

# RALEIGH ACADEMY.

The following is an Abstract of the Report of the Trustees at the late Examination:

## MALE DEPARTMENT.

Classes taught by Mr. Lumsden.

James Boylan, James Callum, Henry Dudley, Robert Nicholson and Duane Bobbitt, were examined on Spelling, Reading, Latin Grammar, Writing and Speaking. In Spelling, J. Boylan was best, and J. Callum 2d best. In Reading, J. Callum had the first honors; the rest were approved. On the Latin Grammar, the whole class was approved; no distinction. (Duane Bobbitt did not stand on this study.) James Callum produced the best specimen of Writing. In Public Speaking, all were approved.

Edward Cobbs, Devereux Hopkins, Caswell Price, Pleasant Henderson, Thomas G. Forster, Robert Haywood, Rush Haywood, Samuel Boylan, Wm. Burgess, Julia Gutrie, John Stuart, Bruce Scott, Henry Hendon and Henry Miller, (the last named absent from indisposition) stood on Spelling, Reading, Latin Grammar, Cassa's Commentaries, Mair's Introduction, Arithmetic, Writing and Public Speaking. In Spelling, all gave entire satisfaction. In Reading, W. Burgess and T. Forster were best; D. Hopkins, C. Price and E. Cobbs were 2d best. On Latin Grammar, C. Price and E. Cobbs had the first distinction; D. Hopkins and T. Forster the second; the rest were approved. In Cassa, E. Cobbs had the first honor; C. Price, D. Hopkins, P. Henderson and T. Forster the second. On Mair's Introduction, P. Henderson ranks first; T. Forster, E. Cobbs and D. Hopkins the 2d. (H. Hendon did not stand on the three last named studies.) In Arithmetic, all were approved. No distinction. C. Price, T. Forster, B. Scott, E. Cobbs and D. Hopkins were the best writers in the class, and J. Guthrie, S. Boylan and P. Henderson, the second best. In speaking Orations, D. Hopkins, W. Burgess and T. Forster excelled.

Needham Price, Henry Cannon, Henry Hendon and Henry Miller, were examined on Parsing Prose and Poetry; and Murray's Exercises. These students acquitted themselves with much credit on both these studies, and were highly approved.

Classes taught by the Rev. Dr. McPheeters.

Edward Dudley was examined on the New York Spelling Book, and acquitted himself well. John Manly and Samuel Brown, on the New York Spelling Book and Reader, and Public Speaking. They were equally approved in Spelling and Reading. S. Brown excelled in the delivery of his Oration.

Abraham Buford, William Martellus and Robert Smith, were examined on Historia Sacra, Latin Grammar, Arithmetic, Reading, Spelling, Writing and Oratory. On Historia Sacra, the class was distinguished in the order of their names. On the Latin Grammar, A. Buford and W. Martellus were best. In Arithmetic, no distinction. A. Buford is the best Reader and Speller. A. Buford and W. Martellus are about equal in Writing. In Speaking, A. Buford rather excelled.

Green Hendon and John Williams were examined on Historia Sacra, Latin Grammar, Reading, Spelling, Arithmetic, Writing and Oratory. On the two first studies, both acquitted themselves satisfactorily, and were pronounced equal. In Reading and Spelling, both were approved. In Arithmetic and Writing, G. Hendon excelled. In Oratory both acquitted themselves creditably—G. Hendon best.

James Henderson, James Granberry, Monroe Webb, Joel King and Thomas Beckwith, stood on Virgil, Latin Grammar, Reading and Spelling, Arithmetic, Mair's Introduction, Writing and Oratory. In Virgil and the Latin Grammar, J. Henderson obtained the first distinction. James Granberry, Monroe Webb and Joel King were next best and nearly equal. In Reading & Spelling, J. Henderson, M. Webb and J. King were best. In Arithmetic, all were approved. In Mair's Introduction, J. Henderson was best; M. Webb and J. King were second best, and about equal. The handsomest specimens of Writing were produced by M. Webb, J. King & T. Beckwith. In Oratory, Monroe Webb, as on former occasions, as distinguished. J. Granberry was considered next best.

Richard Wiggins, William Martin, Henry Hawkins and Thomas Jones, were also examined on Virgil, Latin Grammar, Arithmetic and Oratory. R. Wiggins obtained the first distinction in Virgil. William Martin and Henry Hawkins are considered equal. T. Jones acquitted himself well. On the Latin Grammar all performed satisfactorily—R. Wiggins rather best. Henry Cannon, who was examined with this class on this study was also distinguished. Thomas Jones is the best Arithmetician. H. Hawkins and Wm. Martin are the next best. R. Wiggins, being otherwise employed, had attended to this study but a small part of the session. In Writing, T. Jones and R. Wiggins excelled. In Oratory, the class acquitted itself creditably. R. Wiggins and T. Jones were best. H. Hawkins was excused from speaking.

Henry Hawkins stood on Sallust alone, and was approved.

Richard Wiggins was examined alone on the Greek Grammar and Greek Testament. This student passed well, and promises to become a good Greek scholar.

William Martin, Monroe Webb, James Granberry, Joel King, and Thomas Beckwith, were also examined on the Greek Grammar & Greek Testament. The class commenced the Testament late in the Session; all were approved—no distinctions.

Needham Price, Henry Cannon, Henry Hendon, and Watkins Miller, stood on English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, Writing and Oratory. In English Grammar, and Geography, Needham Price and Henry Cannon were most approved. (Watkins Miller was absent from indisposition.) In Arithmetic, N. Price was best, and H. Cannon next best. All produced handsome specimens of Writing. N. Price's was the most approved. H. Cannon's and H. Hendon's was next best. Needham Price and Henry Cannon delivered the best Orations.

Needham Price, Thomas Jones, Henry Hawkins, and Henry Cannon, were examined on the Elements of Geometry. Needham Price had paid most attention to this study. Thomas Jones is next best. The other members of the class were approved.

## FEMALE DEPARTMENT.

Classes taught by Mrs. Goodwin.

Amanda Bell, Elizabeth Bobbitt, Julia Boren, Matta da Brazil, Catharine Reyan, Mary Cobbs, Ann Cobbs, Martha Cannon, Ann E. Felton, Frances Haywood, Sabina Martin, Helen Shaw, Elizabeth Wetmore and Martha Seawell, were examined on Spelling, Reading and Mair's Catechism. In Spelling and giving the definition of words, Martha Cannon, Ann Felton, Frances Haywood, Helen Shaw and Julia Boren were most approved. Julia Boren was deemed the best Reader, and Matilda Brazier, Ann Cobbs, Mary Cobbs and Catharine Boylan were approved in the order of their names. On Mair's Catechism, all passed a satisfactory examination.

Mary Jane Myatt, Martha Cannon, Ann E. Felton, Frances Haywood, Helen Shaw and Elizabeth Wetmore, read in Murray's Introduction, and were approved.

Ann E. Briggs, Margaret Dunn, Anna E. Forster, Susan Gilmour, Catharine Jackson, Ann E. Manly, Mary J. Myatt, Priscilla Shaw and Sarah Smith, were examined on Waldo's Spelling Dic-

tionary with definitions. Ann E. Manly, Ann E. Forster and Susan Gilmour were considered best. The rest were approved.

The same class, with the addition of Maria Haywood, Lavinia Jeter, Lydia Jones and Sabina Martin, read in the English Reader and acquitted themselves well. Anna Forster, Susan Gilmour and Priscilla Shaw, were distinguished. Ann E. Briggs, Margaret Dunn, Anna E. Forster, Susan Gilmour, Mary J. Myatt and Sarah Smith were examined in Arithmetic and produced specimens of Writing. In Arithmetic they acquitted themselves satisfactorily. Sarah Smith was deemed the best Writer; and Susan Gilmour and Mary J. Myatt next best.

Ann E. Briggs, Margaret Dunn, Susan Gilmour and Mary J. Myatt, were examined on the Geography of the U. States, and Susan Gilmour and Ann Briggs were deemed the best Geographers. Lavinia Jeter, Catharine Jackson, Mary J. Myatt, Margaret Dunn, Ann E. Manly, Ann E. Briggs, Anna E. Forster, Sarah Smith and Sabina Martin, stood on the Evangelical Catechism, and acquitted themselves well.

Melissa Bobbitt, Rebecca Bell, Mary E. Cannon, Mary A. Callum, Lavinia Jeter, Lydia M. Jones, Maria Haywood & Laura Wetmore, stood on Waldo's Dictionary with definitions. Melissa Bobbitt, Mary E. Cannon, Lavinia Jeter and Laura Wetmore were pronounced the best Spellers, all performed well.

Maria Haywood, Lavinia Jeter, Catharine Jackson, Ann E. Manly, Priscilla Shaw and Laura Wetmore, were examined in Geography, Arithmetic and Writing. In Geography and Arithmetic, Laura Wetmore, Lavinia Jeter and Maria Haywood, were considered best, though all answered and solved the questions put with readiness. Priscilla Shaw is the best Writer.

Melissa Bobbitt, Rebecca Bell, Mary E. Cannon, Mary A. Callum, Ann E. Manly and Laura Wetmore, were examined on Reading Goldsmith's Rome. All read well. Mary Cannon, Mary Callum, Ann Manly and Laura Wetmore were considered the best.

Melissa Bobbitt, Rebecca Bell, Mary E. Cannon, Mary A. Callum and Lydia M. Jones, stood on English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic and Writing. In Grammar, the first distinction is due to Melissa Bobbitt and Mary Cannon; the 2d to Mary Callum. In Geography, the class was examined on Europe, Asia and Africa, and were highly approved, without distinction. In Arithmetic, Melissa Bobbitt obtained the first distinction, and was considered the best Writer. Lydia Jones's Writing was next best.

The same class, with the addition of Priscilla Shaw, was examined on Scripture History. In this study, Mary Callum, Mary Cannon and Melissa Bobbitt excelled. All were approved.

Susan Gilmour, Maria Haywood and Laura Wetmore were heard on the Episcopal Catechism. Laura Wetmore was most perfect in her answers.

Maria Long and Virginia Stith, were examined on Spelling, Reading Prose and Poetry, English Grammar, Arithmetic, Geography, History, Rhetoric, Writing, Composition and Bible Questions, and acquitted themselves in all their studies to the entire satisfaction of the Trustees, and fully evinced that they had been diligent and attentive pupils.

Classes taught by Miss Benedict.

Betsy Avera, Amelia High, Emily Jeter, Frances King, Mary Perry, Susan Washington, Susan Martin and Margaret Beckwith (the two last absent with leave) were examined on Reading, Spelling, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography and Bible Questions. In Spelling, Betsy Avera was best, and Amelia High & Emily Jeter were next best. In Arithmetic, all had made satisfactory progress. In Grammar, Susan Washington and Amelia High were distinguished. In Geography, Elizabeth Busbee, Lucetta Busbee and Ann Washington, joined this class, and it then formed two divisions. In the first, Elizabeth Busbee was distinguished; in the second, Susan and Ann Washington. All were approved. On Bible Questions, all passed well. The writing of the class was neat and good. Betsy Avera, Emily Jeter, Frances King and Susan Washington were the best specimens.

Elizabeth Busbee, Matilda Bobbitt, Lucetta Busbee, Elizabeth Harrison, Eliza Parsley, Ann Washington and Lucinda Haywood, stood on Reading, History, Spelling, Grammar & Parsing, Natural Philosophy, Arithmetic, Scripture, Composition and Writing. (The last named student was not examined, owing to her having been absent from school a part of the season.) Eliza Parsley, Ann Washington and Elizabeth Busbee, were deemed the best Readers; and Matilda Bobbitt, Mattha Whitaker and Elizabeth Harrison, the next best. In Spelling, Matilda Bobbitt and Elizabeth Busbee excelled; and Mattha Whitaker and Ann Washington were next best. In Natural Philosophy, Luetta and Elizabeth Busbee and Eliza Parsley were most perfect. Matilda Bobbitt, Ann Washington and Elizabeth Harrison ranked next. Elizabeth Busbee and Ann Washington were deemed the best Arithmeticians, though all had paid a laudable attention to this study. On Scripture Questions all answered with readiness. No distinction. The Compositions of Ann Washington and Elizabeth Busbee were most approved. The specimen of Writing of Elizabeth Busbee, Elizabeth Harrison and Lucinda Haywood, were thought best—all were good.

Lucinda Bell, Rosa Gilmour, Cynthia Hill, Hawkins Lockhart, Fetevey Price and Martha Whitaker, were examined on History, Reading, Spelling, Arithmetic, Parsing, Logic, Bible Questions, Composition and Writing. To History, all the class appeared to have paid much attention. Fetevey Price, Cynthia Hill, Lucinda Bell and Rosa Gilmour, excelled. The class read well; Lucinda Bell and Rosa Gilmour, were deemed the best. In Spelling, all appeared perfect. In Arithmetic, all gave satisfaction. In Parsing, Fetevey Price, Hawkins Lockhart, Lucinda Bell and Rosa Gilmour were thought to excel, though all acquitted themselves well. In Logic, Fetevey Price and Hawkins Lockhart alone were examined. They were approved without distinction. All stood well on Bible Questions. The Compositions of the whole class did them credit. Those of Cynthia Hill and Fetevey Price were best. The Writing was very good—if any distinctions be made, they were in favor of Fetevey Price, Rosa Gilmour, Cynthia Hill and Lucinda Bell.

Mary Tartt, Mary Bethel and Mary McCain, the two last named young Ladies being confined by sickness, Miss Tartt stood alone in Reading, Spelling, Moral Philosophy, Parsing, Logic, Blair's Rhetoric, Arithmetic, Bible Questions, Composition and Writing. It was evident that this student had paid a persevering and successful attention to all her studies, for which she is applauded, and from the representation of their Teachers, and the other members of the class been present, they would have acquitted themselves satisfactorily.

The Senior Class, composed of Ann Eliza Dunn, Mary Foreman, Maria Goodwin, Jane Hunter, Rebecca Haywood, and Tabitha Savage, having passed a highly approved examination on all the studies prescribed by the Institution for the Female Department, viz. Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography, Scripture, Natural and Moral Philosophy, Rhetoric, Logic, History and Chemistry, are deemed worthy to receive the distinguished Honors of the Institution, viz. Honorary Certificates and Golden Medals.

The Specimens of Ornamental Work, and of Painting on Velvet and Paper, were much approved.

## REPORT ON MUSIC.

On Wednesday evening, an exhibition took place of Mrs. Ull's pupils in Musical Science—

The following young ladies who have had the benefit of Mrs. Hill's tuition only a short time, evinced by their respective performances, what industry on the part of the pupils, and talent on the part of their Teacher can effect.

Misses Sarah Smith, Maria Haywood, Rosa Hill, Maria Long, Virginia Stith, Maria Goodwin, Mary Foreman, and Mary Ann Tartt.

These young Ladies with the exception of the two first, each sang as well as played. In the gratification of a respectable auditory, who attended to witness their first efforts in public on the Piano. They all acquitted themselves so well, that it would be injudicious to make any distinctions.

As no accomplishment of civilized society produces effects more grateful and delightful than Music, and as nothing is so capable of elevating the feelings as Harmony regulated by the rules of Science, the Trustees cannot withhold the expression of their approbation at the interesting exhibition given by Mrs. Hill, nor do they deem it out of place to express their wishes, that in future, she may receive that encouragement to which, from every consideration she is so eminently entitled.

The Report being read, the Honorary Certificates and Medals were conferred on the Graduates, and the whole closed by an appropriate Address to the Graduates and Students, by Mr. Weston R. Gales, in behalf of the Trustees.

The Exercises of the Academy will be resumed on the first Monday in January next.

## FROM THE WILMINGTON RECORDER.

MR. EDITOR—The possession of such a Statue as that of Washington, at Raleigh, is a credit to the taste and liberality of N. Carolina. Whatever difference of opinion may have existed about the expediency of such a purchase, when the matter was under discussion, some perhaps, thinking it premature in us to appropriate our funds to the elegancies, before we were furnished with the comforts of life,—we presume that now, since the Statue is procured, all must rejoice that we have among us such a masterpiece of the fine arts. It must be gratifying to every Carolinian, that we have within our bounds, at least one monument of genius, to reward the curiosity of enlightened strangers. The act of a liberal and patriotic Legislature has given us the peculiar honor of best exhibiting the corporeal image of the man, in whose character all succeeding ages must take the deepest interest. The first of artists has been here worthily employed in stamping immortal duration on the form of the first of men. But as there has been much diversity of opinion respecting the propriety of the classical costume, with which Canova has chosen to invest our great-fellow, I have extracted from a work of high reputation, the following remarks, which may serve to show the correctness of the artist's taste, and the rules which ought to influence our decision in the case. W. H.

"The portrait of a beautiful woman in the fashionable dress of the day, may please at the moment it is painted; nay, may perhaps please more than in any that the fancy of the artist can suggest; but it is only in the plainest and simplest drapery, that the most perfect form can be transmitted with advantage to future times.

"The exceptions which the history of literature seems to furnish to these observations, are only apparent. That, in the works of our best authors, there are many beauties which have long and generally been admired, and which yet owe their whole effect to association, cannot be disputed; but in such cases, it will always be found, that the associations which are the foundation of our pleasure, have, in consequence of some peculiar combination of circumstances, been more widely diffused, and more firmly established among mankind, than those which date their origin from the caprices of our own age are ever likely to be.—An admiration of the classical remains of antiquity is, at present, not less general in Europe, than the advantages of a liberal education; and such is the effect of this admiration, that there are certain caprices of taste, from which no man who is well educated is entirely free.

"The analogy of the arts of statuary & painting may be of use in illustrating these remarks. The influence of ancient times has extended to those, as well as to the art of writing; and in this case, no less than in the other, the transcendent power of genius has established a propriety of choice in matter, of indifference, and has, perhaps consecrated, in the opinion of mankind, some of its own caprices. Many of the ornaments of art, (says Sir Joshua Reynolds) those at least for which no reason can be given, are transmitted to us, are adopted, and acquire their consequence, from the company in which we have been used to see them. As Greece and Rome are the fountains from whence have flowed all kinds of excellence, to that veneration which they have a right to claim for the pleasure and knowledge which they have afforded us, we voluntarily add our approbation of every ornament and every custom that belonged to them, even to the fashion of their dress. For it may be observed, that not satisfied with them in their own place, we make no difficulty of dressing statues of modern heroes or senators in the fashion of the Roman armour, or peaceful robe; and even go so far as hardly to bear a statue in any other drapery.

"The figures of the great men of those nations have come down to us in sculpture. In sculpture remains almost all the excellent specimens of ancient art. We have so far associated, personal dignity to the persons thus represented, and the truth of art to their manner of representation, that it is not in our power any longer to separate them. This is not so in painting; because, having no excellent ancient portraits that connection was never formed. Indeed, we could no more venture to point a general officer in a Roman military habit, than we could make a statue in the present uniform. But since we have no ancient portraits, to show how ready we are to adopt those kind of prejudices, we make the best authority among the moderns serve the same purpose. The great variety of excellent portraits with which Vandike has enriched this nation, we are not content to admire for their real excellence but extend our approbation even to the dress which happened to be the fashion of that age. By this means, it must be acknowledged, very ordinary pictures acquire something of Vandike, and appeared therefore at first sight, better pictures than they really were. They appeared so, however, to those only who had the means of making this association."—Stewart's Philosophy of the Mind.

## Wake Agricultural Society.

A meeting of the Members of this Society, is requested at Mrs. Jeter's Tavern, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Tuesday of our County Court Week, for the purpose of devising some mode of distributing amongst the Members thereof, the White Flint Wheat and Orchard Grass Seed, ordered by the Board of Agriculture for the use of the several Agricultural Societies of the State, which are just received from the North, Nov. 5.

The Seed for all the other Agricultural Societies, is in the care of Duncan Thompson, Esq. of Fayetteville, who will deliver it when called for.

## Taken Up.

AND committed to the Jail of Greenville County, N. C. on the 15th October, as a runaway negro fellow LONDON, who says he belongs to Nathan Whitfield, of Lenoir county, N. C. Said London is about 40 years old, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, has a down look, with a small scar over his right eye. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

SAM'L S. GARTHWAIT, Jailor. Oxford, 1st Nov. 1826. 9 6w

## New Books



J. GALES & SON have just received the following recent publications—  
A Treatise on Diet, with a view to establish, on practical grounds, a system of Rules for the prevention and cure of the diseases, incident to a disorder'd state of the digestive junctions; by J. A. Paris, M. D. F. R. S.  
Recollections of the Peninsula—by the author of Sketches of India.  
The history of Chivalry or Knighthood and its times, being the sequel to the history of the Crusades—by Charles Mills, Esq.—two vols. in one.  
Narrative of the surrender of Bonaparte and of his residence, on board the Hellsprouph, with a detail of the principal events which occurred in that Ship; by Capt. F. L. Maitland.  
Memoirs and Poetical Remains of the late Jane Taylor, with extracts from her correspondence; by Isaac Taylor.  
Visit to Colombia in 1822 and 1823; by Col. William Duane.  
A sketch of the Internal Condition of the United States of America and of their political relations with Europe; by a Russian—attributed to Mr. Poletica, late Russian Minister to this Government.  
The Story of a Life—by the author of scenes and impressions in Egypt and Italy.  
Poems by Bernard Barton—second edition with additions.

ALSO,  
Reports on Canals, Railways, Roads, and other subjects, made to the Pennsylvania Society, for the promotion of Internal Improvements, by William Strickland, Architect and Engineer—embellished with splendid engravings.  
An assortment of Classical and other School Books. Stationary, &c. Raleigh, Nov. 9, 1826. 11

THE EAGLE HOTEL,  
And other valuable Real Estate,  
FOR SALE.

State of North-Carolina,  
WAKE COUNTY.  
COURT OF EQUITY.—Fall Term, A. D. 1826.  
The Creditors of William Ruffin, dec'd, & others, vs. Thomas Ruffin, Thomas Ritchie, and others.  
BY virtue of a decree made in this cause at the last Term of the Court of Equity for the county of Wake, we shall proceed to sell on the premises in the City of Raleigh, on Monday the 11th day of December next, that very valuable Real Estate, known as the Eagle Hotel situated, lying and being on the lots Nos. 211 and 27, about one hundred yards North of the State House.

These Lots are extensively improved, with a large Brick House, fronting the Capitol, a large Dining Room, running back on Halifax Street, and a lodging House in the rear, with four rooms below and four above stairs, together with Stables, Kitchens, and every other building to render the Establishment complete. It has been so long occupied as a House of Entertainment, and having been the greater part of that time, the Stage Office, for both the Northern and Southern Stages, a minute account of its advantages, in a newspaper advertisement, is unnecessary. Every person at all acquainted with the Southern Country, must have heard of "THE HOTEL in Raleigh," and all persons are invited, who wish to purchase such property, to attend on the day of sale, when a bargain will be sold, and that in the most valuable property that has been offered in the Southern Market for years past.

On the same day and at the same place, will also be sold eight unimproved Lots lying near the City, and numbered Nos. 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, and 47. These lots are under an inclosure, the greater part of them in a high state of cultivation, and are conveniently situated for farming or building.

The terms of the foregoing sale are accommodating, the purchaser being required to execute his notes negotiable and payable at the State Bank, in this City, with unquestionable security, payable in four annual instalments, with interest from the date, which will be required yearly.

Immediately after the Sale of the above property, the Administrator on the Estate of the late William Ruffin, deceased, will expose to Sale, all the Personal Estate of which he died possessed, consisting of several very valuable Dining Room Servants, two excellent Osters, Cooks and other Servants—besides all the Furniture belonging to the Hotel.

THOMAS RUFFIN, } Comrs,  
HENRY M. MILLER, }

## TRANSYLVANIA UNIVERSITY.

## Medical Department.

THE Lectures will commence as usual on the first Monday of November, and terminate in the first week of the ensuing March.

Anatomy and Surgery, by DR. DUDLEY.  
Institutes of Medicine and Clinical Practice, by DR. CALDWELL.  
Theory and Practice of Medicine, by DR. DRAKE.  
Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children, by DR. RICHARDSON.  
Materia Medica and Medical Botany, by DR. SHORT.  
Chemistry, by DR. BLYTHE.

The paper of the Bank of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, heretofore received at par by the Professors, having nearly gone out of circulation, specie or its equivalent will be expected. The price of each ticket will be 15 dollars, with the exception of that to the course of Anatomy and Surgery, which is fixed at 20.—Matriculation, with admission to the Library and Reading Room, which are kept open every day, will be five dollars, making the aggregate fees for instruction one hundred dollars. The Library containing about 3000 volumes is constantly augmented by the importation of new standard and periodical works, from Great Britain and the continent of Europe.

The difficulties experienced by the two last classes from the disproportionate size of the Anatomical Hall have been obviated by the erection of a new one of enlarged dimensions, and with conveniences and appointments not surpassed by any other in the United States.

DANIEL DRAKE, M. D.  
Dean of the Medical Faculty,  
Transylvania University, Sept. 18. 1 6w

## Raleigh Academy.

THE Rev. Dr. McPheeters, the Principal of the above Institution, having after several months of sixteen years, given notice to the Trustees of his intention of withdrawing from his late office, the close of the present session (which ends the first week in November) a successor is wanted. He must be well qualified to teach the Greek, Latin Languages and the Sciences, so as to prepare young men for entering any of our Universities; and must be of respectable moral character. The salary is \$800, payable half-yearly; and if the gentleman appointed have a comfortable Dwelling-House, having attached to it a Garden and suitable Outbuildings, free from rent. The services of the new Principal will be required until the commencement of the next session in January.

Application, by letter (post-paid) may be made to J. Gales, President of the Board of Trustees, at Raleigh, N. C. previous to the 13th day of November next, on which day the appointment will be made.

Raleigh, Sept. 18. 96m  
\*The National Intelligencer will insert the above notice a week for 6 weeks and forward the sheet, to the Register Office.

## Notice.

THE Subscriber will receive written proposals at his Store, in Raleigh, for the maintenance of the Poor of Wake County until Thursday, the 23rd inst. The contract is to take place on the first Saturday in February next. A sufficient sum of cash will be paid in advance to enable the contractor to lay in his provisions. There is a good plantation, and a new mill will be in operation by the time; all of which will be for the benefit of the contractor. There are between 40 and 50 pampers. The undertaker is desired to state in his proposals the lowest terms he will support them for, with the addition of the mill and plantation by the piece.

Bond and approved security will be required. ROBERT CANNON, E. W. Nov. 6th, 1826. 11 2w

## State of North-Carolina, HALIFAX COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May Term, 1826.  
Devsley Collins, widow of John Collins, vs. Bryant Collins & others, heirs of John Collins.  
Petition for Dower.

In this case, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that, inasmuch as the petitioner is unacquainted with all the heirs or legal representatives of the said John, who died without issue; and that she does not exactly know who they are, or what their number be, or by whom she is entitled to be made parties to her petition, other than Bryan Collins, the surviving brother of the said John Collins, and as the representatives of the other brothers and sisters of the aforesaid John, as she has understood and believes, some of whom live in this State, and others in other parts of the United States: It is therefore ordered, that publication be made in the Raleigh Register, for the space of 6 weeks, calling the above recited persons to be and appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Halifax, on the 3d Monday in August next, then and there to answer, or the said petition will be heard *ex parte*. Witness R. Eppes, Clerk of said Court at Office, on the 3d Monday in May, 1826. Adv. \$3 50 R. EPPES, Clk.

## Advertisement to a generous Public.

ON Friday the 13th instant, the subscriber was assailed on the public highway by a negro man, who passed through this neighborhood as a free man, by the name of Abolam Conner, who says he was born in Marlborough district, South-Carolina, and has free papers signed by men in Anson county, N. C. His attack was serious—the subscriber received two severe wounds on the head and several bruises, which occasioned great damage; not yet repaired by medical skill and attention. It is hoped and solicited that every friend to good order, and the safety of the citizens of this country, will aid in the apprehension of the above offender. Any person apprehending the said Conner, and securing him in any jail in this State or North-Carolina, and giving notice to the subscriber at Monticello, Fairfield district, S. C. shall receive a compensation of Twenty Dollars.

He is about 5 feet 8 inches high, yellow complexion, appears to be between 25 and 30 years of age, wears a wool hat, has different articles of clothing, some of his upper teeth missing, has in his company a black Dog, with a white ring around his neck, and a remarkable short tail.

ROBERT WESTON, 4t

## Taken Up

AND committed to the Jail of Nashville, Nashville, N. C. on the 10th instant, as a runaway negro fellow NED, who was sold by Mr. Sherwood Evans of this county to Mr. Matthews or Mr. Meriwether of Georgia, about 8 or 9 years ago; he has been about in this and the adjoining counties ever since; and I understand, he now belongs to Mr. Hannah of Alabama. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

WILLIE G. WHITFIELD, Jailor. Nashville, N. C. Aug. 5. 85 3m

## Oxford Female Academy.

THE Fall examination of this institution will commence on Wednesday the 15th of Nov. next, and close on the Friday evening following. The first session of the next year will commence on the 2nd Monday of January. The very liberal patronage which has been given to this Seminary the past year has encouraged the Principals to increase the number of Teachers, and to make some important additions to the course of studies heretofore pursued.—He has engaged a Gentleman and Lady for the ensuing year, who have had a long and successful experience in teaching in some of the first Academies in our Country.

A Cabinet of Minerals, a Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus will be added before the commencement of the next session, and every recitation in Chemistry, Natural Philosophy, Astronomy, and Mineralogy will be accompanied with a Lecture, and the principles in these Sciences illustrated by appropriate experiments.

Particular attention will be paid to plain and ornamental penmanship, to the projection and drawing of Maps, and to plain and ornamental Needlework. A stated Lecture will be given to the two higher classes, on Mental Philosophy, and experienced instructors will be engaged in the departments of Music, Drawing, and Painting. The Seminary is well furnished with Maps, Globes, &c.

No alteration to be made in the price of board and tuition. JOSEPH LABARLE, 98 6w Oxford, Sept. 21st, 1826.

## Mrs. O'Brien's School

For the present Session, will terminate on Friday the 17th November, and the Exercises of the same will be resumed on the first Monday in January next.

Wilmington, Oct. 31. 93t

## PRINTING

Neatly executed at this Office.