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## ADVERTISEMENTS.

### Lands for sale in Orange.

THE subscriber, intending to remove to the state of Kentucky in the fall, offers for sale his lands lying in the County of Orange. There are in one body between 4 and 5000 acres lying on both sides of Little River, and in the fork of Little River and Snow. A considerable portion of these lands is low grounds, equal to any in this part of the State, and well adapted to the culture of corn, wheat, rye, oats, and tobacco. The upland is generally of a free, lively quality, well suited to the production of all species of grain common to this climate, and considerable portions of it well calculated for the growth of cotton and tobacco. On these lands, there are several good plantations, situated on Little River, and Snow, which would readily admit of divisions from each other so as to suit the convenience of different purchasers. The soil whereon the subscriber now resides, called Snow Hill, and included in the above mentioned body of lands, is perhaps surpassed by none in this part of the state for fertility of soil, elegance of situation, and extent and variety of prospect. It is not deemed necessary to state further the advantages which these lands possess, as it is presumed, no one would wish to purchase without first viewing them. They lie fourteen miles to the East of Hillsborough, and the main road running thence to Petersburg, passes through them for a considerable extent.

The subscriber offers for sale also one tract of land lying 8 miles to the East of Hillsborough, adjoining the lands of William Cain. This tract contains between 4 & 500 acres, is all upland of excellent quality, and has upon it a large plantation. The payments will be made easy to purchasers, by giving convenient, and reasonable credit, and taking in part likely young Negroes of good family.

Snow Hill, April 25th, 1812. 18-1f.  
P. S. Kentucky Lands well situated, will be taken in part by way of exchange. W. A.

### LAND FOR SALE.

I WILL sell on a credit of one, two, and three years, my plantation five miles south-east from Salisbury, (N. C.) containing by survey 300 acres. This land is well adapted for the cultivation of Tobacco, Cotton, Wheat, Rye and Indian Corn. On this plantation there is a young Apple Orchard, containing about 300 bearing Trees—with a convenient two story dwelling House, sufficient for the accommodation of a moderate sized family, a double barn, stables, &c. There is also, on the premises an excellent Fulling Mill, with all the utensils belonging thereto. There is land cleared sufficient to work seven or eight hands to advantage. This is a most excellent stand for a Store and Tavern, the house being situated on the main road leading from Salisbury to Fayetteville. A more particular description is deemed unnecessary, as the purchaser will certainly wish to view the premises. Terms of payment may be known by applying to the subscriber near Chambers's Ferry. 18-3f.  
HENRY SOSSAMAN.

### GOOD LAND FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, living on Dan river about four miles from the Court-House, offers for Sale between eight & nine hundred acres of land—this land as to fertility, situation, good water and improvements is worthy the attention of any person wishing to purchase a delightful situation. There is also on the premises nearly two hundred bearing Apple trees of the latest and best kind of fruit—likely young Negroes, Western Land of good quality and title, will be taken in payment, and rather than to offend the purchaser, each. On receiving full payment in either the above articles, possession will be given next Fall, with the privilege of sowing small-grain at any time when required. 18-3f.  
GIDEON JOHNSTON.

### Private Entertainment.

THE Subscriber having removed to the place which he purchased of Mr. Jacob Page, adjoining the Town of Henderson, (Montgomery County,) tenders his services to keep a house of Private Entertainment. Those who think proper to encourage him, by giving him their company will be doubt meet with satisfaction, as every attention shall be paid to them and their horses. 18-2m.  
JAMES PERRY.

### A quantity of Leather for Sale.

THE Subscribers have on hand, at their Tan-Yard in Hillsborough, a large supply of SEAL and UPPER LEATHER, of all descriptions. 18-3f. pd.  
PHILIPS & KIRKLAND.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY on the 29th of October last, a Negro man by the name of JOE, between 25 and 30 years of age, he has lost a toe off of the right foot, and the others are very crooked, his fore teeth are open before, has a down look when spoken to, and is about five feet six or eight inches high. I will give 20 Dollars Reward to any person who will deliver him to me, or secure him in any Jail so that I get him again. 18-3f. pd.  
THOMAS BURNS.

### State of North-Carolina, MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions February Term, 1812. Thomas Williamson, vs. John Sibley & Robert Sibley. Original Attachment. In this case it having appeared to the Court, that the defendants reside without the limits of this state: It is therefore Ordered, That publication for three successive weeks be made in the Star, that unless the said John Sibley & Robert Sibley appear at the next Court to be held for said County, on the 4th Monday of May next, and plead to said suit, judgment will be entered up against them. 1812. ALF. KANDEL, C. C. C. April 9, 1812. 17-3f.

### State of North-Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions February Term, 1812. William Hogan & wife, vs. Judathan Harper, wife & others. Petition for division of real estate. It appearing to the Court in this case that Ebenezer Torrence, guardian of Eliza Parke, daughter of Emsley Parke, dec'd. who is entitled to a part of the estate of Solomon Parke, jun. late of Rowan county, dec'd. resides without the jurisdiction thereof: It is therefore Ordered, That advertisement shall be made six weeks at the Court House in Salisbury, and the same time in the State Gazette, that the complainant in this case have filed their petition in Court for a division of the real estate of said Solomon Parke, jun. situated in the said county of Rowan. A Copy from the minutes. JOHN GILES, C. C. C. 17-6f. pd.

### NOTICE.

THE subscriber at last Court qualified as Executor to the last Will and Testament of his father, John Eaton, deceased. All persons having claims against him are hereby notified to exhibit them within such time as the Law prescribes. JOHN H. EATON, Ex'r. Halifax, April 13, 1812. 17-4f.

### State of North-Carolina, GREENE COUNTY.

Court of Equity April Term, 1812. James G. Sheppard, Benjamin C. D. B. Sheppard, and Abraham Sheppard, vs. James Glasgow, Joseph Scurlock & wife & others. It appearing to the Court, that James Glasgow, one of the defendants named in the complainant's bill, resides without this state, notice is hereby given him the said James Glasgow that unless he shall plead answer or demurr within the three first days of the next Term the complainant's bill will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to him. R. J. POWELL, C. M. E. April 16, 1812. 17-1f.

Proposal by Thomas Dobson of Philadelphia, for Publishing by subscription THE HISTORY OF NORTH CAROLINA. By Hugh Williamson, M. L. D. Member of the Holland Society of Sciences: of the Society of Arts and Sciences at Utrecht; and of the American Philosophical Society &c. CONDITIONS. The work is now in press, and will be comprised in two handsome octavo volumes, printed on superfine wove paper, with an excellent type; and will have a map of North Carolina, engraved on purpose for the work, prefixed to the first volume. It will be delivered to subscribers at four dollars for the two volumes, neatly bound and lettered, payable on delivery of the books. No copies will be delivered without the money. For such copies as may not be subscribed for whole, the work is finished, the price will be four dollars and a half. Philadelphia, March 6th, 1812. Subscriptions received at the Book-Store of William Boylan.

### RANAWAY

FROM the subscriber on the 11th instant, near Greenville, Pitt county, a red sorrel MARE, four or five years old this spring, four feet nine or ten inches high, both hind feet white and perhaps one fore foot, and a small white spot on each shoulder near her withers not occasioned by any gear, no white in her forehead—had a yoke on when she went away and probable may go high up in this state. Any person who may stop said Mare so that I get her again or send her to me, may expect to be well paid for their trouble and all necessary expences &c. MARCH 15, 1812. CANNON H. SHPP. 14-1f.

### Lands and Negroes for Sale.

THE subscriber intending to remove out of this state to the state of Pennsylvania, will sell the following Lands and Negroes on very moderate terms—the purchaser or purchasers paying one third down, one third at twelve months credit, and one third at two years credit: viz. near 2000 acres, on Third Creek, joining the town lands of Statesville, on which there is five valuable improvements in good repair; a large proportion of which is low grounds well calculated for corn and a sufficiency of meadow—Good dwelling houses and other necessary buildings; still house and new grist mill almost ready to grind—The high lands of tolerable good quality. 726 acres on Fourth Creek in the neighbourhood of Statesville, with a large improvement, a proportion of which is meadow, some of which is fresh and in good repair for cropping. 300 acres on the South River with a small improvement in good repair, about 16 miles from Statesville.—Three families of likely Negroes, consisting of fellows, wenches, boys, girls, and children. The Lands will be sold in such quantities as will suit the purchasers and the Negroes in families. Statesville, Iredell County, November 20, 1811. JAMES HART. 48 1f.

### CASH ESTABLISHMENT.

THE subscribers have formed a connection in the Mercantile business under the firm of Samuel C. Brant and Co. and are now opening in one end of Mr. Davishes's brick-building near the State House; a part of their assortment consisting of a great variety of Cloths, Cassimers and Muslins of every description, together with a quantity of Groceries—And in the course of 4 or 5 weeks will receive in addition, a supply from Philadelphia and New York, which will make their assortment complete, all of which they are determined to be content to sell for a moderate profit. SAMUEL C. BRANT, JOHN HINTON, JOHNS HANSKARD, of Petersburg Raleigh, March 12th, 1812. 11-1f.

### State of North-Carolina, MOORE COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Feb. Term, 1812. Benjamin Tyson, vs. John Martin. Original Attachment. It having been made appear to the satisfaction of the Court, that John Martin, the defendant in this cause, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is ordered that publication be made for three months in the Raleigh Star, that the said defendant appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county aforesaid, on the third Monday of May next, and plead to said or demurr, otherwise final judgment be entered against him. 18-3m. C. DOWD, Clerk.

### LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, agent for Mr. Joel Lane, offers for sale the following Tracts of land lying in Wake county: One Tract of 320 acres adjoining the lands of Theophilus Hunter and others—One other Tract of 500 acres, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Streeter and others—One other Tract of 350 acres adjoining the lands of Edward Pride and others:— All of the above lands are woodlands; the first Tract about 3 miles, the 2d about 5 miles, and the 3d about 8 miles from the city of Raleigh. For Terms apply to the subscriber near Raleigh. ALLEN W. GILCHRIST. Wake county, January 8, 1812. 2-4f.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on the 6th day of March last, a mulatto man by the name of JACK, well built, about five feet nine or ten inches high, 25 years of age, a tolerable shoe maker. He has a scar on his forehead, and a part of one of his upper foreteeth broken off, one of his wrists broke and crooked, and his right leg pretty much shot with small shot which will show plainly. He is supposed to be lurking about Fayetteville, Elizabeth or Wilmington, in this state, and it is probable that he will pass as a free-man by the name of Reville. Any person who will secure him in any jail so that I get him again shall receive the above reward. LEVI WHITTED. Hillsborough, April 8, 1812. 16-7f.

### PLANTATION

WHEREON I now live, in the upper part of Halifax 28 Miles from the town and 18 from Warrenton, Louisiana and Nash Court House, containing 630 acres, on Great Fishing Creek, well watered & good soil for Tobacco Wheat and Corn; with good improvements, good order for cropping and an excellent Stand for a Country Store. Also an excellent grist Mill on Great Fishing Creek, on a never failing stream, which with a little repair would make a valuable Merchant Mill and in a good neighbourhood for wheat. Also 1000 acres of unimproved Land adjoining the home tract, and 452 acres of prime land in the fork of Fishing Creek and Shocco. I will sell the improved part (with or without the Mill and unimproved part) and the whole at a very reduced price. Any gentleman wishing a healthy Family Seat, would do well to view it themselves and not enquire of those who have only travelled the Road and seen the poorest part of the Tract only. EDMUND JONES. Ranson's Bridge, April 3, 1812. 15-1f.

### NOTICE.

THAT at February Term, 1812, letters of administration was granted to the subscriber on the estate of John Jordan, dec'd. this is to inform all persons indebted to the estate to make payment immediately, as no indulgence will be given—also those who have demands against said estate are requested to bring them forward legally authenticated within the time prescribed by Law, or this will be plead in bar against recovery, agreeably to an act of Assembly in that case made and provided. SETH B. JORDAN, Adm'r. Hyde County, March 1, 1812. 15-6f. pd.

### WILLIAMSBOROUGH SPRING RACES,

Will commence on Thursday the 21st of May next, and continue two days. FIRST DAY. THE Jockey Club Purse of one hundred and fifty dollars, free for any nag, two mile heats, the best two in three. Entrance fifteen dollars. SECOND DAY. The Proprietors purse of 100 dollars, one mile heats, the best three in five, free for any nag except the winner of the Jockey Club Purse. Entrance ten dollars. Weights agreeable to the rules of the turf—nagsto be entered with 8. Sued by sunset the evening before the running—Toll collected at the gate as usual. JOHN HART, Secretary. April 3d 1812. 15-6f. Race. Balls will be furnished on the evening of each day's Race.

### JUST PUBLISHED,

And will be dispatched to the several Counties of the State in a few days; THE LAWS & JOURNALS Of the last Session of the General Assembly of North Carolina. A few extra copies are printed and may be had at the Star office, at 50 cents for the Laws, and one dollar for the Journals. March 13.

### VINE HILL ACADEMY.

THE Trustees of Vine-Hill Academy, wish to employ a Teacher for the English Department. Any person wishing such employment will please apply to David Clark and P. E. Tunstall, near the Academy. The Lottery authorized for the Academy above mentioned will not be drawn. Those that purchased Tickets will apply for their money, to those of whom they purchased. 10-1f. DAVID CLARK.

### THE THREE FIRST VOLUMES OF THE STAR,

Bound and Lettered—Price \$13—For Sale here.

### SHERIFF'S SALES.

Will be sold at the Court-House in Hillsborough, Columbus county, on the 15th day of May next, the following Tracts of Land, or as much thereof as will pay the taxes and costs of advertising, for the year one thousand eight hundred and ten (1810) viz: 640 Acres lying on Grissett's Lake in said county, between the boundary line and Waggamaw river, patented by Ephraim Mitchell and supposed to belong in part to Benjamin Smith, late Governor, and 31 other tracts, each containing 640 acres, lying on the west side of the Waggamaw river, patented also by the said Ephraim Mitchell, and supposed to belong in part to the said Benjamin Smith. 300 Acres on the east side of the White Marsh, the property of William H. Beatty, adjoining James Barfoot. 50 Acres on Uncle's Branch, supposed to be the property of Curtis Ivey and M'Ree. 50 Acres, the property of David Godwin, sen. lying on the Beaver-dam. 100 Acres, the property of Martha R. White, dec. joining the lands of George Parker. 50 Acres adjoining the lands of John Parker, supposed to be the property of J. Wheeler. 100 Acres on the head of Pine Log, supposed to be the property of M. Johnston. 150 Acres adjoining David Godwin, supposed to be the property of Curtis Ivey. 100 Acres on the south side of Gapway, adjoining or near E. Watts, & supposed to be the property of Gilbert Johnston. 100 Acres on the east side of the White-Marsh and in the fork of Punchen, supposed to be the property of Elizabeth Rukey. 100 Acres on the south side of the White Marsh swamp, near Snake island, supposed to be the property of Shadrach Harper, dec. 100 Acres on the east side of the White Marsh and on the west side of Bogus, and supposed to be the property of James Cahoon. 150 Acres on Snake Swamp, supposed to be the property of James Green, dec. 100 Acres do do do do. 50 do do do on Spring Branch. 100 do do do on Starke's Branch. 100 do do do in the Devil's Elbow. 400 do on the Creek Branch, supposed to be the property of Henry Toomer, dec. 640 Acres on or near the Creek Branch, supposed to be the property of Nixon Cheston. 300 Acres on Lamb's river, adjoining James Swindle, given in by John Fields. 13-8f. JOSUFA WILLIAMSON, Sheriff.

### Valuable Property for sale.

THE Subscriber, Attorney in fact for Willie W. Jones, offers for sale the following property, viz: One tract of land lying in Northampton county on Roanoke river, containing about two thousand acres—One other tract lying in Bertie county, in the Indian Woods, containing about five thousand acres. These lands are too well known to need a further description. He will also sell all the Negroes belonging to the said Willie W. Jones, together with his stock of horses, cattle, hogs, &c. The subscriber living in the town of Halifax, N. C. will receive proposals for the purchase of all or any part of the said property. THOMAS BURGESS. Halifax, April 6, 1812. 16-4f.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### UNIVERSITY.

BE IT Ordained by the Trustees of the University of North-Carolina, and it is hereby ordained, by the authority of the same, that a special meeting of this Board be had on Saturday the 11th day of July next, in the city of Raleigh; and that advertisement be thereof made accordingly. ROB'T WILLIAMS, Secretary. Raleigh December 18th, A. D. 1811. 19

### GOLD.

THE Subscriber on the 23d inst, in cleaning out a spring on his plantation, found a piece of pure Gold weighing thirteen ounces; He has since made some searches and been successful in finding tolerable large bits of gold. He has no doubt but there is a mine of considerable worth where he has found this gold. He wishes to associate with some persons who is skilled in the art of discovering the hidden treasures which the earth contains, and will make it worth the attention of any one who understands searching mines, if he will come and assist him in discovering the one which he is well assured is on his plantation. CLABON HARRIS. Montgomery County, N. C. April 3, 1812. 19

### RALEIGH ACADEMY.

THE examination of the Students of the Raleigh Academy, will commence on Thursday the 28th of May inst. Parents and Guardians, and all others who may wish to satisfy themselves respecting the merits and progress of the Students are respectfully solicited to attend. A number of interesting Orations will be delivered in the State House during the evenings of the examination. Parents and others, are informed that no Student, except in a special case, will obtain leave of absence from the Academy until the whole of the examination and ceremonies of the occasion be brought to a close. The second Session for the present year will commence on Monday the 8th of June next. WILLIAM HILL, Sec'y. May 5th, 1812. 19

### COMMITTED

TO THE goal of Franklin County a runaway lad, who says his name is CUPID, and that he belongs to Daniel Powell of Halifax, near Moore's Ferry. He is very dark, spare made, large prominent eyes, about 3 feet 8 or 9 inches high. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away. WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Sheriff. Franklin, April 27th, 1812. 19-3f. pd.

### CAVALRY ORDERS.

BY order of the Commander in Chief, I hereby give notice to the Majors, Captains, Subalterns, & Privates attached to the 16th Brigade, and 3d Division of the Militia of this State, to attend at Greenville C. H. on the 31st of June, by 10 o'clock precisely, armed & equipped agreeably to law; at which time and place there will be a general review of said Regiment. The Officers are required to make out complete Muster Rolls, with the dates of their Commissions, &c. as the law requires. THOMAS BEX, Lieut. Col. May 4, 1812. 19