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ADVERTISEMENTS.

PAY UP.

All those indebted to the subscriber are most earnestly requested to call on Mr. Benjamin S. King and make settlements of their accounts without delay. Dues very few days further indulgence can be given. Those who fail to comply with the above request may expect to be visited on by an officer.

THO. B. BURCH

October 16, 1810.

CHEAP GOODS.

The subscribers return their sincere thanks to their customers for the favours heretofore conferred, and inform them that they have removed to the corner house lately occupied by William Kirkland, where they are now opening a large and general assortment of GOODS, suitable to the season, and all of the newest fashions, which they will sell on the lowest terms of Cash.

HARGIS & WOMACKS.

Hillsborough, Oct. 10, 1810.

HENRY H. COOKE,

At the corner west of the State-House Square,

has lately erected a new House, and by the meeting of the General Assembly, will have four or five excellent rooms finished for the reception of those of his friends and acquaintances who may think proper to board with him. The distance from his house to the state house is not more than one hundred yards, and the way dry. His house, outhouses &c. shall be well stored with the best of the country produce, and his attention and exertions to give satisfaction shall not be wanting.

Raleigh, Oct. 16, 1810.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

There will be sold at the Court House in Haywood, on the fifteenth day of November next, the following Tracts of Land, to wit: one tract of thirty thousand acres lying on the waters of Oconee and Soch Creek, the property of William Calhoun.

One tract of sixteen thousand acres on the waters of Soch Creek, the property of Calhoun and Stedman.

One tract of two hundred acres, on the waters of Homans Creek, the property of James Bly.

One hundred acres on Crabtree Creek, the property of John M'Dowell, sen. All to satisfy the public and county Taxes, due thereon for the year 1809.

DAN M'DOWELL, Sheriff.

Haywood County, Oct. 5, 1810.

COMMITTED.

To the Goal of Person County, on Monday the 1st inst. a Negro man about 5 feet 4 inches high, favee look, says he is about 22 years old, calls himself MANUEL. First said he belonged to Ralph Graves, in Granville county, but now says he belongs to Jacob Withall in Orange County. The owner is requested to come and prove a property, pay charges and take him away.

ANDERSON ROSE, Jailor.

Person County, 4th Oct. 1810.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

BROKE out of Person Goal, when his breakfast was carried in, on Thursday the 27th of September last, BEN BULLOCK, who was sentenced at September Superior Court, to six months imprisonment, and to pay a fine of ten pound 5 shillings. Said Bullock is about five feet 9 or ten inches high, strong made, dark complexion, brown hair and black hair, and lives in Guilford County. Any person who will apprehend and secure said Bullock, so that I get him again into my custody shall receive the above reward.

ANDERSON ROSE, Jailor.

Person County, Oct. 4, 1810.

EDMUND PITT,

TAYLOR & HAIT MAKER,

FROM PETERSBURG, (VIRG.)

Has taken a house in the City of Raleigh, on Fayetteville street, opposite the Governors office, in which he intends to carry on his line of business in its various branches, and flatters himself that all those who may favour him with their custom, will have no cause of complaint, as he is fully acquainted with the newest fashions, and will make it his study to please.

A good steady journeyman would find employment by applying as above.

Raleigh, Oct. 9th 1810.

30 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED from the subscriber's plantation on the Watauga River, the first of August last, a Virginia born Negro man, named Louis or Lucy, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, and well set. He was seen a few days after, near Manchester. The above reward with all reasonable expenses will be paid to whoever will deliver him at the said plantation or any goal in S. Carolina, N. Carolina, or Virginia.

W. CLARSON.

Sept. 24th 1810.

A PARTNER WANTED.

I AM desirous of entering into copartnership with some person, in any healthy part of the State, in a decent Tavern, I could furnish two or three hundred dollars myself; and if necessary, two or three hundred dollars. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber, eight miles south of Hillsborough.

ROBERT A. CALSON.

Orange, Sept. 23, 1810.

NOTICE.

A Petition will be presented to the next General Assembly of this Commonwealth, praying that an Act similar to the one passed by the state of Virginia, may be passed, to allow the Dismal Swamp Canal Company to increase the rates of Toll on the Canal when finished.

38—tma Sept. 11, 1810.

JUST PUBLISHED

HENDERSON'S STAR ALMANACK, For 1811.

THIS Almanack contains, besides the Astronomical Calculations, a great variety of useful and entertaining matter which has been selected with care.—It is sold at \$40 per 1000, \$25 per 500, \$7 per gross, \$4 per half gross, 75 cents per dozen, or ten cents single, of the Publisher, in Raleigh, Henry Branson, Fayetteville, Hasell & Magrath, Wilmington, William Lockart, Hillsborough, Stephen Sneed, Granville, William Burt, Halifax, Daniel Reinold, Tarborough, G. Sheber, Salem, A. Graham, Salisbury, Robert Lindsay, Guilford, and by various other Merchants throughout the State.

Raleigh, October 19, 1810.

CASH WANTED!

ALL THOSE WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE SUBSCRIBER, Are requested to make immediate payment.

HENRY GUIRE.

Raleigh, August 20th 1810.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

May 23d, 1810.

WHEREAS in conformity with the provisions made by law for the reimbursement of the Exchanged Six Per Cent. Stock, created by the second section of the act, entitled, "An act, supplementary to the act, entitled an act making provision for the redemption of the whole of the public debt of the United States," passed on the 11th day of February, 1807, it has been determined by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, that the residue of the Principal of said Stock should be reimbursed on the first day of January next: PUBLIC NOTICE is therefore given to the Proprietors of the Certificates of EXCHANGED SIX PER CENT. STOCK, created by the act aforesaid, that the principal of the whole amount of said stock not heretofore reimbursed, will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the first day of January, 1811, to the respective stockholders, or their legal representatives, or attorneys duly constituted, either at the Treasury or at the loan office where the stock thus to be reimbursed, may then stand credited to the proprietors thereof.

It is further made known for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of certificates of Exchanged Six Per Cent. Stock from the books of the Treasury, or of any Commissioner of Loans, will be allowed after the first day of December next; and that the interest on the whole amount of said stock will cease and determine on the day proceeding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

ALBERT GALLATIN, Secretary of the Treasury.

May 23d, 1810.

Last Notice.

THE drawing of the Cape-Fear Lottery is postponed for a short time, in order to sell the few Tickets that now remain on hand. There are only 1000 Tickets now in the wheel, the first drawn of which will be entitled to \$6,000. The great gain of the wheel justifies the rise of Tickets to Eleven Dollars. The following prizes are now in the wheel:

1 Prize of \$ 6,000	1	\$ 6,000
1 do. 500	500	500
2 do. 100	200	200
7 do. 50	350	350
25 do. 20	500	500
121 do. 10	1210	1210
337 do. 8	2696	2696

494 Prizes } 11436

566 Blanks }

1000

Tickets, warranted undrawn, will be sent to any Post-office in the United States if required, and prize tickets received in payment.

Fayetteville, Sept. 4. H. BRANSON.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the Subscriber on the 11th of September, 1809, a Mulatto fellow named JIM. He is large and likely, about five feet eleven inches high, and aged thirty-five. His face is overrun with marks of the Small Pox, and on one side of his nose (the right side I believe) there is a scar occasioned by the bite of a horse. When he ran away from me he carried with him a Bay Mare. Jim can read and write and I expect he will pass himself for a free man. I suspect he has gone to Wilmington, having connections there. Any person who will deliver this boy into my possession shall receive Fifty Dollars, and Twenty-Five if he is secured in any jail.

ROBERT CLARK.

Anson County, March 15, 1810.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN-AWAY from the Subscriber, (living in Stokes County, eight miles from Salem, and four from Shober's Tavern, now occupied by Thomas Adams) on the 1st instant, a Negro man named PRINCE, about five feet eleven inches high, twenty-one years of age; had on when he went away a white furred hat, a light mixed cotton coat, cotton shirt, white striped overalls, and walks with a halt which is occasioned by his having had his right thigh broke, and is shorter than the other. I expect he will change his name and pass for a free man, and probably may have obtained a pass of some person. From information he aims for Wilmington in this state. Any person who will apprehend said Negro and secure him in goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above Reward; and if brought to me all other reasonable charges shall be paid.

WILLIAM WALKER.

September 10, 1810.

Literary Advancement.

SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS! May be gained for the small sum of FOUR DOLLARS!

IN THE NEWTON ACADEMY LOTTERY.

SCHEME.

1 Prize of \$ 5000	1	5000
1 do. 2000	2000	2000
1 do. 1000	1000	1000
10 do. 500	5000	5000
5 do. 200	1000	1000
20 do. 100	2000	2000
20 do. 50	1000	1000
50 do. 30	1500	1500
100 do. 10	1000	1000
2400 do. 5	12000	12000

775 Tickets at 4 dollars each \$3100

388 Prizes } Not two blanks to a prize.
5182 Blanks }

Part of the above prizes determinable as follows.

The first drawn blank on the 1st 2d 3rd 4th 5th 6th 7th and 8th days are entitled to \$ 50 each

The first drawn do. on the 9th 10th 11th & 12th do. 100 do

The first drawn do. on the 13th and 14th do. 200 do

The first drawn do. on the 15th do. 500 do

And the last drawn ticket whether blank or prize 5000 do

Five hundred Tickets to be drawn on each of the first four days—and seven hundred and fifty on the 15th & last day.

Prizes payable 60 days after the completion of the drawing, by the managers, who hold themselves responsible—subject to a deduction of 75 per cent.

All prizes not demanded within 12 months after drawing, will be considered relinquished for the benefit of the institutions.

The above Lottery is authorized by an act of the Legislature of North Carolina, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of the NEWTON ACADEMY near the town of Asheville, to complete the necessary buildings belonging to the same—And also to establish a Female Academy at the town of Asheville.

Which two objects the Trustees and Managers flatter themselves will be a sufficient inducement, independent of the flattering prospect held out in the above SCHEME, to influence all zealous friends to useful Institutions to be liberal purchasers of tickets.—And they deem it unnecessary to expatiate largely in contrasting the advantages these institutions may have (if well supported with friends) over most other Seminaries.—For it is now very generally known that Asheville is one of the most healthy situations on this continent—and lying in the neighbourhood of the Warm Springs, and on the main road from thence, (as well as from the Western to the Southern States) is more generally resorted to by the best characters of both sexes during Summer and Autumn, (for the benefit of health) than almost any other place in the Southern section of the Union.—And being also a place where board and Tuition are had on very moderate terms—Where the Youth of the sister states will find the foundation of sound constitutions together with their Education, and receive the visits of their friends to and from the Warm Springs.—All these advantages united bear evident testimony of the eligibility of Asheville as a seat for Literary Institutions.—And therefore on these self-evident grounds, we respectfully solicit the public patronage.

DAVID VANCE, GEO. SWAIN, JOHN PATTON, GEO. NEWTON, ANDREW ERWIN, Managers.

Asheville, January 25, 1810.

Tickets for sale at the Star Office, and at most of the post offices in North and South Carolina.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



JOHN C. RUSSELL,

At the sign of the

EAGLE TAVERN,

LOUISBURG, FRANKLIN COUNTY,

RESPECTFULLY gives notice that he keeps a private house exclusively for the entertainment and accommodation of genteel Travellers. His house is well provided with liquors, and his stables abundantly stored with forage. He has erected a Carriage-House for the protection of carriages, &c. and pledges himself to spare no pains to ensure satisfaction.

Louisburg, October 23d 1810.

BOARDING HOUSE.

THE Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to the public, and particularly to those who have favoured him with their custom. He informs the Members of the General Assembly, and those who may have occasion to visit the city of Raleigh, that he still keeps a Boarding-house at the Cross Keys, within seventy-five yards of the State-House, on the West side. He has improved his buildings since the last Assembly, and has also rented a convenient house of Mrs. Wayne, so that he will be able to accommodate thirty or thirty-five Members, and still have spare rooms for transient customers who may be so good as to call on him. His stables are good and well provided with provender. Every attention will be paid and his exertions used to give satisfaction to all who may think proper to board with him.

JOSIAH DILLIARD.

Raleigh, Oct. 24, 1810.

State of North-Carolina, SURRY COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and quarter Sessions, May Term, 1810. The heirs of Sam'l Greenwood, Petition for distributive share of the said Estate, filed at Nov. term 1810. The Estate of said deceased, filed at Nov. term 1810. A T said August Term 1810, it is ordered by the Court that six weeks public notice be given by advertisement in the Star, for Bartlett Greenwood to come in and answer the petitioners petition, otherwise the petition will be taken pro confesso against him.

JO. WILLIAMS, Clk.

Surry County, 16th Oct. 1810.

THE SUBSCRIBER.

RETURNS his sincere thanks to the public in general for Past favours, and wishes to inform them that he has made an addition of a number of good rooms to his house—and from the ample provision that he has made, flatters himself that he can accommodate twenty five or thirty Boarders the ensuing Session of the General Assembly. Those who think proper to call on him may expect to find rooms and accommodations equal to any.

JAMES HEARS, sen.

Raleigh, October 24, 1810.

HORSES FED.

THE Subscriber has a large field, well enclosed, with a stream of water running through it, good stables and plenty of forage, and will be willing to feed horses during the ensuing Assembly at twenty-five cents per day. Those gentlemen who may think proper to place their horses under my care and who arrive in town on Sunday evening, will please to have their horses taken care of by the landlord where they may stop, at any expense till Monday morning, at which time (nothing preventing) I shall be in town, and in readiness to take charge of them. Particular attention will be paid to the horses left with me, but I will not be liable for accidents or escapes. I have fed horses every year since the General Assembly has been held at Raleigh, and have been so fortunate as not to have any stolen or to run away from me.

JAMES PETERS.

Wake, Oct. 24. 1810. 43 1v

MEDICAL LECTURES.

THE Annual Lectures on the different branches of Medicine delivered at Columbia College in the City of New-York, will commence on Monday the 5th of November, according to the following arrangement:

Anatomy and Surgery, by	Dr. Post.
Practice of Physic, by	Dr. Hammersley.
Materia Medica, by	Dr. Hosack.
Chemistry and Pharmacy, by	Dr. S. P. Brigham.
Institutes of Medicine, by	Dr. A. Leconte.
Midwifery, by	Dr. Buchanan.

The Clinical Lectures in selected cases in the New-York Hospital, will be delivered by the Professors of the Institutes and of the practice of Physic.

43-8wks.

TO PRINTERS.

FOR Sale, a valuable Printing Office and Newspaper Establishment, at the Southward. The Printing-Office consists of large fonts of Type from Brevier up to seven lines Pica, and are almost new—and excellent English made Press, and every necessary utensil for carrying on the business extensively.—The Newspaper has upwards of 500 subscribers, who pay punctually—and a large share of advertising custom. There is also considerable Job Work. The only reason the Proprietor of the above establishment has for desiring a sale, is his wish to remove to another part of the country. The town in which the above paper is printed is healthy, and the society agreeable. Such a situation rarely presents itself. To an industrious young man the profits arising would be very great. For terms apply to the subscriber at the Boston Patriot Computing Room. Letters, Post Paid, will be attended to.

JAMES L. EDWARDS.

Boston, October 10th 1810.

AGRICULTURAL HISTORY OF SOUTH-CAROLINA.

From Dr. Ramsay's History of S. C.

(Continued from page 108, Vol. II.)

The second great staple of Carolina was indigo. Its original native country is Hindostan; but it had been naturalized in the West-India islands, from which it was introduced into Carolina by Miss Eliza Lucas the mother of major general Charles Oatman Pinckney. Her father George Lucas, governor of Antigua, observing her fondness for the vegetable world, frequently sent to her tropical seeds and fruits to be planted for her amusement on his plantation at Wappoo.—Among others he sent her some indigo seed as a subject of experiment. She planted it in March 1741 or 1742. It was destroyed by frost. She repeated the experiment in April; this was cut down by a worm. Notwithstanding these discouragements she persevered, and her third attempt was successful. Governor Lucas on hearing that the plant had seeded and ripened, sent from Montserrat a man by the name of Cromwell, who had been accustomed to making indigo, and engaged him at high wages to come to Carolina and let his daughter see the whole process for extracting the dye from the weed. This professed indigo maker built vats on Wappoo creek, and there made the first indigo that was formed in Carolina. It was but indifferent. Cromwell repeated of his engagement as being likely to injure his own country; made a mystery of the business, and with the hope of deceiving, injured the process by throwing in too much lime. Miss L. watched him carefully, and also engaged Mr. Deveaux to superintend his operation. Notwithstanding the duplicity of Cromwell, a knowledge of the process was obtained. Soon after Miss Lucas had completely succeeded in this useful project, she married Charles Pinckney; and her father made a present of all the indigo on his plantation, the fruit of her industry, to her husband. The whole was saved for seed. Part was planted by the proprietor next year at Ashepoo, and the remainder given away to his friends in small quantities for the same purpose. They all succeeded. From that time the culture of indigo was common, and in a year or two it became an article of export. Soon after the dye was successfully extracted from the cultivated plant, Mr. Catlett made a present to Mr. Pinckney of some wild indigo which he had just discovered in