

A WAR POEM.

On the late Mr. Blyth, Midshipman on board the Mars

HARK! how the church bell's thundering harmony
Stuns the glad year. Tidings of joy have come,
Good tidings of great joy. Two gallant ships
Met on the element—they met—they fought
A desperate fight. Good tidings of great joy!
They fought a desperate fight! The English guns
Flough'd up the hostile deck; they shattered her;
Old England triumph'd. Yet another day
Of glory for the ruler of the waves;
For those who fell! 'twas in their country's cause
They have their passing paragraphs of praise,
And are forgotten.

There was one who died
In that day's glory, whose obituary name
No proud historian page will chronicle,
Peace to his honest soul! I read his name,
'Twas in the list of slaughter, and blest God
The sound was not familiar in mine ear:
But it was told me of her, that this man
Was one whom lawful violence had forced
From his *his own home, his wife and little ones,*
Who by his labour lived; that he was one
Whose unconquered heart could keenly feel
A husband's love, a father's anxiousness;
That, from the wages of his toil, he fed
The distant dear ones, and would talk of them
At midnight, when he trod the silent deck
With him he valued, talked of them, of joys
That he had known! oh God! and of the hour
When they should meet again, till his full heart,
His manly heart, at last would overflow,
Ev'n like a child's, with very tenderness.

Peace to his honest spirit! Suddenly
It came, and merciful the ball of death,
For it came suddenly, and shattered him,
And left no moments agonizing thought
On those he loved so well.

He, ocean deep,
Now lies at rest. Be thou her comforter
Who art the widow's friend. Man does not know
What a cold sickness made her blood run back
When first she heard the tidings of the fight.
Man does not know with what a *dreary hope*
She listened to the names of those who died.
Man does not know, or knowing will not lead,
With what an agony of tenderness
She gazed upon her children, and beheld
His image who was gone. Oh God! be thou
Her comforter who art the widow's friend.

HORRID MURDER!

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Fayetteville, (S. C.) to the Editor of the Charleston Courier.

"On Monday, the 29th ultimo, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Mr. Thomas Maples was shot, near his dwelling house, on the High Hills of Santee, by his oldest son, Richard Maples, about 23 years of age, who had secreted himself in the gin-house, for that express purpose. This atrocious youth, in whom every principle of humanity seems to be extinct, had loaded his rifle with three large buck shot; saw his father coming from his dwelling house, and waited in his concealment, till he had got fourteen paces past the gin-house, then deliberately took aim, through a crevice between the logs of the house, (horrible to relate!) at his father! The shot penetrated his back, and came out through his breast.

"A jury of inquest was summoned early on the day following. The murderer confessed his crime, and made some trivial excuses for his conduct. He was committed to Camden gaol, together with his mother and brother, who were charged as accessories to the murder.

"Mr. Maples was one of the oldest settlers in his neighbourhood, and had always supported the character of an honest, industrious, and good man.

A CAPITAL TRICK.—At an election in March last, two persons in the county of Chester, N. H. were rival candidates for the office of councillor, the one named Parker, a democrat, the other named Hale, a federalist. On the votes being returned to their general court, it was found that the federalist had a majority, but it being of considerable importance to the party, that the democratic councillor should have the seat, and the house being democratic, it was determined that the cause of liberty and equality should not suffer through the blindness and obtuseness of any federal election whatever. They therefore seized on the returns of the town clerk of Westmoreland which gave Mr. Hale 137 votes, and inserted upon it that the final letter was made to tall that it might very well pass for an / and at last they actually voted that an / it should be, thus turning Hale into Hall.—In vain did the town clerk, Caleb Aldrich swear "that the returns sent by him were meant for Hale and not Hall, agreeable to record." In vain did Joseph Burt testify that he was the moderator of the meeting, and "that on counting the votes there were for Moses Hale 137." In vain was it said that no such man as Moses Hall was even a candidate; this righteous stratagem was not to be baffled so, and the "Republican Legislature" determined that Mr. Hale had not a single vote in Westmoreland, which left their favourite a majority, and he was sworn and took his seat accordingly. Now, *magnis componere parvis*, as Virgil says, to compare little things with great, I think this almost equal our canvassers burning the Osego votes to secure the election of Governor Clinton.

N. Y. Herald.

HAYWOOD'S JUSTICE
For sale at this Office.

FOR SALE,

A House and Lot at the University, situated on a high and pleasant part of the village. In the House is one room below and two above stairs. The lot contains two acres, and has on it a Kitchen, Smoke house, Store-house and Stable, all new; is well shaded with trees and has a Cellar prepared for enlarging the Dwelling house. For further information enquire of the printer, or to the subscriber.

JOSEPH CALDWELL,
University, July 29, 1805. [copy if]

Wake Cavalry.

THE Wake Troop of Cavalry are notified to meet at their usual place of parade in Raleigh, on Saturday the 27th instant, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Those who are desirous of becoming members of the troop are invited to meet at the above mentioned time and place. Aug. 8, 1805.

Pocket Book.

WAS taken out of my pocket on Friday evening, at the Court House, about the close of the election, a Black Pocket Book, containing among other papers three notes of hand, viz: one on Berry Rogers for £9 18 10—one on William Nutt for £5 and one on Wm. C. Guthrie for £5. There were some other notes and accounts not recollected. I will give 5 dollars for the Pocket Book and papers—I forwarn all persons from trading for any notes taken in my name.

Wm. HARTSFIELD,
Nine miles North of Raleigh. 3w

RAN-AWAY

FROM the subscriber on the 22d instant, a Negro Man named JACOB:—he is about 24 or 25 years old, black skin, and very stout made. As he was purchased from Col. Wm. Polk, living in Raleigh, it is probable he is lurking about that place. Whoever will apprehend said negro and secure him in any jail, shall be generously rewarded, by

BENJAMIN LONG,
Rockingham, Richmond }
County, July 28, 1805. }

Mill Saw.

I have for sale a Mill Saw and Irons complete, for which I will take a low price in cash or on a short credit to a particular man.

FREDERICK EZEL,
Wake County, near Rogers' }
Cross Roads. Aug. 9, 1805. }

The Heir at Law!

THE "Heir at Law" will be performed by the members of the Raleigh Thespian Society, for the Benefit of the Academy, on Tuesday in Court week.

Several volumes of Plays & Farces belonging to the Thespian Society, are in the hands of Individuals—who are requested to return them immediately to

J. M'GILL, Librarian.

NOTICE.

WILL be sold at the Court House in Martinville on Tuesday the 17th of September next the following Tracts of Land situate in the County of Guilford or so much thereof as will satisfy the Public and County taxes for the years therein mentioned, and the charges of advertisements, &c. viz.

100 Acres, Supposed to be the lands of James Hopkins for	1803 & 1804
550 do the lands of M. Clifton's Heirs for	1803 & 1804
300 do supposed to be the lands of J. In Winst w, Esq. for	1804
165 do lands of Philip Amick, for	1803
220 do do of Thomas Plunket, for	1803
200 do do Samuel M'Nasters, for	1803
260 do do Ma y Barnes, for	1803
150 do do Tarlton Botan, for	1803
17 do do James Saunders, for	1803 & 1804
150 do do David Simpson (Bar-River)	1804
300 do do David Quate, (Allernance)	1804
50 do do John Bon on (Buffalow) for	1804
160 do do Jesse Green, for	1804
74 do do Jeremiah Kinnersly, for	1804
73 do do James Barnes, for	1804
582 do do Nathan Hines, for	1803
200 do do David Night, for	1803
192 do do William Job (Allernance)	1804
181 do do Jesse Green, for	1804

ABNER WEATHERLY, S^r.

RAN-AWAY

From the Subscriber, living in Franklin county, about the first of May,
A negro man named Tony,
About 25 years old, about 5 feet 9 inches high, dark complexioned. He was raised by Mr. Spivy near Windsor, where he is expected to be now lurking, or in the neighborhood of Mr. Boyce, of Granville, where he has a wife. A reward in twenty dollars will be given for the fellow, delivered to me or secured in jail that I get him again.

D. W. DAVIS.
July 22.

NOTICE.

I INTEND to remove this fall, with COEUR DE LION, to Tennessee. Those who have claims against me will make them known; and those who owe me will pay, I hope, in whole or part, by the 30th of September; and those who are indebted by open account, if unable to pay, will I trust, send in their notes. After the expiration of the season, Coeur de Lion will be let to mares until the date above, at 20 dollars insurance, payable at March Court, 1806. There will be no prospect of his return to this State.

July 4. ELISHA WILLIAMS.

Valuable Property.

AGREEABLY to the last Will and Testament of Peter Mallett, Esq. deceased, late of Fayetteville, the Subscribers offer for sale, on a liberal credit, the following property lying in different parts of North Carolina.

Cumberland County & Town of Fayetteville.

A Tract of Land adjoining lands of Mrs. Smith and Isaac Williams, Esq. near Averasborough on the South-west side of Cape Fear river, about 20 miles from Fayetteville.

A Tract of Land containing about 320 Acres, known by the name of Council Hall Tract, adjoining the Town of Fayetteville; from the fertility of the soil and its vicinity to the Town this land is considered very valuable and will be laid off in lots to suit the purchasers.

A Lot and House on the west side of Gellespie Street in Fayetteville, where the deceased formerly resided; the buildings are in good repair and the whole well calculated to accommodate a genteel family. Three unimproved Lots on the west side of Gellespie Street, between Franklin and Mumford Streets adjoining the Lot on which the dwelling house stands.

10 or 15 unimproved Lots on the west side of Gellespie Street, between Mumford Street and Mallett's Mill.

A large Warehouse at present occupied by Messrs. Nesbit & Campbell, on Gellespie Street near the Town-house, subject to a small ground rent.

A Lot and Dwelling House on the east side of Green Street near the Court House, now occupied by William H. Williams, Esq.

A Lot and Dwelling House on the east side of Green Street in possession of Mrs. Enmet and subject to her life rent.

Two lots at lower Fayetteville on which there is a Tobacco inspection under the direction of M. Fra Davis & M'Donald together with a large three story Warehouse, three small Warehouses and three extensive sheds with every necessary accommodation for the inspection and storage of Tobacco. If the purchaser should incline, one of the Lots on which stands a large shed will be sold separate or divided into two Lots.

Orange County & Town of Hillsborough.

300 Acres of Land in the Haw-fields adjoining lands of General Mebane.

A Grift Mill on Eno River and in the Town of Hillsborough, the Mill runs two pair of stones, with the necessary machinery of a Merchant Mill, the whole in tolerable repair; from the natural advantages this Mill possesses, it is considered to be the most valuable in the State.

New-Hanover County and Town of Wilmington.

One half a Lot in the Town of Wilmington, on the south side of Prince Street, extending along said Street from Front Street to the river.

A Tract of Land on the east side of the north-west branch of Cape Fear River, about three miles above Wilmington, joining lands of Wm. W. Jones & Henry Waters, Esquires; a considerable part of this Land is of the very best tide swamp, and is considered by judges to be equal, if not superior, to any Rice Land in the State; it is well worth the attention of those who propose engaging in the culture of Rice; the whole will be sold or it will be divided to accommodate the purchaser.

A large body of Land on the west side of the north-east river, extending along the river from Henry Waters's plantation called Forceput to Major Moore's on Fishing Creek, a part of this Land is tide swamp and well suited to the cultivation of Rice.

Also three Tracts of Land on Little Cohara in Sampson County, well calculated for Corn & Cotton.

The Subscribers will receive proposals at Fayetteville by letter or otherwise for all or any part of the above described property until the 1st of October next, if unfold the Mill & Lands in Orange County will be offered at Auction in Hillsborough on the 9th day of October.—The Lots, Houses and Lands in Cumberland at Fayetteville on the 26th day of the same month and the lands in New-Hanover on the 18th day of November next. Application may be made to Mr. James Mumford at Wilmington who will describe and shew the lands in the vicinity of that place.

JOHN ECCLES, } Executors of Pe-
JOHN WINSLOW, } ter Mallett.
June 19th, 1805. (tf.)

Ten Dollars Reward.

BROKE jail on the 29th of June, a Negro Man who calls himself BEN. He said that he belonged to one Bennet Michael of Pendleton county, in South Carolina, that he was by trade a Bricklayer, and could play on the Fiddle; he is about five feet ten inches high, and has a scar on his face near his eye, which seems to have been occasioned by a burn. He carried away with him a dark coloured sturteout, a blue coat and swan's-down waistcoat. It is probable he will attempt to get to New York, as he said he had relations there, whom he was anxious to see. The above reward will be given to any person who will deliver him to the subscriber in Fayetteville, or five dollars if lodged in any jail in this State.

NEAL LOVE, jailor.
Fayetteville, July 1805, 3t

To the Editor of the Charleston Courier.

SIR, Finding my name inserted in your paper respecting a Dog, which the author of the advertisement called a Stolen Dog, has induced me to desire you to insert the following notice.

At the house of Mr. Caffo, I saw a Dog that appeared to be beat often, on account of his being troubled with him; I asked him if it was his—to which he answered no; that the Dog had been left by a gentleman of Charleston a long while since—so which I observed that it was a pity the animal should be abandoned, and gave the dog some food, he being almost starved. The next day the dog followed the stage, probably from gratitude. I endeavoured to lend him back, but could not succeed. Recollecting what Mr. Caffo had told me, I let the dog pursue his own way, thinking that he perhaps would meet with his master in Charleston.

Being arrived in Charleston the day before the publication alluded to, I had not even time to put in an advertisement respecting the Dog.

As to the indecent manner in which the author expresses himself, respecting the person whom he speaks of, and of the pretended Mark, all that I have to say to such language is, that it indicates a very contracted man, who, if I was near him, would receive his mark.

As I conclude in what Mr. C. has told me respecting the master of the Dog, any gentleman that has lost a Dog of such description as given, may find it by enquiring at the Courier printing Office.

J. VERMONNET.
Charleston, August 5, 1805.

Spring and Summer GOODS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS beg leave to inform the public in general and their customers in particular, that they have just received and are now opening a very large and general assortment of GOODS, (the greater part imported directly from the manufacturers) which they offer for sale, by Wholesale and Retail on moderate terms. A considerable discount will be made to those who purchase with ready money.

They have also on hand, all kinds of East and West-India Goods and upwards of Ten Thousand Bushels of Liverpool SALT. Produce of every kind received in payment.

Donaldson, MacMillan, & Co.
Fayetteville, 10th July, 1805.

Committed to Gaol

ON the 24th of July, a Negro Man, about 25 years of age, very black, speaks plain, calls himself a free man, passes by the name of Simon, says he formerly belonged to a widow by the name of Eliza Bake, near Dogifter, South-Carolina. Had on a brown coat, black velvet cape, a small white hat, homespun pantaloons, a handkerchief with cloth, among which was a pair of sailors trowsers of blue plains; had with him a paper signed by the said widow; another signed by Capt. Joseph Waring. The owner is desired to prove her property, pay charges, and take him away.

JAMES JOHNSON, Coroner.
Wadesborough, N. C. }
July 25, 1805. }

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

ON the night of the 4th of July, about the hour of 10 o'clock, some villain set fire to my barn. But an hour before I was at the barn with Mr. Malcha Hinton, and took his horse out of the stable; neither of us had a light, nor was there any fire about the house, as the family was from home except myself and wife. When the fire was first discovered, it had got to the upper story. There were some horses in the stable that joined the barn, but I got them out without their being injured. Any person that will detect the villain or villains, so that they be brought to punishment, shall receive the above reward.

N. DAVIS.
Smithfield, July 5, 1805.

THE GRAND LODGE

of
North-Carolina and Tennessee,
WILL convene in the Lodge Room in this city on the evening of Wednesday, the 11th day of December next. At which time and place the Officers, Members and Representatives from the subordinate Lodges are required to attend.

By order of the most worshipful the Hon. JOHN LOUIS TAYLOR, Grand Master.
ROBERT WILLIAMS,
Grand Secretary.

Raleigh, June 24th, A. L. }
1805, A. D. 1805. }

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