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SPECIMEN OF A POCKET DICTIONARY. For the use of those who wish to understand the meaning of things as well as words.

Habit—The covering worn by the body or mind: in the former case hiding Nature, and in the latter revealing her.

Happiness—The health of the mind, produced by its virtuous exercise. They who would attain it otherwise, may search for the Will-of-the-wisp.

Harmony of sentiment—A much better ingredient in married life than that species of harmony which springs from discord.

Head—A bulbous excrescence, used for hanging a hat on, taking snuff with, shaking or nodding, or as a target; which they who know its value offer to be shot at for a shilling a day.

Health—Another word for temperance and exercise.

Heart—The seat of feeling, and therefore supposed to be wanting in butchers and critics. According to a French author, those men pass the most comfortably through the world who have a good digestion and a bad heart.

Lark.—The matin chorister, that first sets the light of heaven to music.

Law.—That in which we are still as far behind some portions of Europe as we are ahead of them in cottons and cutlery, owing principally to the blind obstinacy of its professors, who have in all ages been last to abandon a legal abuse.

Learning.—Too often a knowledge of words, and ignorance of things; a mere act of memory which may be exercised without common sense.

Loan.—A means of robbing our successors for the purpose of destroying our contemporaries.

Logic.—Substituting sound for sense, and perverting reason by reasoning.

Longevity.—Adding a few years to the wrong end of life, and surviving one's self.

Lover.—One who in his desire to obtain possession of another has lost possession of himself.

Loyalty.—Sometimes a profession, sometimes a trade, sometimes art; generally, self love disguised.

MORE NEW GOODS! Lots arrivals have placed in possession of the undersigned, an additional supply of STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS, among which are elegant plain and figured Mouslin de Laine, Châli, Silles, Satins, French and English Prints, Muslins, Flannels, &c. &c.

He has also, to rent, on accommodating terms, an elegant STORE ROOM, and several comfortable upper Rooms in his New Brick Building.

SADDLE AND HARNESS MANUFACTORY.—The undersigned respectfully informs the Citizens of Raleigh and the adjacent Counties, that he has recently opened an Establishment on Fayetteville street, four doors North of the Post Office, where he intends to keep constantly on hand, as well as to make to order, the following articles, which he will dispose of to Cash or punctual Customers, on as good terms as can be purchased elsewhere.

GRANT IMPROVEMENTS.—STODART WORCESTER & DUNHAM'S FIRE-ARM FORGES. E. P. NASH, sole Agent for Virginia and North Carolina.

Valuable Land and Mill FOR SALE. The Subscriber having determined to remove to the South, offers his TRACT OF LAND, adjoining the town of Oxford, for sale, containing 375 acres.

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, has been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as relates to the GROCERY business.

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, and try me, and see if I do not use every method to render them comfortable and happy, while in my house.

NEW LAW BOOKS.—English Common Law Reports, Vols 35 and 36; Kent's Commentaries, 4th edition; Russell on Crimes, new edition with additions; Starkie on Evidence, &c.

LIST of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Raleigh, on the 31st of March, 1841.

Robert Miller, Jas A Murray, Wm B Manning, John Merrett, John Mainner, Wm F McKee, James Mester, Wm McCargo, Members of Mecklenburg County.

John O Neal, Jesse Olive, Robt T Praine, Wm T Praine, Mody Pasmore, John Potter, G Dwight Phelps, Susan Parish, John Parish, Thompson Parham, Miss Louisa G Parham, Henry Phillips, Jesse Pettiford, Mary B Pettigrew, Miss Lucy Polk, Wm Polk, Theophilus Pool, James Patison, E N Peterson, R T Pullen, Hanson Pope, A Powell, Wm Padgit, Miss E C Pinbers, Candia Partin, John B Pollock, James E Rice, Wm H Robinson, James Rhodes, Miss Frances Rogers, Wm Rogers, Johan Romant, John Roseman, William Roles, Sol or Jno Richardson, Mary Ann Roe, R B Smith, E A Smith, A B Smith, Millbury Smith, J W Simme & Co, Mr Siler, Matthew Shaw, R B Seawell, Littleton Seagraves, R H Simmons, Society of Printers, Secy's Mechanic's Association, Secy's Wake Forest Lodge, M Staley, Benj Swain, L S Sims, Theodorus Snobbs, Genl H G Spruill, Jno C Stedman, Miss M H Stephenson, J B Stone, Ann C Swain, D L Swain, Wm B Spruill, Joseph Scott, J H Saunders, Adam Saunders, Manassa Sater, Saml Scarborough, Jno L Scarrall, Clary Thomas, Isaac N Tillett, David Thompson, Mrs Ann Taylor, Jas Taylor, Joseph H Thomas, James Terry, Miss J Turner, Henry T Toole, Sol Thompson, A Utly, Nathan Upchurch, James V, Jno J Vaughan, A Vandergriff, Saml Wherry, Dr S M Wheaten, Joseph Weesman, Miss China Woodward, John Womble, Mrs Sarah Wosten, R M Whittenden, Mrs Mary Wilkins, Rev James E Welch, Wm Welsh, Martha Wien, Rev A W Wynne, Ann Williams, Dr Francis Williams, Wm M Williams, Calvin H Wiley, John W Ward, Norfleet Ward, Geo M Williamson, Jordan Wright, Mrs S H Waddell, F W White, Wm H Winston, Mr Walker, Col Leonard Ziegler.

State of North Carolina. By His Excellency, John M. Morehead, Governor, Captain General and Commander-in-Chief, in and over the State aforesaid.

WHEREAS, I have been duly informed by the Proclamation of His Excellency, WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, President of the United States, that the last Monday of May next, (being the 31st day thereof), has been fixed upon by him for the meeting of the first Session of the twenty-seventh Congress of the United States: an event which renders it expedient and necessary that the Electors for the Representatives from this State in the next Congress should be held at an earlier day than the usual time of holding said Elections: Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority in me vested, by an Act of the General Assembly of this State, entitled "An Act concerning the mode of choosing Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States," (Revised Statutes of N. C. Chapter 724,) and to the end, that the Freemen of this State may be duly represented in the next Congress, at its first session commencing as aforesaid, I do issue this my Proclamation, hereby commanding and requiring all Sheriffs and other Returning Officers of the several Counties composing each Congressional District, to cause Polls to be opened and kept, and Elections to be held, for Representatives to the next Congress of the United States, on Thursday, the thirteenth day of May next, at the places established by law in their respective Counties for holding said Elections: And I do further command and require said Sheriffs, and other Returning Officers, to meet for the purpose of comparing the Polls, at the times and places prescribed by law for that purpose. And I do, by this, my Proclamation, further "require the Freemen of this State, to meet in their respective Counties, at the time" aforesaid, and "at the places established by law, then and there to give their votes for Representatives," in the next Congress.

Done at the City of Raleigh, this the twenty-second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-fifth.

J. M. MOREHEAD, By the Governor: J. T. LITTLEJOHN, P. Secy.

MARYLAND CONSOLIDATED LOTTERY, Class No. 18, for 1841. To be drawn in Baltimore, Md. on Wednesday, 21st of April, 1841. Brilliant Scheme. \$25,000—\$15,000—\$10,000—\$5,000 \$4,000—\$3,000—\$2,528.

W. J. HANSAY, Watch and Clock Maker, 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, in superior style.

COPPER TIN AND BRASS MANUFACTORY.—The Subscriber having taken the house on Fayetteville Street, formerly occupied as the Cape Fear Bank, respectfully informs the public that he intends carrying on the Copper, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware Manufactory in all its various branches. He wishes also to inform the inhabitants of Raleigh and its vicinity, that he has, and is determined to sell his Ware as low as can be purchased in any Northern city, by wholesale or retail.

KIRKHAM'S Patent Chinese Kipper. The Subscriber also offers for sale at his Factory a few of these very superior Kippers, known as the best and most ready for clearing Blockades, known as the Patent Bugs, The Chinese Steamer is made up by himself, and is warranted never to burst, and at all times to clear Blockades perfectly, without the least damage to the finest carved work.

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

SUGAR AND MOLASSES. H.H.S. PRIME N. O. SUGAR. 50 101 Hides, 33 Tierces, 62 Barrels, Prime Retailing Molasses.

FRANKLIN SCHOOL.—(CLASSICAL AND ENGLISH.)—My School Room being now completed, I take the opportunity to make known the terms and conditions upon which I shall be happy to conduct my school.

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Towles & Callum, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to us, are requested to make payment immediately to James M. Towles, who alone is authorized to settle the business, and who will also attend to all the demands against the concern.

PHILANTHROPIC HALL. JAMES C. BAUER, Esq. has accepted the appointment of the Philanthropic Society, to deliver the Annual Address before the Alumni and Graduating Class of the University of North Carolina, on the day preceding Commencement, viz. the 2nd of August, next, having resigned his office as Secretary of the Society, and returned to his residence.

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