

STATIONERY ARTICLES:

J. Gales has lately received, a fresh supply of Stationery Articles; such as
Superfine Foolscap Writing Paper
do Letter Paper, white, pink and gilt
Writing Parchment
Music Paper
Reeves's Drawing Colors, in Boxes of different sizes
Black Lead Pencils
Indian Ink and India Rubber
Camel Hair Pencils and Pencil Sticks
Drawing Books
Best Dutch Quills
Ruled made Pens, in Portable Boxes
Class Fountain Inkstands
Pewter
do
Leather, Paper and Cork
do
Mathematical Instruments
Brass Dividers, separate
Silver Pencil Cases
Letter Stamps
Inky Folders
Large-Office and Common-sized Wafers
Sealing Wax
Water Boxes
Blank Cards, large and small
Account Books, of various sizes and bindings, ruled and plain
Common Writing Paper as low as \$3 a Ream, or 20 cents a quire.
Raleigh, May 28

TEACHING FRENCH.

STEPHEN FRONTS, a native of France, intending to continue a year or two in this City, proposes to Teach the FRENCH LANGUAGE, on the following terms:— Students of the Academy, per Session, \$16— Private instruction, at \$12 per Quarter
Raleigh, May 28 75 3w

SHINGLES.

WANTED, for the repairs of the Government Buildings in the City of Raleigh, one hundred thousand well dressed 18 inch, 20 inch and two feet Juniper or Cypress SHINGLES of the best quality. Persons disposed to deliver the whole, or a part only, will please forward their terms to the Subscriber in Fayetteville.

WM NICHOLS,
Superintendent of Public Buildings
May 28

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers are authorized to sell at private Sale, for account of the United States, the following Articles, as they were collected from the returns of the late fire:— 45 Musket Barrels, mostly good order; 611 lbs. do. do. much injured. 8944 lbs. Gun-Barrels, Rammers, Locks, Bayonets and Iron mounting, also much injured.
183 lbs. Brass Mounting, partly melted.
3692 lbs. Leads.

ROSS & PAWSLEY

Who have received, on consignment, a quantity of LOGWOOD, which they will sell cheap for Cash.
Raleigh, May 29th 75 3w

SPRING GOODS.

S. BOND, has just received his SPRING GOODS, which with his former Stock makes a handsome and complete assortment of Staple and Fancy Goods, suitable to the season, among them are Silks, Silk Shawls, Parasols, Lace Veils and Shawls, Silk Hose and Gloves, Gingham, Damies Long and Short Nankeens, Blue do Silk Umbrellas, Bombazetts, Rattinets, Linens and Cotton Shirtings, Fans, Straw Bonnets, Fine Hats, Children's Furred do. Cloths and Cassimeres, elegant Muslins, elegant Glass Ware, assortment of a large assortment of Shoes, fine Shot Guns, Lead and Brown Sugar, Cotton and Wool Cards, Hoes and Scythes, Blades. He also expects in a few days to receive several sets of Blacksmith Tools.
Raleigh, Ma. 28th, 1818. 75 4w

OXFORD ACADEMY.

THE semi-annual Examination of the Students of this Seminary will commence on the first Monday of June next, and terminate on the Friday following. Parents, guardians and the friends of the Institution generally, are respectfully invited to attend for the purpose of witnessing the proficiency of the Students. No Student will be permitted to leave the School until after the Report on the Examination shall have been read. The Exercises of the next Session will commence on the third Monday of June, under the direction of the present teachers, to wit, Mr. George W. Freeman, Principal, assisted by Mr. Levi M Lane, in the Male Department; and Miss Arabella M Bosworth, assisted by Mr. Lotian G. Watson, in the Female Department. Arrangements are making for the employment of a Teacher of Music, and the Trustees flatter themselves that, to the satisfaction hereof, one taught in this Seminary, may hereafter be added to the general and fashionable accomplishment of music. Should their endeavors prove successful, the public will be informed of the result by the first opportunity.
By order of the Board,
N. M. TAYLOR, Sec'y.
April 9 75 3w

BOOKS.

At Concord, N. Carolina.

JUST RECEIVED from Philadelphia, and for sale at the Post Office in Concord, N. C. a quantity of BOOKS; among others are the following, to wit:

- (Large) Family Bibles with Plates
- Pocket do
- School do
- Walker's Dictionary,
- Arabic
- Wat's Prisms and Hymns
- Smith & Little's Music Books
- Warren's Letters
- Class-books of Freedom
- Christian Treatises in Asia
- Hooper's Medical Dictionary
- Blair's Sermons, &c &c &c.

If Religious Tracts should be wanted, either by Societies, or individuals, they will be furnished at short notice, and at the N. England prices, with the addition of freight only.
J. CRAVIG.
N. B. A supply of Genuine DRUGS & MEDICINES, for sale, as usual.
May 15 74 3w

NEW GOODS.

THE Subscribers have just returned from the North, and are now opening in the Nouse formerly occupied by Anderson Curran, and next door below Ross & Pawsley's Auction Store, a general assortment of DRY-GOODS, HARDWARE, &c. well suited to the present and approaching seasons, and which they will dispose of on the most reasonable terms.
W. C. & R. TUCKER.

TO UNBERTAKERS

THE undersigners will receive proposals for building a Brick Court-House in Greensborough, 33 feet by 30 in the clear, two stories high, until the 26th of June; when it will be engaged to the lowest bidder. A plan may be seen by applying to A. Geren, Greensborough.

Daniel Gillaspie,
Simeon Geren,
Jonathan Parker,
James Parsons,
Levi Huston,
Abraham Geren,
George Swain.

Guilford county, May 26th. 75 3t

NOTICE.

WILL BE SOLD, on the second Monday in June next, on the premises, to the highest bidder—the LOTS in the TOWN OF MONROE, on the south side of Roanoke River, at Goode & Davis's Ferry (formerly Goode & Davis's) in the County of Mecklenburg, Va. on a Credit of 12 months; the purchaser giving bond with approved security.

This Town being situated at a point below Field's Island Falls and at a place most suitable for the upper end of Warren and lower end of Granville & Mecklenburg Counties and the back Country adjacent, is viewed as a favorable place for a Town; and it is probably one of the most eligible situations on Roanoke—and is watered on both sides and each end with six most excellent Springs, convenient to all parts of the Town. The main Street leads from the Ferry through a cleared field in the direction of the Road leading to Williamsborough, and rises gradually to the woodland. I have agreed to give the Timber off of 100 acres of woodland adjacent to the Town, for the purpose of Building, to all persons that may purchase Lots.

JOHN DAVIS.

22d May, 1818

RALEIGH:

FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1818.

Neuse Navigation.—We are pleased to see that the Neuse River Navigation Company advertises for Proposals for bringing Navigation still nearer to our City than Judge Stone's Mill. It is believed that both Crabtree and Walnut Creeks are susceptible of being made navigable; and should Walnut Creek be preferred, it is supposed that Boats may be brought very near the city.

The Granville Cause.—It will be recollecte'd that some years ago, the Ejectment suit brought by the Devises of the Earl Granville against Josiah Collins, to recover a tract of land lying within the proprietary claim of Lord Granville, was decided in the Circuit Court of the U. S. States for the District of North-Carolina, against the Plaintiff's right, and that the cause was carried up to the Supreme Court of the United States, by writ of error.

The principles of this case had been so far decided by piecemeal in considering other causes which involved the same legal doctrines, that at the last term of the Supreme Court, the writ of error, we are informed, was dismissed from the Docket, as untenable. We therefore congratulate our fellow-citizens on this fulfilment of their desires and expectations. Their possessions are not to be disturbed, neither are burdens to be laid on the State to purchase their peace.

Public Executions.—Benjamin Gray and a Mulatto named Brayboy were executed, pursuant to their sentence (heretofore noticed) at Fayetteville, on Friday last. A man named General Dawson, convicted of murdering his own son, a boy of 8 years of age, by whipping him until he died, has been executed in Washington county. The crime was committed in Bertie county, from whence the cause had been removed. Two negroes have also been executed: one in Pasquotank, for the murder of a white man; & the other in Franklin, for a rape. So many lives have not been forfeited to the laws of our Country, in this State, for many years; and we trust, for the honor of Human Nature, it will be a long time before we have again to record so black a list. It will be recollecte'd that an execution at Salisbury during the late term, has already been noticed in the Register.

Sentence of death was on the 14th inst. passed on Jas. Thompson Hare and John Alexander, lately convicted of robbing the mail, near Baltimore. Lewis Hare was sentenced to ten years imprisonment the higher punishment which he had equally incurred, having been remitted by the President on account of his youth.

Robbery of the Mail.—The western mail (says the Savannah Geo. Republican) between this city, Athens, and Greensborough, has been robbed by a man named Turner, who was the mail carrier from Augusta to Athens. He has been apprehended, and committed to prison for trial at the next circuit court of the United States. Turner confesses that he took letters with money out of the mail bag.—Several persons in this place have lost money by his robbery. When Turner was arrested he had about 150 dollars with him—the balance he had gambled off.

Thomas Taylor, Esq. is elected Clerk of the County Court of Bertie, in the place of Solomon Cherry, Esq. dec'd.

Thomas Ruffin, Esq. is elected Sheriff of the same County, in the room of Baldy Ashburn, Esq. resigned.

The Intelligencer, of Georgetown, S. C. asserts, that a Planter of that neighborhood realized 100,000 dollars from his crop of Rice the last year.

We understand the Commissioners appointed to lay off a road from Fayetteville to Morganton, have effected that object. The course set out from Fayetteville terminated two and an half miles south of Morganton.

Mr. Pinkney, our late Minister to Russia, arrived with his family at Baltimore, on Saturday last.

The Corner Stone of a new Episcopal Church was laid in GEORGETOWN, C. D. on the 12th inst. in the presence of a numerous assemblage of persons, with impressive and masonic ceremonies.

The Cashiers of the Bank of Virginia and of the Farmers' Bank of Virginia, have given public notice, that, after the first of June next, no HALF NOTE of either of those Banks, or of any of their Branches, will be received in payment, unless the exact corresponding half be presented with it for payment.

Polar-Ice.—The London Quarterly Review says, that different accounts from the Greenland Seas agree in stating that, within these few years, an immense quantity of Ice that had for 400 years past shut up an extensive portion of the eastern coast of Old Greenland, has broke loose, disappeared, and drifted to the southward. Many of these islands of ice were observed by ships in the Atlantic in the summer months of 1815, 16 and 17. This change in relation to so vast a body of Ice is supposed to have had considerable effect on the climate of England which has been much colder than usual. The Summer of 1816 and 1817 were so cool, that the Grain could scarcely ripen.

Award for Architectural Talents.—The President and Directors of the Bank of the United States, being about to build an elegant House for their business in Philadelphia, have offered \$500 to the Artist who shall produce to them the best Design for this Work.

Medical Prize Questions.—The Boylston Medical Committee, of Harvard College, (Mass.) have offered a premium of fifty dollars, or a medal of that value, to the person who shall produce the best dissertation on the following Prize Questions, at their meeting in December next:

1. Is there an communication from the stomach to the bladder, more direct than that through the regulating system and the kidneys?

2. On the vegetable articles the growth of the United States, which have been or may be advantageously employed as emetics or cathartics?

The dissertations are to be transmitted to D. Townsend, M. D. of Boston. Each dissertation must be accompanied with a sealed packet, on which shall be written some device or sentence, and within shall be enclosed the authors name and residence.

The Sea-Serpent again, or another!—Capt. Woodward, and the mate and seamen of the sloop Adamant, which arrived at Hingham on Sunday last, from Penobscot, saw in the afternoon of the day previous, about 12 leagues East of Cape Ann, a Sea-Serpent, apparently upwards of 100 feet long, which frequently raised its head a considerable height from the water. It was very near the vessel for about five hours; a full view was had of it, and it appeared to be about as large round as a barrel, but no protuberances were noticed. It was once fired at, and appeared to be irritated by the explosion. Depositions were preparing at Hingham, to be sent to Boston for publication.

Hail Storm.—Washington City, in the afternoon of the 21st inst. was visited by one of those destructive hail storms, which sometimes desolate large tracts of country. It exceeded in violence, in the size of the hail stones and the quantity which fell, any other remembered to have occurred there. A great proportion of the hail stones were larger than a nutmeg, & we fear that the grain crops and fruit within its range have suffered great damage, if not total ruin. The window glass exposed to the hail was generally demolished, and it will require some thousands of dollars to repair the damage of our shattered windows.—The storm embraced perhaps two miles in width—it approached from the north-west, and went off in the opposite direction. Its duration here was about ten minutes.

Letters from London, state, that the Baltic was open on the 1st of March. A circumstance that has not occurred for 200 years.

The Milledgeville (Ga.) Journal, of the 5th of May, states, that "General Jackson, with the reg. tars, Tennessee volunteers, and a few friendly Indians, had gone to Pensacola, of which place, it is understood, immediate possession will be taken. Strong garrisons are left at St. Marks, Fort Gadsden and Fort Scott."

We understand, says the Savannah Republican of the 16th inst. that a Court of Enquiry has been ordered to investigate the conduct of Capt. Obed Wright, relative to the destruction of the Chehaw Town.

A letter, dated St. Stephens, 4th May, from Dr. Bobb, Governor of the Alabama Territory, to a gentleman in Milledgeville, says—"I have sent a force to attack the Indians beyond the Spanish line, which will give security to our frontier in a short time. My health is remarkably good, and seems to improve as my hardships decrease."

It is conjectured in some of the Northern papers, that the regular troops lately sent from the North to the Southern frontier, are intended for the occupation of the Floridas.—This may be the object. But why not conjecture what is much more probable, that they are to guard the frontier against the Seminole Indians, and prosecute the war against them next Autumn, for it will be scarcely practicable to do it during the Summer—we hope to see no more militia called out for that service—it is to them oppressive, extensive to the Government, and not the most efficient kind of force. The Indians have fled before an army, they could not resist, but are not conquered. Ga. Journal.

In the new organization of the Staff of the army, by the late law, and the arrangements of the War Department, as we understand them, (says the National Intelligencer) the principal Officer of each branch of the Military Service will be stationed at the seat of Government; for forming bureaus under the Secretary of War, so constituted as to give precision, energy and promptness, to the army machinery. The want of such an organization at the commencement of, & during the late war, caused so many embarrassments, that no one can doubt the good policy of Congress in affording the means, and the judgment of the Executive in employing them, to carry this arrangement into operation. The knowledge gained by experiments which cost millions, will be thus preserved, without increased expence, within the reach and control of the proper Department.

Internal Improvements.—We understand with pleasure, that the spirit for improvement is daily increasing in Virginia. Petitions we are informed, are to be presented to the next Legislature, for incorporating companies for the following Canals:

1. A canal to connect the Roanoke with the Appomatox at Petersburg. We have already given a sketch of the route of this canal, the expence of which we are told, is estimated at two millions of dollars;
2. A canal from Kempsville, upon the eastern Branch of Elizabeth River, to North Landing. This is a distance of about twelve miles.
3. A canal from Suffolk to Blackwater, fifteen miles.
4. A canal from the Appomatox, about 10 miles above Petersburg to Warwick, upon James River. This is eleven miles.
5. A canal between the Warwick Rivers and Pokosan, four miles.—Pet. Int.

Melancholy occurrence.—A small sloop rigged boat, started from Charleston on Saturday morning the 16th inst. at ten o'clock, with 18 persons on board, for the Methodist Camping Ground, in Christ Church Parish. At 2 o'clock, when within 5 miles of the landing place, the boat in the act of jibbing, was struck by a heavy flaw of wind, and upset.

The following is a list of persons drowned:—Capt Joseph Quimby, for many years a respectable and useful inhabitant of Charleston; Mr. Jacob F. Team, a blacksmith, also a resident; Mr. Robert Alexander, a native of Ireland, and has a family residing in Smithfield, (R I); Mr. Charles Bridge, a native of Massachusetts, & one of the firm of M. & C. Bridge, of Charleston; Mr. Samuel P. Spear, a native of Boston; Mr. James Marsh, a native of Haverhill, Mass; and a Mr. Thaddeus Emery, a native of Portland, last from Boston.

Another Disastrous Occurrence.—On the 9th of April the following persons were unfortunately drowned at the town of Madrid, St. Lawrence county, in New York, viz. Mr. Leonard Reed, son of Captain Timothy Reed, aged 14, Mr. Ora Daggett, aged 23, Mr. Joseph Loomis aged 34, Asa Lord, Esq. aged 50, and Mr. Ezra Bigelow aged 26. They were crossing the river La Grassy in a canoe, but the water being unusually high; they were drawn by a current over a mill dam. The canoe falling on a rock was split in two parts, and all the above perished, notwithstanding several persons were in sight, and exerting themselves to save them. One person in the canoe was carried by the current into shoal water, and saved.

It is stated that Mr. Ogilvie is now in London. His third objection to the claims of Great Britain to distinction among the nations of the earth, was delivered the latter part of March.

It has long been proposed, says the Edinburgh Scotsman, to erect a monument, in some conspicuous situation in this city, to the memory of that ill-fated son of Fortune, but darling child of the Muses, *Robt. Burns*. The proposition, it seems, was recently debated in Council, and it is said, was strenuously opposed by some sanctimonious members of that select assembly, on the ground that the moral tendency of the conduct of the writings of our immortal bard were far from unexceptionable. We have never heard, however, that these rigidly righteous characters thought it necessary to oppose the monument to Lord Melville.

Hayti.—President Boyer, of Hayti, is a colored man, about 50 years old; and was one of the commanders who expelled the French invaders of St. Domingo under Le Clerc and Rochambeau. His courage and military skill are highly spoken of.

One of the first acts of President Boyer, was the liberation of all prisoners not under sentence of death. A white President could not have done a more humane deed.

Connecticut.—The Legislature of Connecticut met at Hartford on the 15th inst. Gideon Tomlinson, chosen Speaker, and Eliza Phelps, & Samuel A. Foot, Clerks of the House, all Republicans.

Governor Wolcott and Lieut. Gov. Ingersoll appear to have been re-elected almost without opposition; and the whole Council—in short, every branch of the Government of the State is Republican!

MARRIED.

In this city, on Tuesday evening last, Stephen Gilmore, Esq. of Cumberland County, to Miss Amy Pearson, of W. Co.

In Fayetteville, on the 14th inst. Mr. Archibald Ochiltree, Merchant, to Miss Eliza Ann Howell, daughter of Abner P. Howell, Esq.

At Wilmington, on the 12th inst. Dr. S. Williams, to Mrs. M. A. Jocelyn of Sampson county. On the 13th, Mr. Samuel Langdon to Miss Mary Jane Halsey. On the 16th, at the residence of Mrs. S. Wright, Mr. John W. Foster to Miss Lucy A. Wright; and at Smithville, Brunswick county, Dr. S. B. Everett to Miss Amelia Potter.

In Robeson County, on the 12th inst. Rev. Daniel Smith, to Miss Beisey Brown.

In Granville County, on the 20th ult. at Doct. Edward G. Bradley's, Col. Charles Wynne, jr. to Miss Repsey Siver.

On the 26th inst. John Cobb, Esq. of Lenoir, to Miss Ann Grist of Beaufort County.

DIED.

In Fayetteville, on the 17th inst. Mrs. Hetty Jane Mumford, daughter of Robinson Mumford, Esq. dec. aged, nine years.

In Washington, in this State, on the 21st ult. after a protracted illness of some months, Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy, the worthy consort of William Kennedy, Esq.

[COMMUNICATED.]

Died, on the 19th inst. in consequence of being thrown from a canoe, the horse having taken fright and run off, Miss Elizabeth Brown Hall, eldest daughter of Captain William Hall of Brunswick.

There is something in the death of this most interesting young lady, independent of the melancholy cause, which touches the heart with a sensation unusually sharp and affecting; and the public, participating in the sacred sorrows of a good man, will feel for the amiable, respectable Father, in all the fulness which pity and benevolence can give. The lovely subject of this sketch, had nearly attained her fifteenth year—the mild affluence of her manner, and that final piety, which marked her as the precursor of the pure spirit of a departed mother, had wrapped her in the warmest affection of her Father's heart, and won the kindly feelings of every acquaintance. With the amiable and excellent virtues of the heart, she combined a person and countenance unusually fascinating; and had all that polish which a liberal education can bestow upon a good mind.—Her course of study had just closed, and she had not been at home a month, when, in riding out to see a friend, the wretched accident occurred which terminated her life. The abrupt annunciation of this heaviest of human calamities to the Father,—and the dread-ful rush back of agonized feeling upon a bursting heart; the glow of imagination may array before us, but language never can describe. Be it for from me to attempt it—I try to shut it out of my mind, and would not have mixed in the scene for millions.

As much of what is said in an obituary notice, is sometimes the fruit of that amiable spirit which bids us bury in the grave the remembrance of past frailties, the writer of this article would feel himself guilty of a great omission, if he failed to declare, that in all he has said, although his hand may have trembled under the force of feeling, it has undeviatingly been guided by truth; and in closing this communication, he fervently joins those friends who stand around the agonized Father, in humbly recommending him to that Almighty Hand, which alone can tear away the deep-rooted sting, and give us peace.