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NEW GOODS.

THE Subscribers inform the Public, that they have just returned From New-York, with a general and well selected assortment of

FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS

Hardware, Crockery, &c

Which they are now opening at their Old Stand, and which they offer at their usual low prices.

The highest prices given for baled and seed Cotton, in payment of debts or in exchange for Goods.

D. RICHARDS,
W. M. TANNEHILL.

Tarboro', Oct. 15, 1830.

VALUABLE

LAND FOR SALE.

THE PLANTATION owned by the late M. N. BELL, on the north side of Tar river, in Edgecombe county, is now for sale—it adjoins the lands of Jas. S. Battle and the late Sherwood Haywood, and lies in one of the most elegant farming sections of country in North-Carolina. It is improved by buildings and orchards, and contains about

750 ACRES.

Its soil is well adapted to all the ordinary products of this part of the State, and particularly to the cultivation of Cotton. It is now under crop, and persons desirous of purchasing are better enabled to judge of its quality. The land will not be offered at public sale. Purchasers can be accommodated in their payments and possession given on the first of January, 1831. It will be sold low. Apply to

JAMES S. BATTLE, or
B. P. MOORE.

Nashville, N. C. June, 1830. 45

Cotton Gins,

Packing Screws, Horse Mills, Chain Bands, and Still Repairing.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the public, that he is now building between 15 and 20 COTTON GINS, of good materials, part of which will be steel saws and the ribs of bars faced with steel.

PACKING SCREWS, of the usual size, and larger than any now in use in the State, and no doubt superior—they will be made in an engine erected for that purpose.

HORSE MILLS will be built at a short notice, on the improved perpendicular plan, or any other.

CHAIN BANDS & WHEELS, of a superior quality, which are extremely well calculated for the propelling of both Gins and Mills.

Persons desiring any of the above articles, will please apply to

JOHN WILSON.

Tarboro', Sept. 1830.

NOTICE.

I WILL give a reward to any person who will give sufficient information to convict the person or persons who entered my stable on the 30th of October, in the night time, and inflicted a wound (with a knife or some sharp edged instrument) on my bay mare—Twenty-five Dollars if a negro—Fifty if a white person—and Seventy-five if a negro abetted by a white person.

BENJ. BOYKIN.

Tarboro', Nov. 2, 1830. 11

NEW GOODS.

THE Subscriber takes this method of informing his friends and the public generally, that he has just returned from New-York with a splendid assortment of

Fancy Goods,

Well adapted to the Fall and Winter seasons, together with a large supply of

GROCERIES,

Hardware, Cutlery, Crockery and Glassware, &c.

Which he is disposed to sell low for cash or barter. He will give the highest market prices for COTTON, baled or seeded—Corn, beeswax, tallow, &c. in exchange for goods at cash prices, or in payment of debts. Those wishing to purchase goods at low prices, would do well to call on the Subscriber at the Post-office, one door below the store of R & S. D. Cotten, and next door to Mrs. Gregory's Hotel.

N. H. ROUNTREE.

Tarboro', Oct. 4, 1830.

HILL'S FERRY.

THE Subscriber informs all those wishing to send Cotton to Hill's Ferry to be shipped to Norfolk, that his Warehouses will be open for the

Reception of Cotton,

By the 1st of October next.

Having been appointed Agent for Mr. JAMES GORDON, he promises to give his personal attention to the receiving and delivery of such articles as may be forwarded to him, and Cotton sent to him to be shipped to Norfolk shall meet with all possible dispatch.

Storage of Cotton, 12 1/2 cents per bale—all other articles in proportion.
WHITMEL H. ANTHONY,
Palmyra, N. C. Sept. 28, 1830. 7

MALE & FEMALE Academy.

W. A. WALKER respectfully informs the inhabitants of Edgecombe and adjacent counties, that his second session commenced on the 4th inst. at his residence seven miles from Tarborough, in the immediate neighborhood of Sparta.

Terms, per Session of 5 months.

Greek, Latin, and the subordinate branches, \$14 00
Geography, English Grammar, History, Composition, &c. &c. 8 00
Spelling, Reading, and Writing, 6 00
Boarding, Washing, and Mending, 25 00

Boarding may be had in many private families in the neighborhood, if preferred.

Under an arrangement with his present patrons, the vacation will commence 1st day of August and terminate 30th of September.

Such as did not enter at the commencement of the session, will only be chargeable from the time of their entrance up to the completion of their respective sessions. June 23, 1830.

\$25 REWARD.

RAN AWAY from the Subscriber, about the 8th inst. negro man HARRY—Harry is a bright mulatto, (half white,) with large freckles, between thirty and thirty-five years of age, near six feet high, and weighs about one hundred and seventy pounds; he is a good ditcher and well acquainted with all kinds of work usually done on a farm; he is a very intelligent ingenious fellow, well calculated to pass himself for a free man, which no doubt he will attempt to do; he is well known in this county, particularly in this and the neighborhood of the late Lemmon Ruffin, Esq. where he has a wife. The above reward will be paid on the delivery of the said Harry to me near Sparta, Edgecombe county, No. Ca. if taken within this State, or Fifty Dollars if taken without this State—and Fifty Dollars will be paid for evidence to convict any white person of harboring said negro on conviction.
RICHD. HINES.

16th Nov. 1829. 13

King & Gattin,

MERCHANT TAILORS,

WISH to inform their friends and customers, that they have just received from New-York, a new and handsome assortment of Goods in their line of business, suitable for the season...such as...

Superfine blue and black cloths, Brown, olive and steel mixtures, An assortment of Casimeres, Bang-up cord suitable for riding pantaloons,

Plain black and fig'd velvets for vests, Plain black and fancy silks for do. Dark and light cold valencias, Plain white and fig'd quiltings, Cotton flannel for draws and shirts, Patent suspenders, pocket handkerchiefs,

White and fancy cravats, black silk do. Buckskin gloves, cravat stiffeners. Together with a complete assortment of TRIMMINGS, all of which they are disposed to sell low.

Gentlemen's clothing made up at the shortest notice, and in the neatest and most fashionable style.
Tarboro', Oct. 13, 1830.

Mrs. A. C. Howard,

IS now opening her fall supply of Goods, in her line of business, and respectfully solicits her customers and friends to call and examine them—amongst her assortment will be found: Pattern Silk, Velvet, and Dunstable bonnets, latest fashions, Diamond straw Dunstablies, plain do. Lehigh and straw bonnets, Elegant turbans, caps, and capes. Curis and puffs, everlasting do. Superior ostrich feathers, Changeable silks, for dresses, Plain and fig'd silks and satins, do. Feather'd, velvet, and straw flowers, A great variety of ribbons, &c. &c.

All of which she is disposed to sell at her usual low prices.

Ladies' pelisses, cloaks, dresses, &c. made to order, in the latest and most approved fashions.

Lehigh and straw bonnets bleached, dyed, or trimmed.
Tarborough, Oct. 25, 1830.

State of North-Carolina,

EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1830.

Randolph & S. D. Cotten, } Original Attachment—
vs. } William Lain.

Levied on William Lain's interest in a certain tract of land in the county of Edgecombe, adjoining the lands of Wm. Dicken, Henry Dicken, and others—containing 157 acres, more or less.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant in this case is not a resident of this State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on him: It is therefore ordered, That publication be made in the North-Carolina Free Press, for six weeks, that unless he appear before the Justices of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, at the next Court to be held for said county, at the Court-house in Tarborough, on the fourth Monday of November next, and then and there replevy and plead to issue, judgment final will be entered up against him and the property levied on be condemned subject to the plaintiff's recovery.

Test,
MICH'L HEARN, C. C.
Price adv \$3: 50. 6

THE ESTABLISHMENT OF The North-Carolina Journal, IS FOR SALE.

THIS Office is well found in all the materials and furniture necessary for conducting a Newspaper. It has two good Presses; and besides the type in common use, it has a quantity of Ornamental, Job and other type, entirely new.

The patronage of the Journal is respectable, and might be much extended.

To a competent person, who would devote a portion of his time and talents to the management of this establishment, it holds out fair prospects of handsome remuneration.

Persons disposed to purchase, will apply to the Editor for terms, which will be liberal and accommodating.

Editors with whom we exchange, will confer an obligation upon us, by the insertion of this notice, in their respective papers, a few times.
Fayetteville, Oct. 27.

FOR SALE.

THE PLANTATION belonging to the Subscriber, containing 360 ACRES,

The greater part of which is well adapted to the culture of Corn and Cotton. It is situated on the main stage road from Warrenton to Louisburg, 3 miles west of Shocco Springs, and adjoining the lands of James Gordon, Dr. Stephen Davis, George E. Spruill and others. The plantation is now in complete repair, on it is a comfortable Dwelling House and all the necessary out houses, and sufficient open land to work 8 or 10 hands to advantage.

Any person wishing to purchase would do well to make early application. Possession will be given on the first of January next. I will also sell the whole of my Crop and Stock at the market price.

SIMEON SOUTHERLAND,
Oct. 14th, 1830. 10-3

State of North-Carolina,

EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

SUPERIOR COURT OF LAW, September Term, 1830.

Rhoda Shollington } Petition for
vs. } Divorce.

William Shollington, }

WHEREAS, a subpoena ad respondendum and alias have been issued against the defendant in this case, which was returned by the Sheriff of Edgecombe county, that the said defendant was not found, and proclamation having been made publicly at the door of the Court-house of said county, by the said Sheriff, for the defendant to appear and answer as commanded by the said subpoenas, and he having failed: It is therefore ordered by the Court, That notice be given six weeks in the North-Carolina Free Press, and the Raleigh Register, for the defendant to appear at the next Superior Court of Law to be held for Edgecombe county, at the Court-house in Tarborough, on the second Monday of March next, then and there to answer or demur to the said petition, otherwise it will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte.

WITNESS, Nathan Mathewson, Clerk of the said Court, at office, the second Monday of September, A. D. 1830.

Test,
N. MATHEWSON, Clk.
Price adv \$3: 50. 8-6

The Raleigh Register will publish the above and send account to this office.

Look at This.

THE Wardens of Edgecombe county, finding it indispensable for the accommodation of the poor of said county, to add to their building, and also finding a division among the people respecting the plan, and feeling a desire to act according to their views, they have postponed any further building until November Court next; and recommend to the captains commanding each district in said county, at their next muster, if to take place before Court, and if not to appoint one, and open a poll of election under their inspection, together with any other person they may call on to aid them:—and take the votes of every taxable person that lives in the district who comes forward to vote; the votes to be taken for or against the poor house and the votes to be returned from under their hands to some one of the Wardens or to the Board of Wardens on Wednesday in Court week, in Tarboro'. If a majority of the votes should be found in favor to the present plan, they will immediately proceed to let out the buildings before the Court-house door to the lowest undertaker, and if a majority should be against the present plan, the house and land can be sold for the support of the poor of said county.

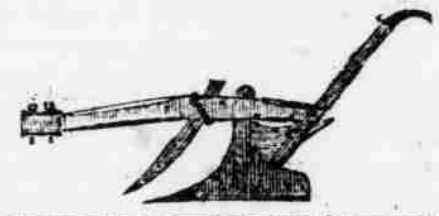
By order of the Wardens.
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Just Received, And for Sale at this Office, Lawrence & Lemay's NORTH-CAROLINA ALMANACK, FOR 1831,

Price...10 cents each, 75 cents a dozen, \$4 for half a gross, &c.
October 25, 1830.

Constables' Blanks for sale,

AGRICULTURAL.



Full sowing of Seeds.—Cabbages, Parsnips, Carrots, Spinach and Onions are sowed to the best advantage, in the fall, when it is desirable to get them early the next season. Miller's Gardener's Dictionary says:—to cultivate parsnips sow the seeds in autumn, soon after they are ripe; by which means the seed will come early the following spring, and let the plants get strong before the weeds will grow so as to injure them. The young plants never materially suffer through the severity of the season."

Indian Corn.—Mr. Hadner, of Saxony, attributes the exhaustion of the soil by Indian corn to the roots after the crop is gathered. He therefore plucks up the roots with the plant and remarks that his cornfield is favorably distinguished from those which surround it.

Scratches in Horses.—This disorder or difficulty is too well known to all who own these noble animals, or deal in them, to need particular description of it. The remedy is simple, safe, and certain, in all cases which have come to my knowledge, however inveterate. It is only to mix white lead and linseed oil in such proportions as will render the application convenient, and I never have known more than two or three applications necessary to effect a common cure.

To keep Apples for winter's use.—Put them in casks or bins, in layers well covered with dry sand, each layer being covered. This preserves them from air, from moisture & from frost; it prevents their perishing by their own perspiration, their moisture being absorbed by the sand; at the same time it preserves the flavor of the apples, and prevents their wilting. Pippins have been kept in this manner sound and fresh till midsummer; and how much longer they would have kept is not known. Any kind of sand will answer, but it must be perfectly dry.

Rustic Economy.—A stout, hungry lumberman, from the interior of Maine, who had been deprived for several weeks of his usual quantum of the good things which make up the principal daily meal, went into a Hotel in Portland, the other day, when dinner was preparing, and very seriously inquired the price of a dinner. "Fifty cents," said the landlord. "And what do you charge for a breakfast?" said the half-starved countryman. "Twenty-five cents," was the reply. "Well, then, I guess I'll take a breakfast."

Troubles spring from idleness, and grievous toils from useless ease; many without labor would live by their wits only; but they break for want of stock.