

It is time for our citizens to be on their guard, when robbers prow... On Saturday morning, some villain entered the Store of Mr. Richard Smith, and while he was engaged with his customers, stole from his counter a Pocket-Book, the bulky appearance of which promised a rich prize; but fortunately, Mr. Smith had just taken from the book a considerable sum of money, and left nothing in it, but the Notes which are advertised in the preceding page.

Georgia.—We have received returns from twenty-three other counties, making in the whole, fifty-one counties heard from. The result, as far as ascertained, gives Troup a majority of about Nine Hundred Votes. There are nine counties yet to be heard from.

The Legislature of Tennessee convened on the 19th ult. R. C. Foster was unanimously elected Speaker of the Senate, and in the House of Representatives, Colonel Brady was elected Speaker, by a majority of three votes over Dr. Camp.

We see by the Fayetteville Observer, that Messrs. C. & P. Vaillet are about running a line of Stages, daily, from Charleston to Fayetteville.

Mockery of Justice.—Isaac B. Desha has been again tried and found guilty, but a new trial was instantly granted by the Judge, as the Kentucky papers say, on the most frivolous grounds.

Trial for Murder.—The Court of Oyer and Terminer were engaged three days last week, in the city of N. York, in the trial of James Reynolds for the murder of William West, on board of a sloop in the East River, in June last. The defendant was proved guilty, and sentenced to be hung on Saturday, the 19th day of November next.

Its fluctuations and its vast concerns.

Of all the publications which come from the press, none are so interesting, none are so useful as the Newspaper. Books treat for the most part, on particular subjects, and on the particular matters which they discuss, may be replete with instruction. But the information gleaned from newspapers, is not confined to any one subject—it is general in its character, and every person may find something to please his taste. Do you prefer history?—the newspaper is a standing history of the times. Do you wish religious instruction?—the newspaper affords it, in the positive examples of the good, and the negative examples of the wicked.—The newspaper gives the latest discoveries in geography and astronomy—it tells what improvements are making in mechanics, in agriculture and in domestic economy. It furnishes an account of the proceedings of governments, and thereby enables the people to know and judge of the propriety or impropriety of measures adopted by their Representatives. It is, when managed with integrity, "the tyrant's foe, the people's friend."

By the schooner Zenophon, which arrived at Baltimore, on Saturday evening, from Havana, advices have been received, that flour was selling at that place on the 25th ult. at twenty-two dollars per barrel, and very scarce.

Foreign News.—The latest intelligence from Europe, is that received at New-York on the 10th inst. by the ship George Clinton, which left Liverpool on the 28th August. The only encouragement she brings to the cotton holders, is, that the market is no worse—no new failures had taken place.

The British Government is opposed to the proposed expedition of Lord Cochrane to Greece. No account of successful battles fought by the Greeks is wanted to us by this arrival, but we are glad to see, that they are as well guarded against domestic insurrection as foreign invasion. An extensive conspiracy has been discovered at Napoli, the object of which was to spike the cannon of the Greeks, whilst the Turks advanced to the attack. After being put to the torture, the leader made a full confession, and was burnt alive.

The New-York Commercial Advertiser of the 8th inst. says, that Walter Livingston and John Stevens, Esquires, have purchased Eclipse, the northern, and Sir Henry, the southern, champions of the turf, to be kept in this vicinity, exclusively for studs. The price paid for Eclipse was 10,000 dollars, and for Sir Henry 3,000 dollars.

Accident.—On the night of the 11th inst. the steam boat Richmond, coming up James River, unfortunately ran foul of a vessel loaded with coal, which vessel was sunk by the shock.—The crew were saved. The night was so dark that it was impossible to discern the vessel.

It is reported by way of New-Orleans, that General Wilkinson died lately at Mexico. We heard recently, that he had obtained a grant of a large tract of land in the province of Texas, and was taking measures to induce a large body of honest and well disposed Americans to go and settle it.

Precious Morceau.—The following is a literal copy of a notice, lately circulated in Virginia, by a physician, who wished to offer his services to the public, in a genteel way:

Doctor—does concentrate his willing zeal in a train of physical applicability, and so with estatic impulse, he gives his compliments to the public, when informing the patronage of this vicinity, his intention of puncturing from ample skill to it calls. He will announce his idiology on Physic, and so let plastic complimentary zeal to the public, and this vicinity, be concordant with a fond wish from deemed ample professional punctilio to all calls.

The Comet.—Speaking of the brilliant stranger who has paraded the Heavens in gorgeous state for the last few evenings, and in reply to a question as to its possible effect on the movements of our globe, a writer in the New-York Evening Post furnishes the following, which will serve to dissipate whatever alarm the rare visitation may have caused in any quarter:—Nat. Int.

"That its movements will leave our planet entirely to its accustomed order, and all pretended wits to their undisturbed loquacity, is beyond a doubt. Its apparent motion was 13° in 24 hours, as noted in the Post on Monday, and hence it must be on another errand than that of disturbing the repose of our world. Its tail, also, is considerably oblique to the line of vision, which could not be true were the Comet approaching our earth when in opposition as was true at the time of observation. It cannot pass between the earth and sun by any possibility, since it appears in a system first in the region of the Heavens opposite the central luminary."

Rumors have lately been circulated, of the unhealthiness of the American Colony, at Mesurado. The following direct intelligence affords a complete refutation of these idle stories:

New-York, Oct. 8. The U. S. ship Cyane, Capt. Creighton, arrived at this port yesterday, from the Mediterranean. The Cyane sailed from Gibraltar on the 13th of July last, called at the Island of Tenerife, where she was detained a fortnight on public service, and sailed again on the 3d of August, made St. Antonio, one of the Cape de Verdes, on the 10th, then proceeded to the Coast of Africa, and arrived at Cape Mesurado on the 22d August, where she only remained one day. The Colony was found in a most prosperous and healthy condition, and the intercourse with the natives was on the most friendly footing. The crew suffered severely from the heat on the Coast of Africa, but have nevertheless been perfectly healthy. Com. Adv.

Elizabeth City, (N. C.) Oct. 8. Was arrested and committed to jail in this town on Tuesday last a man by the name of Manuel Antonio, a Portuguese, who it is supposed murdered Mr. Wm. Johnson of Newbern. Antonio was put on board a schooner belonging to Capt. Otway Burns, of Beaufort, on her passage to this place, by two men from an open boat in the Sound. Capt. B. having heard before leaving home, of a murder committed on the body of Mr. Wm. Johnson, strongly suspected this man to be the perpetrator; and soon had his suspicions confirmed by one of the crew who knew Antonio. On his arrival here Capt. B. informed the civil authority of the circumstance, who had him arrested and on examination had him committed until further information could be received. [Star.]

Superior Court.—At the fall term of the Superior Court for Rowan county, held in Salisbury last week, no business was done, owing to the indisposition of Judge Paxton. The Court was adjourned

from day to day, under the hope that the Judge would be able to attend to some of the most urgent of the great mass of business which was docketed for trial; but the hope was a fallacious one; for his Honor continued so much indisposed, as to render it imprudent for him to leave his lodging for any length of time.—West. Carolinian.

The Belfield races will commence on Tuesday the 8th November. First day 2 mile heats, entrance 200 dollars, 4 subscribers. Second day, 3 mile heats, 400 dollars entrance \$20 to be added. Third day, 2 mile heats, \$200, entrance \$15, to be added. Fourth day, a Silver Cup, entrance \$25.

Scotland Neck Fall Races, will commence on Thursday the 10th November, and continue 3 days; on the second day in addition to the regular purse, there is to be a match race. The courses on the 3d day, are to consist of Mules. A subscription will be opened during the week, for raising a Jockey Club at that course. Warrenton Reporter.

Singular Occurrence.—Messrs. Carpenter and Hodges, an enterprising house in Providence, have for some time employed two schooners and two briggs in the West India and Honduras trade. One of the schooners, the Experiment, sailed from Curacao, having on board part of the crew of the brig Leander, belonging to the same concern, that had been previously wrecked. On her return voyage she fell in with the other schooner, belonging to Carpenter and Hodges, the Enterprize, having been capsized in a gale, and took off her crew, who had remained on the wreck six days. With these she has arrived at Providence.

During the last week, a shocking accident occurred in the Northern Liberties, which as yet we have not seen mentioned. A small boy was persuaded by his play fellows to get on a horse, who tied his legs by a cord underneath the animal. They then shouted, and frightened the horse, so that he ran off. The saddle turned, and the boy's head hung downward, striking the ground, as the animal proceeded at speed for a considerable distance. When stopped, it was found that the boy's head and breast were literally stove in by the horse's feet, and by concussion with the earth. His eye-balls hung out of his head, and his whole appearance was frightful. It is unnecessary to say the child was killed before the horse had proceeded many yards. Philadelphia Journal.

Suicide.—It is with deep regret we have to record the death of Mr. Geo. W. Roberts, formerly of this place, who put a period to his existence on the 20th ult. by hanging himself. The deceased was so generally known in this neighborhood, that it is deemed superfluous to say how much he was esteemed for his amiable qualities and correct deportment, and how sincere the regret of all who have heard of his untimely end. In Philadelphia, whither he removed about eighteen months ago, and where he committed the unhappy act, we are informed that he was highly thought of in the circle of his acquaintance, as his sterling worth justly entitled him to be; and by what infatuation he could have been led to rush uncalled into the presence of his Maker, is wholly unaccountable. Let us, however, throw the mantle of charity over this last sad act of his life, and leave him to the mercy of that Divine Being, who delighteth in the happiness of his creatures, and who looks, with the compassionate eye of a parent, on their many frailties and imperfections. Lynchburg Herald.

Melancholy Occurrence.—On Monday evening last, Frederick Henry Oldhausen, an industrious German, who, for the last four or five years, had resided in the neighborhood of this place, was deprived of his existence in consequence of a fall, while on his way from town to his residence. From the evidence given before the Inquest held on the body, he appears to have fallen while descending a sloping piece of ground, (within a short distance of his own gate,) and, judging from the position in which the body was found, it is supposed his head struck against some sharp rocks, which fractured his skull, and almost instantaneously deprived him of life. Few men in his sphere of life, were more generally esteemed.—He has left a widow and many helpless children to mourn his loss. ib.

Newburg, N. Y. Oct. 4. DROWNED.—We give the following account of the management of two drowned persons, for the information of those who are called on to take charge under similar circumstances. On the 11th, an old man of the name of John Cole, fell from the dock at Fishkil upper landing, opposite this village. He was taken out of the water in a few minutes—was yet warm, and had every symptom of returning life; but the injurious means adopted to restore him, such as rolling on a plank and barrel, finally destroyed all vitality. The inquiry and experience which this expe-

riiment led to, was found of the utmost consequence, and quite a different course of practice inculcated among the actors in this tragedy, for their future guidance.

On the 18th, a boy of Mr. David Corwin, of the same place, about seven years old, had been missing for some time, and was found in the river. He was taken out, and from all appearances life had departed; he was perfectly cold; his face and back had turned purple; and from all appearances must have been in the water twelve or fifteen minutes. He was immediately wrapped in warm flannels, and taken to the house; then put in a warm bath; then gently rubbed and bathed in warm brandy, with continual rubbing, and air was blown into his nostrils with a pair of bellows. In about fifteen or twenty minutes, he began to show some symptoms of returning animation, and in two hours he began to breathe freely, and to the astonishment of all who saw him in this fearful situation, he is now enjoying good health, and attending his school as usual. Index.

Liabilities of Auctioneers.—A quantity of rum had been delivered to an auctioneer with verbal instructions not to sell it for less than 80 cents per gallon. At the sale, a person, employed by the owner to take care of the sale and prevent a sacrifice of the rum, requested the auctioneer to put it up; but before it was put up the person absented himself and forgot to return. In the mean time the rum was put up and brought only 41 cents. The owner brought an action, in the Supreme Court of Rhode-Island, against the auctioneer, for the balance. Verdict for the defendant.—Boston Statesman.

Death of Capt. Cochrane the Traveller.—Our correspondent of the Baltimore Gazette, has transmitted us an extract from a Caracas paper, received by an arrival from Lagaira, announcing the melancholy intelligence of the death of Capt. John Dundas Cochrane, of the British Navy.—Capt. Cochrane was well known for his various tours through Europe, and more especially for the publication of his journey through European and part of Asiatic Russia. He died universally regretted, and was attended to the grave by a numerous retinue of his countrymen, and the inhabitants of Valencia. N. Y. Evening Post.

From the complete returns of the late election of Governor of the State of Mississippi, it appears, that the majority of DAVID HOLMES over COWLES MEADE for Governor, was 6247 votes; and that Mr. BRANDON has been elected Lieutenant Governor, by a majority of 53 votes over Mr. BARRY.

University of Virginia.—Monday the 3d inst. was the appointed day for the meeting of the Visitors of this institution. Messrs. Jefferson, Madison, Johnson, Cabell, Breckenridge, and Loyall were all present, forming a complete quorum. They have continued in anxious deliberation from day to day, & are engaged in anxious investigation of the affairs of the University. Many subjects of importance have been suggested for the consideration of the board, and we have no doubt that consequences highly beneficial will result from their late session.—Central Gaz.

Cash in prospect.—A new company has been organized for the purpose of raising the British Frigate Hussar, sunk at Hell Gate during the revolutionary war. From the known skill and experience of the chief engineer, Major Bayard, the zeal and industry of all concerned, and the abundant means of the company (the shares being all sold) the present must be considered as the final and successful attempt to redeem this drowned ship from the abyss of waters, where she has so long reposed to the sorrow of thousands. Company after company have failed in their attempts to raise this vessel. The cause of so many abortive exertions, can be safely traced to a want of adequate means, and a disposition to act in concert. Yankees can do every thing without the compass of human exertions; and the design of this article is to prepare the public mind for the reception of the news of the Hussar being above water, and in a condition to be gazed at by the curious and the interested. [Noah.]

Lynchburg, Va. Sept. 26. Fifty-seven Snakes killed.—We have been informed, from a source entitled to implicit credence, that Mr. James Lawson, who resides near the Pinnacles of Dan, in the county of Patrick, in the month of August last, while on a hunting excursion, discovered on a large rock, a Rattlesnake, which he killed. While in the act of killing it, he heard the noise usually made by these reptiles, as if proceeding from more than one. He soon discovered that they were under a rock, which could be easily removed. He returned home for his son and grandson—they repaired to the rock, removed it, and killed fifty-five additional Rattlesnakes and one

Gartersnake—in all fifty-seven! Such a large number of so poisonous a reptile was never before known to have been killed in this part of the country.

MARRIED. In Fayetteville, on Tuesday evening last, by the Rev. H. M. Mason, Mr. Doctle O'Hara, of Wilmington, to Miss Margaret Mary Mac Rae, daughter of Duncan MacRae, Esq. In Guilford county, on the 6th inst. Mr. Thomas Davis to Miss Keziah Wheeler, daughter of Mr. John Wheeler. On the 21st of June last, Thomas Williamson, Esq. of the county of Caswell, to Frances P. B. McLeary, daughter of Thomas Parish, Esq. of Chatham county.

DIED. In Fayetteville, on Tuesday last, after a lingering illness, Eliza, wife of Thomas C. Hooper, Esq. and daughter of the late Robert T. Johnson, in the 2nd year of her age. In Moore county, on the 26th ult. after an illness of 18 days with the Typhus Fever, Dr. John Patterson. On the 22d ult. in Orange county, Isaac Patterson, Esq. On the 23d ult. in Hillsborough, George Reeves, Esq. aged 47. On the 24th ult. in the same county, Michael Pickard. On the 29th, in the same county, Mr. Wm. McDaniel.

Recently in Chatham county, Dr. Moon. On the 2d inst. at his seat in Brunswick county, James Flowers, Esq. aged 63 years. Mr. Flowers enjoyed an unspotted reputation—he was a most affectionate husband, kind parent and indulgent master. In Kenansville, on the 3d inst. Mr. Seth D. Shaw, aged 28 years, a native of Taunton Massachusetts. On the 4th inst. at the residence of his father in Person county, Mr. James A. Pulliam, aged about 25. In Charlotte, Mecklenburg county, on the 6th inst. after an illness of only seven days, of the bilious fever, Mr. John Boyd, Merchant of that place, aged 26 years. He was universally respected and beloved by every one who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, not only for his gentlemanlike conduct in all his dealings, but for his pleasing and agreeable manners with all ranks of society.

In this town, on Saturday last, after a short attack of the bilious which was a redoubtable more obstinate by an inveterate case of the jaundice. Mons. Pierre La Græt a native of France near Strasburg, who emigrated to this country about 12 years ago, and in 1815 was citizenized in New-York, since which time he has been travelling our states as a teacher, on various instruments of Music. Although a penniless sojourner through a land of strangers, he received during his illness, the best medical aid and unremitting attention. His remains were decently interred in the public burying ground by our citizens.—Warrenton Reporter.

Departed this life on the 3d inst. in the town of Williamston, Martin county, Miss Elizabeth Y. Howley, daughter of Capt. Edward Y. Howley.

In Warrenton, on Saturday last, Mr. Edward Partillo. On the 12th inst. in Murfreesboro', after a lingering illness, of 22 days, Mr. James M. Vancey, formerly of Raleigh, an for some years a respectable inhabitant of that town. Departed this life, on the 8th inst. at his seat near this place, Col. James Saunders, in the 85th year of his age.

Of this amiable Patriarch it may be truly said, that he lived and died the friend of the whole human race—never was the grave of any one more bedewed with the tears of sincere gratitude and love—those of the widow and the orphan, of the poor and the friendless, flowed as copiously at his interment as those of his numerous and affectionate relatives. His heart was full of human kindness, his temper all mildness and amenity. Col. Saunders bore a respectable part in the War of the Revolution, having held a Colonelship under General Ashe when the North-Carolina troops marched to repel the invasion of Georgia in 1793, and during the whole of the spirited and interesting struggle which took place in this vicinity in the times that tried men's souls. Col. S. discharged all the duties of a citizen with unshaken firmness and fortitude. Although unambitious of public employment, until at an advanced period of life he was ever ready to yield his time and services to the call of his fellow citizens. He was a member of the Convention which formed the Constitution of the State, and afterwards served as a Representative of his county in the Legislature. For a number of years Col. Saunders was an open and zealous professor of the Christian religion, and after a short but acute illness patiently resigned his spirit, in peace with God and charity, with all mankind. Milton Gazette.

On the 11th ult. at his residence in Williamston county, Tenn. the Reverend Green Hill, in the 84th year of his age. He had been a member of the Methodist church 60, and a Minister of the same 55 years. He was a native of N. C. and has received from the papers of his adopted state a long and warm eulogium.

30 Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, three Negro Men, viz. Frederick, Tom and Pompey. FREDERICK, of black complexion, about 13 or 20 years of age, 5 feet 3 or 6 inches high—of thin visage, speaks slow when spoken to, no visible mark as I recollect of except I think that his right fore finger is stiff—he absented himself on the 20th of March last.—Frederick is from Virginia.

TOM is of a tawny complexion, 30 or 35 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, blink eyed, and as well as I recollect is lame in his left leg, occasioned when small by the white swelling, and a scar on one of his wrists, occasioned by a cut of a knife. Tom is from North-Carolina.

POMPEY, is very black, and some of his front teeth out; about 5 feet 3 or 6 inches high, has a scar over one of his eyes, or on his forehead, and speaks very quick when spoken to. Pompey is from Charleston, and formerly belonged to John Billings of that place. I think it very probable that they have free passes given to them, as it has been practised in this vicinity.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said Negroes to me living in Fairfield district, S. C. or lodge them in any jail so that I get them. JOHN HARRISON. August 5. 81cc2m