMER, Baltimore, Friday, Feb. 23, 1827.

WE wish that every friend of this Journal should understand, and that they would have the kindness to make it known, that to any one who will procure four subscribers, and remit on their account \$20, we will send a fifth copy of the American Farmer without charge—or any one who will procure five subscribers, will be allowed to retain \$5, on his remitting the remaining \$20. We beg also to repeat, that all which is necessary to be done by any one, wishing to subscribe, is to enclose a five dollar note by mail, at the risk of, and addressed to *The Editor of the American Farmer, Baltimore*—and whether the money be received or not, the paper will be forwarded immediately, and the actual receipt of each number of the volume will be guaranteed by the Editor.

The American Farmer is published weekly, by J. S. Skinner, Postmaster of Baltimore, printed on fine paper, the size of ordinary newspapers, folded so as to make 8 pages; about one-half or four pages, devoted to practical Agriculture, the remainder to Internal Improvements, Rural and Domestic Economy; selections for housekeepers and female readers, and Natural History and Rural Sports. A minute index and title page to the whole volume is published, and forwarded with the last number of each vol. A single number will be sent to any one who may desire to see a specimen of the publication.

The American Farmer is circulated through every state and territory, and is written for by many of the most distinguished practical farmers in the Union.

J. S. SKINNER.

Raleigh and Newbern Stages.

A NEW arrangement has been made respecting this Line of Stages. They commenced on the 1st of April to run through both ways, in two days.

The Stages now leave Raleigh and Newbern every Tuesday & Friday at 4 o'clock in the morning, and arrive at Newbern and Raleigh on Wednesdays and Saturdays by 10 o'clock, P. M.; so that Passengers will for the future, only be on the road, between the two towns, two days, instead of three, as heretofore. I have good, tight Stages, fine teams of Horses, and good, careful Drivers, and intend to use my best endeavors to continue them so; so that nothing shall be wanting on my part to render the Passengers comfortable who may think proper to favor me with their custom. I therefore solicit the public to travel with me; my rates for Stage-fare will be as follows, viz. FIVE DOLLARS for a Passenger, from Raleigh to Newbern, and the same from Newbern to Raleigh, say a distance of 120 miles—for any shorter distance, at the rate of 8 cents per mile, allowing each passenger 25 pounds of baggage. Servants, where they go with their owners, as waiters, will be charged half price, but in all other cases, full price will be expected. It will be remembered, that no heavy trunks, packages or bundles, of any kind will be received for conveyance, for any person whatever, but any small articles my drivers are at liberty to take if they think proper to do so; but it must here be expressly understood, that I will not hold myself accountable for the safe conveyance of any article, whatever, not even the passenger's baggage, but I will endeavor to have the best attention paid to them.

This line of Stages intersects the Fayetteville and Norfolk line of Stages, both in going and returning nearly at the same hour, at M. Cox's Esq. near Waynesborough. Passengers going down will pay their passage at my house four miles from Raleigh; and those coming up will make payment to my son Joseph J. Dillard, who they will find in Newbern, at Mrs. Scott's, or at Kinston, at the House of John Catlin, Esq. Grove-Hill, May 8, 1827. 63-6m.

N. B. The Stages will leave Raleigh for the future, on Mondays & Thursdays at four o'clock, P. M. and come out to my house, and leave there for Newbern on the next morning at four A. M.

M. D.



Recently Published.

AND for sale, by J. Gales & Son, Raleigh, A REVISAL of the Laws of the State of North-Carolina, passed from 1821 to 1825; both years inclusive, with Marginal Notes and References. Price \$2.

April 7.

State of North-Carolina,
Warren County.

John C. Goode, }
vs. }
Charles L. Jeffries, } in Equity.

Appearing satisfactorily to the Court, that the defendant, Chas. L. Jeffries, is not an inhabitant of this State; it is ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Register, notifying him, that, unless he appear within the three first days of next Term commencing the 3d Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, and plead, answer or demur, the complainant's bill will be taken pro confesso against him.

JOHN BRAGG, C. M. E.
April 25, 1827. 60

BROTHERS OF THE BAPTIST DENOMINATION.

Feeling the deepest interest for the progress of Zion and the salvation of souls, we believe it important that something should be done, more than is now in existence, to provide means for other to love and to good works, to consolidate us together as a body, and to excite the public to consult the things which belong to their present peace and future felicity. We therefore believe that if there were a meeting established by the name of the Union Meeting of the Baptist Denomination of North-Carolina, to meet annually, from place to place, and to continue four or five days; at which the preachers of this State would generally attend and continue preaching, praying, &c. and consulting each other on the state of Zion; communicating their views and feelings freely; with the blessing of Heaven it would effect the object designed.

Feeling that we are actuated by the purest motives, and that we have the spirit of God approving such measures, and that it is in compliance with the injunction of the Apostle, that we should not forsake the assembling of ourselves together, and that it will meet with the general approbation of our denomination, we have appointed the first union meeting to be held in Raleigh, commencing on Thursday night before the fifth Sabbath in July next, and continue till Monday following.

We do hope that the preachers of this State will take a deep interest in this meeting, and feel it their duty to attend; and those who can visit us from neighbouring States, are respectfully invited.

By order of the meeting.

Land in Wake for Sale.

TWO Tracts of Land formerly the property of Wm. Brown of said County, who sold them to the late Wm. Gilmore, the one containing 397 acres, lying on both sides of Dutchman's Branch, joining John Bradford's line. The other Tract contains 177 acres, lying on the south side of Swift Creek, adjoining Wm. Utley. Said Land will be sold low, and some credit given to a responsible purchaser, giving bond and security.

Apply to Richard Davison, Esq. Warrenton, or to J. Gales, Raleigh.
Raleigh April 21. 58 1m

Promotion of Science and Literature.

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Under authority of the Hon. the General Assembly (Dec. session, 1825) we herewith present to the public, the FIRST CLASS of the Maryland Literature Lottery.

The whole to be drawn in ONE DAY, in the city of BALTIMORE, and under the superintendence of the Commissioners appointed by the Governor and Council.

HIGHEST PRIZE,
20,000 DOLLARS.
BRILLIANT SCHEME.

1 Prize of \$20,000	is	\$20,000
1	10,000	10,000
10	2,000	20,000
10	1,000	10,000
40	500	20,000
20	200	4,000
20	100	2,000
40	50	2,000
100	20	2,000
150	10	1,500
500	5	1,500
9000	4	36,000

9662 prizes, amt'g to 114,000 dollars.
20338—only 30,000 Tickets.

THE CASH for the whole of the Prizes can be had, as usual at COHEN'S OFFICE, the moment they are drawn.

NOTE OF DRAWING.—The numbers will be put in one wheel as usual, and in the other will be put the prizes above the denomination of Five Dollars, and the drawing to progress in the usual manner. The 9,000 prizes of Four Dollars to be awarded to the tickets, the numbers of which end with the terminating figure of either of the three first drawn numbers of different denominations. The Five Dollar Prizes to be awarded to the tickets having the two last figures corresponding with the two last figures of such number of the next drawn of different denomination. This mode will permit the whole lottery to be completed in one drawing, and a ticket drawing a superior prize will not be restricted from drawing an inferior one also.

Whole tickets, \$5. Shares in proportion.

Orders from any part of the United States, either by mail (post paid) or private conveyance, enclosing the Cash or Prize tickets, in any amount, will meet the same prompt and punctual attention as if on personal application.

Address to
J. J. COHEN, JR. & BROTHERS, Baltimore,
Baltimore, May 7th, 1827.

State Bank of North Carolina.
Raleigh, May 24, 1827.

RESOLVED, That a Dividend of Three and a half per cent. on the Capital Stock of this Bank, be, and the same is hereby declared, on the last half year, payable at Raleigh, on the first Monday in June next, and at the several Branches, fifteen days thereafter.

W. H. HAYWOOD, Cashier.

Law School.

MY Office continues open for reception of Students.

L. HENRIBSON,
Near Williamsons*, Feb. 18, 1827. Just July