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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,
WM. TANNEHILL.
Tarboro', Oct. 15, 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 Dunstables, plain do. Leghorn and straw bonnets, Elegant turbans, caps, and capes. 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.

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

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 or 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.

JOHN S. ROBBINS,

RESPECTFULLY informs the inhabitants of Edgecombe and the adjacent counties, that he is now prepared for Repairing Cotton Gins, making & repairing riding Chairs, Gigs, &c. at his shop, about 18 miles from Tarborough, on the waters of Town Creek, near the road leading from James Bridges's to the Widow Taylor's. He will also make Bedsteads, Tables, desks, &c. at the shortest notice. All of which will be done cheap for cash, or on a short credit to punctual customers.

He would refer those having Cotton Gins out of order, to Messrs. Redding Sugg, John R. Scarborough, James Barron, and others, for satisfactory assurances of his ability to repair them. 14 Nov. 1830.

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. Cotton, 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 GORON, 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, 12½ cents per bale—all other articles in proportion.
WHITMEL H. ANTHONY.
Palmyra, N. C. Sept. 28, 1830. 7

MALE & FEMALE

Academy.

WM. 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,	8 00
History, Composition, &c. &c.	6 00
Spelling, Reading, and Writing,	25 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 & Catlin,

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. 15, 1830.

State of North-Carolina,

EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

COURT OF EQUITY,

September Term, 1830.

Jonathan Ellis, vs. Roderick Amason, Blake Little and Elijah Price.

Appearing to the satisfaction of this Court, that the said ELIJAH PRICE, one of the defendants in this case, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the North-Carolina Free Press, giving notice to the said defendant to appear at our next Court to be held for the county of Edgecombe, at the Court-House in Tarborough, on the second Monday in March next, and answer, plead or demur, or judgment will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as it respects him.

Witness, ISAAC NORFLEET, Clerk and Master of said Court, at office, the second Monday in September, 1830. Test, I. NORFLEET, C. M. C. Price adv \$3:50. 13-6

ALLEN DAVY.

I WILL inform the public that I have a young Archie horse, of the first rate blood of the mother side. He was got out of a Katler mare that was got out of one of Collector's colts, that Collector got out of a Mark Antony mare.

ALLEN DAVY,

Is a dark chesnut sorrel, and is about five feet one or two inches high, five years old last spring. I let him cover a few mares at four years old; he got ten or fifteen colts that cannot be excelled by any horse whatever, for I will show with any horse in the United States. ALLEN DAVY can be found four miles west of Hamilton, on Roanoke river; fifteen east of Tarborough; fifteen above Williamston; forty below Halifax. I take this pains to inform the public that there is such a horse, as those gentlemen wishing to raise good horses may have the opportunity, as I have not advertised him yet. If he can run, it is unknown to any person; it is judged that he can, but he has not been tried. I shall let him to mares next spring at moderate prices, which I will make known before the spring.
EDWIN EVERITT.
Nov. 17, 1830. 14-6

\$40 Reward for Guy.

GUY is a cooper by trade, he was formerly owned by Joseph Phillips, dec'd, of Edgecombe county; he has been hired by Edwin Whitehead formerly of Nash county, for the last two or three years, and has a wife at William Bellamy, Sen.'s in Nash county, and it is supposed he is lurking in that neighbourhood. I will give the above reward for the delivery of said negro in Tarborough Jail, or to me in Martin county. The said Guy is well known in Nash and Edgecombe counties as a cooper.

FIGURES LOWE.

Nov. 7, 1830. 13

Nashville

ACADEMY.

THE EXERCISES of this Institution will be resumed on the second Monday in January next, under the superintendence of Thomas G. Stone, Esq.

TUITION, as last year, viz: \$6, \$8, and \$10, per session; and Board at \$30. The ability of the Teacher, the great moderation of the terms, and the healthiness of the place, it is hoped, are sufficient inducements, to insure a liberal patronage.

H. BLOUNT, Sec'y.
Nashville, Nash County, N. C. } 16 5
29th November, 1830.

WASHINGTON

TIMES.

IN consequence of a want of punctuality on the part of most of our Subscribers in paying their subscriptions, the TIMES will cease to be published after the 25th of next month, which will make 55 numbers, or eight months since its publication. To those who have paid us for the whole year, (and they are "few and far between,") we shall stand debtor to the amount of one dollar, which they will please to apply for. Those who were Subscribers when the paper commenced, and have paid nothing, will owe us two dollars. Those who have paid the first half year's advance only, will be deficient fifty cents. Those who live at a distance, and have not been Subscribers for six months, will please value the numbers they have received at 64 cents a number, and remit us the amount as early as possible: we adopt this method in order to save the postage of our accounts. It is painful to be under the necessity of discontinuing the paper, but we have hungry mouths to feed, and French patronage is slender diet. As the reader may probably want to know what sort of patronage this is, we will tell the tale:—Once upon a time a Frenchman who had taken a newspaper for four or five years, and in the course of that time had never paid a farthing for it, was at length presented with his account by the printer's devil—"Ah ha! Monsieur devil," says the man of Gaul, "this is one grand mistake: I no 'scribe to de paper to pay, but I 'scribe to de paper to 'courage."

The Printing Establishment

OF THIS OFFICE IS FOR SALE, And may be had at a bargain. It is well supplied with all the materials necessary for conducting a newspaper and for job printing. Part of the letter in common use is new.

Washington, N. C. Nov. 27, 1830.

State of North-Carolina,

EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

JUSTICE'S COURT.

James Lewis, vs. John Ritter.

John Ellis, vs. Same.

Thos. Barron, vs. Same.

Thomas Taylor, vs. Same.

James Barron, vs. Same.

Edwin Ellis, vs. Same.

James J. Horn, vs. Same.

Ephraim Dicken, vs. Same.

Original Attachments—returned levied on three negroes & sundry other property.

Nov. 24, 1830. 15

NOTICE.

ON Wednesday, the 22d day of December next, will be sold at the late dwelling-house of ELISHA ROBBINS, dec'd, two valuable

Young Negro Fellows.

A credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving bond with approved security, upon the delivery of said negroes.

D. WILLIAMS, Guar'n.
24th Nov. 1830. 16-3

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

FOR SALE,

BY the Subscribers, two excellent second-hand COTTON GINS, which are now in good order and ready for use. They will be sold on moderate terms.

D. RICHARDS & CO.
Nov. 8, 1830.

Brinkleyville

ACADEMY.

THE BRINKLEYVILLE ACADEMY, in which the Brinkleyville Post-office is now kept by the Principal, is to open again for the reception of pupils on the 1st Monday of January next, under the continued superintendence of the Rev. SIMON WELLES, A. M. former Principal of the Quanky Academy. The price of tuition will be \$10 per session of five months for the Languages and higher English studies; and for common English branches not to exceed \$8.

Board, &c. not to exceed \$6 per month may be had of the Principal, or of others living at convenient distances from the Academy.
Nov. 24, 1830.

A VALUABLE

Farm & Negroes

FOR SALE.

THE Subscribers, under the authority of the Court of Equity for Edgecombe county, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January next, that very valuable farm, belonging to the estate of the late JOEL BATTLE, dec'd, well known by the name of the

SHELL BANK

PLANTATION.

This Farm lies on both sides of Tar river, 10 miles above Tarboro', and 8 below the Falls—and consists of

876 ACRES

Of Low Grounds, on the north side of the river, equal to any in North-Carolina—and of about

800 ACRES

Of good Uplands immediately opposite. There is a small but very comfortable

DWELLING-HOUSE,

With every other necessary building for the residence of a family and for farming operations, situate on the most eligible part of the farm. The plantation will require 18 or 20 hands, and for its size, is one of the most valuable that has been in market for many years and we trust, will receive the attention of those disposed to invest capital in good lands. The sale will take place on the premises, and the terms made known on the day of sale.

At the same time and place, we will, as Administrators, sell

8 or 10 valuable Negroes,

At six months credit—Bond and good security required as usual.

WILL. H. BATTLE.
AMOS J. BATTLE.
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