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Notice.

THE Subscriber informs the citizens of Edgecombe and the adjacent counties, that he has commenced the

Gig and Wagon-making BUSINESS IN TARBORO',

Near the Bridge,

And earnestly requests those friendly to humanity to give him a share of patronage. His work shall be completed equal to any in the State.

THOS. J. BLAKELEY.

Feb. 12, 1829.

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FOR SALE,

At the Post-Office in the town of HALIFAX,

The following Articles, to wit:

Bacon, Lime, Herrings, Shad, Flour, Stained curtain Bedsteads, Windsor Chairs, Leather, wagon Collars, Tobacco, (twist and bundle,) wholesale and retail,

ALSO—the following Articles:

Bottle Corks, Fly Stone, Termerick, Liquid Blacking, Ginger, Spice, Nutmegs, Venetian Red, Red Lead, White Lead, Verdigris, Baitman's Drops, Opodeldoc, Allum, Letheridge, Ink Powder, Pearl Ash, Ground Paint Brushes, assorted, Shaving Boxes and Soap, Spanish Whiting, Turkey Umber, Crom. Yellow, Prussian blue, Durable Ink, Staughton's Bitters, Tooth Brushes, Muce, Snuff Boxes, Spanish Annatto, do. Blueing, do. Indigo, Wagons ironed, do. not Ironed, Almanacs, Garden Marrowfat } **PEAS,**
Early six week }
Green Bunch }
Spinning Wheels, Shaving Brushes, Razors, Blank Warrants, do. Notes, do. Bonds,

All of the above articles will be sold very low, for Cash only.

JOS. L. SIMMONS.

Halifax, Feb. 6, 1829.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the Subscribers either by note or account, are respectfully invited to call and settle the same as soon as possible, as the subscribers are under the necessity of making collections between this time and February Court.

KING & GATLIN.

Tarboro', Jan. 20, 1829.

Notice.

RANAWAY from the Subscriber, on the 22d of December last, an indentured apprentice boy, by the name of FRANCIS REDMOND, about seventeen years of age, dark complexion. I will give a reward of *Ten Dollars* for the delivery of said boy to me in Tarborough—all persons are forbid harboring or employing him under the penalty of the law.

HENRY JOHNSTON.

Tarboro', Jan. 20, 1829.

Mrs. A. C. Howard,

INFORMS the ladies of Edgecombe and vicinity, that she has opened, in the house immediately opposite the Bank in Tarborough, a handsome assortment of FANCY GOODS, suitable for fall and winter wear, which they are respectfully invited to call and examine—among them are—

Pattern silk, satin and velvet Bonnets, of the latest Northern fashions, Leghorn Flats, assorted numbers, Fine and coarse straw Bonnets, Silks and satins, plain and figured, Gros de Naples, different colors, Black mode, velvet, and crape, Florences, liece, gauze and sinchews, Lutestring, satin and gauze ribands, Superior bobinett caps and capes, Curls, caps, and turbans, Beaded and spangled wreaths, flowers and sprigs, new and elegant articles, Black and white Ostrich feathers, Feathered, velvet, and down flowers, Bunches and wreaths of flowers, Coral ear-drops and necklaces, Fancy reticules, pin-cushions, &c.

The above articles were purchased this fall in the Northern cities, and will be sold on favorable terms.

Ladies' dresses, cloaks, pelisses, &c. made to order, in the latest and most approved fashions.

Leghorn and straw Bonnets bleached, dyed, or trimmed, at a short notice.

Tarborough, Oct. 30, 1828.

Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed, that I will not consider myself liable for debts contracted by any of my WARDS, without a written order from under my own hand.

JOHN MOORING.

Feb. 12, 1829.

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\$25 Reward.

RANAWAY from the Subscriber in August, 1827, a negro man, ISAAC, between thirty-five and forty years old, five feet 8 or 10 inches high, stout built, very sensible, rather slow spoken. Isaac was raised in Edgecombe county, N. C. by Frederick Philips, and by him sold to the subscriber. I suppose that he is lurking in Edgecombe. The above reward will be given for his apprehension, if secured in any of the jails of this State so that I get him.

JOHN PURCELL.

Robeson County, N. C. } 24-13
Jan. 26, 1829.

GRAY HUNTER,

A BEAUTIFUL Iron Gray, five feet two and a half inches high, now seven years old, in high health and spirits, and possessing great muscular strength and activity, will stand the present season at my Stables in Halifax county, ten miles west of Edwards's ferry, fifteen miles from Halifax town, and two miles from Dawson's Cross-Roads, and will be let to mares at the moderate price of FIVE DOLLARS the leap, EIGHT Dollars the season, and FIFTEEN Dollars to insure a mare to be in foal; with twenty-five cents to the Groom in every instance. The season will commence the 16th day of February and end the 1st of August. Great care will be taken to prevent accidents, but no liability if any should occur.

Gray Hunter,

WAS got by the celebrated race horse Harrod, sired by old Sir Archie his dam by old Diomed—Gray Hunter's dam by Rogers's Gray, his great grandam by Collector, his g. g. grandam was Tharp's celebrated thorough-bred race mare.

JAS. J. PITTMAN.

Halifax county, N. C. } 26-8
Feb. 13, 1829.

Notice.

THE Subscriber having hired Henry, the Blacksmith belonging to David Randolph's estate, will continue to carry on the *Blacksmiths' Work* at the same shop as formerly, and tenders his services to all those who please to favor him with their custom, hoping by punctuality to merit a liberal share of public patronage; those favoring him with their custom will leave their work at the shop, where it will be punctually attended to and faithfully executed.

WILLIAM H. RANDOLPH.

Tarboro', Jan. 9, 1829. 21

For Sale,

At the Store of R. & S. D. Cotten,

IN TARBOROUGH,

Turks Island and } **SALT,**
Liverpool sack }
Molasses, sugar, coffee, tea, and chocolate, Iron and steel of every description & quality, Blacksmiths bellows, and every other article to make a complete sett of Blacksmiths tools, Old brandy, by the barrel or retail, Jamaica rum, 5 years old, Otard's cogniac brandy, 10 years old, Pure Holland gin, old rye whiskey, Madeira wine, N. E. rum & common brandy, Together with an extensive assortment of

Staple and Fancy Goods, Of almost every variety, at as low prices for cash, as can be bought at any store in the place.

A constant supply of *Swain's Panacea*, *Dr. Chambers' remedy for Intemperance*, *Judkins's celebrated Ointment*, &c. &c.

The highest price paid in Cash, for good clean baled Cotton.

January 1, 1829.

R. & J. Dunn & Co.

INFORM their friends and the public, that they have received their FALL SUPPLY OF GOODS, which comprises a handsome and very extensive assortment of nearly every article, new, fashionable, or desirable in the

Dry Goods Line.

A very large supply of **GROCERIES,**

Of all descriptions, **Hardware, Hats of every quality, China, Glass and Earthen ware, Saddlery, Boots and Shoes, and an assortment of Tin ware:**

Together with an assortment of Sole, Upper, Harness, Skirting and Bridle Leather,

Calf, kip, morocco and sheep Skins, Soaps, Perfumery, Ladies Leghorn hats & Straw Bonnets, Work baskets, Brushes of all kinds, Books, Stationary, Tortoise-shell, ivory and horn Combs, Paints, Oils, and Drugs, Pocket-books, Fur, seal-skin and morocco caps, &c. &c.

All of which will be offered at very moderate prices—many of the goods MUCH LOWER than they have been heretofore sold in this market.

Being confident that they can give satisfaction to those who call on them as regards the quality, style and prices of their goods, they respectfully invite all who want to purchase to examine their assortment.

N. B. We will continue to buy COTTON for cash, and to take it in trade or payment. Those of our customers who wish to send their Cotton to Dunns & M'Ilwaine of Petersburg, to be stored or sold, will find us accommodating in our arrangements, and anxious to promote their interest. R. & J. D. & Co. Halifax, N. C. Oct. 1828.

Garden Seeds.

THE Subscribers are now opening a well selected assortment of

Fresh Garden Seeds,

Which they offer for sale—those who wish to purchase, can be supplied on reasonable terms. Among them may be found the following:

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| Asparagus, | Lettuce, |
| Cabbage, | Tamattus, |
| Blood Beets, | Large Orange Carrot, |
| White Onion, | Early Peas, |
| Red do. | Marrowfat do. |
| Parsnips, | Charleton do. |
| Parsley, | Lima Beans, |
| Kail, | Mohawk Bush do. |
| Cucumber, | Ocra, |
| Cellery, | Turnips, |
| Raddish, | Leek. |

D. RICHARDS & CO.

Tarboro', Feb. 1829.



Union Tavern.

THE Subscriber informs the Public that he has rented that large and commodious establishment so conveniently situated in the

TOWN OF TARBOROUGH,

Recently occupied by Mr. Solomon Pender—to such as will favor him with their patronage he pledges himself that no pains shall be spared to render them comfortable, provided this can be effected by well furnished tables, pleasant rooms and attentive hostlers—his charges will be moderate, and his attention to his guests unremitting.

W. P. HADLY.

January, 1829.

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Removal.

THE Subscriber has removed next door to Messrs. R. & S. D. Cotten's store, where the Post-Office is kept, and where he offers for sale cheap, for cash only, the following articles, all of which have just arrived from New-York, and are fresh and of superior quality, viz:

Loaf and brown sugars, coffee and teas, Pepper and spice, ginger, mustard, Cinnamon, mace, cloves, nutmegs, &c. Alum, salt petre, powder and shot, Copperas, maccabau snuff, Raisins by the box or pound, Almonds, Brazil nuts, prunes, figs, &c. Cheese, northern butter, Ink powder, camphor, Windsor soap, Albany beer, best northern cider, Best Holland gin, by the gallon, 4th proof Jamaica rum, do. do. cogniac brandy, do. Apple Brandy, northern Whiskey, Old Irish Whiskey, Cordials, Lime Juice, London and American Porter, Tamarinds, Bed Cords, plough lines, trace chains, Cut nails assorted, wrought 6 penny do. Sperm candles, tallow do. moulded, Window glass, white lead, putty, Castile soap, fine cut tobacco in papers, Testaments, spelling books, lead pencils, Murray's key, English reader, &c. Stoughten's bitters, Spanish segars, Best chewing tobacco, common do. Foolscap and letter paper, garden seeds, Wafers by the ounce, candy, (assorted) Dried peaches, apples, &c. &c.

The Subscriber intends to keep a constant supply of all the above articles, together with many others, all of which he flatters himself, he will be able to sell as low as they can be procured at this market; and he invites all persons who wish to purchase any article in his line, to call and judge of the quality and prices. Orders from the country, enclosing the cash, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to.

N. H. ROUNTREE.

Tarboro', Dec. 29, 1828.