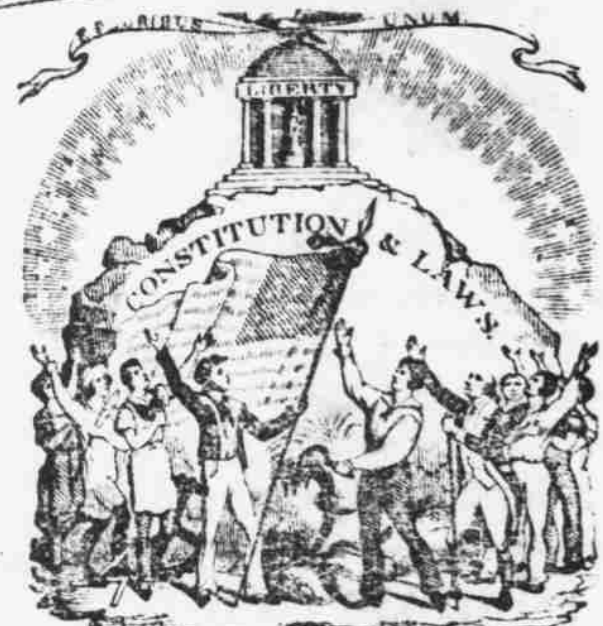


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POLITICAL.



From the Southern Press.

Financial Condition of Ohio.—The
 system of public works in Ohio is the
 theme of admiration among newspaper po-
 litical economists next to that of New
 York. In Ohio the system consists chief-
 ly of canals connecting the great thor-
 oughfares of the lakes and the Ohio river,
 and running through very fertile regions
 of country. They are now all completed,
 and, we see by the Governor's message,
 yielded a gross revenue of \$728,085 last
 year. From this is to be deducted
 \$329,595 for repairs, which leaves a net
 revenue of \$398,490. These works cost
 twenty millions of dollars, for which a
 debt was contracted at six per cent. They
 yield a net revenue of less than one and a
 half per cent. on their cost. We com-
 mend this result to the notice of the South-
 ern States, which are constantly urged to
 extend their public works in imitation of
 Northern enterprise.

The public debt of Ohio is now \$18,741,594, and her taxes are:

For general revenue	275,901
For payment of principal and interest on Canal loans	988,433
Total	\$1,264,334

The permanent burthen of taxation
 which she has incurred by the system of
 internal improvement is about eight hun-
 dred thousand dollars per annum.

If we estimate the value of her public
 works by the income they afford, they
 are worth about five million of dollars, her
 loss by the policy is therefore fifteen mil-
 lions of dollars. It is said that the inci-
 dental advantages of the system in promot-
 ing emigration and raising the value of
 property is greater than the sum thus
 lost. But what would have been the inci-
 dental advantages of saving this sum,
 and devoting it to the purposes of culti-
 vation and improvement under the eye
 and judgment of the individual citizens?
 A much greater rise in the value of prop-
 erty.

Ohio has increased rapidly in population
 and wealth. But that is the result of her
 great natural fertility and immediate vic-
 inity to the Central and Northern States,
 whose population was so dense, and whose
 soil, as compared with hers, was so poor,
 and yet so dear.

A Green One.—A young lawyer from
 North Carolina who arrived in New Or-
 leans yesterday morning, while walking
 about to see the "Elephant," strolled into
 a "Peter Funk" auction shop on St.
 Charles street. Large lots of jewelry,
 and numerous valuable gold repeaters
 were being sold at ruinously low prices,
 and the green one was astonished. Soon,
 a gentlemanly looking man came up to
 him and mentioned with the appearance
 of great anxiety that there was a chance
 to make a splendid speculation, and pro-
 posed to our friend that he should put his
 money in and "go halves." He at once
 consented and pulled out his wallet, and
 handed the man a roll of bills amounting
 to \$2,000. The stranger got into the
 crowd and was soon out of sight and when
 the anxious green horn tried to find him
 to see about the speculation, he was no
 where.

a cent in the world. He knew not what
 to do, but finally came to the conclusion
 that he would go to another shop and sell
 his watch, a valuable one, which he had
 just purchased.

This he did, but to his surprise the
 watch only brought \$3, and the green one
 is now in the city moneyless though rich
 in experience.—*La Courier.*

How it Works.—Mr John Myrick, a
 respectable citizen of Hertford County,
 North Carolina, a short time since, was
 preparing to emigrate with his family and
 negroes to a more Southern State for the
 purpose of establishing a cotton planta-
 tion. A few days previous to the time
 which he had fixed for his departure, he
 apprised his slaves of his intentions, and
 some half dozen of them being averse to
 accompany their master, ran away. They
 were apprehended after being out a few
 days, and lodged in the jail of Isle of
 Wight County in this State. On being
 searched, free papers were found upon
 their persons, purporting to come from
 the Clerk of that County, which serves to
 prove that we have insidious men in our
 midst who are acting the part of aboli-
 tionists, and aiding these misguided crea-
 tures in effecting their escape to the
 North.

But this is not all, in connection with
 this matter, Mr. Myrick arrived with his
 absconding property—which for the pur-
 pose of security, he had hand-cuffed,
 Thursday evening in the cars at Ports-
 mouth—when a party of negroes discover-
 ing what was going on assembled around
 the cars and indulged in the most impu-
 dent language and odious epithets in ref-
 erence to the owner. Indignant at being
 assailed in such a manner. Mr Myrick
 struck one of the fellows with his fist in
 the face, who, in return, threw a brick at
 Mr. M., inflicting a heavy blow in the
 side. The villain would have been shot
 on the spot by Mr. Myrick had there not
 been danger that some unoffending per-
 son in the crowd might have been wound-
 ed or killed from the darkness and confu-
 sion of the hour. The offender was
 identified and arrested yesterday, and car-
 ried before Justice Nash, of Portsmouth,
 who ordered him to receive thirty lashes
 on his bare back, well laid on, and that
 his owner be required to give bond in a
 heavy penalty for his future good behav-
 iour. In default of which he was com-
 mitted to jail. He is the property of
 Mrs Webb. We have a great reverence
 for the laws, but our opinion is that the
 miscreant should be hung without the
 benefit of trial, as an example and terror
 to all others in like cases offending.
Norfolk Argus.

Female Progress.—Eight young lad-
 ies have been awarded diplomas, at the
 Oberlin College, Ohio. One of them was
 "a colored young lady." One of the lad-
 ies who has finished the theological
 course intends to devote herself to preach-
 ing.—*Baltimore Argus.*

The Pork Trade.—The Rising Sun
 (Ind.) Mirror, of the 31st ult., says that
 the number of hogs to be packed in that
 place, during the coming season, will ex-
 ceed that of any previous year. One of
 the packers there has already contracted
 for 12,400 head at three dollars.

Pork.—A small drove of Virginia hogs,
 first of the season, has been readily dis-
 posed of at \$5 per hundred, in the Lynch-
 burg market.—*Lynchburg Republican.*

Hogs—Prices.—Hog killing has been
 retarded this season, and from present in-
 dications it will be three weeks before the
 season commences. Last year operations
 commenced about this time, and the weather
 was cold and suitable. The weather
 now is remarkably warm, and not a sin-
 gle drove of hogs has yet been started.
 We hear of various sales in Fayette county
 at \$2 35 and \$2 50 gross; also sales in
 other sections at \$2 50 and \$2 60, on foot,
 and a few sales at \$2 65, delivered at the
 pens.—*Memphis Southerner.*

The amount of California gold re-
 ceived at the Philadelphia mint has aver-
 aged for the last eleven months two and a
 half millions of dollars per month.

The Subscribers

HAVE formed a Copartnership under the
 style and firm of
Pittman & Cuthbert.

For the purpose of conducting a general
GROCERY
And Commission Business.
 They are now receiving from the North
 ern cities a general and well selected as-
 sortment of GOODS in their line, which
 having been purchased by their agents
 there for *Cash*, they will be enabled to
 fill the orders of their friends upon the
 very best terms.

They offer their services to the Farmers
 and others of North Carolina in the sale of
 their produce—pledging in advance their
 best exertions to render entire satisfaction.

They will be prepared at all times to
 make liberal advancements on produce
 when required.

BLAKE PITTMAN,
CHARLES H. CUTHERBERT.
 Petersburg, Jan'y 1, 1850.
 P. B. Pittman, will as formerly attend,
 the Courts of Edgecombe county.

Flake and scrape
TURPENTINE.

TURPENTINE makers, desirous of
 contracting for the above named articles,
 will find it to their interest to call on, or
 communicate with the undersigned.
WM. H. WILLARD.
 Washington, N. C., Oct. 1st, 1850.

THE UNDERSIGNED has in Store,
 received per late arrival from Baltimore,
 New York and Boston, a large

Stock of Goods,
 which he will sell at very low prices for
 cash, or on approved credit: Consisting in
 part of,
 23 hhds. good retailing molasses,
 15 tierces " " "
 60 bags Rio and Laguayra Coffee,
 8 hhds. P. R. and N. O. Sugar,
 15 bbls. and boxes of crushed, powdered
 and loaf do.
 200 bbls. New York Flour,
 100 " Western Mess Pork,
 175 " Whiskey, Rum, and Gin,
 75 " Butter, Sugar, Soda and Pic-
 Nic Crackers,
 35 boxes Candles, warranted to give
 satisfaction,
 50 " Osgood's Family Soap,
 50 kegs Powder,
 150 bags Shot,
 200 reams Wrapping Paper,
 25 " F. C. and Letter do.
 150 kegs Nails 4s to 20s inclusive,
 25 boxes 5s and 8s Tobacco.
W. H. WILLARD.
 Washington, N. C., Oct. 1st, 1850.

Farm for Sale.

BEING desirous of removing to a war-
 mer climate, I now offer for sale, my plan-
 tation in Warren County, lying on Fish-
 ing and Reedy Creeks, and adjoining the
 lands of Rev. Wm. Hooper D. D. and oth-
 ers, in a pleasant and healthy neighbor-
 hood—and convenient to the Select High
 School of Dr. Hooper.

The farm lies 12 miles east of Warren-
 ton and 7 miles South of Littleton Depot,
 and contains

716 Acres.
 There is on it a large and commodious
 Dwelling, containing ten rooms and eight
 fireplaces, all complete, with all necessary
 out houses, Barns, Stables, &c.

ALSO,
 Five-ninths of 798 Acres, containing a
 large quantity of low grounds, lying near
 the above mentioned tract.

These Lands are well adapted to the
 culture of Corn, Wheat, Cotton, Oats and
 Tobacco.

Also for Sale,
 An interest in a Store House and Lot
 at Littleton Depot, on which I have never
 received less than fifteen per cent, and am
 now receiving Twenty-seven per cent in
 rent.

All, or any part of the above property
 will be sold on accommodating terms—
 Bond and approved Security required.
 Persons wishing further particulars will
 please address me at Littleton Depot.
HENRY HARRIS.
 August 29th, 1850.

Dudley's Anti-rheumatic Oil.

*A certain and speedy Cure for Chronic
 Rheumatism, Spasms of the Mus-
 cles, Ligaments and Back, and
 for Sprains, Bruises, and
 Contusions.*

THE history of this invaluable medicine is re-
 markable. It has risen into notice, and estab-
 lished a high and just reputation in the region
 of country where it has been tried, alone from the
 surprising and numerous cures it has effected.
 The Proprietor Dr. Samuel Dudley, Hospital
 Surgeon, on the Island of Portsmouth, North
 Carolina, has used it with unerring success, both
 in the hospital, and in his private practice about
 twenty years—During that period it has been at-
 tracting public attention, and gradually rising in-
 to general and high reputation in all that region
 of country, solely, by the surprising certainty of
 the cures it has uniformly effected. Until very
 recently it has never been advertised, nor have
 any pains been taken to extend its celebrity. Its
 high reputation therefore is permanent, because
 it is based upon surprising and unerring experi-
 ments alone. The Proprietor encouraged by its
 eminent success in cases of Chronic Rheuma-
 tism, and by the advice of his friends, and he
 will add, actuated by a desire to extend as far as
 possible the benefits of its healing properties, is
 now taking measures to make its wonderful prop-
 erties generally known. All he asks is a fair
 trial. It is now offered to the public in the
 Eastern portion of North Carolina. The propi-
 etor is perfectly willing to put the result of its
 success or failure upon its success or failure, in
 curing or failure to cure any case of Chronic
 Rheumatism, or other affection for which it is re-
 commended.

Certificates from highly respectable sources
 like the following, can be multiplied to almost
 any extent. A few are appended.

The following has been politely furnished by
 that highly esteemed citizen, Col. Joshua Tayloe,
 of Beauf county, N. C., well known as a valu-
 able member of our State Senate, and present
 Collector of the Port of Ocracoke, North Caroli-
 na:—

"At the request of Dr. Samuel Dudley of Ports-
 mouth, North Carolina, I state that some years
 ago one of my sons had a severe and protracted
 attack of Rheumatism, and by using his "Anti-
 Rheumatic Oil" he was relieved.

It gives me great pleasure also to say that be-
 sides this case, I have heard of others which con-
 vince me that this oil is very valuable in cases of
 Rheumatism."
JOSHUA TAYLOE.
 Washington, N. C. June 28, 1848.

For sale by **Geo. Howard.**



Fare Reduced.

THE Stage Fare from Rocky Mount to
 Washington is reduced to \$5—or,

From Rocky Mount to Tarboro'	\$1 50
" " " Sparta	2 00
" " " Falkland	2 50
" " " Greenville	3 00
" " " Pacolus	4 00
" " " Washington	5 00
" Tarboro' to Sparta	2 00
" " " Falkland	1 00
" " " Greenville	2 00

 For seats, &c. apply to H. Wiswall,
 Washington—Goold Hoyt, Greenville—
 or to **Geo. Howard, Tarboro'.**
 February 1, 1848.

The Human Hair

Is admitted by civilized as well as barbarous
 nations to be when full, flowing and perfect, the
 greatest ornament, and when imperfect or wanting
 the greatest disadvantage to the personal appear-
 ance of male or female. That it is a *duty* to pre-
 serve and beautify it, all will admit. This article
 has been for more than 20 years used extensively.
 It has the testimony of many of the most respect-
 able citizens in this country, who certify to the
 fact, that the

BALM OF COLUMBIA

First, in all cases stops the hair falling out or
 restores it in most if fallen, and in all cases if lost
 by sickness; and keeps off dandruff and scurf on
 infants and adults. Second, perfumes the hair
 and preserves it to old age from turning gray.
 Should always be used at toilette. Third, gives
 great vigor and rapid growth to the hair, and causes
 it to curl beautifully. Lastly, prevents all
 filth or its consequence on children's heads, and
 exceeds all other articles for the hair in quality,
 quantity and cheapness. Many articles have been
 started on the reputation of this, and are without
 merit though they have been and are sold at dou-
 ble the prices of this balm.
 The gray haired will find the Indian Hair Dy-
 perfect and effectual.
 To the halt and lame—Dr. Hewes' nerve and
 bone liniment is the most effectual cure for rheu-
 matism and contracted cords and muscles.
 For sale by **Geo. Howard.**

Thomas L. Liddon,
BRICKLAYER & PLASTERER,

INFORMS the citizens of Martin and the
 adjacent counties, that he has
Removed to Hamilton,

And is fully prepared to execute all jobs in
 his line of business, that may be entrusted
 to him. He has competent workmen in his
 employ, and can give satisfactory assuran-
 ces, that all work entrusted to him will be
 executed expeditiously and in a workman-
 like manner. *References.*

Jos. Waldo, Hamilton,
Wm. Norfleet, Tarboro',
Baker Station, Edgecombe Co.,
Goold Hoyt, Greenville.
Hamilton, April 3, 1850

Graefenberg Medicines.

JUST RECEIVED, the Graefenberg
 Sarsaparilla Compound—the celebrated
 Children's Panacea—the Eye Lotion—the
 health Bitters—the Fever and Ague Pills
 —the Vegetable Pills, and the Green
 Mountain Vegetable Ointment.
 For sale by **Geo. Howard.**



Mullets! Mullets!!

JUST RECEIVED, 10 bbls. New
 Mullets, which will be sold cheap for
Cash, by **Geo Howard.**

JOHN NORFLEET,

*General Agent for Land Bounty and
 other claimants,*
TARBORO', NO. CAROLINA.

HE will attend promptly to the prosecu-
 tion of all kinds and classes of claims
 before the different Departments of Govern-
 ment—Pensions, three months extra
 pay, back pay, bounty lands, and other
 claims growing out of the Revolutionary
 war, the late war with Great Britain of
 1812, the Mexican war, and the Indian
 wars since 1790.
 All letters of inquiry, postage paid, will
 be attended to immediately.
 October 23, 1850.

Bagging and rope.

THE Subscribers have now on hand
 their supply of
Bagging and Rope, viz:
 Heavy Gunny and German, bagging—
 Best Kentucky Hemp and lube rope—
 all for sale at unusually low prices.
PITTMAN & CUTHBERT.
 Petersburg, Va. August, 1850.

Cotton Yarn and sheetings

Manufactured by the Blount's Creek
 Co., of Fayetteville, for sale by their
 Agent, **W. H. WILLARD.**
 Washington, June 29th, 1850.

Lime.

100 casks Thomaston Lime, s'nt receiv-
 ed, for sale by **W. H. WILLARD**
 Washington, June 29th, 1850.

Nails.

200 Kegs nails from 4d to 20d inclu-
 sive, for sale very low by
W. H. WILLARD.
 Washington, N. C. June 29th, 1850.

Coffee.

70 bags Laguira and Cape coffee, for
 sale by **W. H. WILLARD.**
 Washington, June 29th, 1850.

Molasses.

33 hhds. } good retailing molasses for
 40 bbls. } sale by **W. H. WILLARD.**
 Washington, June 29th, 1850.

Notice.

For coughs and lung complaints use Dr. Bar-
 tholomew's Pink Expectorant syrup.
 Sick head aches, though constitutional or inciden-
 tal, is cured by Dr. Spohn's head ache remedy.
 Lin's balm of China, for the cure of all diseases
 that require external application.
 For sale by **Geo. Howard.**

H. D. Turner's
Almanacs for 1851,

For sale by **Geo. Howard, Tarboro'.**