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SELECTIONS FOR THE REGISTER.

CHINESE JUSTICE.

From the Malacca "Indo-Chinese Gleaner." "Chow, the You-she (or Censor) of Ho-nan, kneels to report, with profound respect in the hearing of his majesty, the following circumstances, and to pray for his sacred instructions.

The clear and explicit statements of punishments, is a means of instruction to the people; the infliction of punishments, is a case of unwarranted necessity.

Whenever they apprehend persons of suspicious appearances, or those charged with great crimes, such as murder or robbery, the Magistrates begin by endeavouring to seduce the prisoners to confess, and by forcing them to do so.

After repeated examinations, and undergoing various tortures, the charges brought against many persons are seen to be entirely unfounded.

As for example, in the case of the now degraded Tacu-tee, who tried Lew-te-woo; and of the Che-ehow, who tried Pih-ku-king. These mandarins inflicted the most cruel tortures, in a hundred different forms, and forced a confession.

The cruelties exercised by the local Magistrates, in examining by torture throughout every district of Chi-li, cannot be described and the various police runners, seeing the anxiety of their superiors to obtain notice and promotion, begin to lay plans to enrich themselves.

remnant of the rebels, and they are forthwith clandestinely seized, fettered, and most liberally ill-used and insulted.

I lay this statement with much respect before your Majesty, and pray that measures may be taken to prevent these evils.

Imperial reply.—It is recorded. I think you will agree with me, Mr. Editor that the above is a very lamentable state of society.

Criminals.—The death-warrants to be signed by his majesty, at the autumnal execution, amount this year to (985) nine hundred and thirty-five.

THE JEWESSES. Fontaine asked Chateaubrian "if he could assign a reason why the women of the Jewish race were so much handsomer than the men?"

GREAT IMPROVEMENTS.—STODART, WORRESTER & DUNHAM'S PATENT FORTRESS. E. P. NASH, sole Agent for Virginia and North Carolina.

A SHAKE OF THE HAND.—There is something more than mere civility in a cordial and hearty shake of the hand.

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

WASHINGTON HOTEL.—HAVING bought the Washington Hotel, I therefore hope that the community at large, will give me a liberal share of their public patronage.

NEW LAW BOOKS.—English Common Law Reports, Vols 28 and 29; Kent's Commentaries, 4th edition; Russell on Crimes, new edition with additions; Statute in Evidence, &c.

MORE NEW GOODS!

Late arrivals have placed in possession of the undersigned, an additional supply of STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS.

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DANIEL R. GOODLOE—Attorney at Law.—Has located at Louisa, N. C. and will attend the Courts of Franklin and Granville.

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VARNUM, EGERTON & CO. STAGANOR ST. PETERSBURG, VA. ARE now opening a more extensive, complete and desirable assortment of Fancy and Staple DRY GOODS than they have ever had.

Sugar and Molasses. 50 Hhds. PRIME N. O. SUGAR. 101 Hhds. 32 Barrels, Prime Retailing Molasses.

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REMOVAL.—Mas. M. A. PRENDERGAST, respectfully informs the Ladies of Raleigh, and the public generally, that she has removed her Straw Bonnet Establishment to the house on Newbern Street.

SPRING STOCK for 1841. Wholesale. I am now in possession of a large and well selected assortment of HATS of the various qualities, manufactured expressly for me.

A CARD. W & W. H. RICHARDSON, EXTENSIVE UMBRELLA MANUFACTURERS, No. 6, South Third Street, Philadelphia.

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HATS. HATS!—BY WHOLESALE.—The Subscribers would inform Merchants and others, that they have received their Spring supply of Fur, Leghorn and Palm Leaf HATS, of the latest and most approved styles.

LAW SCHOOL IN RALEIGH.—The undersigned propose to open a Law School in the City of Raleigh, on the first of June next, provided a sufficient number of Students (eight at least) can be obtained.

BRILLIANT SCHEME.

\$60,000.—\$30,000.—\$15,000. AND SIXTEEN DRAWINGS—MAKING MORE PRIZES THAN BLANKS.

UNION LOTTERY, Class No. 13, for 1841. To be drawn at Alexandria, D. C. on Saturday, April 17th, 1841.

D. S. GREGORY & CO. Managers. GRAND PRIZES. 1 prize \$60,000 1 30,000 1 15,000 1 10,000 1 8,000 1 7,000 1 6,000 1 5,000 1 4,000 1 2,500 1 2,311 1 2,000 4 prizes of 1,750 10 1,500 20 1,250 30 1,000 50 750 100 500 200 300 100 250 100 200 100 150 100 100 &c.

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THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, ONE HUNDRED PRIZES OF \$1000. VIRGINIA LEEBURN LOTTERY, Class F, for 1841. To be drawn at Alexandria, Va. on Saturday, the 24th of April, 1841.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The Subscriber, anxious of carrying into execution his long cherished intention of removing to the West, offers for sale that very valuable Establishment, in the City of Raleigh, known as the CITY HOTEL.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.—Craven County.—Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions. Fryman Term, A. D. 1841.

NEW SPRING GOODS.—PETERSBURG, March 29, 1841.—E. JAMES & Co. would respectfully inform their friends, customers and the public generally, that they are in the receipt of their full supply of RICH STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS.

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Watch and Clock Maker. Jeweller and Silversmith. Respectfully informs his old customers and friends, and the public generally, that he is prepared to repair all kinds of Watches, Clocks, Jewellery and Silver Ware.

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DALEIGH INSTITUTE.—The citizens of Raleigh and North Carolina generally, are respectfully informed that the Daleigh Institute, an English, Classical and Mathematical Preparatory Day School for Boys of every age, will be opened, (agreeably to the wishes of Friends and the absolute necessity of the occasion).

PER Session of 5 months, payable in advance, will be as follows: COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT. For the usual Branches of the English Course, including Composition, Letter Writing, &c. \$10 00.

INFANT SCHOOL.—The Infant School under the superintendence of Mrs. Farr, from Philadelphia, will be opened as early as the Spring as the weather will permit.

WOLF & DENSON, Editors of the Raleigh Register, and the public generally, that they are now in possession of their Spring supply of Hats, Caps, &c. and embracing every variety usually kept in similar establishments.

GENIE, fine cloth, velvet and glazed Caps, various styles, &c. &c. Also, an extensive assortment of Leghorn and Palm Leaf Hats, of every description. G. A. P. S. GENIE, fine cloth, velvet and glazed Caps, various styles, &c. &c. Also, an extensive assortment of Leghorn and Palm Leaf Hats, of every description. W. & D. Petersburg, March 23.