

...assigned. I am only further to acquaint  
...in case of your being willing to under-  
...the cultivation of land under these condi-  
...North America, and in the event of your propo-  
...being approved by his Lordship, a grant will  
...be made to you free of expense, and the necessa-  
...tonnage will be provided for the conveyance  
...of yourself or your Agent and the Settlers whom  
...you may have engaged to accompany you. The  
...of victualling the Settlers will be de-  
...frayed by yourself."  
I am, Sir, &c. &c. &c.  
(Signed) H. GOLBORN.

...just setting out in life (and were much respect-  
...for their good dispositions, and industrious  
...habits, and this awful catastrophe took place  
...within about forty rods of the father's and Mo-  
...ther's residence of Mr. Hardesty. We have  
...not heard that any other lives were lost.

CARLISLE, (Penn.) July 30.  
**Melancholy Occurrence.**—On Thursday last  
a number of hands were at work (cutting grain)  
on the farm of Mrs. Brady, in Rye township,  
Cumberland county. In the evening, when a-  
bout finishing, a heavy cloud came up from the  
south west, accompanied with piercing flashes  
of lightning and tremendous claps of thunder.  
The hands were so much appalled that they  
knew not what they were about—some lost their  
cradles, others their rakes; all calling on God  
to have mercy on their souls. Two of the  
hands, James Murray and Mathias Venrich,  
were struck dead in the open field. It appears  
that Murray was struck on the forehead—his  
clothing was torn from his hat to his shoes.  
Venrich was struck on the back of his head—  
his clothing was torn off of his back. Moses  
Kirkpatrick, jun. knocked down, and William  
Irvine had his cheek scarred with the same flash;  
Kirkpatrick and Irvine were about ten rods  
from the deceased. Rebecca Kirkpatrick, who  
was in the house from ten to thirty rods distant,  
says, the flash appeared like a blue blaze on the  
floor of the house where she was—she was cast  
on the floor; how long she lay she cannot say.  
The corpses were both removed to the house  
of James Murray, and on the day following  
were interred, in Christian like manner, at the  
meeting house near the mouth of the Juniata,  
where the Rev. Mr. Brady delivered a discourse  
suitable to the occasion. Murray has left a  
widow and two small children to lament his un-  
timely fate. Venrich was about 16 years of age.

From the Auburn (N. Y.) Gazette, Aug. 5.  
**Horrid Transaction.**—We learn from Junius,  
that some day in the latter part of last week  
a stranger was murdered in this town, by two  
men who have been apprehended and committed  
to jail. The circumstances, as far as we can  
learn, are as follow: the deceased, who was on  
horseback, called at a tavern, and ordered some-  
thing for his horse and something to drink, and  
being about to pay his bill, handed a piece of  
gold, which the woman attending could not  
change; he then took out a half dollar, which,  
as our informant states, had some particular  
mark on it, but it being difficult to make the  
change, it was agreed to leave the bill unpaid,  
while he should go to a place (for which he had  
previously enquired) about a mile distant from  
the tavern across the lots, where he had some busi-  
ness to attend to, and in the mean time leave  
his horse to feed. Two men, (also strangers)  
said to be Irishmen, were present and had wit-  
nessed all that had passed—and about this time  
left the house. After the deceased had been ab-  
sent some little time, one of the two men, before  
mentioned, returned, & called for something to  
drink, & offered a half dollar, which the woman  
recognized as being the same that had but a few  
minutes before been offered by the deceased—  
this circumstance excited suspicion, and he was  
apprehended, and taken along towards the place  
where the deceased had started for, and they  
soon met his companion, bearing the portman-  
teau, which the deceased had carried with him  
from the house. They then immediately con-  
fessed what they had done, and pointed out the  
place where they had concealed the body under  
some leaves and other rubbish, by the side of a  
brook.—Our informant did not give us the names  
of any of the parties.

**RALEIGH**  
FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 21, 1818.

**ELECTION RETURNS—CONTINUED.**  
**Wake county.**—Nat. Jones, S. no opposition. Seth Jones,  
and Stephen Haywood, C. State of the poll, Seth Jones 1070,  
Haywood 995, Hinton 885.  
**Johnston.**—Reuben Sanders, S. John Atkinson and R. H.  
Helme, C. State of the poll, Sanders 379, Col Williams  
273; for commons, Atkinson 648, Helme 630, Barnes 341.  
**Chatham.**—Wm. O'Kelly, S. R. C. Cotten and John A.  
Ramsay, C.  
**Wayne.**—B. M'Kinnie, S. Lewis Coo Pender and Ezekiel  
Sloomb, C.  
**Pitt.**—Luke Albritton, S. no opposition. Oliver Prince and  
R. Cherry, C. State of the poll for Commons, Prince 761,  
Cherry 458, Joyner 430.  
**Edgecombe.**—Lewis D. Wilson, S. Jas. Benton and  
Horn, C.  
**Person.**—R. Atkinson, S. Samuel Dickins and Wm. A.  
Len, C.  
**Orange.**—A. D. Murphy, S. no opposition. Willie P.  
Mangum & Jas. Mebane, C. State of the poll for Commons,  
Mangum 1429, Mebane 1337, Wm. Barbee 1136.  
**Town of Hillsboro.**—John Scott.  
**Warren.**—R. R. Johnson, S. R. H. Jones & P. Hawkins, C.  
**Beaufort.**—Reading Crist, S. Thomas Latham and —  
Robinson, C.  
**New-Hanover.**—M. W. Campbell, S. J. Lamb and John  
Bunting, C.  
**Town of Wilmington.**—Wm. B. Mears.  
**Halifax.**—John Alston, S. N. Gee and Jesse A. Dawson, C.  
**Town of Halifax.**—Thomas Burgess.  
**Martin.**—Joseph Williams, S. Wm. Routhae, and Darling  
Clerry, C.  
**Guilford.**—John Caldwell, S. Wm. Ryan & J. M'Nairy, C.  
**Craven.**—Wm. Gaston, S. Vine Allen and Abner Neale, C.  
**Town of Newbern.**—John Stanly.  
**Columbus.**—Jacob Guyton and Joel Stephens, C.  
**Cumberland.**—L. Bethune, S.; N. M'Neil and Jonathan  
Evans, C.  
**Stokes.**—Charles Banner, S.; Samuel Welch and Jacob  
Sammons, C.  
**Rockingham.**—Wm. Bethell, S.; Nathaniel Scales & Rich-  
ard Michaux, C.  
**Caswell.**—Bartlett Yancey, S. Romulus Saunders, & Bed  
ford Brown, C.  
**Sampson.**—M. J. Kenan, S. James Mathis, & Wm. Black-  
man, C.  
**Bladen.**—James J. McKay, S. — White, & — Beaty, C.  
**Robeson.**—W. Brown, S. Kenneth Black, & F. L. Haynes, C.  
**Bertie.**—Thomas L. West S.; Wm. Hinton and Joseph  
Jordan, C.  
**Nash.**—Michael Collins, S.; William Boddie and Archi-  
bald Lamou, C.

**Appointment of a Judge.**—On Monday the 3d instant, the  
Council of State met in this city, agreeably to notice, to ad-  
vise with the Governor on the appointment of a Judge to  
supply the place of Judge Burton resigned. On Tuesday,  
Blake Baker, Esq. of Warren county, was appointed, whom  
we understand has accepted.

A considerable number of hands we understand, are at  
present engaged in clearing out the Cape Fear river below  
Haywood. Our informant adds, that they make great pro-  
gress in blowing rock, &c.

**ADDRESS**  
...The sales of public lands, at Huntsville, in  
the Alabama territory, closed on the 15th ultimo.  
Although the body of land offered at this  
sale is represented to be generally of an inferior  
quality, yet such appears to be the desire to emi-  
grate to the western and south-western country,  
or to acquire land in those quarters, that the  
sales were well attended, and the choice tracts  
contended for with avidity by the bidders.—  
These sales, it is stated, amounted to about  
400,000 dollars.

**WARREN JOURDAN.**  
July 31st, 1818.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
**RUNAWAY**  
FROM the Subscriber living in Morgan county, Georgia,  
on the 18th inst. a mulatto man named NAT, he is a-  
bout 50 years of age of an ordinary size, straight built, is ac-  
tive and sensible, has a down cast look when spoken to and  
speaks in a low tone of voice.—He was purchased of a Mr.  
Lundy last winter, who said he purchased him in Norfolk, in  
the State of Virginia, where I expect he intends going, as he  
was seen near Augusta, Georgia, four or five days after he  
eloped. On examination it will be seen very readily he has  
lost a small bit of the end of his nose. I will give a reward  
of FIFTY DOLLARS for his apprehension and confinement  
in jail so that I get him, again and will indemnify any  
person to the utmost of my power who will take him dead or  
alive.

**WARREN JOURDAN.**  
July 31st, 1818. 34—3mpd.

**ACCOMMODATION STAGES.**  
THE Subscriber having purchased the interest of the Messrs  
Malett's in the line of Stages between Fayetteville &  
Newbern, (and which were connected with the Steam Boat  
Norfolk) will commence running them on Thursday 20th inst  
between Raleigh and Fayetteville, in conjunction with Mr.  
Jordan's line.—They will leave Raleigh every day at 1 o'  
clock, P. M. and arrive at Mr Jordan's line at 8 P. M.—in re-  
turning they will arrive at Raleigh by 11 A. M.—where they  
will meet Fox's line to the North.—The drivers are careful,  
obedient and attentive; the horses excellent and the carriages  
more comfortable than are usually found upon the southern  
route.

The subscriber earnestly solicits the public patronage; he  
has been influenced by two motives to put this line in op-  
eration—private gain, certainty and comfort to the traveller,  
and he pledges himself that in proportion to the encourage-  
ment he receives, so shall the means of their convenience be  
increased.

Carriages, of a superior quality, are already ordered on  
from the North, and are expected to be in operation in from  
four to six weeks.

**WM. RUFFIN.**  
Raleigh, August, 1818. 34—4f.

The editors of the Fayetteville Observer, Charleston  
City Gazette, Augusta Chronicle, Petersburg Intelligencer,  
Richmond Esquire, and National Intelligencer—are request-  
ed to give the above three insertions and forward their ac-  
counts to this office for settlement. W. R.

**MESSES DURANGS.**—Respectfully inform those La-  
dies and Gentlemen who wish to avail themselves of pri-  
vate lessons in dancing, that they will have leisure during  
the week to attend to them. An early application is neces-  
sary. The days of tuition for the school—are Fridays and Sa-  
turdays from 3 till 6 for the Ladies, and from 7 until 9 for the  
Gentlemen.

The Children will be taught in a separate room from the  
young ladies  
Raleigh, Aug. 19. 34—

**FUR SALE**  
A VALUABLE Tract of Land, containing fifteen hun-  
dred acres, one hundred of which is cleared and under  
fence; well suited to the production of either corn or cotton,  
five hundred acres of said land is Swamp, of the first quality,  
the growth of which shew the fertility of the soil, it being chest-  
nut Oak, white oak, sweet gum, &c. &c.—with a sufficient chan-  
nel to drain the same with very little labour. The buildings are  
new and very convenient, the situation pleasant and healthy,  
together with this a good Orchard. Any person wishing to  
purchase in this part of the country, will no doubt be well  
pleas'd with the place and price, as I am determin'd to ac-  
cept of every measure in my power to make the purchase  
easy and convenient to the purchaser. The place is 25 miles  
south west of Fayetteville, & joining the road that leads from  
the same to Camden, & about 20 miles above Lumberton, S.C.  
**GILBERT MACMILLAN.**  
Robeson county, August 10, 1818. 34—5v.

**STRAY.**  
WAS taken up and enter'd on my book, on the 10th of  
July last, three miles south west of Greensboro, a  
light brown HORSE supposed to be 10 or eleven years old,  
about 14 hands high, blind in his right eye, short before,  
racks and trots and has a tape string tied on the end of his  
tail under the hair, appraised to \$35.

Also on the first day of August, a bay MARE, about thir-  
teen hands and a half high, with a white foot on the off side  
behind, supposed to be 6 or 8 years old, appraised to \$25.  
**J. ARMFIELD, Ranger.**  
Guilford county, Aug. 8th. 34—5w.

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,**  
WAKE COUNTY.  
*Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term 1818.*  
On Petition of James Kilgore, Dennis Grady, Alexander Frost,  
man, John Ship and Peggy and Wm. Moore, infants by  
guardian, Mark Moore  
It is Ordered that twelve negroes and other personal prop-  
erty of the estate of Wm. Moore, sen. deceased, be sold  
on the 10th day of September at the dwelling house of the  
late Sarah Kilgore, dec'd. on an credit of six months, the pur-  
chaser giving bond with good and sufficient security to be  
approved by Dennis Grady, Administrator, de bonis non.  
**B. S. KING, CLK.**  
The 18th Aug. 1818. 34—5w.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE for sale a valuable tract of land containing fifteen  
hundred acres—one hundred and fifty of which is cleared  
and now under cultivation, well suited to the production of  
either corn or cotton, part of said lands are low, but on very  
conveniently be drained, the growth of which shew the great  
fertility of the soil.—The buildings are new, the situation high  
and pleasant, the water remarkably good. I believe that there  
is not a more healthy nor a more agreeable neighbourhood  
in the State. Any person wishing to purchase in this part of  
the country, will no doubt on seeing the land be well pleas'd  
with the place and price, as I am determin'd to accept of every  
possible measure in the payment to make it easy and con-  
venient to the purchaser.

**NEILL MURPHY.**  
Richland Swamp, Robeson co. Aug. 10, 1818. 35 3v.

**JAMES WADE,** enters one MARE, as a Stray,—on the  
Rangers book—she is about twelve years old, marked as  
follows: a bright bay, with some Saddle spots—long tail and  
mane, with her hind ankle white; her left fore ankle joint  
stands forward, and appears to be lame; paces and trots—  
James Wade lives about 12 miles south west of Randolph C. H.  
**BENJ. STEED, D. R.**  
Aug. 4, 1818. 34—4wpd.

**HORSES WANTED.**  
THE subscribers are about to establish a line of Stages from  
Raleigh to Plymouth, and are desirous of purchasing a  
number of stout, strong active horses, for that service. Those  
who have such for sale, are invited to bring them in without  
delay. Cash will be given for such as may be approved.  
**W.M. SCOTT,**  
**JOHN J. S. RUFFIN,**  
**H. POTTER,**  
Raleigh, August 20, 1818 Managers.

**STAGE AND WAGON MAKING BUSI-  
NESS.**  
ONE or two good workmen at the above business will  
meet with employment.—Two boys of respectable con-  
nexion will be taken as apprentices.  
**HAUTE C. WIATT,**  
Raleigh, Aug. 20.

**English electioneering.**—Mr. Wooler, (edit-  
or of the Black Dwarf) and Mr. Cobbett, are  
rival candidates from Coventry, for a seat in the  
British parliament. At one of the meetings  
held for the purpose of recommending the for-  
mer gentleman to the suffrage of the electors,  
the speaker said, it might be some satisfaction  
to the friends of Mr. Wooler to know, that out  
of four hundred Coventry-men more than one  
half were willing to go even barefooted, to vote  
for him: & it would really seem, from what fol-  
lowed, that he had not misrepresented their zeal;  
for, before the meeting dispersed, the friends of  
Mr. Wooler tore down the poll of their oppo-  
nents, and a battle royal ensued, in which there  
were, of course, many broken heads. At length  
some of the most active of the Wooler party  
were seized and lodged in the watch house; but  
those who remained outside immediately rallied,  
unroofed the prison, and set their friends once  
more at liberty. What followed at the next  
day's polling, we are yet to learn.  
[Even. Post.

We have seen a letter of the 19th July, from  
one of the most respectable houses in Havana,  
which says: "A duty of four dollars, for the  
support of the inquisition, is to be henceforward  
levied on foreign as well as national vessels en-  
tering the ports of this island." This informa-  
tion is from such a source, that we cannot but  
credit it, notwithstanding the positive contra-  
diction we published yesterday from the Nor-  
folk Herald.—Balt. Pat.

**Baptist Theological Seminary.**—The Baptist  
Board of Foreign Missions have just concluded  
their session in N. York. The object of their  
deliberation has been the establishment of a  
theological seminary, on an extensive scale.  
They are calling in the aid of their churches  
generally throughout the union, and have ap-  
pointed several ministers to travel through the  
states and obtain subscriptions and collections.  
The institution will go into partial operation  
during the approaching fall and winter. In A-  
pril next, it is expected that it will be fully  
organized.