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Ours are the plans of fair and lawful peace, Unwarped by party rage, to live like brothers.

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To the Editor of the Register,

Calumny, in whatever garb it may be dressed, or however secure the object may be from its deadly mischief, should at all times be treated with a marked disrespect...

These sentiments are particularly applicable to a piece that appeared in your last Monday's paper, signed by the Justices of Lincoln County...

Having read the publication, and not doubting of the real motives of the authors, I enquired if the Judge intended to answer it, and was informed (as I expected) that he did not...

I was one who happened to be present in court when the motion was made for bailing Collins and Twitty at the last term, and heard, I believe, every word that was uttered by the court upon that question...

Whether the words published in the Register compare exactly with those spoken by the Judge, my memory cannot determine; but it is well known that publications of this kind are made up from memory...

lony appeared to be so extensive, and the prisoners at the bar so influential and hardy, that no justice in that county was to be trusted with the performance of such a duty...

That many persons of Lincoln County have been long suspected of making and passing counterfeit bank notes—that it was so understood and confidently believed in the county generally...

It is neither my wish nor purpose to give to this conduct a hard name; but a member of their own body has insinuated, in terms too unequivocal to be misunderstood, that the Justices who took the bail were actuated by fear or favour...

hension of Collins and others, any influence? Or could it be the large sum advanced by the Government of the U. States as an extraordinary remuneration for supposed extraordinary services?

Let your Lincoln men look to this and beware; for it is already rumoured, that, under the mask of Patriotism, the vilest speculations have been practised upon the Government...

When these things are known (and the facts cannot be denied by the Justices individually, whatever they may do collectively) where are those unjust and unfounded aspersions in the publication alluded to?

The committee who signed the publication from Lincoln (or from Salisbury, or from whatever quarter it came) acted ostensibly under an appointment by all the Justices of the county. Can the fact be so?

Whatever Squire Wheeler may have done or refused to do, I neither know nor care; but I cannot agree that his decisions have a binding authority upon the opinions of Judges. I believe him to be an honest man...

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any person, upon the information and oath of one competent in law to make such oath, may demand a criminal warrant against any person, whether he be rich or poor, or whether he be a judge, a justice, or a vagabond...

Whether Clary carried with him his reprieve, as represented by the committee, is to me unknown; nor was it at all material to be known when the application for the warrant was made...

The committee say, that if they had taken Clary's deposition, they would have preserved a duplicate of it: I say, that if the Judge had taken it, he would have preserved the original. But the fact is, as I am informed, no written deposition was taken...

Now say, impartial reader, whether any blame attaches to the Judge for the declarations ascribed to him, and which, for ought I can positively say to the contrary, may be correct...

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In addition to their Stock on hand of Dry, East and West-India Goods and salt, they have imported in the Ship Rodney, Captain Heard, from Liverpool, an extensive and general Assortment of Dry Goods...

SHERIFFS' SALES. WILL BE SOLD. At the Court-House in Elizabeth Town, on Thursday the 25th day of September. THE following Lots in said Town...

WILL BE SOLD. At the Court-House in Newbern, on Saturday the 11th of October, the following Tracts of Land, or so much thereof, as will pay the Taxes due thereon for the year 1805...

WILL BE SOLD. On the 27th of October, at the Court-House of Brunswick County, for the taxes due thereon for the year 1805...

WILL BE SOLD. At the Court-House in Raleigh, on Tuesday the 7th of October, if the sums due thereon for City Taxes be not paid to the Collector in the mean time...

MARSHAL'S SALE. TO BE SOLD to the highest Bidder for ready Money, Gold or Silver-Coin, at the House of William H. Peace in Granville County, near Dickinson's Bridge on Tar River...

CAUTION. Whereas the conduct of my Wife MILLY, in leaving my house, and carrying away my property, has been such that, however unwillingly, I am compelled to forewarn all persons from maintaining her...

I hereby give Notice to all Persons to whom I am indebted to present their Accounts for Settlement immediately; and such as are indebted to me, are requested to make payment by the 15th of September...