

**POET'S CORNER.**

**SONG**

Tune—"The Battle of the Kegs."

GOOD people listen to a word,  
I'm going to relate you  
What hap'd the son of George the Third,  
Of very recent date too.  
In Netherlands, hard by Dunkirk,  
The British army lay, Sir.  
Some men to fight, and some to work,  
And other some to play. Sir,  
Nest to the town, they took their stand,  
With a full resolution  
To bring the place, with sword in hand  
To death and desolation.  
A summons then the Duke sent in,  
Unto the French commander,  
Before the siege, he did begin  
The city to surrender.  
Soon as he heard the summons read,  
This answer he sent back fir,  
"This fills me not at all with dread,  
"I fear not your attack, Sir."  
With that, the haughty Briton threw  
Up batteries 'gainst the town, Sir,  
Expecting wondrous things to do;  
And knock the ramparts down, Sir.  
But to his sorrow, soon he found,  
The Frenchmen fear'd him not, Sir,  
They sallied forth and kept the ground  
And drove him from the spot, Sir.  
Of officers and men were slain,  
Of each a wondrous many,  
The Prince Adolphus, and his train  
Came off the worst of any.  
Artillery, and cannon shot,  
Small arms, and ammunition,  
Tents, baggage, and the devil knows what,  
With all the Duke's provision.  
All this the British lost that day  
Upon that bloody plain, Sir,  
Where Britons once have won the day.  
But ne'er can do it again, Sir,

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
NORTH-CAROLINA DISTRICT. }

WHEREAS William Hill, Esquire, attorney for the United States in and for the North Carolina district, this second day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety three, and in the year of American Independence the eighteenth, exhibited his libel before the honorable Joan Sitgreaves, Esquire, Judge of the district court of the United States for the district aforesaid, against one bag of coffee, containing one hundred and seventy four pounds weight, for having been found landed in the port of Swansborough, in the district aforesaid, contrary to the laws of the United States, in such case made and provided, and for not having been entered in the proper office, and the duties thereon paid, which said bag containing the coffee as aforesaid was by John McCullough surveyor of the port aforesaid, seized and secured, and the said Attorney praying in his said libel, that the Judge aforesaid should appoint a time and place for holding a court, when and where he should condemn the same and deem thereon according to law. These are therefore to notify all persons, whom the same may concern, that the said libel will be considered and decreed on, upon the second day of the next term, which will be held at Newbern, on the first Monday in January next, and all persons having claim to the said bag and coffee, contained therein, are hereby cited and admonished to appear, on the 7th day of January aforesaid, and shew cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the libellant may not be granted, and the articles condemned. Witness Abner Neale, Clerk of said court at Newbern this 20th day of November 1793.  
ABNER NEALE, Clerk.

THE subscriber will rent on reasonable terms his new wharf (in front-street) and two large commodious ware houses, which are calculated for the storage of West-India goods and country produce, with cellars that will hold 12 or 15 hundred barrels of naval stores—these ware-houses have also airy and commodious lofts that will contain near ten thousand bushels of grain: which wharf and ware-houses may be rented altogether or separately and possession given immediately—He has also a quantity of well made pork barrels, which he will sell cheap.

NATHAN SMITH.

November 23.

**TEN DOLLARS REWARD.**  
STOLEN from the subscriber's on Sunday the 10th inst. thirty pair of SHOES—and ten Castor HATS.—

The above reward will be paid for securing said goods and the thief, or proportionably for either.

They have opened a shoemaker's shop opposite the Church, where they carry on the said business in all its branches.

They have on hand ready made shoes of all kinds, boots &c. and also boot legs calf skins &c. of the best kind.

HUDSON & SMITH.

November 23.

Potatoes and Onions to be sold at the above shop.

**FOR HIRE.**

A YOUNG NEGRO WENCH, who understands all sorts of family work, Apply at this Office.

November 2.

**FOR SALE.**

At the PRINTING-OFFICE, at NEWBERN,

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Small collection of

**LAW BOOKS,**

AMONG WHICH ARE

- BURROWS' reports,
- Strange's do.
- Sir Thomas Raymond's do.
- Kirby's do.
- Modern do.
- Parker's do.
- Benbury's do.
- Wood on Conveyancing,
- Coke upon Littleton,
- Impey's practice,
- Sheridan's do.
- Richardson's do.
- Kidd on awards,
- Bolcoven on Conviction,
- Cooke's Bankrupt laws,
- Law Grammar,
- Saunders on uses and trusts,
- Mallory's entries,
- Lovelass on Wills.
- Law of Equity,
- Gilbert on Repleven,
- Law of Costs.
- Martin's Justice,

Collection of the Statutes.

A L S O,

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**BLANKS,**

For Clerks of Courts, Attornies, Sheriff's, Merchants and others, viz.

Writs, subpoenas, executions, witnesses and Jurymen's tickets, marriage licences and bonds, apprentice's indentures, guardian, administration, appeal and bail bonds, warrants, attachments, leases, deeds, *dedimus potestatem's*, declaration in ejection, trover, assault and battery, debt, covenant for delivery of specific articles, goods, sold on a *quantum valebant* or a fixed price, work and labour on a *quantum meruit* or a fixed price, *insimul compattassent*, trespass *quare clausum*, detinue, on promissory notes, do. with indorsements, &c. &c. &c.

A N D,

A few plans of the city of

**RALEIGH.**

**FORTY SHILLINGS REWARD.**

RAN away from the subscriber on the 24th ultimo, a negro boy called JACK, about eighteen years of age, five feet four inches high, a black complexion, formerly the property of David Hill; any person that will apprehend the said boy, and deliver him to me or lodge him in Newbern jail, shall receive the above reward.

JOHN SIMMONS.

December 7.

FOR sale, for Cash or Produce, three likely negro slaves, two girls and a boy.

RODRIGO LAIASTE.

**To be Sold.**

THE subscriber's HOUSE and Household furniture. He desires all persons indebted to him to discharge their respective accounts; as he means to leave the state in a short time.

PETER GERRO.

November 16.

THE subscriber informs the public that he continues to inspect country produce: and will, at all times, attend the commands of his friends, at any place within the limits of the town.

He is prepared with several sets of scales and weights; and has numbers of packers and coopers, always ready to attend him; he has also a quantity of barrels and half barrels, of the exact size, for sale.

His charges for coopering and packing pork or beef will be 6d. per barrel.

JAMES CARNEY.

November 16.

**FORTY DOLLARS REWARD.**

BROKE jail in Washington, on Friday, the 22nd inst. John Champlain, junior of New-London, Mariner, charged with running away with the subscriber's property, in the West-Indies.—

He is about five feet five inches high, red face, and black curled hair—he talks very fast and is very sprightly.—

The above reward will be paid on the delivery of said fellow to the jailer of Newbern district, by

STEPHEN FOWLER.

November 30.

NORTH-CAROLINA, }  
BEAUFORT COUNTY, }

To all Sheriffs and Constables within this state.

WHEREAS oath hath been made before me by Benjamin Blount, deputy sheriff and gaoler of the county aforesaid, that John Champlain who was confined in the gaol of the county aforesaid on a writ at the instance of Stephen Tinker, did on the night of the 20th inst. break the gaol aforesaid and made his escape.

These are therefore, in the name of the state, to command you and each of you in your respective counties to make search to seize and retake the said John Champlain and him having taken forthwith convey to the gaol of your county, there to be safely kept until discharged by due course of law.

Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of November 1793.

DAVID JONES.

MOSES BUSH,  
Saddler and Harness-maker.

INFORMS the public that he has lately opened a shop, next door to Mr. John Goulding's, nearly opposite the Church, where he intends carrying on his business, in its various branches, and on the most reasonable terms.

He will endeavour by good workmanship and low prices, to procure the continuance of the favours of any person who may choose to employ him.—

He makes fire buckets, and has a number of them ready for sale.

November 30.

STOLEN from the subscriber, on the night of the 28th of last month, a large fashionable SILVER WATCH made in Paris, the face is scaled a little just at the catch and has been repaired with white cement of some kind or other, and the figures marked with a pen and ink.

A reward of five dollars will be given to any person, who shall return her; and no questions asked.

THOMAS MARSHALL.

December 7.

FOR Sale at the Printing-Office; a calculation exhibiting in Mills, Cents, and Dollars, the value of Gold (as established by Congress,) from one Grain to a Pound.

August 31.

NEWBERN,

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