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Raleigh Register.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1827.

The Supreme Court of this State commenced its Summer Term on Monday the 18th inst. All the Judges are present.

New York Senate.—Governor Clinton has called an extra meeting of the Senate on the 27th inst. The Senate meets as a Court of Errors; and the Albany Argus thinks it probable, that one of the objects of the meeting is, for the purpose of directing a special Court of Oyer and Terminer, for the trial of Strang for the murder of Whipple.

The Council of Censors of Vermont (whose duty it is to meet once in seven years, and enquire whether the Constitution has been preserved inviolate, and whether the legislative and executive branches of the Government have properly exercised their functions) is now in session. This body has a proposition before it for amending the Constitution of the State, providing for a Senate, as a co-ordinate branch of the Government. This and the other subjects of which they have cognizance, are referred to committees, and they have adjourned till the third Monday in October next.

The ship Pocahontas, from Liverpool, arrived at Boston on the 16th inst. brings London papers to the 9th of May, which contain nothing new, except that a rise in the funds had taken place, from Mr. Canning's having, on the 8th, announced to the House of Commons, that he should shortly bring forward his budget, and no additional taxes of importance would be proposed.

The Editor of the Elizabeth City Star acknowledges that he was misinformed when he stated, in a former paper, that a British vessel which had put into Ocracock, had been seized. It is now understood, that the coffee was delivered by the mate, without the knowledge of the Captain, who was on shore at the time. But some suspicions are still entertained concerning the vessel, as the Capt. and Mate disagree as to the place from whence they sailed. One says she is from Cuba; the other from St. Domingo. She is a sharp built vessel of 40 or 50 tons. It is believed at Ocracock she is a pirate.

If to have an opportunity to do good be a blessing, and to be enabled to perform a duty which has for its object the preservation of human life, then is Captain Skiddy not only one of the most fortunate, but most meritorious of seamen, as will be seen by the statement below, when he was permitted, under Providence, to rescue from a watery grave, at three distinct intervals, upwards of thirty fellow beings, in the course of a few hours. May he ever find a friend in the hour of need!

Remarkable.—The N. Y. Mercantile states that the ship Henry IV. Capt. Skiddy, arrived there from Charleston, on the 7th inst. fell in with the schr. Coma, from Charleston for New-York, with loss of bowsprit, and totally dismasted, and took from her 21 passengers, viz. Mr. Gillett, daughter and servant. Mr. & Mrs. Brown, Mr. & Mrs. Lamb, Mr. & Mrs. Kenny, Miss Wilcox, Miss Walker, Messrs. Flag, Cunningham, A. Villeneuve, W. Hays A. Eaton, Friths, W. Houseman, Sidney, Hill, Peters, Kenny, and Wilcox.

On the same day, fell in with the schr. Grampus from Charleston for Philadelphia, in a sinking condition, and took off the crew, seven in number.

On the 8th, lat. 34, lon. 75 30 fell in with the schr. Catherine, Waring, of and for New-York from New-Orleans, full of water, and took off the Captain, crew, and Mr. W. Gay, passenger.

The Spanish and Republican Squadrons.—It is highly probable a few days will bring something of a more interesting and decisive character from the neighborhood of Havana than any of the accounts heretofore received. The Editors of the Baltimore Morning Chronicle have received a letter from their Correspondent in Havana, dated 27th May, which says:

“Seven sail are now off. They are supposed to be the Columbian Squadron, consisting of two frigates, one corvette, two brigs, and one three-masted schooner. They have been seen by the Argo and Elizabeth; the latter only arrived this day.”

“Laborle, with five heavy frigates, is only waiting a wind to get out. We shall have, no doubt, an engagement before many days.”

Central America.—It appears that the battle fought near Guatemala on the 22d and 23d of March, proved decisive of the overthrow of the rebels of St. Salvador. The Chief Magistrate of that State, in a proclamation published in a Boston paper

asserts, that it has restored tranquility, and the Government have noted thanks to the President General-in-Chief, the Federal army, and State division. Those who fell in the battle, are to be enrolled among the “Martyrs of Liberty.”

The Richmond Whig, speaking of the proposed Conference in Virginia, says—there is no longer a rational doubt, but that the next legislature will pass a bill to take the sense of the people on calling a convention, by a considerable majority. This is certain—but although the bill is called to take the sense of the people yet there is much doubt, whether this term people, will be construed as meaning any thing more than freeholders. To guard against the consequences of this construction, and to enable every free man to have a voice in determining what the government of his country shall be, we exhort all male citizens above 21 years of age, who have the ability of obtaining freeholds, and who have them not, to lose no time in getting a title to fifty acres of land unimproved, or 25 acres, with a frame house 12 feet square on it. This is a freehold, in politico legislative sense, and it is this very important thing of 50 acres of land, which may be worth five or five thousand dollars, (for the value makes no difference,) which in 1828, may give or take away, the right of a freeman to give his voice in the government of his country. In many parts of the state, this inestimable right may be purchased for 15 shillings—in most parts of the state for \$10 or 15. Let all who can spare these small sums, be provided against the great day, when the people of Virginia are to say, if they will perpetuate the imperfections of the present constitution, or, availing themselves of the light experience, choose a more eligible form of government.

A recapture.—The schr. Antoinette lately captured by the Columbian privateer, has been recaptured—the following are the particulars of the affair. The Antoinette being short of provisions, came to an anchor off the S. West Pass when she was boarded by the pilot boat. The pilots proposed to Capt. Bateman of the Antoinette, to retake his vessel, which he acceded to. An attack was made on the prize crew, when the prize master and six of his men attempted to escape, by jumping overboard. They seized the boat and made for the brig Amiable Matilda, at anchor within the pass. The Amiable Matilda mistaking the cause of the firing from on board the schooner, as the boat approached fired in her turn, and wounded the prize master severely; he remains on board the brig and the rest of the crew were sent up to N. Orleans in irons, on board the Antoinette. Capt. Bateman states that since his capture he had been well treated and the hatches of the Antoinette were not opened, nor the men allowed to touch any thing.

American policy.—We have seen a letter (says the editor of the Boston Courier) from one of the representatives in Congress from Pennsylvania, to his friend in this city, in which he says—“Our national policy has arrived at a most important and interesting crisis. At the next session of Congress the policy of the country will be settled for at least some time to come.—The contest is between British and American Agriculturalists and Manufacturers, and the question is, which side we shall take. Disguise it as you will, this is the true and only question, and on its decision depends the national prosperity on the one hand, or national ruin on the other. It will be a contest of the American against the Anti-American system, a contest for national independence and national improvement against national dependence and national ruin. Our agriculture is without a market, and our manufactures languish and decline, while nothing is wanting to give life, activity, & animation but the plastic touch of government patronage and protection. And shall it be withheld? This is the question. The battle in Congress will be strongly and warmly contested. Pennsylvania holds the scale, and if she is true to herself, to her uniform principles and policy, as she most assuredly will be, we shall obtain a glorious triumph, by far more important to the nation, than even the memorable victory at New Orleans.”

Round about proceedings.—A curious circumstance has been detailed in evidence on the Liverpool and Manchester railway bill, lately in committee of the house of commons, by Mr. Cropper of Liverpool, namely that a piece of Calico may have to pass four times along the road between Liverpool and Manchester, and thrice across the channel between England and Ireland.—The raw material is first transported from Liverpool to Manchester; it is there spun into twist, then sent back to Liverpool and forwarded to Ireland, where it is woven; after this, it is returned to Liverpool, and forwarded to Manchester, where it is calendered, or in some way receives the finishing process, it is then sent back to Liverpool, and on to Ireland where it is worn. Mr. Cropper also stated another fact, which it would be well not to overlook, namely—that America now manufactures as much as England did twenty-six years ago, and France is only thirteen years behind her.

Land Sales.—A Tallahassee paper of the 26th ult. says, the Land Sales commenced here on Monday last, and are progressing westward, as directed in the President's proclamation; yesterday they were selling the Chipola country. The sale is very well attended and yet there has been very little contest among the bidders; the highest price given was four dollars and fourteen cents per acre. We are very much pleased, in finding little or no disposition to annoy occupants. We understand, that with three or four exceptions, no one's improvement has been purchased by a stranger. It is thought that after the sale, a great quantity of land will be entered.

Distressing Accidents.—While a number of men were, some days since, washing sheep in the pond near the centre of Ashfield, Mass., chusets, seven of them took a few sheep into a boat, intending to pass over a deep place to where the water was more shoal; when just as they reached the deep water, the boat, being overloaded, dipped and went down. Three of the seven reached the shore, but the other four, after struggling awhile, sunk to rise no more! The father of one of the young men standing on shore, and seeing his son struggling for life, plunged in to his assistance; but being old, and having his clothes on, he did not reach his son, before he was overcome, and lost also! Some of the bodies were got on shore in 15 minutes; but though every means were used to restore life, all proved ineffectual.

While a Mr. Douglas and wife were attending the funeral of the above unfortunate man, their daughter, a girl of 11 years of age, who was left in the charge of other children, in attempting to get out of a window, was killed by the sash falling on her neck!

Pennsylvania.—This State is the theatre of the utmost political activity at this time. The people are meeting in all parts, to elect Members to the Manufacturers' Convention, called at Harrisburg in July, by the Pennsylvania Manufacturing Society, and to which deputies from all the States are invited. This measure is arousing the attention of the Manufacturers and Wool Growers to a great degree, and seems destined by identifying their interests with the Administration, to complete the revolution already begun and much advanced, adverse to the prospects of Gen. Jackson. The vote of the active Jackson leaders from that State, Kremer, Ingham and Kittera, against the Woollens Bill, and in undoubted violation of public sentiment in their respective Districts, has induced suspicion, and their popularity is alleged to have sunk to a low ebb. Accounts that are much to be relied upon, state with the utmost confidence, that Pennsylvania will not vote for Gen. Jackson.

Jonathan Roberts, that citizen of Republican simplicity, and Roman integrity, so long and favorably known in the Senate of the United States, as the staunch supporter of Jefferson and Madison, and whose Address to the Philadelphia Committee last summer, will be remembered by the reader, has again appeared in the public prints under his proper signature, in a rejoinder to Mr. Ingham's Resolutions at Doylestown. There is something of Republican devotion in an eminent citizen's thus, for the public prosperity, encountering under the responsibility of his name, the fury of an outrageous and abusive party.

At Pittsburg, Mr. Clay's expected arrival created much sensation. Between four and five hundred citizens had united to give him a dinner, and the preparations were on a large scale.

The National Advocate.—Mr. Samuel S. Conant, late a merchant in New York, has become joint proprietor of the National Advocate, and the editorial department has passed into his hands. Mr. C. has been a republican from his cradle; is a gentleman of sound moral character, of very respectable talents, and writes with strength and facility. Under his auspices, the Advocate will be a firm and undeviating supporter of the administration. Mr. Snowden is a very industrious and thorough business man; and with the assistance of such a man as Mr. Conant, it is anticipated, that the Advocate will take rank among the most respectable of American journals. Bull. Pat.

The Jesuits.—In a late article in the London Quarterly Review, on the government of the Spanish Colonies, the Reviewer remarks: “The only exception to this picture of ecclesiastical depravity, in South America, concurs in the case of the Jesuits, who really seem to have labored, with all sincerity, to improve the condition of the natives, and who maintained, in a perfect purity of manners, certainly such a comparative degree of virtue, as gave these able and extraordinary men a great and useful influence.”

Providence, June 6.
PROGRESS OF MANUFACTURES.—We a few days since saw, at the manufacturing establishment of the Providence Dyeing, Bleaching and Carding Company, a spectacle which we would not have believed, had it been most solemnly sworn to. It was the operation of *singeing*, one of the most extraordinary, yet simple operations we ever heard of. The process is carried into execution to prepare a certain description of domestic fabrics for the calico stamping business, and is simply this:—Two or three pieces of cotton cloth are wound on a cylinder of wool, from which they are again taken, and run over the surface of a “red hot” iron cylinder, without injuring them in the least. The iron cylinder is placed on the top of a “fery furnace,” which is kept as hot as possible, and yet no damage is done to the cloth as it passes through the ordeal! This operation, we are told, is common in England.

A letter from London of the 4th ult. received in New York, mentions that the Chevalier D. Francisco Tucon was about to embark from Havre for New York, as Spanish Minister to this country.

Anecdote.—In a time of much religious excitement and consequent discussion, an honest old Dutch farmer of the Mohawk, was asked his opinion as to which denomination of Christians were in the right way to heaven?—“Vell den (said he) ven we take our wheat to Albany, some say dis is the pest road, and some say dat is the pest; but I don't think it makes much difference which road we take; for when we get dare, dey never ask us which way we come—and it is none of deir business—*if our wheat be good.*”

From the Miner's Journal.
MAUNCH CHURCH RAILWAY.—This novel and interesting work is the “Lion” of the day, and attracting an uncommon number of visitors from all parts of the country. All examine it with amazement, and speak of it with delight. Additional cars are making, and the details of this new system of transportation are perfecting with as little delay as possible. There are, it is said, thirty cars now upon the road, and the number is to be increased to 150. As heretofore stated, the cars descend by the force of gravity; one horse takes up 3 empty cars. In this way each car can be made to perform four trips per day. Cars are preparing in which the horses are to ride down. And if we may credit the account given, one horse has already been sent down as an experiment, and that he appeared little less delighted with his ride than his two legged companions. The greatest day's work yet done has been to send down 75 cars, carrying each a ton and a half; total one hundred twelve and a half tons of coal. The time allowed for descending the whole distance, (9 miles) is 40 minutes.

An occurrence took place the other day. A loaded car on being brought to the summit of the road, took French leave, and set off upon the downward passage alone and at top of its speed. It was seen upon the road shooting down with incredible velocity; and in the language of the narrator, “In place of the rattling noise usually made by the descending cars, it fairly hummed.” Fortunately, the road was clear and the car went down, perfectly safe and stopped within a few yards of the chute; but gave evidence by the heat and dryness of its axle, that it had a hard race. It is believed it performed the whole journey in about ten minutes.

Rail Roads.—The resolve authorizing the appointment of an Engineer and Commissioners, for surveying a route or routes for a Rail Road from Boston to the Hudson river, and appropriating a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars for defraying the expense, has passed the House of Representatives of Massachusetts by a vote of 166 to 47.

MARRIED.
At Stratford, Conn. on the 15th inst. by the Rev. H. Rutledge, George Pollak Devereux, Esq. of this State, to Miss Sarah Elizabeth Johnson, daughter of the Hon. Samuel W. Johnson, of that place.

In Pasquotank county, on the 14th, Mr. Jacob Lamb, to Miss Sally Trueblood.

In Camden county, on the same day, Mr. William Haywood to Mrs. Elizabeth C. Norris, widow of Mr. George W. Norris, deceased.

DIED.
In the vicinity of Fayetteville, on the 20th inst. Mr. John Jarrott, aged 48 years.

In Fayetteville, on Monday evening last of a pulmonary complaint, Mr. Abner F. Howell, aged about 50 years.

At Wilmington, on the 21st inst. Joseph Eagles, Esq. aged 37 years, a highly respectable citizen of that town.

At Milton, on the 18th inst. Col. Benj. S. Tillman, of Craven county, in this State. By this afflictive dispensation a wife and infant daughter are bereaved of a fond and affectionate husband and father; an aged mother a kind and dutiful son; his sisters are left to mourn for an only and much endeared brother.

In Green county Alabama, on the 8th of May last, Maj. Charles M. Ridule, formerly of Chatham county, N. C.

Raleigh and Tarborough Stage.
THIS Stage will leave Raleigh every Tuesday and Friday at 4 o'clock, A. M. and arrive in Tarborough every Wednesday and Saturday at 8 o'clock, A. M. Returning, it will leave Tarborough at 4 o'clock, P. M. every Wednesday and Saturday and arrive in Raleigh every Thursday and Sunday at 1 o'clock, P. M. Seats from Tarborough to be taken at the Hotel, Raleigh, 21st June. 76

NOTICE.
THE Partnership existing under the name of Webb & Williams, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All those indebted, are required to make immediate settlement.

RANDOLPH WEBB, ALFRED WILLIAMS. Raleigh, May 11th, 1827.

Medicines, Drugs, &c.

THE Subscriber having become proprietor of the establishment recently conducted by Webb & Williams, informs his friends and the public generally that he intends keeping constantly for Sale, a large and extensive assortment of Medicines, Paints, Oils, Hatter's materials, Shop Furniture, Surgical Instruments, &c. &c. Physicians & merchants, dealing in the above articles, will find it to their advantage to call and examine his assortment, as he intends selling low for Cash or approved credit.

He shortly expects his Summer supply, and respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

ALFRED WILLIAMS.

Having disposed of my interest in the late concern of Webb & Williams, to Mr. Alfred Williams, I take pleasure in recommending him to the confidence and patronage of my friends and the public, as a young man well qualified to discharge the duties of an Apothecary, (having been engaged with me in the business for several years.) I hope that that share of public favor will be bestowed on him which I have realized during a succession of years in business, and for which I feel deeply indebted.

May 14. RANDOLPH WEBB.

Raleigh Paper Mill.

THE Subscriber having rented the Paper-Mill of J. Gales, Esq. on Crabtree, hopes to be able to execute all orders for Writing, Printing or Wrapping Paper, on the best terms, and so as to give entire satisfaction. Having learnt his Business in Pennsylvania, where Paper-making is carried on in the greatest perfection, the Subscriber hopes the Paper procured from him will be such as will meet with general approbation. Not being possessed of much capital, prompt payments will be expected.

SAMUEL A. WILE. Raleigh, June 1, 1827.

Good clean Rags will be purchased, or taken in payment for Paper, at the Paper-Mill, or in small quantities, at S. A. Wiles' house Raleigh.

Believing that the Business of my Paper-Mill will be greatly improved by introducing into it a Northern Workman of ability, I have concluded to rent it to Mr. SAMUEL A. WILE, lately from Pennsylvania, who, being a good Workman, & well acquainted with the most approved modes of manufacturing Paper, will, I have no doubt, by his superior knowledge and activity, not only raise the character of the Paper, but greatly increase its business. I therefore hope Mr. WILE will meet with public patronage. I retain the Grist & Saw-mill, which will be carried on as heretofore.

J. GALES. State of North-Carolina. Granville County. May Term, A. D. 1827. Nancy Gooch, vs.

Daniel Gooch, Puffret Gooch, Thomas Gooch, James Gooch, Tyre Harris and Polly his wife, William Spraggins and his wife Patsy, William Goss and Sally his wife, Abner Adcock and Rachel his wife, Abraham Landes and Susanna his wife, and the children of Par-Gooch, viz. Rowland, Puffret, Young, Wm. thenia, who has married Joseph Roberts, Ann, Robert, Rebecca, Susanna and Macon.

Petition for Dissolution. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Tyre Harris and his wife Polly, Wm. Spraggins and Patsy his wife, and Abraham Landes and Susanna his wife are not inhabitants of this State: It is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Register, giving notice to the said defendants to appear at our next court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county aforesaid at the Court-House in Oxford on the first Monday in August next and answer, otherwise the petition will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to them. Witness Stephen K. Sneed, Clerk of our Court at office in Oxford, the first Monday of May, A. D. 1827.

Witness STEPHEN K. SNEED, Clerk. Price Adv. \$4 6w-74

State of North-Carolina. Rockingham County, Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May Term, A. D. 1827. Peter B. Stubblefield and others vs. Thompson Harris and wife David R. Body and wife and others.

Petition for Partition. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Thompson Harris and wife, and David R. Body & wife defendants in this case, are not inhabitants of this State, it is therefore ordered that publication be made for six weeks successively in the Raleigh Register, giving notice to the said defendants to appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the county of Rockingham at Westworth, on the 4th Monday of August next, and answer, otherwise the petition will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte. Witness Robert Galloway, Clerk of said Court at Westworth, the 4th Monday of May, 1827.

ROBERT GALLOWAY, C. C. Price Adv. \$2 6w-74

State of North-Carolina. Surry County, May Sessions, A. D. 1827. Polly Hoppis vs. The real estate of John Hoppis, dec'd.

Petition for Dissolution, &c. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Hugh Davis and Sally his wife, and George Hoppis are not residents of this State; it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Register, that the said Hugh Davis and Sally his wife, and George Hoppis appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the County of Surry, at the Court-House in Rockford on the second Monday in August next; plead answer or demur, otherwise the petition will be heard ex parte, and judgment entered accordingly.

Teste, JO. WILLIAMS, C. C. Price Adv. \$2 6w-74

State of North-Carolina. Surry County, May Sessions, A. D. 1827. Charles Steadman and his wife and others vs. The real estate of John H. Hoppis, dec'd.

Petition for partition of lands, &c. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Hugh Davis and Sally his wife, and George Hoppis are residents of another State; it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Register, that the said Hugh Davis and Sally his wife, and George Hoppis appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the County of Surry, at the Court-House in Rockford on the second Monday in August next; plead answer or demur, otherwise the petition will be heard ex parte as to them, and judgment entered accordingly.

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Fifty Dollars Reward. BROKE Jail, on the night of the 5th inst. MOSES WARD, of Bertie county, who was confined under a charge of the State of North-Carolina for Burglary. Said Ward is about six feet high, very fleshy, and of clumsy appearance, and sallow complexion, flaxen hair and blue eyes, and about 25 years of age; had on when put in Jail, a coarse blue cloth coat, mix'd home spun pantaloons and a wool hat. It is believed that he is making his way towards Norfolk, Va. The above reward will be given for apprehending and securing him so that I can get him in custody again. LEWIS BOND, Sheriff of Bertie County. June 16. 74 24