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SUBSCRIPTION, THREE DOLLARS PER ANNUM—NO PAPER WILL BE SENT WITHOUT AT LEAST $1 50 CENTS IS PAID IN ADVANCE, AND NO PAPER DISCONTINUED, ONLY AT THE OPTION OF THE EDITOR, UNLESS ALL ARREARAGES ARE PAID—ADVERTISEMENTS NOT EXCEEDING TWELVE LINES, INSERTED THREE TIMES FOR ONE DOLLAR, AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS FOR EACH CONTINUANCE

At a meeting of the President and Directors of the Yadkin Catawba Navigation Company, at Charlotte August 17, 1818.

RESOLVED, That the books of the Company shall remain open for further subscriptions of Stock, until the second monday of November next, in the hands of the several Directors, or of such persons as they or either of them, may designate.

Resolved, That the subscribers to the former Stock, under the late charter of the Catawba Navigation Company, communicated in writing to the next meeting of the Directors, to be held in Charlotte, at Capt. M'Comb's, on the second monday of November next, or to some one of the undersigned, their intention of continuing to hold their Stock, under the term and conditions of the present charter, otherwise they will be considered as having abandoned the same, and is entitled to no further claim or benefit therefrom

Resolved, That the two foregoing resolutions be published three weeks in the Raleigh Star and Register.

JOSEPH WILSON President
ROBERT H. BURTON,
ARCHIBALD FREW,
JOHN ABERNATHY,
HENRY CONNOR,
JOS. M. K. ALEXANDER.

By Order, EDWIN J. OSBORN, Sec'ry.
Charlotte, Sept. 10. 1818.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.

A CAMP MEETING will commence on Thursday October 1, to continue until Tuesday or Wednesday following; on the lands of John and Samuel Wilkes, six miles south of Raleigh, on the Stage Road to Fayetteville; where the ministers of the Holy Society are specially solicited to attend; & all who wish to make any progress in religion, as well the seeker as the believer, are requested to come with tents prepared to stay on the ground during the meeting, & not be depending on their friends so as to perplex them with secular matters, when they should be employed in the worship of God. The place is eligible & there is excellent water, very convenient, also preparation for the horses that may come from a distance. We do sincerely hope that those who may attend this meeting, will attend it for the express purpose of worshipping God, and not to make a show, to feast, or parade over the ground carelessly and vainly, tentively, not worshipping God themselves, but diverting the minds of those who wish to worship, from that holy and devout purpose. Those who disapprove of Camp-Meetings, and mislike the exercises & devotion of such meetings are particularly requested not to attend. We know it is our unalienable right to worship God as we please without molestation, agreeably to the Constitution of the U. States, and the Bill of Rights of this State. We would rather hazard our lives, than give up this great right, that cost the toil and blood of our Fathers. Those miserable incendiaries that are want to infest the sacred worship of God with spirits, cakes, melons, &c. for traffic we would caution them not to attend this meeting; if they should presume on our placid disposition, they may fully calculate on suffering the penalties of the excellent laws of North-Carolina, in such cases made and provided. There is no law to compel any person to attend Divine Service, but there is law enough to compel all who voluntarily attend, to behave well and according to the mode of worship observed by the denomination where they thus attend. For which everlasting honours be ascribed to the Holy Supreme Being, whose providential goodness secures those distinguished and equitable favours to all the people of our nation invariably alike.

May the honor of the King of Kings be advanced by this meeting.

HENRY HARDY.
September 5, 1818. 37-

IMPORTANT INVENTION

THE undersigned having obtained a Patent for the invention of an *Horizontal and Perpendicularly Moving Water Wheel*; and being sensible that conclusions drawn from theory alone, are not always confirmed by experiment, and though supported in his opinion of its operative power and general utility, by the most cogent theoretical reasons; yet, rather than obtrude it on the public notice, supported by theory only, he determined to make a full and satisfactory experiment of its operative power and general utility, on a scale that would test the principle beyond the possibility of doubt. He accordingly has built and erected in the edge of Elk River, (near Elkton, Giles county West Tennessee,) a water wheel on the above plan, 32 feet diameter, with 12 arms, to which the floats, 8 feet by 4 in surface, are suspended by two hinges, and supported by rods connected to the lower edge and the arm that follows, in a way so as to prevent the motion of the float until fully immersed. The float begins to fold up on the eddy or that side of the wheel return ing against the current, and is entirely over an inclining plane, by means of a stop [illegible], fixed in the lower edge of the float, so soon as the float is under the surface of the water; the [illegible] flood gate, the wheel, and with it the [illegible] suspended, passing through retained by catches at the different stages its operative power. The current in the water. The current in the above wheel is erected, [illegible] the wheel performs one and a half revolutions in a minute, driving a stone of four feet diameter with great power, with a velocity of one hundred and twenty revolutions in the minute.

The proprietor will have in operation the ensuing summer, two pair of stones and a saw, all attached to and driven by the same power wheel. The great and important advantage arising from this invention, is the substituting the common current of rivers, or the usual quantity of water acting under a head, or falling from an height, and without a dam or any other obstruction to the current in rivers than a small triangular wharf, extending from the bank above, to half the diameter of the wheel, to protect it against drift-wood, ice, &c.

There are few rivers that do not afford a situation every mile or two for the erection of a wheel on the above construction, and thereby affording to Farmers living on such water courses a facility of manufacturing their own grain, sawing up and rendering profitable incumbrances on their ground; and in short is well calculated to propel all the various kinds of machinery, whether on a large or small scale, by increasing or diminishing the size of the wheel.

The premium for using the above described wheel, if obtained of the proprietor, will be Two hundred Dollars; but if an agent, somewhat higher. To a privileged right will be attached a schedule, containing a full & accurate description of the parts, sizes, &c. composing the wheel, so as to render it intelligible and easily comprehended by the most ordinary capacity, it being extremely simple when seen or understood.

WM. PURNELL
Elkton, 22d March, 1818. 17—eow-6m.

NOTICE.

THE Races over the Salisbury turf will commence on Thursday the 27th October, and will continue five days. The subscriptions to the Jocky Club have been very liberal, which we hope will induce sporting gentlemen to attend.

MOSES A LOCKE, Treas.
Salisbury, Sept. 7 1818. 88-3m.

VALUABLE PROPERTY.

THE subscriber offers for sale, 850 Acres of Land, where he now lives; there is a good Dwelling House and out houses, and three improvements on the above mentioned Land, a good Apple and Peach orchard, a good Grist and rolling Mill; also a good Saw Mill half a mile from the other two Mills on the same stream; the Land is well timbered with pine and light wood for making of Tar and Lumber.

Also, 100 acres on the Gaulberry Swamp.

300 acres joining Cape Fear River, with a good Plantation 200 acres of which are cleared Land, lies on the West side of Cape Fear river, thirteen miles below Fayetteville, near the Stage Road. Any person wishing to purchase the above Lands, will apply to the subscriber living on the premises.

JESSE JACKSON.
September 10. 38-eow8.

NOTICE.

ON the twenty-ninth day of November next, will be offered for sale at the Court House in Whiteville, Columbus County, the following parcels of land in the county aforesaid, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to pay the taxes due thereon for the years 1814, 1815, 1816 and cost of advertising.

640 acres of land joining the South line, near S. Thomas the property of [illegible] Smith.

640 a joining the above on the Waggamaw River, the property of the same

640 the property of said Smith, on the Stou creek.

640 adjoining the above property of the same

640 adjoining the above property of said Smith.

[illegible] creeks, near Marlows.

[illegible] Long.

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[illegible] ols Lake.

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[illegible] posed to be the property of [illegible]

[illegible] Marsh, said to be the property of [illegible]

[illegible] ver, given in by Joshua G. [illegible]

[illegible] given in by Joshua G. [illegible]

[illegible] for 1815 and 1816.

[illegible] iver, given in by [illegible]

[illegible] acres on the waters of Lumber River, given in by Samuel Stone for the [illegible].

JOSHUA WILLIAMSON, Sheriff.
Sept 15 1818. 4wspd.

NOTICE,

IS hereby given that Col. Thomas Sherrod, late of Franklin County is dead, and that the subscriber proved his will, and qualified as his Ex'r. at the last September Sessions of Franks. Court. Those indebted are requested to make payment and those having claims to prefer them within the time limited by law.

JORDAN SHERROD, Ex'r.
September 25, 1818. 39-3wpd.

LANDS FOR SALE.

I offer for sale the following discribed property which was sold in the year 1815, for the United States direct Tax, by John Van Hook jr. disignated collector of North-Carolina, and purchased by me, and which has not been redeemed by the original owners, or any other person in their behalf, within the time prescribed by the Laws of the United States.

Viz. four tracts in the County of Wake, one of which adjoins the lands of Elias Bowden, contains 100 acres and was returned as the property of Isham Epps. One other tract of 70 acres lying on the waters of Panther Creek, adjoining the lands of Leroy Pierce and others, returned as the property of Wm. Colcurn. One other tract lying on Newlight containing 100 acres, returned as the property of George Cary. And one other tract of 200 acres lying on little Beever Creek, adjoining the lands of Wm. Olive Sen. and others. Returned as the property of John Malone.

One tract in Rockingham County, containing 25 acres adjoining the lands of Jesse Harrison and others, returned as the property of John Granger, dec.

One tract of 20 acres in Guilford County, lying on the waters of Deep River, returned as the property of John Banks.

One half of lot no. 31, 1-2 of lot no. 65, 1-2 of lot no. 66 1-2 of lot no. 70 and 1-2 of lot no. 71. All in Trenton Jones County.

One Tract in Johnson County, containing 80 acres lying on Watery Branch, returned as the property of Israel Taylor.

One Tract in Carteret County, containing 50 acres, known by the name of old Hampton, was returned as the property of James Taylor.

One Tract in Beaufort County, containing 122 acres, adjoining the lands of John Watson and others. Was returned as the property of Jno. Howards.

1-4 of a lot in Washington, whereon the Widdow Judkins lived in the year 1814, the lot was returned as the property of Hardy Price.

One other Tract of land in said County, containing 200 acres, returned as the property of John Allen.

Seven Tracts in the County of Pitt, viz. one Tract of 59 acres adjoining the lads of Leonard Lofton, was returned as the property of John Moy. One other Tract of 150 acres lying in the fork of Contentany, returned as the property of Lewis C. Briant. One other Tract of 5.0 acres lying on little Contentany, adjoining the lands of Edmund Davis and others, was returned as the property of John Williams. One other Tract of 62 acres lying on Sandy Run, adjoining the lands of Asa Baker and others, was returned as the property of Fre[illegible] Outlaw. One other tract of 200 acres more or less, lying and creeping the [illegible] adjoining the lands of James Cam[illegible] and others, returned as the property of James Clark. One other Tract of 250 acres adjoining the lands of Joshua Patrick and John Tyson, was returned as the property of Josiah Carney. And one other Tract of 150 acres adjoining the lands of John Causey and others, was returned as the property of Wm. Caswell.

Two Tracts in the County of Edgecomb, one of which contains 199 acres, adjoining the lands of John [illegible]illiams and others, was returned the property of S. Cochrans Heirs, the other containing 190 adjoining the lands of John Taylor and others and was returned as the property of Zacharian Elliot.

One Tract in Chatham County, containing 5 acres lying on Georges Creek, returned as the property of Sarah Bennett.

Two Tracts in the County of Hertford, one of which contains 12 acres lying on the S. side of Meherin, was returned as the property of Reuben Whitefield. The other Tract contains 18 acres, known by the name of the Newlebanon estate was returned as the property of Samuel S. Laffing's ell estate was returned.

One tract in the County of Gates, containing 12 acres lying on Beach Swamp, was returned as the property of Benj. Goodman.

All or any part of the above described property will be sold low and terms of payment made easy. All letters addressed to the Subscriber, at Hillsborough N. C. (post paid) will be strictly attended to,

THOMAS CLANCY.
Hillsborough, N. C. September 17th. 1818. 39-3w.

BLANKS.
OF ALL KIND FOR SALE AT
THE ● OFFICE

A SWINDLER.

ALL honest men are cautioned against Daniel Grant late of Duplin County. He has lately given such proofs of his disposition to swindle me, that I feel it my duty to caution the public against him. Any information respecting said Grant, will be thankfully received,

KENNETH GILLIS,
Raleigh, Sept. 8 1818. 37.—

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
WILKES COUNTY.
Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions, August Term 1818.

Edmund Jones, vs James Sheppard.—Original Attachment, Richard Graves, being summoned as Garnishee.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant is not an inhabitant of the State. It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Raleigh Star, for three weeks, that unless the defendant appear at the next term of the said Court on the first Monday of November next, replevy and plead, answer or demur, Judgement will be had against him. Test.

ROBERT MARTIN, Clk.
September 6, 1818 39-3wsp.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
WILKES COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1818.

Addison Foster, vs William Hays and David Dickerson.—Original Attachment, Montfort Stokes, being summoned as Garnishee.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendants in this case are not inhabitants of this State.—It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Raleigh Star, for three weeks, that unless the defendants appear at the next Term of said Court, on the first Monday of November next, replevy and plead, answer or demur, judgment will be had against them. Test.

ROBERT MARTIN, Clk.
September 6, 1818. 39-3wsp.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
WILKES COUNTY.
Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions, August Term 1818.

George Hays and others vs. Daniel Hays.—Petition for Partition.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant resides beyond the limits of this State. It is ordered that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for three weeks, that the defendant appear at the next term of this Court, on the first Monday of November next and plead, answer or demur, otherwise said petition will be heard exparte and taken pro confesso against him. Test.

ROBERT MARTIN, Clk.
September 6, 1818. 39-3wsp.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.
WILKES COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1818.

Susannah Hays vs the Heirs of James Hays dec'd. Petition for Dower.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Daniel Hays, one of the defendants, is not an inhabitant of this State. It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for three weeks, that the said Daniel Hays, appear at the next Term of this Court on the first Monday of November next, and enter his plea, otherwise the prayer of the petitioner will be granted. Test.

ROBERT MARTIN, Clk.
September 6, 1818. 39-3wsp.

NOTICE.

ELOPED from my bed and board on Saturday night, 5th of September, 1818 my wife Sidney Allen, without my knowledge or without any provocation, she carried off with her a note of hand, executed to me by my brother Joseph Allen, for the sum of four thousand four hundred and forty four dollars, dated by John Allen and Daniel Harrison, given on demand, bearing date 25th December 1815, given in consideration of a purchase of Land. One other note executed to me by my brother Shadrach Allen, for the sum of fifty dollars and 83 cents, bearing date April 15th, 1818, also one other note executed by John S. Phillips, to me for the sum of nineteen dollars, due and payable 19th Jan 1819. This is to forewarn all and every person or persons, from trading for any of the above described Notes, and also to forewarn all and every person or persons, from trading or crediting my said wife Sidney, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting.

BENJAMIN ALLEN.
Guilford County, N. C. Sept. 15 39-3ws.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale two tracts of land lying on the waters of Beaver creek, containing 724 acres. There are two plantations on said land—one lying on both sides of the creek—the other [illegible] about one mile from it, immediately at the Cross Roads, six miles from George Brashfield's, ten miles from Raleigh, on the road from Raleigh to Hillsborough. The Cross Roads is an excellent stand for public Entertainment, there is a large framed house, a plenty of good water. It is a good farm. I will sell low for cash or negroes—for terms apply to the subscriber.

HINTON CURTIS.

N B. The land joins Garratt M. Jeiks, and Randal Moon

BROUGHT TO GAOL

ON the 6th ult a negro man, who says his name is Dempsey, about 5 years old and about 5 feet high, dark complexion, he says he belongs to Benjamin Caipres, of Pitt County, of this State, and lives on Tar River, near Greenville, this is therefore to request the owner of said negro to come forward prove property, pay charges and take him away,

WILLIAM HOBBIE, Jailor.
Lumberton, Sept. 20. 39-3ws.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber being desirous to remove to the Western Country, offers for sale the following tracts of Land: One tract whereon he now lives containing 807 acres, lying in Wake County, 12 miles East of Raleigh, on Marks Creek, near the road leading directly to Tarborough, on this tract there is cleared land sufficient to work 6 or 8 hands to advantage, all the cleared land is fresh, on which also there is an apple orchard, of about 500 young choice fruit trees: One other tract containing 200 acres, lying on both sides of Buffalow Creek, on the same road as the other tract it is well adapted to the culture of Corn, Cotton, Wheat &c. And on which is a new Grist and Saw Mill.

CHARLES KING.
September, 10 1818. 39-d.

COMMITTED

TO the Jail of Orange County, N. C. on the 9th of this inst. a Negro man about 38 years old, six feet high of dark complexion, says he belongs to Mr. Allen Green of South-Carolina. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away.

WILLIAM H. ADAMS, Jailor.
Hillsborough, Sept 15, 1818. 39-3w.

THE Synod of North-Carolina will meet at Fayetteville, on Thursday the first day of October next. At the same time and place will also be held the Annual Meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary Society, of North-Carolina. A revision of the Constitution of this Society is contemplated: a full meeting is therefore desirable.

Raleigh, Sept. 23, 1818.

CONFECTIONARY.

DAVID SHAW, Confectioner from Glasgow, in Scotland, has commenced a Manufactory of Confectionary &c. &c. in Raleigh, on Fayetteville Street, nearly opposite the Star and Minerva Printing Offices, where he intends carrying on that business in all its branches and to that extent which the demand may appear to require both wholesale and retail. Those who purchase by wholesale will be furnished at the Petersburg wholesale prices, and as the Advertiser learnt his business with one of the first Confectioners in Glasgow, he has no hesitation in answering those who may favour him with their custom that his goods will be equal in quality to anything of the kind made in the United States.

Orders from the different Towns throughout this State, or elsewhere, will be thankfully and carefully attended to, and should any article not meet the expectations of those who may have ordered it, if returned in the course of one month in like good order as when sent off, it will be received and the purchase money returned.

N. B. The Advertiser is a nephew of mine, in whose success I feel a deep interest as a connection, in order therefore to do away any want of confidence which might exist from his being a stranger, as far as my word can aid him, I pledge myself that what he promises in the above Advertisement will be faithfully performed.

WILLIAM SHAW.
September, 26 1818. 40-3w.

HINTON & BRAME,

ARE now receiving by the Ships Indian Chief, Virginia & Selpio, from Liverpool, and the Sisters from London, a very large and General Assortment of seasonable British Dry Goods, Hardware & Cutlery—also from New-York an excellent supply of Silks, Fancy Articles, &c. &c. &c. which are offered on liberal terms.

Their friends and the public are respectfully invited, to call and view them, on Sycamore Street Petersburg Virginia.

September 11, 1818. 39-3w.

NOTICE.

ON Monday the 26th of October, 1818, will be sold as the law directs, at Nash Court-House, in the Town of Nashville, for to pay his prison charges, a certain negro man, who calls himself JOHN, and said he belonged to a Mr. John Wilson in South Carolina. John was committed to Gaol on the 24th of October, 1817. He is between forty and fifty years of age, yellow complexion, five feet seven inches high, marks [illegible] right arm with the letters U. S. S. C. and on the left arm with the letters P. B. H. C. He since says he is a free man, and calls himself John Wilson, and that he was raised in Philadelphia.

STERLING ANDERSON, Sheriff.
September 13, 1818. 39-4w.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
RANDOLPH COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1818.

Mary Ward, vs the Heirs and Executors of Benjamin Ward, Deceased.—Petition for Dower, &c.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Samuel Hole and Mary his wife, Defendants in this case, are not residents in this State. It is ordered that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Star, for the said Samuel and Mary to come in at the next Court to be held for this County on the first Monday in November next, and plead, answer or demur to said petition, or it will be taken pro confesso, and the prayer thereof decreed accordingly.

A Copy, JESSE HARPER, C. C. C.
39-6w.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
RANDOLPH COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1818.

Charles Smith, vs. Micajah Jackson.—Original Attachment.

It appearing to the Court that the Defendant in this case is not an inhabitant of this State. It is ordered that publication of this suit be made in the Raleigh Star, for the said defendant to appear at the next Court, to be held for said County on the first Monday of November next, and plead or judgement by default will be entered against him.

A Copy, JESSE HARPER, C. C. C.
39-3w.

N. CAROLINA STATE BANK,
September 22. 1818.

IN pursuance of a resolution of the Board on the 26th ult. to open Books of subscription for the unsubscribed Stock of this Bank on the 4th Monday of November next, Books will accordingly be opened on that day at the Principal Bank and its several Branches, during Bank hours, and kept open until Thursday the 3rd day of Dec. inclusive, and then closed, except the whole 4234 shares shall not then have been subscribed; in which case, as soon as the fact shall be ascertained, a Book will be kept open at the Principal Bank for ten days longer. And should an overplus number of Shares be subscribed for, the subscription will be scaled, by reducing the largest subscriptions, until the number correspond with the shares to be disposed of. Subscribers must appear personally, as no Proxies will be received.

The Terms of payment are, one fourth at the time of subscribing, in Specie, State Bank Notes, or such other Notes as the Bank is in the habit of receiving; one fourth in three months, one fourth in 6 months, and the remaining fourth in twelve months.

The Shares being subscribed for at par (though their correct value is much higher) the holders of the Shares now disposed of, will not be entitled to dividends, until the one which shall fall due after December 1820.

WM. H. HAYWOOD, Cashier.

COMMITTED to the jail of Wake County, a negro man, about 45 or 50 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, who says his name is Jacob, and that he belongs to John Williams, of Cumberland County. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

ROBT. PARSLEY, Sheriff.
September 23, 1818. 39-3w.

POETICAL

TO PLEASURE.

Oh Pleasure! I have fondly woo'd,
But never won thy fleeting favour;
My early suit was wild and rude,
And, startled, thou didst fly forever.

A while, I deeply sorrowed o'er
The wreck of all that perish'd then;
But wilder, sweeter than before,
Thy smile though distant beam'd again.

And, my sad heart, tho' deeply chill'd,
Still panting sought thy lov'd embrace,
Trac'd every path, thy votaries fill'd,
To meet thee in thy Resting Place.

I saw thee mantling warm in wine,
And deeply bath'd my fever'd lip;
I saw thee pause at beauty's shrine,
And surely hop'd thy sweets to sip.

But wine and beauty both conspir'd
To fill my soul with dark regret;
For scarcely now, their sweets expir'd,
And pleasure, fleeting, 'scaped me yet.

And now;—with scarce a feeling warm,
When all should bloom in hearts unwasted
I turn me, from thy lovely form,
Thy joys unknown, thy sweets untasted.

Then fare thee well, deceitful shade!
Tho' bright the charms that still adorn thee
Too fondly press'd, they withering fade,
And all who follow, soon must scorn thee.