The Wilmington Journal, under the editorial management of James Fulton, formerly of the Jeffersonian, has come to hand. The editor makes his *debut* in his usual neat and pleasing style. We wish him success in his undertaking as doubtless do his many friends around here.

☞ Our Female Academy, under the auspices of Mr. Lindsly, and the Misses St. John, was opened on Tuesday last. We would call the attention of parents and guardians to the advertisement of the Trustees in this day's paper.

☞ We find many appointments by the new Administration in the papers of the day, but shall only publish such as may be of a local nature.

Green W. Caldwell.—It will be seen by our paper to day, that this gentleman is a candidate for Congress from this District, "on his own hook" as the saying is. From the situation of the District, *at present*, we know of no one more likely to ensure the success of the Democracy, and would suggest to the party to dispense with any Convention this year, but unite on him. These Conventions have, of late, become unpopular, and tending to give excuses to those unprincipled demagogues whose *claims* none would have thought worthy of consideration; it certainly looks reasonable that parties should unite on one man or set of men to bear their standard, but when there is a *chance*, there always are some men who belong to no party, and thus distract both, carrying the public favor by their self styled *Independence*. The whigs will doubtless unite on one of the gentlemen spoken of—they have a majority in the District, and are too sensible to allow a division in their ranks. We think Mr. Steele, of Rockingham, their most unobjectionable, but Gen. Dockery their most prominent candidate. His "firmness of purpose" can't be *ruled off the track*.

I. O. O. F.

Tryon Lodge, No. 23, was opened in Rutherfordton, on Wednesday, 4th inst., by D. D. G. M. Alex. Bethune. The following gentlemen were elected officers: Wm. Shipp, N G; Allen Hamby, V G; T. A. Hayden, Sec'ry.; and J. V. Jay, Treasurer.

Last week, Iocassee Lodge, No. 18, was opened at Anderson, S. C., by P. G.'s Swandall and Bowman, of Greenville. They elected the following officers: J. W. Harrison, N G; A. O. Norris, V G; T. S. Crayton, Sec'ry.; E. T. VanBorstell, Treasurer. There were ten initiated the first night.

As regards Mountain Lodge, of this place, we understand there are quite a number of propositions before it, and are pleased to notice the prosperity of the Order in general.

☞ One of our first subscribers, in a fit of abstraction, we hope, has discontinued our paper because we have *published* what he justly calls some of the "diabolical acts of the last Legislature." We had condemned these acts, or many of them, whenever opportunity afforded; and this is our reward. We have the satisfaction, still, to know that we have done what principle dictated, in laying before the people the acts of their representatives, believing that they were responsible, and not *us*.

☞ The Superior Court of Catawba, his Honor Judge Ellis to preside, will be opened on Monday next. The following week will be Lincoln, and the next for Gaston county. We shall attend them all.

☞ We notice the name of Quincy A. Shuford, of Catawba, among the list of Graduates of the Jefferson Medical College, of Philadelphia.

☞ Ex-Governor Graham will deliver the annual Oration before the two Literary Societies of the North Carolina University, at the approaching Commencement.

☞ Col. William Gott has been appointed Postmaster at Greensborough, in this State, in place of Wilson S. Hill, Esq. resigned.

The Annexation Question in Canada.—Many of the Canada press are discussing the question of annexation to the United States, and they succeed in making out its advantages quite as well as they ever once did in showing the opposite side of the question. These discussions are curious, and not a little interesting to the people on this side of the St. Lawrence, who may one day be called upon to add another State to the Union north of New York and the East. In the Kingston Chronicle, a writer says that three alternatives are presented to the people of the provinces.

The first is a return to the pre-existing system, with the exception that the principle of responsible government should be continued.

The second is severance of the connection with England, and annexation to the United States.

The third, a Federal Union of all the British North America Provinces, under the dominion of our beloved Sovereign.

The third proposition is the one that most meets the approval of the writer, and he says in answer to the objection, that under a Federal Union they would become independent, that the destiny of the Colonies is inevitably to become independent, but a Federal Union will not unduly hasten that event. With regard to annexation, the Colonist of the 6th instant makes the following announcement:

"Now as the North American Colonies are at present situated, they are on the eve of making new commercial connections, which must necessarily be followed by new political connections also. We have no longer, it may be said, any interest in continuing a connection, which, in time of peace, offers no perceptible advantage, and in the event of war would exposes us as cruelly to the belligerent operations of our neighbors. Circumstances now betoken that it will not be long before commercial preference on the one hand, and colonial and imperial differences on the other, will carry into effect what has been so solemnly predicted."

The Montreal Patriot speaks of a leaning of the Anglo-Saxons at Toronto towards annexation with their brethren of the United States, and the witness says it would do away with frontier Custom Houses, introduce American capital, raise the value of fixed property, make the St. Lawrence the great highway of Western produce, &c.

British Empire in the East.—The British Sovereignty in India, the growth of the last hundred years, comprehends "a territory of more than five times the size of France, more than ten times the size of the British Islands; governing more then one hundred and fifty millions of subjects, and influencing one hundred and fifty millions more." The cotton imported from India is now one hundred millions of pounds, the sugar eighty thousand tons, silk two millions of pounds; the value of the raw and manufactured articles from silk is estimated at eight millions of dollars. India exports thirteen thousand tons of coffee, within one thousand of the entire consumption of Great Britain. The quantity of wool exported is six millions of pounds. Great Britain receives from India eight or nine millions pounds weight of pepper, besides vast quantities of opium, tobacco, indigo, saltpetre, hides, ginger, nutmegs, cinnamon, cloves, rhubarb, and various medicines and mineral salts. The cultivation of tea in India, has been attended with success, though it is yet in its infancy. The rice and wheat of India are both inferior to that of most other countries. British India covers a surface of one million square miles, being as large as that portion of the United States lying East of the Mississippi.

MARRIED,

In Lincoln county, on the 5th instant, by the *Rev.* J. R. Peterson, Mr. William F. Collier, of Ohio, to Miss Barbara E. daughter of David B. Hedick.

Our thanks for the pretty fee, and our best wishes for their happiness. May their love still continue

"——When the summer's rosy smiles
Enhue the cheek no more,
And bright beacon stars are veiled in clouds,
And dreams of youth are o'er."

In Gaston county, on the 15th ultimo, by W. W. M'Ginnas, Esquire. Mr. Alfred Dellinger to Miss Barbara, daughter of Thos Black, all of said county.

NOTICE.

There will be a grand Battle-Royal near Capt. Slade's Mill, on Easter Monday, next. Entrance 50 cents for each Cock. Those fond of sporting are collectively requested to attend at 9 o'clock. The Pit will be opened at 12 o'clock. "ONE OF 'EM."

April 7 4-tf

NOTICE.

DR. ALEXANDER RAMSOUR,

Having located himself one mile and a half west of Lincolnton, on the Rutherford road; on the place formerly occupied by Lawson Henderson, dec'd. offers his professional services to the citizens of this and the adjoining counties.

Nov 8, 1848. 37-tf

A LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Lincolnton, N. C., on the first day of April, 1849.

A.—Jacob Aderholdt, Jr., Henry Abrahams, Messrs W Abernathy & Son.

B.—John Bird, John Bradshaw, Boston Bess 2, David Beam, Henry L Bangle, David R Benick, Marcus Boyd.

C.—Clerk of the Superior Court, John Carpenter, James Cody, Christopher Carpenter, Rachel Cline, Philip P Carpenter, Henry Carpenter.

D.—Allen Delane, Eli Drum.

E.—Dr James Elliott.

F—Alfred Finger.

G.—Thomas Graham.

H.—James F Harrelson, Mary Ann Henry, Ambrose Halman, Dan. Haynes, David Hoyle, Sarah A C Hoyle, George Hovis, David Hoover, John Hoyle, Hoyle & Craige, Daniel Hallman, Jacob Hallman, Luther Howard 2.

J.—Bennet Johnston.

K.—Eliga Kerr, Jacob Kiser.

L.—Jacob Lantz, Joseph Lusk, Logan H Lorance 3, George Lowe, John Lefeavres.

M.—V A McBee, David Mosteller, Jonas Mosteller, Elizabeth Mauney, W W McGinnas or J Runnels, A A McClain, Richard Martin, S Morris.

P.—Lawson Petre.

R.—Wiley Rudisil, F M Reinhardt, Edward B[illegible]

S.—David Shell, Peter Seabock, Abraham Stowe, H C Saunders, Mathew Stroup.

T.—Jacob Trit, Ann Tarr or John Tarr, Adam Towery.

U.—Samuel S Upright.

W.—Thomas Webb, Elizabeth Ward, Nathaniel Wilson, Henry Wright, Mary Walker, Johana Wilson, Alexander H Wilson, Mary Ann Wilson 2.

C. C. HENDERSON, P. M.

April 7 4-2t

Lincoln Hat Manufactory!

The subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Lincoln, the travelling community, and all his old customers, that he has recommenced business at the old stand, on the south front on court house square, and is now engaged in manufacturing FUR HATS, on a new plan, from the FINEST to the CHEAPEST—and he will warrant them as LIGHT, as durable, and as well made, as any brought to the market. He solicits a share of public patronage. JOHN BUTTS.

march 31 3-5t

CONTRACTS

Will be received by the undersigned, between this and next Lincoln court, for Oak Plank, 2½ inches thick, for the purpose of repairing the public Bridge, leading from Lincolnton, west, known as Hoke's bridge. The length can be ascertained by application to the subscriber, near the bridge.

PETER HOKE.

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NOTICE.

The Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the Grocery business, was dissolved on the 2d instant by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the concern are required to come forward and make settlement with G. Presnell, immediately, as the affairs of the firm must be closed.

G. PRESNELL,
W. R. EDWARDS.

Lincolnton, Nov 8. 37-tf

Lincolnton Cupola

FURNACE.

The subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of old Lincoln, and the surrounding country, that they have started their establishment in full operation this day, the 5th of March and are now prepared to fill all orders for Iron or Composition CASTINGS, in the latest and most improved manner. They warrant them to prove as smooth and true as can be executed by any other establishment in the State, and flatter themselves, from personal experience and attention, they will deserve a share of public favor.

☞ *Their establishment is at the east end of town, on the Main street*, where they will make to order, and keep supplied with every description of STOVES, for the parlor or kitchen.

All orders entrusted to them will be punctually filled, and their prices shall always be moderate.

W. R. & E. S. EDWARDS.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
GASTON COUNTY.

Court of Pleas & Qr Sessions, Feb'y Term, 1849.

Wm. E. Rose, vs. Wm. Driscoll. } Attachment.

The Defendant in this case is hereby notified to come forward, plead, or replevy, or Judgment will be rendered against him. Witness,

J. H. ROBERTS, Clerk.

march 17 1-6t

Printer's fee, $5.

FINAL NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS are now positively notifed that all debts due the late firm of PRESNELL & EDWARDS, must be settled at once, by cash or note, or they will be handed to an officer for collection. If payment is not soon made the subscriber, or in part, on the notes and accounts due himself, individually, the same will be sued or traded, as he is in need of money, and must have it. This is no common advertisement, as those who do not comply with its requirements will certainly find out.

GILBERT PRESNELL.

April 7 4-2t

LINCOLNTON FEMALE

ACADEMY.

J. C. LINDSLY, A. M. Principal

MISS JULIA L. ST. JOHN, } *Assistants.*
MISS MARIA J ST. JOHN, }

To Parents and Guardians, and the community at large, the Trustees take great pleasure in announcing that they have secured the invaluable services of the Rev. J. C Lindsly, as Principal, and of his neices, the Misses St. John, as Assistants; and that they may feel assured, that this Institution, under their charge, can safely be ranked with the very best in the country, & as such, merit the confidence and support of all those truly desiring for their wards and children, the lasting benefits of a sound, thorough and liberal education. From Greensboro', where they have been engaged in teaching, the most satisfactory testimonials are produced as to their competency and efficiency. Mr Lindsly has devoted his whole life to the business, and made teaching his profession, and has been exercising it for near twenty years in the Institute, and Academies of Greensboro. The Misses St John, have latterly been engaged as Instructresses in the Edgeworth School of Gov. Morehead, and fulfilled their duties to his entire satisfaction.

The Trustees refer the public to the citizens of Greensboro, as to the standing and qualifications of the Teachers now taking charge of this Academy.

The School will be opened on the 2d day of April next.

Board can be had with respectable families in the town, and it is probable that Mr Lindsly will be able to take into his family a few pupils as boarders, at $7 per month, exclusive of candles.

The rates of Tuition are as follows:

TERMS, *per session of five Months:*

BOARD—including washing, lodging, lights, &c. payable one half in advance, $40 00
TUITION—Spelling, Reading, Writing, and the Rudiments of Geography and Arithmetic, 5 00
Reading, Writing, English Grammar, Geography and Arithmetic, 7 00
Analysing, Correcting and Composing, Rhetoric, History, Elements of Natural Philosophy, of Botany, of Ornithology, of Mammalogy, of Entomology and Conchology, 10 00
Mathematics, Natural, Moral and Mental Philosophy, Logic, Political Economy, Astronomy, Chemistry, Mineralogy, Elements of Anatomy, Physiology and Geology, 12 50
Latin, Greek and French Languages, 15 00
Fuel and other contingencies, 75
EXTRA—Music on Piano Forte and use of instruments, 20 00
Guitar, 15 00
Drawing and Painting in Water colors, 6 00
Painting in Oil colors, 12 00
Wax Flowers and Fruit, each, 5 00
Ornamental Needle-Work, 2 00

Feb. 24, 1849. 50-2y

New Establishment.

Encourage Home Industry!

JAMES CORNWALL,

Having taken the Carriage shop formerly occupied by Isaac Ervin, on the main street, near the west end of town, is now prepared to make and repair

Carriages, Buggies, Carryalls, Sulkys, Wheelbarrows,

And in fact every thing that may be required to run on the old rough fashioned roads, or the plank ones in contemplation. He has done much work in this place, which he flatters himself will recommend him; to those who have patronised him heretofore he returns thanks, and solicits a continuance.

☞ *Country Produce* will be received in pay, as he is surrounded by good appetites; but as "money makes the mare go," that article will be preferred.

All he asks is a fair back; he loves work, can't live without it—therefore he will work at such prices as he can *live* at, and when he *dies*, let his works praise him, though it would prove rather late so far as his present interests are concerned. His materials are of the best quality, and all work will be seen to by himself, while he will endeavor by punctuality to merit patronage.

☞ Trimming and Painting neatly executed. march 3

Wrapping Paper for sale

NEW FIRM!

THE undersigned, having formed a copartnership in the Mercantile business, in Lincolnton, under the firm of

Slade, Kistler & Co.

And purchased the stock in trade of Rufus Reid, will be happy to receive a share of public attention at the old stand (Reinhardt's corner) south-east of the court square. They will shortly receive a large stock of Goods, which with their present stock, will be as varied as any other establishment in town: Their goods will be bought for cash and sold low. Country produce taken in exchange for goods, at the market price.

THOMAS T. SLADE,
PETER S. KISTLER,
R. R. TEMPLETON.

March 31 3-tf

VALUABLE

NEGROES

TO BE SOLD:

We will offer for sale, at the court house, in Lincolnton, on Tuesday of the coming April court, the following valuable Negroes, *Jinny, Lydia and two children, Mary, George and Ned.*

These Negroes are to be sold in order to make a division among the heirs.

Terms made known on day of sale.

THOS. R. SHUFORD,
JOSEPH SHUFORD.

march 31 3-ts

A FIVE MILLION LOTTERY!

COLVIN & CO.

LOTTERY AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,
Baltimore, Md.
The oldest established office in the U.S.
D. PAINE & Co. Managers.

Great Mammoth Lottery!

Grand Capital Prize $100,000!

2 splendid prizes of $50,000 each, amounting to $100,000.
4 splendid prizes of $25,000 each, amounting to $100,000.
8 prizes of $12,500, amounting to $100,000.
20 prizes of $5,000, amounting to $100,000.

WE respectfully request the attention of the public to the annexed magnificent scheme, which we offer, believing it to be the best arranged and most magnificent Lottery ever drawn:

75 Number Lottery, 15 Drawn Ballots.

Each package of 25 tickets will have 15 drawn numbers.

A package of 25 tickets can draw $250,000.

The lowest three number prize, is $1,580.

The 1st and 2d drawn numbers entitled to $1,000.

This scheme has been examined and approved by the State Lottery Commissioners, and will be drawn in Baltimore city, April 28th, 1849:

BRILLIANT SCHEME.

1 prize of $100,000		is	$100,000
1 " 50,000		are	100,000
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20 " 5,000		are	100,000
40 " 4,000		are	100,000
40 " 3,000		are	120,000
40 " 2,000		are	80,000
300	lowest 3 drawn numbers	1,580	474,000
60	1st and 2d No's.	1,000	60,000
60	3d and 4th,	750	45,000
120	5th&6th 7th&8th	500	60,000
120	9&10th 11, 12th	400	48,000
120	12, 13th 14, 15th	300	36,000
5,820	any 2 dr no's.	200	1,164,000
26,550	any 1 dr'n no.	100	2,655,000
33,305	prizes, amounting to the sum of		$5,302,000

Whole Tickets, $100; Halves, $50; Quarters $25; Eighths, $12,50.

A package of 25 whole will cost, $2,500
And must at the least draw 1,500

The risk therefore on a package is $1,000

We will sell a certificate of package,
25 whole, $1,000
Do. do. do. 25 halves, $500
Do. do. do. 25 quarters, $250
Do. do. do. 25 eighths, $125

In this magnificent Lottery there are but 2,701 packages, and as there are 455 three number prizes in the scheme, there are but six chances to one of a package drawing a Capital Prize, and a package may draw $250,000.

☞ All orders for tickets, shares, or packages, will meet with the most prompt attention, and all communications are strictly confidential. Address

COLVIN & CO.

N. W corner of Baltimore & Calvert-sts.
Baltimore, Md.

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