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Sight Checks on New York 1/2 per cent. Premium.

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Notes of the South Carolina and Virginia Banks received.

J. D. WILLIAMS,

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NORTH CAROLINA.

July 19th, 1850. 83

FEMALE SEMINARY,

Warrenton, N. C.

THE ninth Term of this School will commence on the 15th of January 1851 and terminate the first week in November.

Terms as follows, per session of five months:

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| Board, | \$50 00 |
| English Tuition, | 12 00 |
| French, | 10 00 |
| German, | 10 10 |
| Music on Harp and use of instrument, | 35 00 |
| Music on Piano and use of instrument, | 10 00 |
| Music on Guitar and use of instrument, | 20 00 |
| Drawing and Painting, | 10 00 |
| Painting in oil colors, | 15 00 |
| Washing and Fuel, | 6 00 |
| Useful and Ornamental Needle work free of charge. | |

No extra charge whatever will be made. Books, Stationary, &c., furnished at the lowest retail prices.

It is particularly desirable that pupils should be present at the commencement of the session, as studies will then be arranged and classes formed.

All articles of clothing must be marked with the owners name in full.

A circular containing fuller information will be addressed to all persons who may desire it.

DANIEL TURNER,

Warrenton, January 1st, 1851. 51-1

MUSIC STORE.

HAVING returned from the Northern cities, after making the most careful and choice collection in his line, the subscriber is now prepared to offer to the public a splendid assortment of Musical Merchandise, embracing

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A large and general assortment of the most popular and fashionable. New music constantly received from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, and any piece not found in his catalogue can be procured in a week.

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A large and elegant assortment of the best Italian Strings. Persons wishing to purchase either by the single string or bundle, will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing elsewhere.

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Raleigh, December 29th. 81 1

Law School

AT

HILLSBORO, N. C.

THE next session of this Institution will commence on the 15th of January, 1851, and continue until the 7th of June, following.

Young gentlemen who are desirous of reading Law with the undersigned, will do well to attend at the first of the Session, so that they may be formed into the necessary classes. This will benefit the pupil, as well as lighten the labours of the teacher.

The one or the other of the instructors will have charge of the School nearly all the year, and during a portion of the time both will be here to give instruction.

Text-books can be had here at the prices charged by Mr. E. J. Hale, of Fayetteville.

Tuition fees for the whole course of legal instruction will be ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

J. L. BAILEY,

F. NASH.

Hillsboro', Dec. 31st, 1850. 1 2m

Classical and Mathematical

SCHOOL.

Hillsborough, N. C.

THE exercises of the Caldwell Institute having been discontinued, the subscribers will open a School on the 11th day of January, 1851, in the building lately used by that institution, under their own control and direction.

The course of instruction will be such as to prepare young men thoroughly for the Sophomore class in College, or when a College course is not intended, for the business transactions of life.

The strictest attention will be given to the moral department of the students, and if long experience in the education of youth be a ground of confidence to those who may patronize the School, we promise to use that experience to promote the best interests of those who may be committed to our charge.

Terms in the Classical and Mathematical department, \$20; and in English \$15 a session in advance.

ALEX. WILSON

RALPH H. GRAVES.

Hillsboro', Dec., 21st, 1850. 103

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that application will be made to the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Cape Fear, at the expiration of three months from this date, for the issue of a new certificate for 21 shares of the stock of said Bank, in the name of Dr. Isaac Burns, dec'd in the stead of one lost.

Application will also be made to the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of the State of North Carolina at the expiration of three months, for the issue of a new Certificate, for 10 shares of the Stock of said Bank, in the name of Dr. Isaac Burns dec'd, in the stead of one lost.

E. B. BURNS, A't'm'r.

Dec. 20th, 1850. 103

Livery Stables!

THE Subscribers, take occasion to inform their friends and the public generally, that they will carry on the business, in all its branches, at the same stand; and that no efforts nor expense will be spared on their part to accommodate the travelling community. Conveyances, with good horses and careful drivers, will be furnished at all times and at short notice; and in fact, every convenience for travelling, in the way of

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Orders from abroad respectfully solicited; December 2nd, 1850.

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RALEIGH, N. C.

THE 18th Term of this School will commence on the Fourth day of January 1851, and continue till the 7th of June.

For a Circular containing full particulars, apply to the Subscriber.

ALDERT SMEDES, Rector.

December 4th, 1850. 98
Standard, Fayetteville Observer, Chronicle, Commercial and Journal, Wilmington, Newbernian, Watchman, Salisbury, N. S. Whig, Washington, Old North State, E. City, Petersburg Intelligencer, Norfolk Herald and National Intelligencer, will insert five times, and send their bill to A. S.

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A fresh supply of Ayers Cherry Pectoral just received and for sale by

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A Large supply of Linseed Oil just to hand at

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Dec. 9th, 1850. 99

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT on the Capital stock of this Bank, has been declared for the last six months—payable at the Principal Bank on the first Monday in January next and at the Branches fifteen days thereafter.

C. DEWEY, Cashier.
Raleigh, December 11th, 1850. 100

Star, Times, and Standard copy.

See R. R. R. R.

To the Citizens of N. Carolina particularly.

WE can measure and furnish an entire suit of clothes (including coat, pantaloons, and vest,) at from 35 to \$44; and will warrant them to be equal in all respects to any that can be furnished in the United States for that money. Gentlemen need no longer send out of the State for cheap clothing, unless they prefer it.

OLIVER & PROOTER.
Raleigh, Nov. 8, 1850. 99

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THE Subscribers have this day formed a Copartnership in a general business as

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Raleigh, December 9th, 1850. 99

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November 25th, 1850. w2w

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POMEROY & O'NEAL.
Dec. 24. 104

REMARKS OF MR. WOODFIN.

In the Senate, Wednesday, Dec. 4th, 1850, on the Bill for calling a Convention to amend the Constitution.

MR. SPEAKER: It is apparent from what we see and hear from different sections of the State, that amendments to the constitution of the State are demanded by the People. This, I believe is generally admitted. It is equally clear that different amendments are desired in different sections of the State; and some diversity of opinion as to the extent of the amendments exists amongst citizens of the same section of the State.

A very large proportion of our fellow citizens are deprived of the right of suffrage, and have no voice in constituting this branch of the Legislature. This is an evil much complained of, and totally inconsistent with the theory of our government.

The basis of representation in this House being taxation, without regard to population, gives a minority of the people of the State the controlling power in the Senate, over a large majority of the free citizens of the State. This is also at war with every principle of equality and justice.

The basis of representation in the House of Commons is justly complained of as operating unequally; allowing to each county, however small, one member, and apportioning the remaining forty-one members amongst the counties according to Federal population; by which three-fifths of the slaves and free negroes are counted, and represented as people.

It is also desired, by many of our citizens, to so amend the constitution that the Judges and Justices of the Peace may be elected by the people, and the term of office limited.

There are other amendments spoken of, and perhaps demanded by a majority of the people.

Yet we hear doubts here expressed whether a majority of the people desire any change; and, amongst those who agree that a large majority demand a change, there is much difference of opinion as to the particular amendments demanded, and as to the mode of making these amendments. It is then certain that we can never agree as to the amendments to be made by the Legislature, and quite as clear that, if we now agree upon any one or more amendments, the next Assembly will either add to or diminish what we propose, and thereby defeat our action. But if they should not, it is not probable that the public mind would be quieted.

It is therefore proposed by the bill now under consideration, to obviate all of these difficulties and delays by calling a Convention of the People by their Delegates, to determine for themselves whether they desire any amendment or amendments; and if so, what amendments; and thus settle at once these exciting and delicate questions.

This bill, Mr. Speaker, proposes an unrestricted Convention to amend the State Constitution—a right that has never been granted to the people of this State; or rather, a right that has ever been withheld from them. Sir, on reference to the records of the first organization of our State government, it will be found that the body of the people had no voice. All power was assumed by the freeholders and householders. Early in the year 1775, a Committee of Safety, consisting of thirteen freeholders, was elected by the freeholders and householders of the Province; and a Committee of twenty-one freeholders was elected by the freeholders and householders of each county.

On the 9th of August, 1776, the Committee of Safety ordered Delegates to be elected from the freeholders of each county, not exceeding five from each, by the freeholders and householders of the respective counties, to meet in Congress at Halifax, on the 12th day of