

aim, and immediate remedy for such events, which is nothing more than a dessert spoonful of made up mustard mixed in a tumbler of warm water, and drank immediately; it acts as an instantaneous emetic, is always ready, and may be used with safety in any case where one is required. By a mistake where a gentleman took a full ounce of poison instead of salts, and no doubt an invaluable life was preserved to his family by giving the mustard directly.

A few years ago, a wealthy man who sold flour and dried meat in Chamber-burg, was applied to by a Negro for some of the latter article. The purchaser selected a ham, which was accordingly weighed, and when handed to him he solicited to be trusted for its price a few days. Having been frequently deceived by such customers, and the present one being totally a stranger to him the seller persisted in refusing his request. The Negro, in this dilemma, as a last effort to gain his object, with great apparent simplicity proposed to cut the ham in two, and leave the one half to the seller as a pledge for the fulfilment of his promise of payment. This proposition met the ready approbation of the seller, and it was immediately carried into operation.

The duped gentleman himself related this affair to a neighbor, some time after its occurrence, lamenting that he had not inquired the name of the negro, and actually was not sensible of his folly until heartily laughed at.

It is curious that some learned dunces, because they can write nonsense in languages that are dead, should despise those that can talk sense in languages that are living. To acquire a few tongues, such a French writer, is the task of a few years, but to be eloquent in one is the labor of a life.—*Lacon*.

A colonel of a regiment of cavalry, was lately complaining, that from the ignorance and inattention of his officers, he was obliged to do the whole duty of the regiment,—“I am (said he) my own captain, my own lieutenant, my own cornet,”—“And your own trumpeter, I presume,” said a lady present.

The count de Grasse being wounded in the knee with a musket ball, the surgeon made many incisions. Losing patience, at last, he asked them why they cut and carved so cruelly. “We seek for the ball,” said they. “Why the d—l did you not speak before, (said the count) I have it in my pocket.”

*A Fanatic.*—A fanatic lately preaching in a street in Philadelphia, catching a glimpse of the Delaware exclaimed, “there is the river Jordan,” and immediately ran full tilt and jumped into it. His congregation kept up the race at his heels, till he leapt from the wharf, but there they halted. They afforded him assistance, and he was willing on second thoughts to live a little longer.

As no roads are so rough as those that have just been mended, so no sinners are so intolerant as those that have just burned saints.—*Lacon*

#### Barley Wanted.

From 60 to 75 cents, according to the quality, will be given for BARLEY, at Albrights in Orange, or J. A. Logan's Greensboro'. Farmers are particularly solicited to raise Barley as a certain and liberal price will be given for the article in future in this section of the country.

GREENSBORO' & SCHOOLS. August 23, 1826. 48b.

#### Read This Too!

The General Association of the Manuscript Society of North Carolina will commence at Center Meeting House, in Guilford county, eleven miles south of Greensborough, on Friday the 5th of next month, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The different Branch Societies connected with this Association, we hope will send the number of delegates to which the constitution entitles them; and these delegates will be required to furnish a correct account of the number of members embraced in each branch.

Those who feel interested in promoting the object of the institution will please to give their attention.

WM. SWAIM, Sec'y.

August 23, 1826.

#### State of North-Carolina.

Guilford County.

Superior Court of Law, April Term 1826

Hannah Cobb, by her next friend, vs. Joel B. Low.

Judicial Attachment.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant Joel B. Low is not an inhabitant of this state. It is ordered by the court, that publication be made six weeks in *The Patriot*, printed in Greensborough, and *Haverhill Register*, that the said Defendant Joel B. Low, appear before his Honor the Judge of the Superior Court of Law, to be holden for the county of Guilford, in the Town of Greensborough, on the fourth Monday after the fourth Monday in September next, then and there to plead and replevy, otherwise this cause shall be heard *ex parte*.

A. C. GAY, Test. THOMAS CALDWELL, Clerk. Aug 23 1826. 18b—Ps. f. 83 50

#### Ten Cents Reward.

Run away from the subscriber on the 21st of July last, a bond boy by the name of John Farrington, about 19 years of age, fair complexion, light hair, blue eyes by nature, though by intoxication red commonly. His clothing are of both foreign and domestic, and tolerably good. He is by profession a Shoe-Maker.—Any person that will deliver said boy to me shall be entitled to the above reward. I also forewarn all persons from trading with, hiring, harboring or feeding said boy, under the penalty of the law. JAMES FARRINGTON. Aug. 23, 1826. 18b.

#### DR. J. A. FOULKES,

Having returned from Philadelphia, where he has been attending a course of Medical Lectures in the University of Pennsylvania, respectfully informs his friends and the public in generally, that he intends commencing immediately, the practice of Medicine in its various branches, in the Town of Greensborough, the vicinity and in the adjoining Counties, when his services are required.

He has purchased the House and Lot owned by Dr. Watson, as well as the whole of his Medicines: These, with the addition of those he purchased in the City of Philadelphia, will make, it is presumed, a Shop not inferior to any in the state. Persons from the country, can be supplied with Medicines on reasonable terms. Physicians whose assortment may be broken, will on application, be supplied at a moderate advance on the prime cost.

Those who require his professional services, may rely on his promptness and punctuality, as well as his best exertions to serve them faithfully. he can promise no more; the tests of his medical skill can only be applied by a candid and generous public when they become sufficiently acquainted with him.

Greensborough, April 21, 1826. If

#### FOR SALE,

An excellent GIGG & HARNESS nearly new. Apply at this Office: August 2, 1826.—151b.

#### Shoe & Boot Making.

The Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he has now on hand about 300 dollars worth of Shoes, Shoetees and Bootes, which he will sell much lower than he has heretofore done, far east, and will venture to say as low as work of the same quality can be bought in the state. He would also inform them that he has a quantity of the best northern Leather, and will continue to manufacture, so as to keep a good assortment and be able to furnish those who may favor him with their custom.

He now returns his thanks for former patronage, and hopes by prompt attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

JAMES BRANNOCK.

Greensboro' June 27—101f

#### SCHOOL BOOKS.

Just Received and for sale at this Office, a variety of School Books consisting in part of,

Webster's, Dilworth's, Murray's and New York Spelling Books.

Murray's English Reader,

Sequel to the English Reader,

Introduction to the English Reader,

English Grammar, (large and small.)

Exercise and Key.

Boycastles Algebra,

Key to Algebra.

Smiley's Geography and Atlas.

Pike's, and Dilworth's Arithmetic,

Walker's Dictionary,

Green's Lectures.

Blair's Catechism. Copy plates, &c.

#### CLASSICAL BOOKS.

Lexicons, Græca Minora, Greek

as a poets, Virgil, Daphni, David,

and Translation of Virgil, Sallust,

Cæsar, Vari Romæ, Selectæ Veteri,

Cornelius Nepos, Mair's Introduction,

Adam's Latin Grammar Rud-

oman's Introduction, Wettenhall's

Greek Grammar.

ALSO—Revisal of the Law

North Carolina, Potter's Jurisprudence,

Taylor's Digest, Martin on Executors.

Family Bibles, Watt's Psalms and

Hymns. Portraiture of Quakerism,

Watt's on the Mind, &c. &c.

Fine and common Writing Paper,

by the quire or ream.

Orders for Books that are not

on hand can be filled at a few days

notice.

Greensboro' Aug. 2 1826.

#### DR. R. P. WILLIAMSON.

OFFERS his professional services to the Town of Greensborough and the county of Guilford—He hopes after receiving the best opportunities in his Medical education, and some experience in the practice, to do justice to patients that may be entrusted to his care. He has opened his Shop in the eastern wing of Slade's new building, where he can always be found, except when absent on professional business.

May 10, 1826.—31f.

#### THE HERALD OF SALVATION.

Will be published at Philadelphia, semi-monthly, containing eight pages octavo, and constituting a volume of nearly 200 pages, at one dollar per year, payable by the city subscribers, in advance, and in six months by those in the country.

The work will be conducted by the subscribers, and devoted to the promotion of impartial grace and salvation—the illustration of the sacred scriptures—and the defence of the unscripted principles of christianity, and moral virtue. Religious intelligence will be sought and procured, and brief and interesting extracts inserted, with a view to public edification, moral instruction, and the advancement of the empire of Christ.

S. R. SMITH,

PITT MORSE,

Editors who insert the foregoing, and forward their papers, will receive "The Herald" in exchange.

#### VARIETY.

Antidote against Poisons.

A correspondent of the London Literary Gazette, alluding to the numerous cases of death by accident in poisonings, and particularly to the melancholy fate of the late royal academican, Mr. Owen, adds:—“I have ventured to affirm, there is scarcely a case of poisoning, which does not contain an invaluable, cer-