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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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GREAT DUTCH CANAL.

Engineer. to the sea. This city has forty feet of water in the road in front of its part, but the Pampas or bar in the Zowder Ze, seven by crawling upon their hands and kneesmiles below, has only a depth of ten feet, They wandered about, alternately walking and hence all ships of any considerable and crawing, nearly a whole day, during burden, have to unload part of their car- which they had passed a number of these goes with lighters before they can enter deep pits. They had just approached one, the port. As the sea in question is full of when by some fatal accident, the light of a new object for securing immortality. shallows throughout, all ordinary means of which they carried was suddenly extinimproving the access to the port were necessarily ineffectual; and the resolution ratus for restoring the light, in the agitawas therefore at length adopted, of cutting a Canal from the town to the Helder, the northernmost point of the Province of Ho -. land. The distance between these extreme points is 41 English miles, but the length of the Canal is about 502. The breadth at the surface of the water is 1241 English feet ; the breadth at bottom S6 ; the depth 20 feet 9 inches. Like the Dutch Canals, generally, its level is that of the high tides of the sea, from which it receives. its supply of water. The only locks it requires, of course, are two tide locks at the extremities; but there are, besides, two sluices, with flood gates in the intermediate spaces. It has only eighteen bridges. (draw bridges) in its whole length. The locks and sluices are double, that is to say, there are two in the breadth of the Canal and we learn from Mr. Bald, that their construction and workmanship are excellent. They are built of brick for economy, but bands of limestone are interposed at intervals, and these project aboat an inch beyond the brick, to protect There is a broad towing path on each side, and the Canal is wide enough to admit of one frigate passing another. The line which the Canal follows may be easily traced on a map of Holland .-From the River Ye, at Amsterdam, it procoast, near Petten, and it continues to run the fine harbour of Niewediep, formed within the last thirty years. At the latter place there is a powerful steam engine, for supplying the canal with water during the neap tides, and for other purposes. The time spent in tracking vessels from the Helder to Amsterdam is eighteen hours. shores of Holland that has deep water ; communication between the German Ocean 27 feet. In the same way the artificial culty found the body, and had it decently mound which runs into the lake or river interred. Yes, upposite Amsterdam, by contracting he water way to about 1000 feet, keeps a depth of 40 feet in the port at high water, while above and below there is only 11 or 12 feet. The Canal was begun in 1819, and fin- which distinguish our Justiciary Courts ished in 1825. The cust was estimated over those of our neighbours, when a wag as that of the New-York canal, or the ca-hal of Languedoc, and two and a half times as that of the Caledonian canal, if we in-clude only those parts of the latter which have been cut with human labor. We

Scolsman.

From the Boston Trazeller.

FATAL CURIOSITY.

A melancholy story was related to me a few days since. while travelling in the Western section of our count y, of man We believe very little is known of this who, in company with a friend, attempted Canal. It is, however, one of the great- to explore the celebrated Mammuth Cave, est works of the kind in the world, and in Greene county. Kennucky, which is aour readers will perhaps think the follow- bout ten miles in length. After having details respecting it interesting. They provided themselves with a lantern, food derived from engraved plans, with and other refreshments, sufficient for one which we have been obligingly furnished or two days subsistence, they commenced by W. Bald, Esq. an eminent scientific their subterranean tour. As they proceed-The object of the Canal is to afford a ing with astonishment, the wonders of this massage for large vessels from Amsterdam supendous cavern, they frequently came to large and apparently very deep pits, which they avoided with much difficulty.

claiming, " Lord have mercy upon us !" nd fell headlong into the pit they had the moment before discovered. His companion listened, and distinctly heard the unfortunite man strike the bottom, and fetch a deep groan, like one in extreme anguish. He called on him, but received no answer -he called again, but all was silent as the umb. The narrator stated that had he but fallen with him, it would have been a happy circumstance ; for to attempt to find the mouth of the cave, and pass the many dangerous places they had met in their way thither, would be imminently hazardous, if not utterly impossible. He thought, therefore, only of dying the lingering and painful death of starvation. He sat down and gave vent to his anguish in a flood of tears. He finally concluded to make an attempt to get out-he could but share the fate of his companion by falling into a pit. and this would put an end to his mortal sufferings. He commenced what he conceived to be a retrograde movement, by it from abrasion by the sides of the vessels. crawling upon his hands and knees, and proceeded without accident a long time, when he again yielded himself up to despair. A copious effusion of tears, subdued in a measure his agony. He set out again, States, and a collection of the most approved from paying the same, to any person but himbut with little hope of ever arriving at the mouth of the cave-he continued groping ceeds North to Purmerend, thence West about in midnight darkness a whole day to Alkmaar Lake; thence North, by Alk- longer. When they entered the cave, the maar, to a point within two miles of the survivor noticed that it branched off in various directions : he therefore concluded heads. nearly parallel to the coast from this point that he had taken the wrong way, and was to the Helder, where it joins the sea, at probably as far. or farther from the enhalted-and with the determination of waiting patiently the approach of death. Like the drowning man, who is said to catch at a straw, the possibility of escape again occurred to him, and summoning his remaining strength, he made another ef-The Helder Point is the only spot on the fort to find an outlet to the cavern. On the morning of the third day, when nature and it owes this advantage to the island of and hope were nearly exhausted, he tho't Texel opposite, which, by contracting the he observed a ray of light ; and on suddenly turning a corner, the morning star shone much instructive and entertaining matter. and the Zuyder Zee to the breadth of a full in his face. His feelings, he said, must mile, produces a current which scours and be imagined, for they could not be described. He immediately made known the site the Helder there is 100 feet of water melancholy fate of his companion-a num- and retail of most of the Storekeepers in the at the high tides, and at the shallowest ber of citizens commenced a search in the State. part of the bar to the Westward there are cave, found the pit, and with some diffi-

to have gone through the canal. it would his lordship. "By all that's sacred, if he be necessary that they should pay £50 shall escape me this time-fence, bolt, bar each of toll for passing and returning, to the doors of the court, and, at your peril, make up the sum we have mentioned .- let a man, living or dead, escape." All With the heavy ships, however, the saving was now bustle, uproar and confusion ; of lighterage would probably be a full com- but the search was equally vain as before. pensation for this expenditure. To ves- His Lordship began to imagine that the sels leaving Amsterdam, which formerly sound was something more than earthly, were often detained in the Zuyder Zee by and exclaimed, "That is a deceptio auris, adverse winds for weeks, the Canal must it is absolute delusion, necromancy, phantasmagoria."-Edinburgh pc.

PRESENCE OF MIND.

When Lee the poet was confined in Beillam, a friend went to visit him, and finding that he could converse reasonably, or at least reasonably for a poet, imagined that Lee was cured of his madness. lam. They went over this mclancholy medical prison, Lee motalizing philosophically enough, all the time to keep his companion perfectly at case. At length they ascended the top of the building, and as they were both looking down from the perilous height, Lee seized his friend by the arm, "Let us take this leap ; we'll jump down together this instant." " Any man could jump down," said his friendcooly, "we should not immortalize ourselves by that leap ; but let us go and try if we can jump up." The madman, struck with the idea of a more astonishing leap than that which he had himself proposed. vielded to this new impulse, and his friend rejoiced to see him run down stairs, full

MIDWAY ACADEMY FRANKLIN COUNTY, N. C.

THE Exercises of this Institution will be a gain renewed on the first Monday in January next, under the immediate instruction of the Subscriber, assisted by lus son DANIEL S. HILL. The course of Studies will be conformable to the plan of Education as adopted at our place a large Solar Microscope, University. As the Subscriber is preparing his objects more than one million t buildings for a permanent establishment, and size. This wonderful and ha will devote himself entirely to the duties of his strument, which magnifies objects School, parents may rest assured that every ex- size as any other in the world, will re ertion shall be made to advance his pupils both but a few clear slavs, thus affording an o in moral and intellectual improvement. Board nity to those who are desirous of with will be \$40, and tuition \$10 per session, payable astonishing powers. The mites living an in advance.

"All nature is a glass, ref As by the sea reflected is the Too glorious to be gazed on i

SOLAR MICROSCO

THE Citizens of Raleight I pectfully informed, that th upon the surface of figs and chee

Mide ay is situated two miles below the main invisible to the naked eve, are made Stage Road, ten miles from Louisburg, sixteen larger than tats or crabs ; an from Warrenton & four from the Shocco Springs. to the size of cels, possessi For health, it is exceeded by no situation in the from 20 to 30 inches in len State : for 4 years, there were from forty to sixty rious species of wood one The poet offered to show him bed-Should, however, medical aid be required, the common house fly 15 feet in 1 attention of Dr. John Broche, whose skill as a as large as an eagle, musquito Physician is inferior to none in the State, will the eye of a drugon fly, shewi be at hand, as he resides within two miles of lenses, which are considered by Midway. The Students will be barred from ex- many distinct eyes, and are in a posure to extravagance and dissipation, as there is not a store or gill-shop within five miles of the Academy.

Academy. In the government of Midway Academy, the Principal will pursue that course which he would of a butterfly's wing are beautiful and with his own children. He will advise and ad- organized feathers, broad, and many monish; where these fail, the rod will be re- length; and the process and confi sorted to, but with parental prudence. - When the chrystalization of various saline any pupil shall be deemed incorrigible in disor beautifully illustrated ; with many of derly conduct, or habitually inattentive to his jects which are equally interesting and studies, his parent or guardian will be immedi-structive. As the objects magnified are ately informed thereof.

Letters to the Principal or Students must be them at the same time. directed to Louisburg, N. C.

CHARLES A. HILL, A. M. 19-eow8t Nov. 6th, 1828. State of North-Carolina.

sented upon a large screen, 50 persons cau

Admittance 50 cents-Children half price, N B. No admission unless the sun shine Room first door south of Mr. High's Tavera Hours of admission from S A M to & P M. Nov. 12th, 1828.

REMOVAL.

DOCTOR FABIUS J. HAYWOOD TAS removed to the upper apartment of the I Store occupied by Williams & Haywood, where he may always be found unless professi onally engaged. 19

Raleigh, Nov 10.

\$30 Reward.

LIGHT Bay Horse, about 141 hands high, and four years old last Spring, was stolen from the subscriber's plantation, on the night of Wednesday, the 24th ult. 1 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 horseman's pistol and a large dog

I will give a reward of Ten Dollars for any in formation 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

JUST PUBLISHED.

ND for sale at the Book-store of J. Gales and A. Son, in Raleigh, price three dollars, a new Edition of the Office and Duty of a Justice of the Peace, and a Guide to Sheriffs, Coroners, forms for the use of these Officers.

The new Edition of this valuable Work contains besides its former useful matter, the sub stance of all the important, Acts passed by the General Assembly from the year 1815, to the present period, which appear under their proper

Orders for this new Work will be duly attended to, from any part of the State. Oct. 1, 1828.

JUST PUBLISHED, GALES'S North-Carolina Almanack, FOR 1829, NONTAINING besides the usual Astronomi / cal Calculations, some useful Essays on Agriculture; a variety of valuable Recipes and The Aimanacks may be had wholesale of the

Publishers, J. Gales & Son, Raleigh, or of Mr. Edward J. Hale, Observer Office, Fayetteville, or of vir. Salmon Hall, Bookseller, of Newbern ;

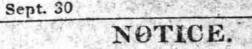
Sept. 10, 1828.

Bank Stock for Sale.

FOR SALE 70 (Seventy) Shares of Stock in the State Bank of North-Carolina. For terms, apply in person or by letter, postage paid, to David Jordan, Suffolk, Va. 15 6m Oct. 20.

PITT COUNTY. Court of Equity September Term 1828. Warren Wallace, admr. of James English dec'd

WHEREAS suit had been brought by Bill o John Surmon & wife & others. 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 The first bell rings a half hour before service 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 w eks 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 con fesso and set for hearing ex parte. W. HANBAHAN C. M. E.



THE Subscriber lost, on the 18th of March last, in the city of Raleigh, his Pocket Book, Clerks, Constables and other Civil Officers in containing the following Notes, Judgments and North-Carolina. With an appendix, containing Executions, which he hereby forwarns all perthe Constitutions of this State and of the United sons from trading for, and the makers of the self :

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1 Note on Col. Wm. Daniel, due Nov. 1827 \$84 05 for 1 do. on Alvan Utley, due in 1826, 1 Judgment and Execution against Henry Jones, for 1 do. against Uriah Perry There were also in the Pocket Book, sundry other papers, and thirty dollars in money. LEMUEL JONES. Wake county, Oct. 25 15 3t

Atlantic Souvenir.

GALES & SON have just received the AT LANTIC SOUVENIR for 1829--a Christmas and New Year's Offering--consisting of original Pieces in Prose and Verse, by Mrs. Hemans, Mrs. Sigourney, Miss Francis, Messrs. Paulding, Halleck, Percival, Pickering, McHenry, Barker, Willis, and other American Writers ; and embellished with the following beautiful Engravings, by the first Artists--

7 Hesitation, Presentation Plate, 8 The lady of Ruthven, 2 The Sisters, 9 The Unwelc' Guest, 3 Love Asleep, 10 The Shipwreck, 4 The Glove, 5 The Power of Love, 11 The Cont'd Captive, 12 Ext'nal Decorations. 6 Chapeau de Paille, The whole beautifully enclosed in an elegant. Ornamented Case. Raleigh, 10th Nov.



THE Pew Holders in the Presbyterian Ch of this City, invite the Members of the La gislature, the Officers of the Courts, Stronger and Visiters, the Citizens, and those liv this vicinity, who wish to attend Divin to take, any seat or pew which convenient or agreeable, whenever they att said Church. As this invitation is in all, it is hoped that none will teel an in attending the Church on account of set which commences within fifteen minutes after the ringing of the second bell. Nov. 10, 1828.

NEW BOOKS.

GALES & SON have just received from th . North the following recent Publication

Bridgman's Equity Dig Starkie on the Law of Ex Peters' Supreme Court Reports Thomas' Coke upon Lyttleton, 3 do Tidd's Practice, (new edition) 2 do Wheaton's Selwyn, (do) 2 d Chitty's Pleadings, (do) 5 do Archoold & Christiah's Blackstone, (do) 4 d Gordon's Digest, (do) Nott & McCord's S. Carolina Reports, 2 McCord's do South-Carolina Equity Reports, stitutional do 2 vols Do Desaussare's Equity do 4 do MISCELLANY.

Duke of Saxe Weimar's Travels in the U Bishop Heber's Travels 2 vols. Franklin's second Expedition Private Memoirs of Napoleon Neale's Romance of History, 2 vols. Cooper's Travelling Bachelor, 2 do Irving's Columbus, 3 do Dick's Christian Phlosophe Segur's Four Ages of Lin Pollock's Course of Time Thatcher's Revolutionary Journal Shobel's Austria, with splendid coloured engravings Miller's Greece Walsh's Journey from Constantinople to Eng-

NOVELS. Contrast, 2 vols. De Lisle, or the Sensitive Man, Life of Mansie Wauch **Opie's** Detraction Displayed St. Valentine's Eve, 2 v Adventures of Hajji Baba, 2 vols. OF ALSO, a very general assortin SCHOOL and CHILDREN's BOOKS and TIONARY ARTICLES. Nov. 20, 1828.

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JACK'S ALIVE.

The late Lord Hermand, when presiding on a trial where life or death was at stake, was proceeding with that solemnity

at ten or twelve millions of florins, or about entered the Court, and set a musical shuff one million sterling. If we compute the box a playing, "Jack's Alive," upon one magnitude of this canal by the cubic con- of the beaches. The venerable Judge, who be received at this office, until Monday the 24th magnitude of this canal by the cubic con-tents of its bed, it is the greatest we be-here in the world—unless some of the for an instant at a sound so unusual in a here the world and twenty thousand perches of Stone, Chinese canals be exceptions. The vol- court of Justice, and with a frantic de of twenty-five cubic feet to the perch ; each une of water it contains when filled, or meanor, exclaimed, " Macer, what in the stone to weigh from one quarter of a ton to two the prism de remplissage, is twice as great name of God is that ?" The officer look- tons and upwards, as that of the New-York canal, or the ca- ed around him in vain to answer the in-

have not heard what returns it yields ; but of hell, let every man assist to arraign him the ensuing year. we may safely assume that, for some years, bafare me, that I may commit him for this it will not be a profitable concern. Even outsage and contempt." Eveny one en-in 11 dland, where interest is low, it would deavoured to discover the author of this of the Biddere, contain those of their Surelies, require tolls to the amount of £50,000 per annoyance, but he had put the check upon the box, when the shand for a time ceas-the box. The proposals will be examined and decided on, by the Engineer who may be appointed by the Executive and by the subscriber 5-the de-the that the person had escaped. The trial the the the person had escaped. The trial and probably take the old raute by the annots of music again caught the ear of the Navy Department. Soyder Zee, but supposing one thousand court. "Is he there again ?" exclaimed oct. 25.

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

N conformity with instructions from the Navy Department, SEALED PROPOSALS wil

The quality of the material must be of the fol-

No proposal will be received for the supply of

CLEMENT C. BIDDLE. Agent, &c.



GIGS AND SULKIES DEPAIRED or Painted as heretofore, at the BepAIRED or Painted as interiorore, at the shop of the Subscriber. A continuance of he public favor is solicited. WESI.EY WHITAKER. Nov. 15th, 1828. 20-4t BY vir ue of a Deed of Trust executed to purposes therein expressed. I shall proceed sell to the highest bidder, for Cash, on Monthe public favor is solicited. Nov. 15th, 1828.

Williamsboro' Academy.

THE Semi annual Examination of the Students connected with this Institution, will commence on Wednesday the 19th inst, and close the following day. Parents and Guardians are requested to at-

tend.

The Exercises will be resumed on the first Monday of January, 1829 A WILSON, Principal.

19 20 Nov. 6.

State Bank Stock for Sale.

One Hundred and Twenty-eight Shares, WILL be sold for Cash, before the door of the Bank, in Raleigh, on the 2d December next-sale ut 12 o'clock. Noy. 7.

THE HOUSE on Payetteville Street below ing to Mrs. Goodwin, and now in the oc-panes of Mrs. Stone. Persons wishing to mare requested to make early application to M Goodwin, or the Editors of the Register. November 20.

TRUST SALE.

the 24th of November ensuing, at the due house of Thomas Price, in the County of W the following property, to wit :- One b man named Poter, about 24 years of age. fracts of Land, lving on both sides of Neuver, in Johnston County, w cres-the other 460 acre

Bandy Swamp, in the same Tomor contain 95 acres. The 115 acres Friet, we but these bone Land, adjoins the Lunco of Tame Will and others the 460 acre Tract adjoins the L of Jacob Sterens and others; and the 95 Tract descended from John Williams decen his father, and will be found fully describe the division of the lands of the said decent of record in the Clerk's Other in Johns

County The sale to commence between the h 12 and 2, on the abovementioned day. BENJ. 8. EDNG, Tru-

Raleigh, Oat. SU.