



**THE "FREE PRESS,"**

By Geo. Howard,

Is published weekly, (every Friday,) at **TWO DOLLARS** per year, (or 52 numbers,) if paid in advance—*Two Dollars & Fifty Cents*, if paid within the subscription year—or, *Three Dollars* at the expiration of the year—for any period less than a year, *Twenty-five Cents* per month. Subscribers at liberty to discontinue at any time on paying arrears. Subscribers residing at a distance must invariably pay in advance, or give a responsible reference in this vicinity. No subscription discontinued unless a notification to that effect is given.

Advertisements, not exceeding 16 lines, will be inserted at 50 cents the first insertion, and 25 cents each continuance. Longer ones at that rate for every 16 lines. Advertisements must be marked the number of insertions required, or they will be continued until otherwise ordered.

Letters addressed to the Editor must be post paid, or they will not be attended to.

**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 set 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 Intemperance*, *Judkins's celebrated Ointment*, &c. &c.

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

**JUST 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 12, 1830.

**Salt at 60 Cents.**

**FOR SALE**, by the Subscribers, ten thousand bushels

**TURKS ISLAND SALT,**

Of the best quality, which they offer at the above price for Cash, or in exchange for seed Cotton, at the highest market price. **D. RICHARDS & CO.** Tarboro', Dec. 8, 1829.

**King & Gatlin,**

**SENSIBLY** grateful for the very liberal 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 cash, or to punctual customers. Tarboro', 25th Sept. 1829.

**New Goods.**

**THE** Subscribers are now opening at 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. **D. RICHARDS & CO.** May 2, 1830.

**Henry Johnston,**

**WISHES** to inform his friends and customers, that he has just returned *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 cash, 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 shortest notice.

Tarboro', Oct. 1, 1829.

**Notice.**

**THE EXAMINATION** of the Students of the *Tarborough Female Academy*, will commence on Tuesday, the 1st day of June next. The friends of the Institution and all interested, are invited to attend.

*By order of the Trustees.*

May 4, 1830. 36-4

**\$25 Reward.**

**RAN AWAY** from the Subscriber, about the 5th inst. negro man **HARRY**—Harry is a bright mulatto, (half white,) with large freckles, between thirty and thirty-five years of age, near six feet high, and weighs about one hundred and seventy pounds; he is a good ditcher and well acquainted with all kinds of work usually done on a farm; he is a very intelligent ingenious fellow, well calculated to pass himself for a free man, which no doubt he will attempt to do; he is well known in this county, particularly in this and the neighborhood of the late Lemmon Ruffin, Esq. where he has a wife. The above reward will be paid on the delivery of the said Harry to me near Sparta, Edgecombe county, No. Ca. if taken within this State, or *Fifty Dollars* if taken without this State—and *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for evidence to convict any white person of harboring said negro on conviction.

**RICHD. HINES.**

16th Nov. 1829. 13

The Editors of the *Raleigh Star*, *Norfolk Herald*, and *Petersburg Intelligencer* are requested to insert the above advertisement in their respective papers for four weeks, and forward their accounts to the Postmaster at Sparta, No. Ca. for payment.

**Notice.**

**FOR SALE**, by the Subscribers, an elegant light **CARRIAGE**, suitable for a small family and calculated for one or two horses—it will be sold low for Cash, or on a short credit.

**D. RICHARDS & CO.**

29th April, 1830.

**Male & Female Academy.**

**WM. A. WALKER** respectfully informs the inhabitants of Edgecombe and adjacent counties, that his first session commenced on the 4th inst. at his residence seven miles from Tarborough, in the immediate neighborhood of Sparta.

*Terms, per Session of 5 months.*

Greek, Latin, and the subordinate branches,	\$14 00
Geography, English Grammar, History, Composition, &c. &c.	8 00
Spelling, Reading, and Writing,	6 00
Boarding, Washing, and Mending,	25 00

Boarding may be had in many private families in the neighborhood, if preferred.

Such as did not enter at the commencement of the session, will only be chargeable from the time of their entrance.

Jan. 23, 1830.

**HERRINGS.**

**JUST RECEIVED**, and for Sale, 300 barrels very superior

**Cut Herrings.**

Also, 20,000 wt. of **BACON.**

**EVANS & ANDREWS.**

Sparta, 13 May, 1830. 37

**Millinery, &c.**

**THE** Subscriber respectfully invites the Ladies of Tarborough and vicinity to call and examine her Spring supply of **NEW GOODS**, just received direct from Petersburg and New-York—in this assortment are—

Pattern Satin Straw, Gros de Zan, and Battese bonnets, latest Northern fashions, Leghorn and Straw bonnets, of a superior quality and at reduced prices, White, yellow, and black Navarinos, Children's Leghorns and open Straws, Caps, turbans, and head ornaments, An elegant assortment of Puffs and Curls, Plain and fig'd Silks and Satins, Brown and straw col'd Battese, Corsets and corset rings, belt ribbons, Gauze handkerchiefs and scarfs, White, yellow, and black Silk Fringe, White and black Crapes, worsted braid, Tortoise shell side combs, turn back do. A superb variety of ribbons and flowers, Wax beads, dolls, &c. &c.

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

Leghorn and straw bonnets cleaned or dyed, at the shortest notice.

**A. C. HOWARD.**

Tarborough, April 29, 1830.

**State of North-Carolina,**

EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

**SUPERIOR COURT OF LAW,**

March Term, 1830.

Rhoda Shollington } Petition for Div-  
vs. }orce.  
William Shollington }

**IT** appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the Defendant is not a resident of this State: *It is ordered*, that publication be made in the *Tarborough Free Press*, for six weeks, for the Defendant to appear at our next Superior Court of Law, to be held for said County, on the second Monday of September next, and plead to and answer said petition, otherwise it will be heard ex parte.

Witness, **NATHAN MATHEWSON**, Clerk of the said Court, at office, the second Monday of March, A. D. 1830.

Test, **N. MATHEWSON, Clk.**

Price adv \$3: 50. 35-6

**Wanted to Hire,**

**FOR** the remainder of the present year, a negro girl 12 years of age or upwards, who has been accustomed to house service. For such an one a liberal price will be given. Apply at this Office. May 4, 1830.

**Dr. John W. Potts,**

**RESPECTFULLY** tenders his professional services to the inhabitants of Tarborough and the surrounding country. Doctor Potts expects in a few days the arrival of his Medicines, &c. after which he will be constantly found at his office, lately occupied by Gen. Wilson.

His charges will be regulated by those of other gentlemen resident in the place. May 10th, 1830. 37

**SHOCCO**

**Female Academy.**

**THE EXAMINATION** of the above Institution will take place on Thursday and Friday, the 4th and 5th of June.

Parents, Guardians and others are respectfully invited.

The second session will commence on the 14th. Each young lady must furnish herself with a pair of sheets, blankets, coverlid and towel.

**MARY J. LUCAS.**

May 13, 1830. 38-3

**COTTON GINS,**

**Packing Screws, Horse Mills, Chain Bands and Still Repairing.**

**THE** Subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of this and the adjacent counties, that he is now building between 15 and 20

**Cotton Gins,**

Of good materials, part of which will be steel saws and the ribs or bars faced with steel—the large Gins will be double framed, two seed boards bearing in the middle, and double cushioned, to answer the purpose of two 40 saw Gins.

**Packing Screws,**

Of the usual size, and larger than any now in use in the State, and no doubt superior—they will be made in an engine erected for that purpose, which cannot fail to cut the screws more accurately than those which are made by hand or other ordinary means—the thread will be a square or v, or any other to please the purchaser.

**Horse Mills,**

Will be built at a short notice, on the improved perpendicular plan, or any other desired by the purchaser—the perpendicular Mill may, by removing the Gin, occupy the same place and be propelled by the same gear.

**Chain Bands and Wheels,**

Of a superior quality, will be furnished those who desire them, which are extremely well calculated for the propelling of both Gins and Mills.

**Stills Repaired,**

In the best manner—Still Worms and Craue Necks made of a superior composition, that will in a great measure resist the power of oxidation, possessed by the concentrated acidous substance collected in the Necks and Worms by distillation, and thereby obviate that long prevailing difficulty of Worms and Necks soon getting out of repair—another very important improvement will be made in the proportion of the Necks and Worms which will greatly facilitate the condensation of the spirits, expedite their running, add to the quantity, and save both time and labor.

Persons desiring any of the above mentioned articles, either made or repaired, can be supplied low for Cash or on a short credit, by making an early application to the Subscriber, who will gratefully receive and promptly attend to them.

**JOHN WILSON.**

Tarboro', May 10, 1830. 37