Wednesday, November 29.

The bill in relation to the late sheriff W. R. Kingsbury was recommitted.

A message was sent to the Senate, proposing to ballot to-morrow for a Governor for the ensuing year—David Stone and William Hawkins were nominated.

Mr. Gibson, from the committee to whom was referred the petition complaining of the undue election of Thos. Hogg, Esq. reported in favor of the sitting member.

The following public bills were introduced:

A bill giving additional power to the county courts in cases of emancipation; together with a representation from the yearly meeting of Friends in Guilford county, in favour of persons held in slavery.

A bill to repeal the 10th section of an act passed in 1741, to prevent the stealing of cattle, horses, &c.

A bill to divide the 3d and 4th divisions of the militia of this State into three divisions.

The private bills, &c. shall be noticed hereafter.

A LIST

Of BALANCES due from Individuals to the State of North-Carolina,

FOR THE YEAR 1808, VIZ.

G. Buchanan, clerk & master, Anson,	*No return or payment.*
David Earnest, clerk of county court, Ashe,	*No return or payment.*
Thomas M'Dampsey, clerk & master, Bladen,	*No return or payment.*
W. Herndon, clerk and master, Beaufort,	*No return or payment.*
J. S. Purdie, clerk of county court, Bladen,	£. 6 6 3
A. Davidson, clerk of superior court, Bladen,	*No return or payment.*
J. Sloan, sheriff, Brunswick,	do do.
J. McCauley, clerk of county court, Brunswick,	do do.
J. Gilchrist, clerk & master, Brunswick,	do do.
—— —— clerk super. court, Bute,	do do.
Joseph Mangum, clerk superior court, Caswell,	do do.
R. Stewart, clerk & master, Franklin,	do do.
G. Lewis, clerk & master, Franklin,	do do.
Thos. Cook, clerk & mas. Guilford,	do do.
—— —— clerk & master, Guilford,	do do.
J. Jones, clerk sup. ct. Hertford,	do do.
Wm. Jones, clerk & mas. Hertford,	do do.
Lucy Long, clerk sup. ct. Halifax,	57 11 6
—— —— clerk & master, Halifax,	*No ret. or pt.*
Wm. Sharpe, clerk & mas. Iredell,	7 11 3
J. Ramsey, clerk & mas. Lincoln,	*No ret. or pt.*
Jesse Coffey, clerk & mas. Lenoir,	do do
W. Morrison, clerk & mas. Mecklenburg,	do do
[illegible] sheriff, Martin,	1 2 4 9
J. B. Hogan, clerk city court, Martin,	1 11 6
J. B. Gee, clerk & master, Martin,	*No ret. or pt.*
R. Evans, sheriff, Montgomery,	do do
[illegible], clerk city ct. Montgomery,	do do
E. Hobson, clerk & mas. New-Hanover,	do do.
J. H. Drake, clerk sup. ct. Nash,	do do
A. Armstrong, clerk & master, Nash,	do do
—— —— clerk & master, Onslow,	do do
Z. Copeland, clerk & mas. Perquimons,	do do
—— —— clerk city court, Rowan,	do do.
—— —— clerk & master, Rowan,	do do.
R. Lewis, clerk city court Rutherford,	do do.
—— —— clerk sup. ct. Rutherford,	do do.
—— —— clerk & mas. Rutherford,	do do
Jos. Parks, clerk & master, Surry,	do do.
T. Slade, clerk & master, Stokes,	do do.
Wm. King, clerk & mas. Sampson,	do do.
B. M'Kiernan, clerk & master, Wilkes,	do do.
—— —— clerk & master, Tyrrell,	do do.

NORTH-CAROLINA,

Comptroller's Office, 1st Nov. 1809.

THE foregoing Balances are published in pursuance of an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act more effectually to compel the clerks of courts, the clerks and masters in equity, and the sheriffs in this State, to make [illegible] of them by law, and daily to settle and balance their Public Accounts," passed December 1809.

JOHN HAYWOOD, *Public Treasurer.*
SAMUEL GOODWIN, *Comptroller.*

To be sold at Public Sale,

On Thursday the 14th day of December next, at the House where Doctor Caleb Fessenden formerly lived, in Wake county, a Part of the

PERISHABLE PROPERTY,

Belonging to said deceased, consisting of Horses, one Yoke of large Oxen, Cows and Calves, some dry Cattle, upwards of twenty fat Hogs, Sows & Pigs, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Fodder, Doctor's Medicine, and many other Articles too tedious to mention. Credit will be given for all Sums above four Dollars until the first day of March, 1811, the Purchaser giving Bond with approved Security. The Sale to continue from day to day until all is sold.

All Persons having claims against the said deceased are requested to make them known to Stephen Outerbridge, of Franklin county, who has, by my request, undertaken to transact the business for me, within the time limited by law, otherwise they will be barred of the same. All those indebted to the said deceased are desired to make immediate payment to said Outerbridge, otherwise their Notes or Accounts will be put into the hands of an officer for collection.

At the same time and place, will be sold the PLANTATION on which the said Dr. Fessenden resided, containing 340 Acres, with Gin House and other Improvements thereon. The Terms of Credit will be given, on the Purchaser's giving Bond with approved Security.

ANN MASSENBURG, *Ex'x.*
Nov. 2, 1809. 31—3t

North-Carolina—Wilkes County.

Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions,
October Session, A. D. 1809.

Jesse Robinett, } *Petition for the Division of Land.*
vs.
The Heirs of Henry Carter }

IT appearing to the Court that *Family Carter, William Carter, John Carter, Washington Carter*, four of said Heirs, reside without this State—It is therefore ordered by the Court, that unless said *Family, William, John & Washington Carter* appear at next court and show cause the prayer of the petition will be granted. Ordered further, that this order be published for three weeks in the State Gazette.

Nov. 2, 1809. —6t Test, R. MARTIN, *Clk.*

PUBLIC NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:

BE IT KNOWN, that the Bay Horse now in the possession of Thomas Dotson, of Cabarrus county (N. C.) is justly and bona fide the property of Richard Brandon, of the town of Concord and county aforesaid: As an evidence of the fact, I here subjoin a true copy of a receipt and covenant, now in my possession, and in the following words:

On or about the first of August last, I received, by order from Capt. Richard Brandon, of the town of Concord, a certain Bay Horse that he the said Brandon had shortly before purchased of Mr. John Gee Hall, for the sum of 4 [illegible] dollars. Which said Horse I promise, covenant & agree to return to the said Brandon, or his legal representatives, on or before the third Monday in April, 1810 (unavoidable accidents excepted.) Witness my hand and seal this 16th Oct. 1809.

THOS. DOTSON, [*Seal*]

Teste, P. BARRINGER.

Having thus exhibited the full disclaimer of Mr. Dotson, to any participation in the horse, sold as a couple hands, I therefore forewarn all executive officers from levying any law process on him; and also, all other persons from exposing any transfer of the property of the said aforesaid, whilst in the possession of said Dotson.

MATT. BRANDON,
On behalf of Richard Brandon.

Nov. 2, 1809. 31—3t

VALUABLE NEGROES
FOR SALE.

TO BE SOLD, at the late dwelling house of Alexander Worke, dec'd, in Iredell county, on Thursday, the 28th of December next, between FORTY and FIFTY likely NEGROES, most of them country born—twelve months credit will be given, on the purchasers giving bond with approved security.

M. STOKES, *Administrator*
of A. Worke, dec.

Salisbury, Nov. 29, 1809. 31

ENTERTAINMENT
Fayetteville.

STERLING YANCEY respectfully informs his friends and the Public, that he has (for five years) that large and commodious brick Building, together with the Lot adjoining, the Tenement House and Board Yard, and Out Houses, Stables, &c. belonging to Mr. Peter Perry, in the Town of FAYETTEVILLE, North-Carolina, formerly occupied by James Baker, deceased, where he intends opening a

HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT,
For Travellers, Boarders &c.

To commence on the 10th day of December next. He intends having well furnished and convenient Rooms for private Accommodation, good Beds, and a plentiful table, supplied with the best the Town and Country affords, and a general Assortment of Liquors. His Stables are large and commodious, and shall be well served with Provender, and attended by careful and faithful Hostlers. He hopes to be able, circumstanced, as every exertion will be made to give the utmost satisfaction to those who may honor him with their Custom.

Nov. 1, 1809. 5—29

State of North-Carolina,

Lenoir County.—Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions, October Term, 1809.

William Croom, and Brothers and Sisters and their issue of the whole and half blood, on the part of the Father of Hardee Croom, deceased,
versus
Abraham and Susanna Sheppard, and others, Sisters, and their issue of the half blood, on the part of the Father & Mother of Hardee Croom, deceased. } *Petition for Partition.*

IT appearing from this Petition, that several of the Heirs at Law of Hardee Croom, dec. of the County of Lenoir, who died intestate, some time about the month of November 1807, reside, or are absent out of the State—It is ordered that Notice be given to such of the Heirs of said Hardee Croom, dec. as are absent or resident out of the State, of this Petition for Partition of his Lands, and an intention to apply to said Court at the next Term thereof to be held at Kinston, on the first Monday in January next, for an Order to have Commissioners appointed to make partition of the Land and real Estate of Said Hardee Croom, agreeably to the directions of the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided, by an advertisement of this Order, for six weeks successively at the Court House of said County of Lenoir or in three public places in said county, and also in the State Gazette.

A Copy from the Minutes,

26 C. WESTBROOK, c. c.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, my Wife Dilly hath absconded from my Bed and Board, without any cause or provocation, and has attempted to contract debts on my credit: I do hereby forewarn any Person or Persons from trading or contracting any debt with my said Wife Dilly, as I am resolved not to pay any debt she may contract, so long as she refuses to return and perform the duties of a Wife, &c.

EDMUND CRUMPLER.

Johnston County, Nov. 20. 3t—32

State of North-Carolina,

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.

Superior Court of Equity, October Term, 1809.

William Edward Moore and Lemuel Parker, Executors of Jonas Wood, dec.—*Comp'ts.*
versus
David Dickinson, Executor of Benjamin Hare, deceased—*Defend't.*

ON motion of the Complainants, by their Counsel, Oliver Fitts, Esq. and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that David Dickinson, the Defendant is not an inhabitant of this State—It is *ordered* and decreed by the Court, that unless the said Dav. Dickinson do appear at the next Court to be held on the fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in March next, and answer the Complainants' Bill, the same will be taken *pro confesso* as to him, and the matter thereof decreed accordingly—and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in the State Gazette, for three weeks successively.

A copy.—Teste,
W. B. LOCKHART, C. M. E.

Just received from Washington City,

three volumes octavo——Price Six Dollars,

The Trial of Col. BURR,

Taken in short-hand by *Thomas Carpenter*, and attested by many respectable law characters and others, who attended the Trial, to be a very correct Report of it.

State of North-Carolina,

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY,

Superior Court of Equity, October Term, 1809,

Boen Branch, Tho's Branch, Norman Branch, and John Branch, by his prochein am., Boen Branch; and Burwell Branch, Francis Branch and Benjamin Branch, who were Executors of John Branch, deceased—*Com's*
VERSUS
James Branch, Uriah Jordan et Uxor Mary; William Johnston et Uxor Rebecca; Sarah Hall (widow) formerly Sarah Branch, Chrisey Branch, by her guardian Uriah Jordan, and Isaac Parker, the Executor of Francis Branch, decease'd, and the Executor of Mary Branch, deceased, who was the Executrix of the said Francis Branch, deceased—*Defen'ts*

BILL IN EQUITY.

ON motion of the Complainants, by their Counsel, William Drew, Esq. and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that William Johnston & Isaac Parker, two of the defendants, are not inhabitants of this State—It is ordered and decreed, by the Court, that unless the said William Johnston do appear and answer the Complainants' late amended Bill, and the said Isaac Parker shall appear and answer the original and amended Bill, at the next Court, to be held on the fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in March next, the same will be taken *pro confesso* as to them, and the matter therein decreed accordingly, and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in the State Gazette, for three weeks successively.

A Copy.—Teste,
32 W. B. LOCKHART, C. M. E.

Washington county, North Carolina

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the first day of August last, I lost my Pocket Book, in which was a note of hand, for eighty Dollars, dated 1st January, 1809, payable on demand, by B. Petty, to me, for which said note I have received, from B. Petty, full satisfaction. W. PETTIGREW.

The above was sworn to before me, Joseph Phelps, one of the Justices for the County of Washington, this fifteenth November, 1809.

JOS. PHELPS, J. P.

I Hereby caution all Persons against trading for the above mentioned Note, as I have made payment for the same.

32 E. PETTIGREW.

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MAP of NORTH CAROLINA.
On Canvas and Rollers.

Raleigh,

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1809.

On Thursday last there fell in this vicinity the deepest Snow that has been experienced in this part of the Union for many years—nor was such a storm ever seen in this State so early in the winter. The Snow was from 15 to 18 inches deep on the plains. Friday and Saturday continued cold, but on Sunday a milder atmosphere dissolved a great part of the snow, and it has now wholly disappeared.

The Tennessee new Judiciary Bill contemplates a division of the State into five Circuits; in each of which a single Judge is to hold a Court in each county of his Circuit, every six months—This Court is to have concurrent jurisdiction with the County Courts—original jurisdiction of every subject now cognizable by the Superior Courts, and also appellate jurisdiction ove the causes that may be tried in the County Courts. Courts of Errors are also to be held annually: viz.—one in East and one in West Tennessee, by three Judges, who are to be paid each $1500 per ann. As the trials of facts are to be conclusive in the Circuit Courts, the Courts of Errors are to adjudicate on those law points only, which may be carried up from the inferior Courts.

The Legislature of Rhode-Island, now in session, have appointed a committee of two members to confer with a committee of the Massachusetts Legislature, in order more accurately to ascertain the northern boundary of the state of Rhode-Island.

An association is proposed in the town of Alexandria for the encouragement of Domestic Manufactures, with a Capital of $ 20,000.

The finances of Maryland are reported by the Auditor to be in the most flourishing condition. The State possesses, in specie and in stock, 1,728,168 dollars.

An act has passed the Legislature of Connecticut, authorising the annual purchase of 700 stands of arms, for three years, on account of the state.

Out of the Militia fines, which have reached the Treasury, the Legislature of N. Jersey have been enabled to purchase, mount and completely equip with double sets of harness, &c. 24 six pound Field Artillery, costing in the whole $10,718.

David B. Mitchell has been chosen Governor of the State of Georgia, vice Jared Irwin.

We have seen a letter of a very recent date from St. Bartholomews by one of the last arrivals, which informs, that the ports of the British W. I. Islands are opened by proclamation, to neutrals for the purpose of encouraging, in neutral bottoms, the importation of provisions, &c. which has given a rise in the price of flour, &c. at that Island, several British vessels having arrived at St. Barts.—Thus it appears that even our apparently harmless non-intercourse carries in its incipient operations, a sting to those who have trodden our neutral rights under foot.

Balt. Amer.

A letter from Tonningen of the 6th ult. says, "Sweden and Russia have made peace—the former is to pursue the continental [Bonaparte's] policy, by shutting her ports against British vessels. Upland Cotton is 60 groats; all West India produce is on the rise."

The following remarks on the dismissal of Mr. Jackson, are from the Baltimore American:

"By the following article we perceive that Mr. Jackson's functions are at an end. The gross and infamous insult which he has reiterated in the teeth of the American government, sufficiently justifies the closing of his diplomatic career in this country. We are sorry that the blind policy of rescinding the embargo, & the adoption of that MILK and WATER measure, the NON-INTERCOURSE, should have been resorted to, as from that act we may date the procrastination of our difficulties with the Belligerents. The issue of Jackson's negociation is no more than what was anticipated, from the character of the man: but however infamous his conduct is, we may shortly expect to see a justification thereof in the prints in the pay and interest of Britain.

"It fortunately happens for us, that the next session of Congress is so near at hand, in whom we hope to find more decision and energy than the last. From the convulsed state of the British ministry, and her disasters on the continent, we are either inclined to think that the conduct of the British minister results totally from the measures of the old cabinet, or that the new one will not change their policy towards this country. To the present Congress is committed the destinies of our country, and we hope they will be inspired with the spirit of the heroes and sages of 1776, treating all nations as "enemies in war, in peace friends."

It is with satisfaction we state, that the hope expressed in our last paper that the honorable portion of the federal party would at this juncture rally round their government, has been already in part realised. The prints edited by Mr. Jackson' and Mr. Relf at Philadelphia, speak a language truly American, a language worthy of every class of citizens actuated by honest motives. NAT. INT.

A Bleaching Establishment is forming at Baltimore to be carried on under all the advantages arising from those Chemical improvements, so universally adopted in G. Britain, Ireland, &c. &c. which not only facilitate the business, so that on an extensive scale, 10,000 yards can be bleached, and dressed in a week, equal to any imported from Europe, but the different seasons of the year will never retard the progress of this Factory, which is not the case in bleaching greens.

The practice of boiling the grain given to horses progresses in England. One bushel of oats so managed, is stated to be as good as two bushels given in the usual manner.

Some mistakes have crept into some of the American prints, respecting the two *Wellesleys*. They are brothers and both of them have been in Spain—Hence happens the confusion.

Sir Arthur Wellesley, now Lord Wellington, is at the head of the *army*—His *left handed victory* at Talavera gained him a title, which his improvident march into Spain, and his precipitate retreat ought to forfeit.

The *Marquis of Wellesley*, again, is the British Minister at Seville to the Supreme Junta—He was once *Lord Mornington*, afterwards Governor General of Bengal. As a *politician*, he has been a rank Pittite—an unrelenting foe to the Revolution of France—in opposition to which, he pronounced, on the 21st of July, 1796, on Mr. Fox's motion for an address to the King, one of the longest philippics that had ever been spoken in the House of Commons—containing not less than 123 pages of Chapman's Select Speeches.—As to his feelings towards the U. S. he says he feels himself "persuaded that the Noble Earl, who had spoken in this debate (Lord Wycombe) will concur with him in thinking that the Government of America does not require to be *improved* by *any infusion of French principles*."—Yet this is the man, who, it is reported, is about to fill the place of Mr. Canning, as Secretary for Foreign Affairs, thro' whom, of course, all negociations with the British will necessarily pass! (*Enquirer.*

Singular and Laudable Custom.

The Rev. Claudius Buchanan writing from Tanjore, Sept. 18 6, gives among other interesting matters, the following description of the Practice of a congregation of eastern christians:

"As Mr. Whitefield, on his first coming to Scotland, was surprised at the rustling of the leaves of Bibles, which took place immediately on his pronouncing his text, so was I here surprised at a noise of a different kind namely, that of the iron pen engraving the Palmyra leaf. Many persons had their Olias (leaves) in their hands writing a sermon in Talmul short hand. Mr. Kelhoff assured me that some of them are so expert at this, that they do not *lose one word* of the preacher. And the sermon of the morning is regularly read in the evening to the schools by the Catechist from his Palmyra leaf."

DIED,

At Newbern, lately, Miss Cornelia Stanly, daughter of John Stanly, Esq. of that place.

At the same place, on the 22d inst. Mr. Thomas Patridge, a worthy and respectable inhabitant of that town.

In England, Matthew Bolton, Esq. F. R. S. eminent as enterprising and successful in establishing manufactures. His funeral took place Aug. 24th. A hearse of nine mourning coaches attended, and numberless carriages of the deceased's friends—eighteen singers preceded, singing appropriate psalms the whole way—all the beadles in Birmingham rode on horseback. The corps was followed to the grave by *six hundred workmen*, who had each a silver medal, presented to him, struck for the occasion. The expence of the funeral is calculated at *two thousand pounds.*

Postscript.

The following letter, said to be addressed to the British Consuls, is taken from the (Georgetown) Independent American. We are authorised to say, that its contents, so far as they contradict the article published in this paper of the 13th inst. relative to the course of the negociation between our government and Mr. Jackson, are unfounded.

National Intelligencer.

(CIRCULAR.)

Washington, Nov. 13, 1809.

SIR—I have to inform you with much regret, that the facts which it has been my duty to state in my official correspondence with Mr Smith, have been deemed by the President of the United States to afford a sufficient motive for breaking off an important negociation, and for putting an end to all communication whatever with me as the minister charged with that negociation, so interesting to both nations, and on one most material point, of which an answer has not been returned to an official and written overture. One of the facts alluded to has been admitted by the Secretary of State himself, in his letter to me of the 19th Oct. viz. that the three conditions forming the substance of Mr. Erskine's original instructions were submitted to him by that gentleman; the other viz. that that instruction is the only one in which the conditions were prescribed to Mr Erskine for the conclusion of an arrangement on the matter to which it related, is known to me by the instructions which I have myself received. In stating these facts, and in adhering to them as my duty imperiously enjoined me to do, in order to repel the frequent charges of ill faith which have been made against his Majesty's government, I could not imagine that offence would be taken at it by the American government, as most certainly none could be intended on my part; and this view of the subject has been made known to Mr Smith. But as I am informed by him, that no further communication will be received from me, I conceive that I have no alternative left, which is consistent with the king's dignity, but to withdraw altogether from this city, and to wait elsewhere the arrival of his Majesty's commands upon the unlooked for turn which has thus been given to his affairs in this country. I mean in the interval to make New-York the place of my residence, where you will henceforward please to direct your communications to me, as I shall be accompanied by every member of his Majesty's mission.

I am, &c.

F. J. JACKSON.

A French Government schooner, named the TILSIT (No. 2) Capt. Desmoulaud, arrived in Hampton Roads, on the 17th instant, in 43 days from Bayonne, with dispatches for Mr. Turreau, the French Minister. A French gentleman, who was the bearer of these dispatches, passed thro' Petersburg, on the 22d, on his way to Washington City.

THE AMERICAN PRISONERS IN FRANCE.

General Armstrong (says the Boston Repertory) has at length procured the release of the American seamen, long imprisoned at Arras. They were to sail from Dieppe about the 10th of Oct. in an American brig, which he had purchased for that purpose.

Capt. Miller, arrived at N. York, informs, that on the 20th of September, he was at Hamburgh, about which time the King of Westphalia made a demand of the Hamburgers of a sum of money which was refused. The consequence was, that 600 Westphalian troops marched into the city, and the poor Hamburgers were forced to comply.

Boston, Nov. 16.

BRITISH AMITY!—We were last evening favored with a Halifax paper of October 24, which gives the intelligence of the capture of the American ship Susquehanna, captain Brown, from Baltimore, bound to Tonningen. She was taken by his Britannic Majesty's schooner Thistle, and carried in to Halifax.—The gentleman who handed us the paper states, that three other vessels from Baltimore for Tonningen, were bound into Halifax as prizes, when he was coming out. He could not learn their names. There are several notifications in the Halifax paper, for the distribution of prize money, on vessels condemned.

COMFORT FOR THE MOMENT.

The New-York Royal Gazette says, that BONAPARTE'S DEATH may, from what follows, be confidently expected:—

Guernsey, Oct. 4.—A vessel has arrived here, which left Cherbourg on Friday last. The letters by her inform us, that accounts had reached that place from Paris, which leave no doubt that the Emperor Napoleon was very ill at his palace of Schoenbrunn. His disorder is a brain fever, brought on by excessive fatigue in his personal attention to every branch of his army. Most certain it is, that two physicians and two surgeons suddenly left Paris last week to attend him.—They proceeded on their journey with extraordinary speed.