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ADVERTISEMENTS.

RALEIGH ACADEMY.

THIS Academy will again be opened for the reception of students on the 1st day of January under the superintendance of Mr. Wm. M. Phœnix. Mrs. Sumbourne will continue to preside over the Female Department.

The price of Tuition is the same as heretofore published, but the Students are now required to enter, and consequently to pay in advance for a session or half year, instead of a quarter as formerly.

This change it is believed will facilitate the operations of the Institution and at the same time promote the progress of students; for the inconvenience resulting from a short course of classification has been practically felt, and experience has shown in all seminaries of learning, that when the classes are organized, the longer they continue without derangement, the greater the emulation among the students. This alteration, however, in the mode of entering is not to exclude any student who may apply at the end of a quarter or at any other time; but parents and guardians are earnestly desired to avail themselves of this new arrangement by sending as early in the session as possible. Each student will hereafter be required to pay twenty five cents a session for the purpose of creating a contingent fund for fire-wood and other incidental charges. Board may be had for any number of students from 60 to 70 dollars a year; and the Trustees will at all times be careful in employing a sufficient number of assistant teachers, for any increased number of students.

Valuable Property for Sale.

ON the 1st day of January, 1812, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, one thousand acres of valuable LAND, on Wolf Island Creek, in the County of Rockingham, on which the subscriber now lives. The superior quality of the Land, with the improvements of houses, orchards and other conveniences, it is an object worthy the attention of Farmers. A more particular description is deemed unnecessary, as it is presumed those wishing to purchase will view and judge for themselves. The terms of sale, are, one third down and two equal annual payments for the balance. At the same time and place will be sold for cash, about thirty Negroes, consisting of men, women, boys and girls. On a credit of nine months, boys, to carry interest from their date, if not punctually paid, will also be sold all the crop of Corn, Fodder and Oats, Plantation Tools, Household and Kitchen Furniture of every description—the stock of Cattle, Hogs and Horses; amongst which are some of the most valuable thorough bred mares and colts, the produce of the most celebrated imported horses in Virginia.

Williamsborough Academy.

THE undersigned Trustees of the Williamsborough Academy inform the public that they have engaged Mr. Joel Strong to take charge of the institution for the ensuing year. They entertain a confident belief that the duties of a Teacher will be satisfactorily performed, and they pledge themselves that the utmost care and attention shall be paid by them to the progress and morals of the students.

The school will commence on the first day of January and continue (with the usual vacations) until about the 29th of December.

Price of tuition—Latin and Greek languages, Geography, English Grammar, Mathematics, &c. sixteen dollars. Reading, Writing and Arithmetic, twelve dollars.

Stephen Sneed.
James Hamilton.
William Roberts.
John Hare.
Frank N. W. Burton.
Henry Lyne.
L. Henderson.

Williamsborough, December 17, 1811. 52-1m

AS AGENT

FOR the Trustees of the University of North Carolina to collect monies subscribed for the completion of the Main Building of that Institution, I shall set out in a few days for the purpose of making such collections; and as the pressing demands upon the Trustees call for punctuality on the part of the subscribers, it is hoped the latter will be prepared to discharge their engagements when called upon.

SETH JONES.

Raleigh, Dec. 28, 1811. 52 3c

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby informed that at November Court, held for the county of Edgecomb, 1811, the subscriber qualified as Executor to the last will and testament of Charles Gray, dec. All persons indebted will please to make payment; and those having claims will make them known within the time limited by law, or this notice will be plead in bar.

NANCY GRAY, Ex'r.

28th Nov. 1811. 52 3c

Strayed or Stolen,

FROM the subscriber in Salisbury, on the first of July, a SORREL HORSE, six years old next spring, about fifteen hands high, with a star in his forehead; his mane hangs on the right side, and his most usual gait is a trot. A handsome reward will be given and all reasonable expenses paid to any person taking up the said horse and bringing him to or informing the subscriber where he may be had.

CHARLES FISHER.

Salisbury, December 15th, 1811. 52 3c

COMMITTED TO GOAL,

ON the 28th of November last a Negro man by the name of JACK, supposed to be about 40 years of age, five feet 3 or 3 inches high, well set, dark complexion, had on when committed to Goal a coat and overalls of coarse thick cloth, the collar, cuffs and pocket flaps faced with blue of this coat he says he belongs to a man by the name of Malley Howell, in Columbia, South Carolina. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges and take said Negro away.

JAMES DUNNING, Sheriff.

Greensboro, Guilford County, Dec. 4, 1811.

Westrayville Academy.

THE exercises of the Westrayville Academy will commence again the first day of January next. The terms of boarding are as usual. The Trustees will procure Globes and Maps by the beginning of the next session, which will greatly assist Geographical students.

ABRAHAM GRIFFIN, Sec.

Nash, November 24th, 1811. 52 3c

TEACHER WANTED.

A Teacher of the English language, who can write a good hand, who understands Arithmetic, and whose habits and morals are unexceptionable, may find both a profitable and an agreeable situation by applying to the Printer.

NOW OR NEVER!

THE drawing of the Cape-Fear Lottery is postponed for a few days. 4000 Tickets have been drawn, which leaves only 1000 in the wheel; among which are the prizes annexed. All persons wishing to purchase Tickets are requested to apply early. It is hoped that the valuable purpose to which the money raised by this Lottery is to be applied will be a sufficient inducement for adventurers to step forward; but when there is so great an opportunity of obtaining \$1000 for the small price of a Ticket, who would miss such an opportunity.

SCHEME.

1 Prize of	\$ 1000	\$1000
7 do.	100	700
7 do.	50	350
33 do.	20	660
111 do.	10	1110
247 do.	5	1235
405		\$ 5307

H. BRANSON.

Raleigh, December 4, 1811.

State of North Carolina,

MOORE COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, November Term, 1811.
Matthew M'Kenzie & Co. vs. Daniel M'Lennan. Original Attachment.

Return "Levied on Land," &c.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Daniel M'Lennan, the defendant, is not a resident of this State: It is therefore ordered that notice be given the said Daniel M'Lennan by advertisement for three months successively in the Star, printed in Raleigh, that unless he appear at the next term of this Court, to be held on the sixth Monday after the fourth Monday of March next, to plead and plead, judgment will be entered against him.

A copy from the minutes. Teste, W. MARTIN, C. S. C.

STOP THE VILLAIN!!!

RANAWAY from me on the 10th of August last, my Negro man BRISTEL, who prevails to his going killed one of my sons with a hoe—Said Negro is 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, has a black complexion, stout made, a fish face, and a big dull voice; has a scar on one of his knees, occasioned by the cut of an axe, & a scar on his right thumb, caused by a whittow.

For the apprehension of one who has been guilty of such an offence it would almost seem unnecessary to offer a reward—Justice and the good office require his apprehension and punishment. I will however give a liberal reward for his recovery alive.

The said Negro has been heard of in the neighbourhood a few days past; but may possibly go off.

CHRISTOPHER ROBERTSON.

Wake County, Sept. 30, 1811. 50-1f

WILLIAMSBOROUGH

FEMALE ACADEMY & BOARDING SCHOOL.
WILL be continued the ensuing year under the superintendance of Mr. & Mrs. Burton, where Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and Needle work will be taught.

For board and tuition (each including a pair of Sheets, Blankets and Counterpane) twenty dollars per annum, paid quarterly and in advance.

The exercises of the School will commence the 1st of January, and end the 15th of December. The summer vacation from the 22d June to the first Monday in July.

The pleasant and healthy situation of the place, and the proper distance it is from the most public part of Williamsborough, being nearly half a mile, renders it desirable for the residence of young Ladies who wish to enjoy their health, and sufficient retirement for the prosecution of their studies.

The greatest attention will be paid by Mrs. Burton to the young Ladies placed under her care.

November 14, 1811.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

RANDOLPH COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, November Term, 1811.
William Macy & others vs. Joseph Macy. Petition for division of real estate.

IT appearing to the Court that the defendant resides in another government, it is ordered that Publication of this suit be made in the Raleigh Star for six weeks for the defendant to appear at the next Court to be held for this county, on the first Monday of February next, and answer to the said petition, otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte against him.

A copy. Teste JERE HARPER, C. C. C.

State of North Carolina,

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, October term, 1811.
John Legrand and Hampton Wade Legrand, Adm'rs of James Legrand, dec. vs. The Heirs of James Legrand. Petition.

IT appearing to the Court that William Vaughan and Lucy his wife, James Vaughan and Sally his wife, Wm. Turner and Nancy his wife, defendants in said petition, are not inhabitants of this state: Ordered therefore that advertisement be made in the Star, printed in Raleigh, for three weeks successively of this petition, that the said defendants may appear at the next Court to be held on the first Monday in January, 1812, and defend said petition, or judgment will be had against them.

Copy from the minutes. J. SMITH, C. C. C.

DAVID PRICE, COPPER-SMITH, FAYETTEVILLE.

INFORMS his friends and the public that he has just returned from the Northward, and has brought on a large and General Assortment of Sheet Copper, and Bottoms, suitable for sails from 40 to 120 Gallons.

He has now on hand and offers for sale a number of the above description—and will warrant his stills to be equal if not superior to any ever made in the State; all of which he will sell on reasonable terms for Cash, or produce at cash price.

December 12, 1811.

One Cent Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, living in Warren County, N. C. on the 23d of November last, an apprentice boy of colour, by the name of Richard Evans, aged nineteen years, last February; of common size, well made, and inclined to be chunky; his hair rather bushy when combed—had on when he went away a short, tied cotton coat, double worn, cotton shirt and blue mixt pantaloons. Any person who will deliver said apprentice shall have the above reward.

DAVID MOSS.

2d December, 1811. 50

State of North Carolina,

MOORE COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law, November Term, 1811.
Archibald M'Byde, vs. Daniel M'Lennan. Original Attachment.

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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency BENJAMIN SMITH, Esquire, Governor, Captain General and Commander in Chief in and over the State of North-Carolina.

WHEREAS "AN ACT to reform the Paper Currency now in circulation, and to establish a Bank by the name and title of the State Bank of North Carolina," was passed at the last session of the General Assembly, by the 4th section of which, it is enacted, "That the Paper Currency now in circulation, which was emitted by law in 1783 and 1785 on the faith and credit of this State, shall immediately after the said Bank goes into operation, cease to be a legal tender in payment of all debts due to or owing from the said Bank."

NOW THEREFORE, I, BENJAMIN SMITH, Governor of the State of North Carolina, in pursuance of the said Act of Assembly, do hereby proclaim and make known, that the said Bank was put into effectual operation on Tuesday the 26th of the present month, and that the Paper Currency of the State ceases to be a legal tender in payment of all debts due to, or owing from the said Bank.

In testimony whereof I have heretofore set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at Raleigh on the 27th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eleven, and the 36th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

BENJAMIN SMITH.

By His Excellency, the Governor, A. G. GLYNN, Private Secretary.

LANDS FOR SALE.

WHEREAS Alexander Macomb, Esq. of New-York, by an act, deed or indenture, bearing date 1st of January, 1810, in due form, and recorded with the time prescribed by law, in Lincoln county, N. C. has mortgaged to William Du Boung, President of St. Mary's College of Baltimore (Maryland) certain tracts of land, amounting to 19 or 20,000 acres, situate in said county, for a sum of money due by him to said Wm. Du Boung, authorizing the said creditor to sell the above tracts at public auction, on or after the first day of January, 1811, in case the payment of the sum due be not effected against that term—And whereas the said Alexander Macomb has not yet paid the said sum, nor any part thereof, Public Notice is hereby given, that on the 23d 24th or 25th of January next, the above mentioned Lands shall be put up at Public Auction, in Lincoln between the hours of ten and two o'clock on each day.

December 12th 1811. 50-5c.

N. B. This is done at the request of Lawson Henderson, agent for Macomb.

Saddle & Harness Business.

THE Subscriber relying on a generous public for a share of their patronage, is about to settle in Raleigh for the purpose of carrying on the Saddle and Harness business, in all its various branches. Having it in his power to procure from the Northward the most skilful workmen and fashionable materials he is enabled to assure those who may think proper to favour him with their custom that his work will be executed in a superior style of elegance to what is commonly done in this state.

Wm. W. MASON.

Raleigh, Dec. 14, 1811. 51-3p-d.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having qualified as Administrator of David M. Nesbit, dec'd. of Salisbury, gives notice to all persons that they have demands against the estate of the said David M. Nesbit to present them for payment within the time required by law, otherwise they will be barred—And the subscriber requests those indebted to the said estate, to make immediate payment.

ALEX. GRHAM, Adm'r.

Salisbury, Nov. 25, 1811. 48-C

Nutbush Mineral Spring Academy.

THE trustees of this Academy have contracted with Mr. Thomas White as principal and Mr. George M'Ginn as assistant teacher to take charge of the Institution for the ensuing year. The reputation of these gentlemen for qualifications suitable to fill these departments warrant the trustees in assuring the public that they are every way qualified to take charge of the school.

The exercises of the Academy consists of the study of the Greek and Latin languages, Mathematics Geography with the use of the Globes, English Grammar, Reading, Writing and Arithmetic. The first session will commence on the first day of January next, and end on the Thursday after the second Monday of June. At the expiration of the first week there will be a vacation until the first day of July, when the second session will commence to end on the Thursday after the second Monday of December. The price of tuition for each session will be the same for the Greek and Latin languages Geography, English Grammar and Arithmetic, \$5; for Reading, Writing, English Grammar and Arithmetic \$3. Boarding may be had at Mr. John Sims' within 3-4 of a mile of the Academy at the price of \$27 1/2 per session. The great care and attention paid by Mr. Sims to the morals of the children, as well as in all other respects, heretofore entrusted to his care, is one strong recommendation to parents and guardians to board their children and words with him—Boarding may also be had in very reputable families in the neighbourhood. The board and tuition money will be expected in advance each session.

Warren County, November 20th 1811. 40

N. B. Great attention is paid in the school to the instruction of the Students in Military Exercise.

State Bank of North Carolina.

A general meeting of the Stockholders, held in the City of Raleigh on Monday the 2d. Instance, the following resolutions were adopted:—

"That the Stockholder or Stockholders who fail to pay in full the amount, with interest on the delayed payments, due for the first, second and third instalments on his, her or their shares, on or before the 15th of January next, (except in case of the death of such Stockholder,) each and every share or shares of said Stockholders, shall vest in the President and Directors of the said Bank; and such shares, or so much as may be necessary, shall be sold by them or their privs, at public auction, for gold or silver coin; and transferred to the purchaser or purchasers thereof; the proceeds of such sale shall first be applied to the payment or payments which shall appear to be due to the Bank upon such shares or shares, together with the interest thereon, and the cost and charges of sale; and the surplus, if any there be, shall be paid to such Stockholder or his representatives, and in case of failure to pay the fourth instalment on such shares, within twenty days after this same shall be required to be paid, the same full amount shall be incurred and sale made as above directed.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be printed in all the papers printed in this city.

THOS. WYNNS, Chairman.

Mr STORRS, Clerk.

LANDS FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber intending to remove from this State, offers for sale the following Lands, lying in Rockingham county, on Haw-reef.

One Tract containing one thousand Acres, lying on both sides of Haw-reef and including the rich Lands in the fork of Troublesome Creek and Haw-reef—there are two small improvements on this tract, and on each an Orchard—This is one of the best tracts of land in the County, lies level and is well watered.

Another tract containing 600 acres, lying up the river two miles from the foregoing tract—There are almost 100 acres of cleared land on this tract, now in cultivation, and under good fences—This is land of moderate quality, but easily cultivated and well adapted to the culture of Corn and Wheat.

Another tract containing 287 acres, lying on the river near to the High rock—on this tract there are valuable Buildings—a Dwelling House well framed and having four rooms—a good Loom House and Kitchen; a brick Dairy, a large barn and a commodious Buckram Shop. Almost sixty acres are cleared and in a state of high cultivation, under good fences—the main road from the High rock to Rockingham Court House, leads by the dwelling house—this tract contains a large portion of low grounds on the river; and is land of superior quality, well suited to the culture of Tobacco, corn and wheat, and is well watered.

Any person disposed to purchase may apply to the subscriber on the premises—he will sell the whole or any part of the Lands upon good terms.

SAMUEL HILL.

Rockingham, near the High Rock, }
December 9, 1811. } 50

Attention Cavalry!

THE Wake Troop of Cavalry are hereby notified to attend in Raleigh, on the second Saturday in January, before the Indiana Tavern, at eleven o'clock precisely, equipped agreeably to Law; at which time a Captain for said troop will be elected.

JOHN SHAW, 1st Lieut.

NOTICE.

THAT on Saturday the 22nd instant my wife Amelia Baldwin left my bed and board without any just cause. I do hereby forward any person or persons from giving her any credit with any expectation of my paying the same, as I am determined to pay no debt she contracted or may contract after one o'clock this evening.

WILLIAM BALDWIN.

Bluen, June the 22nd 1811. 51

LOST.

SOMETIME in October last a Note of hand on Mrs. Nance, witnessed by Solomon Nutterland, for the sum of 10 pounds, payable Christmas day, 1811, hereby given; when any person from trading for the said Note and Nance from paying it to any other person than myself or Nance.

JE. SEEMP.

Wake County, Dec. 15, 1811. 51