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### Henry Johnston,

WISHES to inform his friends and customers, that he has just return- ment, &c. &c. ad From New-York, with his

#### Fall Supply of Goods,

In his line of business, which he is happy to say he can sell on better terms than is usual in this market-among them are-

Superfine blue and black Cloths, Brown, olive, and steel mixture, do. Bottle green and drab do. Superfine Cassimeres, of different colors, Plain and fancy Velvets for vestings, Plain and fancy Silks for vestings, Dark and light Valencias, new patterns, White and buff quiltings, Pocket handkerchiefs, gloves, White and fancy cravats, patent suspenders F. A. Hart's patent braces, A complete assortment of TRIMMINGS.

The above goods will be sold low for rash, or to punctual customers on a short credit. Gentlemen furnishing their own cloth, can have it made and trimmed in the most fashionable manner and at the -hortest notice.

Tarboro', Oct. 1, 1829.

#### Mrs. A. C. Howard, II AS just received her fall supply of the use of the Globes)-and \$10 per GOODS, in her line of business, comprising a handsome assortment, suitable to the season -- among which are --

For Sale. Is published weekly, (every Friday.) at At the Store of R. & S. D. Cotten, THE Subscribers are now opening at IN TARBOROUGH,

# Turks Island and }SALT,

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 Swaim's Panacea, Dr. Chambers' remedy for batemperance, Judkins's celebrated Oint-

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

**T**UST RECEIVED and now opening, a splendid assortment of fancy & staple

### Seasonable Goods.

At unprecedented low prices-100 barrels superior Cut HERRINGS, &c. &c. R. & S. D. COTTEN.

May 23, 1829.

# Nashville Academy.

THE Trustees of this Institution have the pleasure to announce to the public, that they have engaged Mr. THOMAS G. STONE as Principal for the ensuing year: whose celebrity as a teacher, and the healthiness of the place being such as to render it useless to say more, than that the School will

open on the 2d Monday of January next, at the very reduced price of \$6 per session for spelling, reading, writing and arithmetic-\$8 per session for English grammar and geography, (with session for the languages and mathematics, payable in advance.

By order of the Board,

Nashville, N. C. 4th Nov. 1829. 11-9

Stop the Swindler.

\$25 Reward.

A BSCONDED clandestinely from Sel-ma, on the 11th inst. a villain na-

med EDWARD DIXON, leaving a

number of debts unpaid and contracts

not performed. Said Dixon is a car-

Board can be had in town at \$30 per fore they purchase. session, and in the immediate vicinity at \$25.

H. BLOUNT, Sec'y.

new Goods.

their old stand in Tarborough, A fresh and varied assortment of

FANCY AND STAPLE

# DRY GOODS,

Hardware, Crockery, &c. Which they offer at their usual low

prices. Also, 3000 bushels Turks Island SALT. D. RICHARDS & CO. Oct. 22, 1829.

# Cheap Goods.

THE Subscriber takes this method of informing his friends and the public generally, that he has just received and is now opening, direct from New-York, the following articles, viz:

Handsome calicoes, lenoes, muslins, Fine merino cloths for ladies winter dresses, Fancy barrege and gauze handkerchiefs, Thread and bobinet laces, belt ribbons, Barrege and cotion shawls,

Braid and cotton cord to trim dresses, Red and white flannels, cotton yarn, Bleached and brown shirting and checks, Ladies prunella, morocco & seal skin shoes, Misses do. do. do. cotton and wool cards, Fancy baskets and umbrellas, Gentlemen's fine and coarse shoes, Negroes do. negroes blankets, Cotton bagging, rope and twine, Blue, olive and steel-mix'd cloths, A general assortment of hardware & cutlery Castings, Swedes and English iron, Plough moulds, blister'd steel, Percussion and common guns and pistols, Powder and shot, looking-glasses, Window glass, white lead and putty, Oils and paints, assorted, spirits turpentine, French and apple brandy, rum, whiskey, Old Hollands Gin, tin ware assorted, Madeira, Malaga and grape wines, Loaf, lump and brown sugars, coffee & tea, Together with glass and crockery ware:

With many other articles not here He also expects to receive in a few days rels of first-rate Brandy. a supply of Turks Island SALT.

and judge of the quality and prices, be-

# King & Gatlin,

SENSIBLY grateful for the very lib-eral encouragement heretofore manifested by the citizens of this and the adjacent counties, have the pleasure to announce the arrival (direct from NEW-YORK) of an elegant and extensive assortment of every article pertaining to

#### GENTLEMEN'S

# Fashionable Clothing,

Selected by a first-rate judge, and at the most reduced prices-among which splendid assortment may be found:

Black, blue, olive, steel and mixed Cloths, Plain black silk Velvet,

Figured and striped do.

Plain black Florentine,

Valencia vesting, of various colors,

White quilting, of a superior quality, ALSO, Patent Suspenders, and a general and well selected assortment of

#### Fashionable Trimmings,

All of which will be sold at reduced prices for eash, or to punctual customers. Tarboro', 25th Sept. 1829.

## Important Sale.

THE Subscribers having qualified at the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for Nash county, November term, 1829, as administrators on the estate of JOEL BATTLE, dec'd, will expose at Public Sale, at the Falls of Tar River, on Tuesday, the 1st day of December next, Several Negroes of different ages and sizes, all the Household and Kitchen Furniture, several Horses, Carriage and Harness, Hogs, and many other articles which it is unnecessary to mention.

AND, on Thursday, the 3d of December, at the farm known by the name of Shell Bank Plantation, will be sold mentioned. All of which he offers for the Crop of Corn, Fodder, Sc. Horses, sale at the Post-Office in Tarborough, Hogs, and Cattle among which are seon very good terms for cash or cotton. veral yoke of oxen, ten or fifteen bar-

Terms of sale, six and twelve months Those wishing to purchase any thing credit, bonds with approved security to in his line, perhaps would do well to call be given before the property is delivered.

Notice.

Pattern Gros des Ind. hats of the latest northern fashions, Leghorn aud Straw bonnets, Superb head dresses, ornaments, &c. White and black ostrich feathers, Elegant ribbons, feathered flowers, &c. With a number of fancy articles, well worthy the attention of the Ladies.

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

Leghorn and straw bonnets cleaned or dyed, at the shortest notice. Tarborough, Nov. 5, 1829.

> Notice. RANAWAY from the Sub-

criber, on the 3d inst. negro ANDERSON,

About 6 feet high, between 30 and 35 years of age, middling He was under engagements to be mardark complexion, and a large scar on ried to an unsuspecting and innocent one of his arms, extending nearly from girl, and left her without any explanation whatever. He is about 5 feet 9 or he elbow to the wrist. Said negro belongs to the estate of James May, dee'd, 10 inches high, about 23 years old, and and was hired by me for the present

somewhat stoop-shouldered. year; he was brought from the lower The above reward will be paid for parts of Virginia about twelve years said Dixon's apprehension and confinetinge by Mr. Abner Aslew, and I exment in any jail, so that he may be feet he will try to get there again. A brought to justice.

casonable reward will be given for the opprehension and delivery of said negro me at Hickory Grove, Pitt county, that he can be recovered. All perons are hereby forbid harboring, employing, or carrying off said negro, uner penalty of the law.

BENJAMIN JOINER. Aug. 24, 1829.

N. H. ROUNTREE. Tarborough, 22d Oct. 1829.

### Notice.

WILL BE SOLD, on Monday the 23d of this month, before the Court-house door in this place, five or six likely NEGROES, the property of Whitmell Bell dec'd-terms, cash.

DAVID BARNES, Ex'r. Tarborough, Nov. 3, 1829. 11 - 3

### Notice.

penter by trade, and had contracted to A N apprentice wanting, to the Tay-loring business-none need apply, build a house for the Subscriber; and after having received nearly the full unless they can come well recommendamount he was to receive for the work, ed as to their good character and steady eloped without even commencing it. habits. KING & GATLIN. Sept. 2, 1829.

### \$50 Reward.

RAN AWAY on the 16th September last, a negro man belonging to the Subscriber by the name of ALTIMORE, 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, has with him a permit to look him a master

Dixon formerly lived in Greenville, from under my hand. It is believed N. Carolina, and it is probable he has that said negro is lurking about the plangone there again. The public would do tations of John and Turner Bass, having N. C. or to Mr. William May, of said well to beware of him, and Editors of been seen there repeatedly in open day. county, Guardian for the beirs of said newspapers would be serving the public I will give the above reward for the safe estate, or for his confinement in any jail interest by giving this notice one or two delivery of said negro to me or depositinsertions. The Editor of the Tarboro' ed in any jail so I get him again. All Free Press, by giving it 3 insertions and persons are hereby forbid harboring, emforwarding his bill to the office of the ploying or carrying off said negro, under the penalty of the law.

BLAKE T. SESSUMS. 18th Oct. 1829. 10-4

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said Joel Battle, dec'd, are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them for settlement, within the time limited by law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

WM. H. BATTLE, ? Adm's. AMOS J. BATTLE, November 9, 1829. 12-3

Just Published. And for Sale at this Office. Lawrence & Lemay's NORTH-CAROLINA ALMANACK, For 1830,

Containing, besides the Astronomical calculations, agricultural essays, miscellaneous articles, useful recipes, anecdotes, a list of the officers of the Government of the United States and of North-Carolina, of the Members of Congress from this State and of the General Assembly, time of holding the different Courts in this State, &c. &c.

Price-10 cents each, or 75 cents a dozen. Sept. 26, 1829.

Indian Runners...A correspondent of the Richmond Enquirer, (who writes from Cantonment Gibson, Arkansas,) says, "an Osage Indian can run 100 milee in twenty-four hours"

Selma Courier, shall be paid. JONATHAN GREEN. Selma, (Alab.) Oct. 15. 11.5