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" Ours are the plans of fair, delightful peace,
" Unwarp'd by party rage to live like brothers.'

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

FROM "DETRACTION DISPLAYED."

I have given a specimen of the dialogue of talkers-over, and shown the progress of detraction, and though I shrink from the task, I shall venture to display in another dialogue the progress of defamation.

We will suppose the parties first assembled to be the master and mistress of the house, their two daughters, a boy of thirteen, their son, and myself, luncheon being almost concluded, and the elder girl is showing me some fine prints in the next room, but, as the door is open, I hear all that passes. "Hark! there is a knock, my dear! ring the bell to have the luncheon taken away." "Make haste, sister!" cries one of the girls, lowering her voice, "for it is Mrs. Kappa, and we must have more luncheon for her if she sees it, she has such an appetite!" "Dear me," mama," cries the other girl, "she always contrives to come at our luncheon time, for she is so stingy, she does not allow herself any at home." "Indeed!" says the papa. "Yes, I believe it is true," cries the mama. By this time the bell has rung, the luncheon is removed, and the visiter enters just as the mother has expressed her joy that he table is cleared. "How are you, my dear Mrs. Kappa," says the mistress of the house, "glad to see you." "Pray sit down, my good friend," says the husband, "our luncheon is only just gone." "I am sorry you did not come sooner," says the wife. "You are very good," replies Mrs. Kappa, "but I rarely eat luncheon." "But perhaps you will take something—a piece of cake and a glass of wine?" "O no, thank you," she faintly replies, meaning to be pressed; but her "no" is suffered to pass for what it was not meant to be, a negative; and the parties sit down, all but the master of the house, who leans against the chimney-piece, with one hand in his waistcoat pocket, swinging himself backwards and forwards, and the elder daughter and myself are now turning over a portfolio on the table.—"Well, Mrs. Kappa," says the master of the house, "is there any news stirring?" "Yes, a good deal, but then it may not be true." "No matter, what is it?" "They say young Zeta has gone off in debt, and has robbed his father to a considerable amount!" "That was to be expected from his bringing up." "Yes, certainly." In this opinion all join, and there is a chorus of "parents that spoil their children must take the consequences." At this moment a Major Mu is announced, and after the usual compliments, the Major says, "Well, have you heard the news?" "Yes," said the elder girl, "if you mean that young Zeta is gone off." "Oh! he is gone *quite* off, is he," replies the Major, "and not taken?" "What do you mean?" "They say he has committed forgery!" "Very likely, but are you sure of it?" "O no, not sure; nay, I believe it was only said that some one had supposed it most *likely* that he had committed forgery." "Oh, that is all; well, but what other news have you? "The lovely Helen Omicron is going to be married to a man some years older than her father!" "Very likely," observes Mrs. Kappa, "she has outstayed her market, and I dare say the gentleman is very rich." "Besides," says the father, "she has made herself so talked of, for our friend Sir William Rho, that she may think herself well off to get married at all." "With Sir William! I never heard of that before. I remember she was violently in love with a young ensign, and once, I believe, was just saved from eloping with her singing master." "At last," cries the Major, "she is *provided* for, and will be safe from *elopements*, I trust." "That is not sure," says the father significantly, "but who is the gentleman?" "Sir Martin Tau, Baronet." "A Baronet, too? what luck! where did she meet him?" "O, at a watering place." "They have given her the chance of those places every season, you know," cries the Major, "for her best days were long ago over. She was talked of for me! (drawing up his neckcloth,) and I had the run of their house; but it would not do—she was too old." "So it was at a watering place, was it?" says the mother. At which her friend Kappa, who was not pleased, probably, at missing her luncheon, and had great talents for stinging and flinging, besides some cat-like propensities, observed, in a soft tone, "I think, my dear friend, you never take *your* daughters to *watering places*;" well knowing that they went to one *every year*; and the mother with a heightened colour, replied to the stinger, "O dear! yes I do—but all persons' daughters have not the same luck."

Lady Lambda is now announced, who says, when we are all seated, "I suppose you have heard that old Lady Pi is dying, *at last*, and that as soon as decency permits, her husband will marry Miss Sigma." "Decency!" is the general exclamation. "If they had any regard for decency," says the mistress of the house, "the marriage could not have been talked of, but his fondness for that girl was notorious. How I have pitied poor Lady Pi!" "O!" cries the Major, "she had her *consolations!*" putting his hand to his mouth as if drinking.

"O fye!" cries Lady Lambda, giving him a *reproving* pat, in which there was much *encouragement*, "this is scandal—and I hate *scandal*." "But it is not scandal," says one of the party, "to talk of this marriage at all." "Perhaps so," replied Lady Lambda, "but they talk much *worse* scandal, I assure you." "Indeed," cries the eager Kappa, drawing her chair close to Lady Lambda, "and they do say——" "What?" eagerly exclaimed both the ladies. "That when Miss Sigma was staying at the house, Lady Pi missed a gown and some fine lace out of her wardrobe; and one of the servants was suspected of having stolen them. But one day, when Lady Pi was confined to her room, and Miss Sigma was to have the carriage to carry her to a party, Lady Pi, who had been carried to the window for *air*, saw Miss Sigma get into the carriage with the *very* gown which she had missed, and as she believed, her own lace on her collarette." "Really! what impudence!"

"But, observed one of the party, why should not this lady have a gown *like* Lady Pi's." "Oh, but it was very expensive flowered muslin gown, and Miss Sigma could not *afford* to buy such an one."

"But sir George Pi could afford to give," said the Major. "*True*," cried the master of the house, "but Miss Sigma is you know a very *taking* woman." "Excellent! Excellent!" "But you know;" said the Major emulous of his friend's punning fame, "if sir George *takes* the lady, she will, after all, find herself MISS taken.

"What, mistaken!" says one. "I don't exactly see that," cries another; while the mortified Major is on the point of being forced to explain his vile quibble, when Lady Lambda exclaims, "Oh! I see it! excellent! excellent! Major, *Miss, taken!*" "But, Major," cried the master of the house, alarmed for his laurels, "Lady Pi herself, according to you, was a *taking* woman," and a chorus of laughs repays him.

And now that, like the knife of heathen priest, their detracting weapon is sharpened for the sacrifice of victims by *imagined wit*, they eagerly demand more news, more scandal, and the ready weapon descends on a new victim in the shape of Col. Upsilon.

"Well but, Lady Lambda, you said you had more *news*," said the mistress of the house, when this interruption was over. "O yes, Col. Upsilon has made his choice at last; he has given up widow Theta, and and is to have the widow Iota: and it is said his poor wife, knowing he was courting *both*, advised this preference."

"I am quite sure," cries one of the party rather indignantly, "that his wife had no reason to be jealous, he was one of the most kind and attentive of husbands, and such a nurse!"

"A very *attentive* nurse, indeed," says Lady Lambda. "Yes," says the lady of the house with an emphasis. "Hush! hush! my dear," cries the husband. "No; I choose to speak out, my love; they do say that he chose to *prescribe* for his wife as well as nurse her, and medical men think she was not the *better* for his prescriptions."

Thus they began by a charge of robbery, an accusation of forgery, imputations of levity in one young lady—against another a charge of flirting with a married man, and stealing his wife's clothes; and they end by charging a husband with prescribing wrong medicines for his wife!!! What a climax of defamation! yet, awful as it is, I have witnessed such an one frequently in the course of experience, and have commonly been able to trace *some* of it to the results of *competition*.

On this occasion, I wish my readers to believe, that I quitted the company after this last speech, glad to make my escape, though I left my character behind me for a pastime.

*State of North-Carolina,*
WAKE COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1828.

Archibald R. Ruffin, vs. Wm. A. Chapman, } Original Attachment, levied on a Cloak.

IT having been made appear to the Court, that the defendant has removed beyond the limits of the State, or so conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on him: It is, therefore, ordered by the Court, that advertisement be made in the Raleigh Register for six weeks, that unless the defendant comes forward on or before the next County Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Wake, at the Court-house in Raleigh, on the 3d Monday of November next, then and there to replevy and plead to issue, judgment will be entered up against him, and the property levied on will be condemned, subject to plaintiff's recovery. Teste,

B. S. KING, C. C.


## SCHOOL BOOKS.

J. GALES & SON have just received the following New Books:—

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Raleigh, Oct. 21.

*JUST PUBLISHED,*

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Oct. 1, 1828.

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Raleigh, Sept. 22. 5

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FOR
**1829,**

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The Almanacks may be had wholesale of the Publishers, J. Gales & Son, Raleigh, or of Mr. Edward J Hale, Observer Office, Fayetteville, or of Mr. Salmon Hall, Bookseller, of Newbern; and retail of most of the Storekeepers in the State.

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*Electoral Tickets.*

ANY number of ADMINISTRATION ELECTORAL TICKETS can be procured at this Office. It is desirable, that we should receive information as early as practicable, from such Counties as expect to be supplied at this Office.


*INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS.*

AN Adjourned Meeting of the Board for Internal Improvements, will be held at the Executive Office, in this City, on Friday, the 31st of October instant, of which, all persons concerned, will please take notice.

By order,

J. GALES, *Sec'y.*

Raleigh, Oct. 21.


*Oxford Academies.*

ALL interested are invited to attend the Examination of the Male Academy on Monday the 10th of November. Report to be read on Wednesday morning; immediately after which the Examination of the Female Academy will commence, and conclude on Thursday evening with an Exhibition of Music.

The Winter Session of these Seminaries opens on Monday, 12th Jan. 1829. James D. Johnson Principal of the Male, and the Rev. Joseph Labare of the Female Academy, as heretofore.

THO'S B. LITTLEJOHN, Prest.

Oxford, Oct. 20, 1828. 14–3w

☞ The Tarboro' Press, Edenton Gazette, and Norfolk Herald will publish this three weeks and forward their acts. to the Oxford P. M.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber lost, on the 18th of March last, in the city of Raleigh, his Pocket Book, containing the following Notes, Judgments and Executions, which he hereby forwarns all persons from trading for, and the makers of them from paying the same, to any person but himself:

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There were also in the Pocket Book, sundry other papers, and thirty dollars in money.

LEMUEL JONES.

Wake county, Oct. 25. 15 3t

NOTICE.

A LIVERY STABLE is opened near the Capitol, and is convenient to all the Boarding Houses in the city. It offers convenience to the members of the approaching General Assembly, and other visiters to Raleigh.

Being well supplied with provender, I will promise that no pains shall be spared in doing justice to the horses which may be entrusted to my care. WILLIAM SMITH.

Raleigh, Oct. 20th, 1828. 14–

*North-American Review.*

JUST RECEIVED, by J. GALES & SON, Agents, the *NORTH-AMERICAN REVIEW*, for October, No. LXI.

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*Mansion House.*

THE subscriber having moved from Camden to this place, respectfully informs the public that he has taken that well known stand adjoining the Court House square, recently occupied by Mr. John W. Clark, (and usually known as Clark's Hotel,) where he has opened a HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT, under the above title. The premises are spacious and well adapted for the business; the stables are large and supplied with careful hostlers; and travellers will find every convenience customary in the best houses of the kind.

To professional gentlemen, and others, having business in this place connected with the courts, this establishment offers advantages superior to any other.

Persons, travelling with their families, can be accommodated with private apartments, and every attention will be given to insure the comfort of those who may call.

Members of the approaching Legislature would be accommodated in the best manner.

Town boarders will be accommodated at the terms usual in this place.

JOHN M'COLL.

Columbia, September 12, 1828. 4 4w


State of North-Carolina,
PITT COUNTY.

Court of Equity Septemb r Term 1828.

Warren Wallace, admr. of James English dec'd
vs.
John Surmon & wife & others.

WHEREAS suit had been brought by Bill of complaint in the Superior Court of Law and Equity for the County of Pitt by James English against John Surmon and Euphamia his wife, and Gatsey, Sally, and Ira Ledon, which suit at September Term 1825 abated by death of said James English, and at last March Term of said Court, Warren Wallace, the adm'r. of said James English, filed his Bill praying to have said suit and proceeding thereon revived against said defendants, which was granted, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that John Surmon and Euphamia his wife, Gatsey, Sally, and Ira Leadon, defendants in this suit, are not inhabitants of this State, it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Register that the defendants appear at the next term of said Court to be held in the County of Pitt at the Court House in Greenville, on the first Monday in March next, and plead, answer or demur to the Bill of the complainant, or the same will be taken pro confesso and set for hearing ex parte.

W. HANRAHAN C. M. E.

Sept. 30 7 6w

NOTICE.

WE the Administrators of the Estate of Lewis Davis, dec'd. and Milly Davis, dec'd. Josiah Davis and Robert T. Dodd, do notify all of the Administrators and Legatees of the same, to come forward and settle with the same, and all who are indebted to the estate of the same, are requested to come forward and settle with the same, or their accounts will be found in the hands of Officers. And also, all who have claims against the estate to present them in order for settlement. And also, all who have notes out against the estate, are requested to bring them forward without delay.

October 19, 1828. 14-3t


*Important Sale.*

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of North-Carolina, I shall on Monday the third day of November next, at Snow Hill in the county of Greene, expose at public Vendue to the highest bidder, all that VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND in Greene county in the District of N. Carolina, on the East side of Great Contentnea creek, heretofore conveyed by Robert Whyte and wife to Willie J. Stanton, and by said Willie J. Stanton mortgaged to secure the purchase money to the said Robert Whyte, containing THREE THOUSAND ACRES, more or less, being the same land conveyed by the said Willie J. Stanton in parcels, to John Pope, William Williams, Henry Edwards, John Harper, Jesse Speight, Thomas Speight, Elisha Woodward, Arthur Speight and Theophilus Edwards.

The land will be sold in parcels to suit purchasers, (particularly those who heretofore purchased from Willie J. Stanton,) on a credit of one and two years. Bonds with unquestionable security will be required on the day of sale.

B. A. BARHAM, *Commissioner.*

Raleigh, June 20, 1828 98

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned, from trading with any persons on my account, as I am determined to pay no debt of that description unless contracted by my written order. And I hereby give notice especially to all persons, not to credit my Wife, Mary Heifrein on my account, as I will pay no debt of her contracting.

WM. HEIFREIN.

Edgefield C. H., S. C. Oct. 12. 1m

*New Ready made Clothing,*
**Fancy Articles, &c.**

**R. HALSEY,**

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Raleigh and its vicinity, that he has opened a Store on Fayetteville street, a few doors below the Bank of Newbern, where he intends keeping on hand an assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, FANCY ARTICLES, &c. such as

Gentlemen's dress, close, short and great *Coats*.
do. Pantaloons.
do. black velvet, black and fancy silk, Valentia, toilinet and Marseilles *Vests*.
Fine Linen Shirts and Collars.
An assortment of *Suspenders*, consisting of patent, silk and cotton rollers, nett rollers, spring and common nett.
Black and fancy silk, glazed and unglazed leather *Stocks*
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do black and white Woodstock, horse skin and common *Gloves*.
Elastic Garters, Pataloon Straps, Gentlemen's Cloaks and Hose, Ladies' Riding Dresses, &c.

All of which he will sell low on the most moderate terms for cash.

Orders for Clothing of any kind (left with his agent in Raleigh) will be strictly attended to, and executed in the most fashionable and durable style.

October 29, 1828. 16 tf


TRUST SALE.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me by *Alvan Williams*, of Johnston County, for purposes therein expressed, I shall proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for Cash, on Monday, the 24th of November ensuing, at the dwelling house of Thomas Price, in the County of Wake, the following property, to wit:—One Negro man named *Peter*, about 24 years of age. Two tracts of Land, lying on both sides of Neuse River, in Johnston County, one containing 213 acres—the other 460 acres. Also, one tract on Bandy Swamp, in the same County, containing 95 acres. The 113 acre Tract, called the Cowbone Land, adjoins the lands of Isaac Williams and others—the 460 acre Tract adjoins the lands of Jacob Stevens and others; and the 95 acre Tract descended from John Williams, deceased, his father, and will be found fully described in the division of the lands of the said deceased, of record in the Clerk's Office in Johnston County

The sale to commence between the hours of 12 and 2, on the abovementioned day.

BENJ. S. KING, Trustee.

Raleigh, Oct. 30. 16–

*Office of the Agent of the Breakwater,*
Philadelphia, 22d Oct. 1828.

IN conformity with instructions from the Navy Department, SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office, until Monday the 24th of November next, for the supply at the site of the Breakwater, near *Cape Henlopen Roads*, of one hundred and twenty thousand perches of Stone, of twenty-five cubic feet to the perch; each stone to weigh from one quarter of a ton to two tons and upwards.

The quality of the material must be of the following description;—Traprock, Hornblende, Granite, compact Gneiss, Marble or Limestone; and be deposited within certain prescribed limits, according to the directions of the Engineer, between the months of April and December of the ensuing year.

No proposal will be received for the supply of a less quantity than ten thousand perches.

The proposals must, in addition to the names of the *Bidders*, contain those of their *Sureties*, and the places of their respective residence.

The proposals will be examined and decided on, by the Engineer who may be appointed by the Executive and by the subscriber;—the decision to be submitted to the approval of the Navy Department.

CLEMENT C. BIDDLE.
Agent, &c.

Oct. 23.


**$30 Reward.**

A LIGHT Bay Horse, about 14½ hands high, and four years old last Spring, was stolen from the subscriber's plantation, on the night of Wednesday, the 24th ult. I have good reason to believe that said horse was taken off by one Henry Williams, late of this county, who has probably gone to South-Carolina or the Western District of Tennessee. Said Williams is about 23 years of age, of ordinary stature, and dark complexion, and usually carries with him a horse man's pistol and a large dog.

I will give a reward of Ten Dollars for any information that may lead to the recovery of the Horse, and 25 Dollars for the apprehension of the thief. The horse has marks on his feet of a recent founder.

B. COLEMAN.

Kinston, Lenoir, Oct. 10th, 1828. 15 3t.