



POETRY.

TO HENRY CLAY.

"I will oppose this measure at every step, with all the strength that God has given me."—[Speech of Mr. Clay on the Sub-Treasury Bill.]

Warrior do not quit the field,
Truth the armor of thy breast,
Constitution for thy shield,
Patriotism on thy crest.

With such weapons in thy hand,
Such as thou canst not be slain,
Brother 'tis our native land,
Fight the battle o'er again.

Plead for justice, mercy, law,
Let our country still be free,
Once again the gauntlet draw,
Every eye is turned to thee.

Sharper than a two edg'd sword,
Is the weapon thou canst wield,
Keen and piercing is thy word,
Statesman, Patriot, do not yield.

Let our eyes rejoice again
In the light of freedom's ray,
Nought can break oppression's chain,
Like the voice of HENRY CLAY.

Camden, N. J.

THE PAUPER'S DEATH BED.

Selected for the Watchman.
BY MISS CATHERINE BOWLES.

Tread softly—bow the head;
In reverent silence bow;
No passing bell doth toll,
Yet an immortal soul
Is passing now.

Stranger! however great,
With lowly reverence bow;
There's one in that poor shed;
One by that paltry bed,
Greater than thou.

Beneath that beggar's roof,
Lo! Death doth keep his state;
Enter—no crowds attend;
Enter—no guards defend.
This palace gate.

That pavement damp and cold
No smiling courtesans tread;
One silent woman stands
Lifting with meagre hands
A dying head.

No maid will wait alone;
A sob suppress'd—again
That short deep gasp, and then
The parting groan.

Oh! change—Oh! wondrous change;
Buts are the prison bars;
This moment there, so low,
So agonized, and now
Beyond the stars!

Oh! change—stupendous change!
There lies the soulless clod;
The Sun eternal breaks;
The immortal wakes;
Wakes with his God.

MILITARY NOTICE.



ATTENTION OFFICERS OF THE 64th REGIMENT.

PARADE at the Court House in the Town of Salisbury, on Saturday the 9th of June next, at 11 o'clock precisely, armed and equipped with muskets, for Drill and Court Martial Captains will then make returns.

R. W. LONG, Col. Comd.,
Salisbury, March 31st, 1838—t36

Books! Books!

AT THE N. CAROLINA BOOK STORE
MAY now be found a larger Stock of Books than can be seen at any other Establishment in the United States. The collections which have recently received very large additions, now embraces almost every work in Science, Literature, Theology, &c. extant. Amongst these are many rare works, which the Proprietors have purchased from Private Libraries, very seldom met with in a Book Store.—The supply of School Books is very extensive and complete. The animals, and other Fancy Books, are superior to any thing of the kind which have yet been offered to the public.

Turner & Hughes, thankful for the patronage hitherto extended to them by the citizens of North Carolina, take this method of informing their friends that no exertions on their part shall be wanting to merit a continuance of their support. As an evidence of this, they invite an examination of their present Stock, in the procurement of which they have spared neither pains nor expense.

TURNER & HUGHES.
Raleigh, march 1838—

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to me, by notes or accounts, are requested to call and settle the same, at the Mansion Hotel, Salisbury, Dec. 2, 1837 201

R. W. LONG.

PETER'S VEGETABLE PILLS.

THESE PILLS have long been known, and appreciated for their extraordinary and immediate powers of restoring perfect health, to persons suffering under nearly every kind of disease, to which the human frame is liable.

In many hundred of certificated instances they have even rescued sufferers from the verge of an untimely grave, after all the desperate nostrums of the day had utterly failed; and to many thousands they have permanently secured that uniform enjoyment of health, without which life itself is but a partial blessing. So great, indeed, has their efficacy invariably & infallibly proved, that it has appeared scarcely less than miraculous to those who were unacquainted with the beautiful philosophical principles on which they are compounded, and on which they consequently act.

The proprietor rejoices in the opportunity afforded by the universal diffusion of the daily press, for placing his VEGETABLE PILLS, within the knowledge and reach of every individual in the community. Unlike the host of pernicious quackeries, which boast of vegetable ingredients, these Pills are purely and solely vegetable, and contain neither Mercury, Antimony, Arsenic, nor any other mineral, in any form whatever. They are entirely composed of extracts from rare and powerful plants, the virtues of which, though long known to several Indian tribes, and recently to some eminent pharmaceutical chemists; are altogether unknown to the ignorant pretenders to medical science, and were never before administered in so happily efficacious a combination.

Wherever these pills have been once introduced into a family, they become a standing remedy, and are called for again and again, which is sufficient proof of their good qualities.

It is a truth, that almost every person who has ever used Peter's Vegetable Pills, recommend them to their friends, & it is from this circumstance alone, that they have gained such an unrivalled reputation.

When taking according to the directions accompanying them, they are highly beneficial in the prevention and cure of bilious fevers, fever and ague, dyspepsia, liver complaints, sick head ache, jaundice, asthma, dropsy, rheumatism, enlargement of the spleen, piles, cramp and bilious cholera, female obstructions, heart burn, pleurisy, furrow tongue, distention of the stomach & bowels, incipient diarrhoea, flatulence, habitual costiveness, loss of appetite, bloated or swollen condition, and in all cases of torpor of the bowels, when a cathartic or aperient is needed. They have the testimony of the whole medical professions in their favor, while not a single case of ill consequences or inefficiency, can be alleged against them.

Prepared by Jos. Priestly Peters M. D., at his Institution, for the cure of obstinate diseases, by means of Vegetable remedies, No. 139, Liberty street, New York. Each box contains 40 Pills—price 50 cents.

More than two millions of boxes of these celebrated Pills, have been sold in the United States since January 1835.

Dr. Peters has received upwards of fifteen hundred certificates, all given in consequence of the good done by his Medicines.

This valuable Medicine is for sale in this place by J. & W. Murphy, in Lexington by John P. Mabry. And can be found in almost every town in N. B. Merchants can be supplied at New York, by applying to Williams & Boyd of Charlotte, sole Agents for 10 or 12 Counties in the Western part of N. Carolina.
Salisbury, Nov. 4th, 1837—12m16.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber has been engaged for a number of years, upwards of ten—and has succeeded in forming a composition by which machinery of either water or horse power, can be run with much more ease, and almost entirely free from heat or wear. By this method the trouble of boxing and bushing, as well as making links, is saved. Persons would do well to be aware of impositions, as I will send written instructions with the persons who do business for me—others the public will find not to be genuine—though they may make free to exhibit my hand bills.

L. M. GILBERT.

march 17, 1838—t34

PLANTATION

THE subscriber having determined to remove to the West, offers for sale the

746 ACRES,

THE rest of TWO HUNDRED of which is in high cultivation, the greater part rich low grounds. The unimproved Land is of good quality, well suited to the culture of wheat and tobacco, is well WATERED, and excelled by none in this section for Pine and Oak timber; in point of health, this place is surpassed by none in the State, and by few in beauty.

SAMUEL FRALEY

Salisbury, Feb. 24, 1838—t31

TO BUILDERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED INVITE those disposed to make proposals for erecting in Salisbury, a

FEMALE ACADEMY,

Of the following dimensions, 24 x 42, two stories high, walls 23 feet of brick, on a rock foundation, 18 inches above, and about the same below the surface, two feet thick, 8 windows below of 18 lights 10 x 12 glass, and 10 windows above, 15 lights, same size glass, all the windows with venetian blinds, painted green; Roof of Tin, two outside doors with stone steps; 4 inside doors, one plain flight of steps, the first story to be in one room, except an entry of six or eight feet at the entrance, and the second floor to be divided into two rooms, one fire place below and two above, with plain mantles; the whole interior to be plastered, and hard finish with wash board all round; all the wood work to be painted. Three doors to have locks, the whole work to be done in a plain, but substantial and faithful manner, and of the best materials. Persons disposed to contract for erecting such a building, are invited to apply to either of the Committees for particular specifications, (if by mail, post paid.) The contract will be closed on the 1st day of March next.

ISAAC BURNS,

W. H. HORAH.

D. A. DAVIS.

Feb 10, 1838—t29

PROSPECTUS OF THE WEEKLY PICAYUNE.

Published in New Orleans, every Monday Morning, by

F. A. LUMSDEN & G. W. KENDALL.

IN consequence of the popularity which our daily paper has gained in all sections of the country, and the numerous demands we are receiving from all quarters for a weekly journal, we have determined on starting one of that description to be entitled "The Weekly Picayune."

To adopt the same descriptive style used in our first prospectus, we have fitted out the Picayune for more distant voyages, and freighted her with all sorts of notions in the shape of readables; and if the same success attends her which she has met with while coasting nearer home, we shall doubtless receive rich returns.

To prepare our little craft for the more extended sea on which she is destined to move, we have put upon her many additions and improvements. Some of her old timbers have been taken out and replaced by new—she has a greater measurement fore and aft, a greater length of beam, and her sails have been materially enlarged.

Notwithstanding the increased size, the public may rest assured that the Picayune will be enabled to work in short water with the same facility as heretofore, and form channels of communication which it would be folly for the dull, heavy vessels at present sailing from this port, to navigate.

Commissioners merchants and others having freight in the shape of advertisement to ship for the country trade, would do well to send them on board our clipper, as she is up for every city in the United States, and all intermediate landings.

We refer to those fanatical pirates who cruise under the black flag—who oppose slavery because they are themselves the slaves of ignorance and superstition—who pretend to rub clean the upper decks of their neighbors with a HOLY stone—we say look out for breakers.

To Hotel keepers we recommend our paper; in every engagement her commander will be first to lead on the BOARDS.

To the Heads of Families the trim appearance of our craft will be an object of interest.—Most married folks have experienced the effects of light sparring.

We shall endeavor to make those smugglers, the Bachelors, leave to show them the advantages of the proper "companion way," recommending a double state-room, with BIRTHS, &c.

We shall send our boat aboard Theatricals and other amusements; those pretty pleasure boats which make our passage over the lake of life so delightful. Dancing we shall especially encourage; as we conceive that the safety of a vessel often depends upon keeping both pumps going.

On first launching the Picayune we promised to carry a press of sail in case we were warranted by a sail from the press. Through all the storms which have raged since she first sailed she has borne up under full sail, without ever being taken back and is now ranked A. 1. at all the insurance offices of the city. Our policy still holds good, and we never intend it shall run out.

Dropping our figure, and returning to plain language, we will now add that we intend to make the Picayune a vehicle of fun, wit, humor sentiment, and a little of every thing that's going on. It shall be our delight to crack jokes, to tell stories in our own way, to ridicule folly, and to correct the errors of the age by exciting laughter against them. In this, however, we shall endeavor to avoid that licentiousness which vainly seeks to benefit the public by wounding the feelings of individuals.

A portion of our paper will be occupied with comprehensive notices of all passing events—giving the pitch of the news of the day, without burdensome details.

We eschew partisan politics; yet we shall continue to express our opinions on all public measures: Follies in government, as well as in social life, are open to ridicule; and when humor seizes us, we shall not spare them, on whichever party the censure may fall.

All local occurrences of general interest shall be promptly noticed, so that our distant readers may see a glance the miniature world which is congregated in this emporium.

With this exposure of our intentions, and determined to endeavor with unremitting industry to fulfill them, we look with confidence for a continuance of that patronage which has hitherto been so cordially extended to us.

The Weekly Picayune will be published every Monday morning, at \$5.00 per annum, payable in all cases in advance; and will contain four additional columns, embracing all the news of the week, with whatever of interest transpires on Sunday.

Those persons at a distance who will procure four subscribers, and send us a \$20 bill, shall be entitled to one copy gratis.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having administered on the Estate of John Shaver (decd.) gives notice for all persons indebted to, to come forward immediately and make payment, as the estate must be wound up. He also gives notice for those having claims against the estate to present the same properly authenticated, or this notice will be pleaded against them.

SAMUEL FRALEY

Salisbury, Feb. 24, 1838—t31

TURNER & HUGHES

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

AT THE N. CAROLINA BOOK STORE
A GENERAL assortment of Books in all the various departments of Literature, Science, & Theology; also STATIONERY in all its varieties—all of which they will sell at wholesale or retail, on the most liberal terms. Among them are the following:

- 500 Smith's School Geography on the productive system, accompanied by an improved and enlarged Atlas containing nine folio maps, from Steel Plates
- 500 Smith's Practical and Mental Arithmetic, (on a new plan)
- 500 Smith's Practical and Productive Grammar
- 700 Murray's English Grammar, well bound in leather and offered at a very reduced price.
- 500 Introduction to Murray's English Reader
- 500 Parley's Geography for Children
- 100 Peter Parley's Arithmetic
- 100 Olney's School Geography and Atlas
- 100 Malte Brun's ou du
- 50 Smiley's Geography and Atlas
- 500 Walker's common School Dictionary
- 100 Pikel's Arithmetic
- 500 Walker's Spelling Book
- 500 Remondin's National Spelling Book

The above are only a few, for all would be too tedious to mention.

The Law Library is very extensive comprising several thousand volumes.

The Theological Library embraces most every work extant.

Besides, Medical, Miscellaneous, Classical, Poetical, Books of Fancy, Travels, Voyages, approved Editions of American and Eng. School Books, Books for Farmers, Gardeners and Farmers, Cookery Books, new Novels, and in fact, Books adapted to every capacity.

Raleigh, march 1838—

CHEAPER THAN EVER. MERCHANT TAILOR.

Benjamin E. Fraley.
IS now receiving from New York and Philadelphia, a general assortment of cloths and trimmings for Fall and Winter: embracing every article usually kept by Merchant Tailors; these goods have been selected by him in person, and can be confidently recommended to the public as cheap and good. Having worked at the Tailoring business for twenty years, he hopes he shall not be considered presumptuous in calling himself a judge of cloths. He has also just received the New York and Philadelphia Fashions, and the above will be made up in a superior style of fashion, and warranted to fit well.

He will also keep on hand a general assortment of READY MADE CLOTHING, all of which will be sold very low for cash or on a credit to punctual dealers. All kinds of cutting will be done on short notice. Orders or work from a distance will be punctually attended to.

The public are invited to call and examine prices for themselves. He still continues at his former stand, south of the Court House, in the large Brick Building.

Salisbury, N. C. Jan. 20, 1838—t43
P. S. As he is an Agent for some of the most fashionable Tailors of Philadelphia and New York, he would be happy to instruct any who may wish to learn the art of cutting garments. He also continues to distribute the Fashions.

Letters for Fashions must be post paid

STAGES,

FOR SALISBURY & MORGANTON.

THE Stages from Fayetteville for Salisbury, are now in operation. They leave Fayetteville on the mornings of Monday and Friday, at Five o'clock, and arrive at Salisbury on the evenings of the next days, to tea. Returning, they leave Salisbury on the mornings at 4 o'clock, and arrive at Fayetteville on the evenings of the next days. Passengers rest nine hours at night, at Allen's in Moore county. Fare \$5.50. These Stages connect with my line from Salisbury to Morganton. This route affords great facilities for merchants in the interior, to visit Fayetteville for the purchase of their Goods, exchange of moneys, purchase of Drafts, &c &c as it is the cheapest, most expeditious, and most direct route between the two places. At Fayetteville Stage lines leave every day for the North and South.

J. CARMICHAEL, Proprietor,
A. BROWN, (Lafayette Hotel) Agent,
Fayetteville.

A. C. CURRY, Agent, Carthage,
T. A. HAGUE, Agent, Salisbury,
T. M. YOUNG, Agent, Statesville,
R. C. PEARSON, Agent, Morganton
Feb 3, 1838—3m28

980 BLANK BOOKS

For sale at the N. Carolina Book Store, CONSISTING OF

LEDGERS, Day Books, Journals, Cash Books, Invoice Books, Bill Books, Deed Books, Record Books, Copying Books, Copy Books, Pass Books, Receipt Books, Letter Books, Memorandum Books and Bank Books.

The Subscribers have the above named Books of all the different sizes that are used by Merchants, Clerks of Courts, registers, by Banks, and Men of Business, and can make to order any kind of Blank Books at the shortest notice.—

—ALSO—

200 REAMS of Letter and Cap Paper of different qualities.

100 REAMS of Wrapping Paper, with a quantity of Post and Folio Post Paper, of very superior quality. Also Superfine Glazed Paper for Pamphlet covers; Paper Hangings of superior quality in sets for Rooms, together with an extensive assortment of Stationary and Fancy articles usually kept by Book Sellers. All of which will be sold very cheap.

TURNER & HUGHES.

Raleigh, N. C. march 1838—

State of North Carolina, IREDELL COUNTY

February Term, 1838.

Alexander & Coan, } Original Attachment
vs } Levied on Land.
Hiram McLean. }

I appearing in the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant in this cause, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is ordered by the Court, that publication be made for six weeks in the Carolina Watchman, that the defendant Hiram McLean, appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Iredeell, at the Court House in Statesville, on the 6th Monday after the 4th Monday in March 1838, then and there reply, or plead to issue, or judgment final be entered against him, and he be held liable to be condemned to satisfy the plaintiff's demand.

J. F. ALEXANDER, c. r. c.
march 31, 1838—6w30—Printer's fee 64

State of North Carolina, DAVIDSON COUNTY.

INEQUITY, MARCH TERM 1838.

Drury Peebles & others }
vs } Original Bill.
James Peebles & others }

IN this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendants James Peebles, Alpha Peebles, Albert Peebles, and the Administrator of John Peebles, to wit, Alpha Peebles, are not inhabitants of this State: It is therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made for six weeks in the Carolina Watchman, for the said James Peebles, Alpha Peebles and Albert Peebles, to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held for Davidson county, at the Courthouse in Lexington, on the first Monday after the fourth Monday in September next, and plead, answer or demur to plaintiff's bill, or the cause will be set for hearing experts as to them and Judgment pro confesso entered against them.

Test, JOHN M. THOMAS, CME
By CHS MOCK, D. C.

6w38—Printer's fee 64

Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, &c.

- 9 hds Sugar
- 35 Bags and bls. Coffee
- 4 Hds Molasses
- 27 Nova Scotia Grindstones
- 2 Bbls Loaf Sugar
- 40 Bars Sweed Tire Iron
- 48 Sweed Plough Moulds
- 25 Kegs Nails, assorted sizes
- 20 Boxes Glass 8 by 10
- 400 Lb Spring Steel.
- 10 pr Elliptic Spings
- Pepper, Spice, Indigo & Madder
- 2 Boxes Pine Apple Cheese.

Just received and for sale
by J. & W. MURPHY
Salisbury, April 14, 1838.

NOTICE.

WAS COMMITTED TO THE JAIL

in Rowan County, a Negro by the name of CHARLES, belonging to Mr. Benjamin Walker of Campbell county, Virginia. Said Negro was about a month ago committed to the Jail of this county from which he was delivered to Mr. Staples, the Agent of Mr. Walker.— Since that he has runaway again, and on being re-taken is again committed to this Jail.

JOHN H. HARDIE, Shff
Salisbury, April 28—t40

NEW WATCHES,

JEWELRY & CUTLERY.

JOHN C. PALMER

HAS just returned from Philadelphia, with a very fine assortment of the above articles, of an entirely new fashion—a large assortment of superior Razors and Knives. He can safely say, that his assortment is superior to any in the western part of the State. Call and see.

N. B. Watches and clocks repaired as usual, and warranted for twelve months.
Salisbury November 4, 1837—t16

Private Entertainment.

THOMAS FOSTER,

INFORMS his friends and the public, that he has taken the house formerly occupied by Col. Wm. F. Kelly, in the village of Mocksville, Davie county, with the view of keeping

Private Entertainment.

The House is roomy and comfortable, and in the business part of the town. The subscriber pledges his best exertions to render satisfaction to all who may call on him. His Table shall at all times be supplied with the best of the country afford, and his Bar stored with the choicest Liquors. His Stables are extensive and safe, will be supplied with good Provender, and attended by a first rate Hostler.

Mocksville, Feb 3, 1838—t28

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber wishing to close all his business will sell at private sale his

TAN-YARD,

lying on the East Square of the Town of Salisbury, and four Lots attached thereto, the Yard is an excellent stand for business, being the oldest Established Yard in town. There is also, adjoining it, a first rate situation for a BREWERY, with plenty of excellent water. Also, about

37 ACRES OF LAND,

lying in said East Square, including about TEN ACRES, of good meadow. Twenty Acres of the above land has been laid off in Town Lots, as may be seen by reference to the Town Plat. A bargain may be had in the above Property by applying between this and our May Court next.

If desired the land can be had separate from the Tan-yard.

JOHN BEARD, Sen'r.

N. B. The above property if not sold at private sale, will be sold at auction on Tuesday of August court next.
May 5, 1838.—3t—4t

RANGER'S NOTICE.

ENTERED on the Stray book of this county, by Tobias Miller, a bay mare about 14 hands high, 5 years old this spring, a star and snip in her face, right hind foot white, shod before. The owner can have his property by paying charges.

JOHN M. MILSTEK,
Ranger of Cabarrus County.

April 28, 1838—3t40

THE

THE Proprietor

notice that he has

up at considerable

style, and will be

of company by the

on the great

ges from Salisbury

week but one

and proverbial

al properties of

documents to

others towards

the lower court

the excellence of

abundance of

science—espe-

cially as facts not

world. But it

of this State

towards this

exaggerated

lie, for he has

deem it a

sagacity of

of the most

as to the rare

Spring. In 18

Yale College in

Water and pro-

For a more exten-

sion of Report of

Assembly, per-

mit us to add

to this Gentleman

with the subject