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

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MISCELLANEOUS SELECTIONS.

MICHLIMACKINACK.

This Island is, in all probability, destined
to become one of the great depots of inter-
nal commerce.

Situated between two lakes, the like of
which do not exist in any other part of the
known world, and both of them communi-
cating, by extensive rivers, with countries
of extraordinary fertility; it does not ap-
pear unreasonable to suppose that it will
one day, not far off, be densely inhabited.
In that case, where now are seen rugged
rocks and tangled brush-wood alone, there
will be presented to the eye the cheering
prospect of a magnificent city, with its
long ranges of store houses and handsome
dwellings; and quays teeming with the
wealth and luxuries of American industry
and enterprise. It is impossible to form
any proper estimate of the time necessary
to accomplish all this. The wonderful ad-
vancement of intellect and increase of po-
pulation of the present age, to which no
other, before or since the Christian era, can
be compared, puts even speculation at de-
fiance; and it has lately been well proved
that nothing too strange, or apparently ab-
surd, can be imagined which may not be
suddenly brought to pass. Even the present
generation may live to hear with admira-
tion, of the great city of the lakes, to see
its merchants thronging the markets of the
Atlantic, and full of wonder, relate to their
children's children the unexampled pros-
perity of their beloved country. The in-
cidents in the ancient romances no longer
appear wild and improbable, and little did
the imaginative authors, when writing them,
suppose that they were describing scenes,
which would actually take place, ages af-
ter their own death.

That the great alteration which is now,
and has been of late years, progressing
throughout the world, affecting its political
and moral worth, and ameliorating the con-
dition of mankind in general, is to be at-
tributed to the particular intervention of
superhuman aid, none but sceptics will for
a moment doubt. That this power, of
whatever nature it may be, may continue
to exert its influence upon the hearts of my
countrymen, to promote all kinds of im-
provement, is the fervent wish of one, who
loves the name of America; and who would
willingly shed his last drop of blood for its
weal.

It was near midnight, that a light canoe,
made of the birch bark, glided silently o-
ver the waters that form a bay near this
island. It contained three persons, whose
movements, as they dipped their paddles
into the pure element, in which the reflec-
tion of innumerable stars were seen spark-
ling, seemed to partake of the lassitude
which reigns over nature at that hour.—
There was something luxurious in the un-
disturbed serenity of the night. The dark,
warm exhalations from the bay, and the
balmy south-west wind breathing over it,
not even exciting a ripple, combined to
lull the senses into a state of forgetfulness.
The voyagers appeared to enjoy the scene
of repose, and as they approached the
shore, a strain of melody arose, expressive
of the feelings which the beauty of the
night could alone call forth. Before them
lay the humble dwellings of a small settle-
ment, and above, perched upon the top of
a precipice, towered the battlements of the
national fortress. The moon, in its zenith,
poured over the whole a soft mellow
light, revealing to the eye large flocks of
different wild fowl, busily employed in
diving for food, or in seizing upon some
of the small fish, which in countless numbers
played about them. As the voyagers ar-
rived within sight, their song suddenly
ceased, and the canoe was sufficed to move
forward with its own impetus, whilst all
three, crouching down, were hidden from
view. Two of them, in a few moments
stripped, and began anointing their bodies
from head to foot, with the contents of a
large bladder, composed of oil extracted
from the bear and raccoon, the third hastily
unloosed two hanks of cods, to one end of
which were affixed heavy plumbets, and
proceeded to fasten the other to the side
of the bark.

Concealment and silence seemed the
great object, for immediately upon the com-
pletion of the various arrangements, one
betted himself softly in its stern, whilst
the two remaining, laying hold of the
plumbets, sunk fearlessly into the profound
depths below. The cord, as it rustled o-
ver the side of the vessel, at first assumed
a perpendicular direction, but after a short
time began to lengthen out towards the
flocks of fowl, which continued in vast
quantities, to occupy the same place, un-

suspicious of the danger that lurked near
them.

The object of the voyagers soon became
manifest. Two and three of the largest
birds began to disappear in the most abrupt
fashion, their untimely fate scarcely an-
nounced by a plaintive quack. It was al-
together admirable to watch the effect of
this necromancy among the great body of
these inhabitants of the air and water.—
Consternation was evident in their move-
ments, their sports were suspended, and
they huddled together, as if in council
what measures should be taken to put a
stop to this unheard-of method of diving.
There was a general uneasiness exhibited,
no one knew whose turn it would be next—
friends and kindred, children and par-
ents, alike were suddenly snatched away
in an awfully mysterious manner. Too
late was the treachery discovered, when
the cause of their hapless companions'
deaths, unable to remain without breath-
ing any longer, emerged in the midst of
the congregated flocks, and a rush of wings
like the noise of a whirlwind, as they dar-
kened the air with their flight, announced
their fright and astonishment.

The spoils taken in this novel kind of
warfare, were immediately secured by a
sloop-oose & drawn into the canoes, which,
having again received the dripping voya-
gers, continued to drift idly about at the
will of the wind and current. At this
time, every disposition on the part of the
voyagers tended towards the enjoyment of
sleep; blankets were unrolled, and the
lading consisting of deer's skins, and some
indifferent peltries, was adjusted in the
most convenient manner possible. It might
have been an hour after the three were bur-
ied in deep slumbers, that one of them was
aroused by a low angry growl that
came from a dog, which had hitherto re-
mained unnoticed among the numerous ar-
ticles; he was now sitting erect, in an at-
titude of defiance, upon the largest pile of
skins—his upper lip quivering with anger,
and his long white teeth, polished like iv-
ory, glistening in the light of the moon.—
The voyager immediately pulled him down
from his elevated station, and raising him-
self so as to obtain a satisfactory view of
every thing around, quickly descried a
dark object moving swiftly towards him.
As it drew near, he could distinguish the
head of an enormous bear, his snout raised
high above the water, snuffing the air as if
attracted by the smell of something particu-
larly agreeable. It was with no great
difficulty that he awoke his companions,
who coolly prepared for the unexpected
recontre.

At certain seasons of the year all animals
become more courageous than usual,
even to the deer; but at that season the
bear is particularly voracious. He swims
the lakes and rivers, and no obstacle but
death, will hinder him from accomplishing
his desires. It is then that it is most dan-
gerous to attack him, for urged on by the
fever which rages in his veins, he will not
be slow to resent any insult which may be
offered; and woe be to him upon whom he
gets a hold, for he never will be content
until he has torn him piecemeal in the most
cruel manner.

In the present instance, however, the
voyagers had every advantage; possessing
a light canoe, capable of great swiftness,
over which they had complete mastery, and
a coolness of purpose, a knowledge of the
nature, and watchfulness of the movements
of the animal, obtained only by long ex-
perience. Even as it was, they approached
with great caution; being sensible that a
blow from one of his paws, would shat-
ter the frail bark, in which all their riches
in this world were deposited. They had
fire arms truly, but they were also so
near the garrison, that for some reason
best known to themselves, they did not
dare to use them. As they drew near to
the bear, it was with difficulty, and not un-
til his feet were tied together, that the dog
was prevented from leaping overboard; so
great was his desire to attack the enemy.
Among the offensive implements the voya-
gers possessed were a number of Indian
bows, strung with tendons of deer, and a
bauch of long arrows headed with barbs of
copper, which, shot into the tender parts
of animals do good execution; sometimes
killing them on the spot, but more often
cutting some vein or artery asunder, leav-
ing them a space to run, until they drop
down from exhaustion, which gradual way
of dying many hunters prefer, saying that
the flesh is then more tender, juicy, and
fit for the nicest epicures to relish.

The first intimation the bear received of
an unfriendly feeling upon the part of the
voyagers, was one of the above mentioned
arrows fixed firmly in his ear, whereupon
he uttered a terrible roar, gushing his
teeth and raising himself in the air. This
was the favourable moment;—quick as
thought, before he could again settle in
the water, another shot, with great force,
pierced his throat, whilst the canoe darted
rapidly away. He was now excited to
prowess; uttering cries of rage, and fol-
lowing his tormentors, with every indica-
tion of satisfying his revenge upon them.
They having attained the necessary dis-
tance awaited his approach allowing him
to get within a few rods when he was ag-
ain saluted with three arrows in different
parts of his head. The wary animal dived

immediately. It was then that his ene-
mies proved their superior knowledge of
his artifices, for instead of awaiting his re-
appearance, the canoe was moved to the
spot at which he had disappeared. It had
scarcely arrived there, when he arose at
the same place he had left. The battle
was at end. At that moment an arrow
pierced his eye, entering the brain, and
after a few ineffectual struggles, he died,
like a hero, without a groan.

FRATERNAL AFFECTION.

In the reign of queen Anne, a soldier,
belonging to a marching regiment, which
was quartered in the city of Worcester,
was taken up for desertion—and being
tried by a court martial, was sentenced to
be shot. The colonel and lieutenant col-
onel being at the time in London, the com-
mand of the regiment descended in course
to the major, a most cruel and inhuman
man. The day on which the deserter was
to be executed being arrived, the regiment
as is usual on these occasions, was drawn
out to see the execution.

It is the custom on these occasions, for
the several corporals to cast lots for the
disagreeable office and when every one ex-
pected to see lots cast as usual, they were
surprised to find that the major had given
orders that the prisoner should die by the
hands of his own brother, who was only a
private man in the same company, and
who when the cruel order arrived, was
taking leave of his unhappy brother, and
with tears fast flowing that expressed the
anguish of his soul was hanging for the
first time about his neck.

On his knees did the poor fellow beg
that he might not have a hand in his bro-
ther's death;—and the poor prisoner for-
getting for a moment his petitions to hea-
ven, begged to die by any hands but those
of a brother. The unrelenting officer,
however, could by no means be prevailed
on to revoke his cruel sentence, though
entreated by every inferior officer in the
regiment—but on the contrary, he swore,
that he, and he only should be the execu-
tioner, if it were only for example's sake,
and to make justice appear more terrible.
When much time had been wasted in fruit-
less endeavours to soften the rigor of this
inhuman sentence, the prisoner prepared
to die, and the brother to be the execu-
tioner.

The major, strict to the maxims of cru-
elty, stands close to see that the piece is
well loaded, which being done he directs
that the third motion of his cane shall be
the signal to fire: accordingly at the third
motion, the major (instead of the pris-
oner,) received the bullet through his own
head, and fell lifeless to the ground.

The man had no sooner discharged his
piece, than throwing it on the ground, he
exclaimed—"He that gives no mercy, no
mercy let him receive. Now I submit; I
had rather die this hour for that man's
death, than live a hundred years and take
away the life of my brother." No person
seemed to be sorry for this unexpected
piece of justice on the inhuman major, and
the man being ordered into custody, many
gentlemen, present, who had been the wit-
nesses of the whole affair, joined to entreat
the officers to defer the execution of the
other brother till the queen's pleasure
should be known.

SINGULAR DETECTION.

The New Orleans Mercantile Advertis-
er contains the following particulars of
the detection of a thief, who had stolen
some silver coins from a Mr. Barremore,
one of which was marked L M:

On Monday, by the information of a la-
dy, that identical coin was found. The
person in whose possession it was found,
stated to have sold a handkerchief, which
she described, to a negro, whose name she
did not know, and in payment took this
coin. This was the first step to the dis-
covery. In the morning after the robbery,
Mr. Barremore was examining the chamber
from whence had been taken his property,
and found a piece of a nail, which appear-
ed to be that of the toe of a human being;
he delivered it to the Mayor. The Mayor,
as soon as he had obtained information
of the description of merchandise which
the person obtained for the coin, sent a
number of the guards to the market, with
instructions to notice if any slave should
have on such a handkerchief. No discov-
ery was made. The Mayor suspected the
thief was one Stewart, a slave of Mr. Brin-
ger, and had him arrested. He had on a
handkerchief of the description of that sold
for the coin. He denied the robbery; and
being ordered to take off his shoe & stock-
ing, did so, but the nails on that foot were
perfect—when, however, the other foot
was made bare, it was discovered that the
nail of the large toe had been broken, and
on putting the piece found by Mr. B. to
the part fractured, they were found to per-

tain to each other. On being duly ques-
tioned, the fellow confessed that he was the
thief, and told where the greater part of the
property might be found.

Boarding for Members.

THE MISSES PULLIAM respectfully inform
the Members of the approaching General
Assembly, that they will be prepared to accom-
modate 10 or 12 of them, with Board.
Raleigh, Oct. 13. 20 3r

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BY J. GALES & SON,
Specimens of American Poetry,
With Critical and Biographical Notices,
In 3 Vols.

BY SAMUEL KETTELL.
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erature, by calling into notice and preserving a
portion of what is valuable and characteristic in
the writings of our native Poets. Under the per-
suasion that the American public will look with
indulgence upon this effort to turn the attention
to the literature and talent of our own country,
the Author submits those volumes to their in-
spection. The undertaking is one which he
thinks they cannot but contemplate with inter-
est. With what degree of credit he has acquit-
ted himself of the charge, it remains for them to
determine."

State of North-Carolina.

Montgomery County.
TAKEN UP, on the 14th September, 1830,
by George M'Cane, living on Pedee River,
one mile below Kirk's Ferry, at the mouth of
Uharee, about three miles from Lawrenceville,
one **SORREL MARE,** judged to be five years
old, and about fifteen hands high, her right hind
foot white and a star in her forehead. Appraised
to \$42 50.
RICHARD STOKER, Ranger.
N. B. The Stray Mare came to Mr. M'Cane's
sometime in July last. 20 3r

State of North-Carolina.

Wake County.
Edmund Barker, Agent of Alex. Freeman,
vs.
Jesse B. Johns.
Original Attachment.
AN Attachment having issued in the above
case, which was levied on property in the
hands of B. A. Barham, Esq.—Notice is hereby
given, that all proceedings are stayed on said
Attachment for the space of 30 days, when if
said Jesse B. Johns do not appear and reply or
plead, judgment final will be entered against
him.
Given under my hand, &c. this 13th Sept.
1830. **WESTON R. GALES, J. P.**

NOTICE.

AT the last August Term of the Court of Pleas
and Quarter Sessions for the County of
Wayne, the subscriber qualified as Adminis-
trator on the Estate of Isaac Thompson, dec. late
of said County.
All persons indebted to said Estate are re-
quested to make payment immediately. And
those having claims against the estate are notifi-
ed to bring them forward legally authenticated
within the time prescribed by law, or this notice
will be plead in bar of their recovery.
BRYAN THOMPSON, Admr.
Wayne county, Oct. 6, 1830. 19 4w

THE SUBSCRIBER

OFFERS for Sale his HOUSE & LOTS in the
Town of Oxford, with the LAND adjoining
—about 200 acres—of which about 60 acres are
Woodland. The House is 52 by 40 feet, com-
modious, and well finished throughout, having
4 rooms with fire places on each floor, with a
wide passage on each—a garret distributed into
closets and two comfortable rooms; and a cellar
under the whole divided into several apartments.
It is situated in a most beautiful grove of Oaks;
attached to it is a large Falling Garden furnished
with fruits selected from the north, an Ice-House
constructed of rock—a stone Spring-House—a
Well of excellent water in the yard—an Office in
the yard suitable for a Lawyer, and every neces-
sary Out-house, all in good repair.
Also, a TANYARD now in operation, which
might give employment to 8 or 10 hands, having
10½ acres of land attached to it, and on the pre-
mises is a comfortable two story Dwelling, with
every convenience for a family residence. A
better constructed Yard is seldom seen any
where. This property will be disposed of on
reasonable and accommodating terms.
THO. B. LITTLEJOHN.
Oxford, Sept. 1. 50aw 1r

Alexander Campbell

HAVING received an extensive assortment
of Goods in his line, respectfully invites his
customers and the public generally, to call and
examine them. He has superfine and low
priced, Blue, Black, Brown, Olive and Mixed
Cloths, Velvet, Valencia, Florentine & Marselles
Vestings, which will be sold low, or made up
to order, in a superior style of workmanship, at
the shortest notice and on the most accommo-
dating terms. He has now on hand, and intends
to keep constantly, a large and fashionable
supply of
READY MADE CLOTHING,
Such as Gentlemen's Over, Frock and Dress
Coats, Pantalions and Vests, Stocks, Suspend-
ers, Cravats, Collars, and other articles usually
kept by Merchant Tailors.
Thankful for past favors, he solicits a contin-
uance of the patronage of the public.
Raleigh 28th Sept. 16-
N. B. Having received the latest Fashions,
and having in my employ first rate workmen, I
feel great confidence in my ability to give satis-
faction to those who may favor me with their
custom.
ALEXANDER CAMPBELL.

HAYWOOD'S REPORTS.

THE First Volume of this valuable Work be-
ing out of print, we are about to publish a
new edition of it, with References to subsequent
enactments of the Legislature, and decisions of
the Court of Conference and Supreme Court,
a Table of the Cases reported, marginal ab-
stracts, and a new Index, by Wm. H. Barziz,
Esq. of Franklin County.
The Work is at present in the Press, and will
be got out with all convenient despatch.
J. GALES & SON,
Raleigh, June 10, 1830.

20,000 SACKS LIVERPOOL FILLED SALT.

Warranted 10 to the Ton.
FOR SALE, by the quantity of single Sacks,
at \$2 1-8 per Sack, by
P. BURKIN.
Petersburg, October 1. 2m.

MRS. JOHN HAYWOOD

Is prepared to accommodate twenty-five or
thirty Members of the Legislature. She as-
sures all those who may honor her with their
patronage, that no exertions shall be spared to
make them comfortable. Mrs. H. has a number of
detached rooms, besides those in the main
building.
N. B. The favor of early applications is re-
quested.
Sept. 18, 1830.
Mrs. H. continues to receive Travellers
and Boarders by the Week, Month or Year.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE Wardens of the Poor for the County of
Wake, will attend at the Poor-Houses of
said County on the first Saturday in November
next, for the purpose of receiving Proposals for
furnishing the Paupers with food and raiment
for one year—to commence from the first day
of January next. There are between 30 and 40
paupers, well provided with houses and furni-
ture. There is also, a good house, plantation
and grist-mill, for the use of the contractor. A
sufficiency of cash will be paid in advance to
enable the contractor to lay in his provisions.—
Contractors are desired to state their terms by
the head. Bond and approved security will be
required for his faithful performance.
By order.
W. CLEMENTS, Clerk
of the Court of Wardens.
October 4, 1830. 18 3w

New York Consolidated Extra,

NO. 28.
To be drawn in New-York, 20th Oct. 1830.
\$20,000, 10,000, 5,000, 4,000, 3,000,
2,000, 10 of 1000, 500, 400, &c. &c.
Tickets \$5. Halves 2.50. Quarters 1.25.

Grand Consolidated Lottery,

To be drawn 26th October, in Newcastle, Del.
NO. 11.
1 prize of 20,000 is 20,000
1 " 10,000 " 10,000
100 " 1000 " 100,000
Besides \$500 300 200 100 &c.
Tickets \$10. Halves 5. Quarters 2.50.
Eighths 1.25.

Dismal Swamp Canal Lottery,

NO. 16.
To be drawn at Richmond, October 28th.
1 Grand capital of \$25,000 is 25,000
1 " 11,690 " 11,690
50 " 1000 " 50,000
Besides \$500 200 100, &c.
Tickets \$10. Halves 5. Quarters 2.50.
Eighths 1.25.
Tickets for sale in the above schemes—all un-
der the management of Yates & M'Intyre.
Address your orders to
YATES & M'INTYRE.

Fall & Winter Goods.

PATRIDGE & HARDEORD,

Merchant Tailors.
INFORM their friends and customers that they
have taken the stand formerly occupied by
Mr. Jas. LITTLEJOHN, and have lately received
the following articles in their line of business—
viz:
Super. Blue & Black Broadcloths,
do. Bottle Green, Brown, and Olive do.
do. Steel and Oxford Mix do. (very fine.)
Blue, Grey, and Light Grey Cassimeres,
Blue and Black, Velvet Vestings,
Valencia and Marselles do.
Stocks, stiffeners, Suspenders, Collars, Cra-
vats, & Handkerchiefs.
They have constantly on hand, an assortment of
READY MADE CLOTHING, viz:
Over, Frock and Dress Coats,
Pantalions and Vests,
Linen, Cotton, Flannel and Net Shirts,
Cotton, Flannel and Net Drawers.
All orders for Clothing, will be attended to
with punctuality and despatch, and the work
executed in a neat and fashionable manner.
They invite their customers to call and see
the old adage—"trying is the naked truth."
They receive semi-annually, the New-
York Fashions.
Raleigh, Oct. 4, 1830. 18 1aw 6w.

FOR SALE.

THAT well known and eligible Situation, in
the town of Warrenton, N. C. occupied
now, and for many years past, as a

Female Academy.

It is in a high, healthful, and wealthy section of
country. The buildings are large, commodious,
and in good repair, and well adapted to the pur-
poses for which they were designed; or they
might be converted into a desirable private re-
sidence for a large family. A more minute de-
scription is deemed superfluous, as it is pre-
sumed that none would purchase without viewing
the premises. The furniture belonging to the
Establishment will also be disposed of. Should
the property not be sold before the 1st day of
December next, it will on that day be offered at
public sale on the premises, when those desirous
of engaging in this line of business would do
well to attend, as it is seldom that such an op-
portunity as the present is afforded.
The Terms which shall be liberal, and such as
to accommodate purchasers, will be made known
on the day of sale.
Letters on the subject addressed to the sub-
scriber, postage paid, will be promptly attend-
ed to.
CAROLINE S. FLUNKETT.
Warrenton, 28th Sept. 1830. 17 1aw
The Columbia Tele scope and Richmond
Engraver will insert the above advertisement for
six weeks, and forward their accounts to this Of-
fice for collection.