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**Notice.**  
 ON Friday the 18th of June next at the Court-House in  
 Raleigh a general meeting of the stockholders of the  
 North-Carolina Canal and Navigation Company is hereby  
 required. The success of the work already done, together  
 with the vigorous measures now adopted to complete this  
 important undertaking through the coming season, makes it  
 necessary that the personal attendance of every stockholder  
 should be had at that time. This necessity will be obvious,  
 when they are informed that at that time some officers are  
 to be chosen for the ensuing year, and the completion of this  
 valuable undertaking, in my opinion entirely dependent on the  
 judicious selection of these officers. J. WILSON, Pres.  
 Raleigh, May 12, 1819.

**For Sale,**  
 FIFTY SHARES of Northern Bank Stock. For terms,  
 &c. enquire of the  
 May 12, 1819. EDITOR.

**Public sale.**  
 ON Tuesday the 27th day of July next, will be offered for  
 sale at public auction,  
 One hundred LOTS, in the Town of  
**BLAKELEY,**

North East side of Peele River, Montgomery County, N. C.  
 This town is situated at the head of navigable water below  
 the Great Falls or narrows. A passage will form a commu-  
 nication with the navigable water of the river above the falls.  
 The improvements now in operation, will, in a short time, ope-  
 n a navigation for boats of ten to fifteen tons burthen, from  
 Wilkesborough to the head of the falls, on the Ya kin, and  
 from Blakeley to the head of Steam Boat navigation on the  
 Peele. By these improvements the trade of the western  
 counties will be concentrated at Blakeley, which must secure  
 to that place a permanent and extensive business. Its local  
 advantages will be readily perceived and appreciated by  
 those who may visit the place.  
 Terms of sale—A credit of 12 and 18 months will be giv-  
 en, purchasers giving bonds with approved securities.  
 J. LEVY, & Co. Auctioneers.  
 25-26

**NOTICE.**  
 ALL those indebted to the subscriber, are requested  
 to come forward and make immediate payment, as  
 no longer indulgence will be given. J. H. LANE.

**Wanted,**  
 TWO Journeymen to the Stage or Waggon-making busi-  
 ness, who can (by being recommended as sober and indus-  
 trious,) meet with liberal wages and constant employment.  
 M. C. WIAT' & Co.  
 Raleigh, April 7, 1819. 15-16

**For Sale,**  
 BETWEEN seven and eight hundred acres of land hand  
 somely situated, within two miles of the University of  
 North-Carolina, on Presswood and Lick Creeks. A good  
 proportion of this land is excellent low grounds. The whole  
 tract is well adapted to the culture of corn, wheat, tobacco  
 or cotton. This tract of land could be divided for the accom-  
 modation of purchasers, as it contains two plantations, which  
 are in good repair for farming, a dwelling house and all ne-  
 cessary out houses, a cotton machine and whiskey distillery.—  
 As it is presumed the purchaser would wish to view the pre-  
 mises, those inclined to purchase are respectfully invited to  
 call and see me. A great bargain may be had by an early  
 application. JARRATT YEARGIN  
 February 24, 1819 20-1

**Public sale.**  
 THE subscriber intending to remove from Raleigh, as soon  
 as he can arrange his unsettled business, will sell without  
 reserve, at public auction, on the premises on Saturday the  
 24th of July next, that valuable lot of ground and dwelling  
 house where he now resides, formerly occupied by Lewis  
 Haulman. On this lot there is a good house, containing four  
 convenient rooms, with a spacious parlor and good cellar, a  
 well of excellent water, and a garden well laid out, rich and  
 productive. The house might, with a trifling expense, be  
 made a commodious boarding house, or tavern, for either of  
 which it is as eligible situated as any in the place, being near  
 the Market-House, and on the main street leading from  
 thence to the south eastern part of the state, and to Stone's  
 Mills, the present head of navigation, and consequently has  
 the greatest prospect of rapid and valuable improvement of  
 any part of Raleigh. Persons wishing an advantageous situa-  
 tion of the kind, will do well to view the premises before  
 the day of sale, at which time the terms will be made known.  
 JOEL BROWN.  
 BOSS & PARSELEY, Auctioneers,  
 Raleigh, June 24, 1819. 26-12

**Ice-Creams,**  
 CAN be had at the house of the subscriber,  
 on Monday, the 17th inst. and every day  
 following, from ten o'clock in the morning, un-  
 til ten in the Evening. Also, Ice by the bushel  
 or pound. SUSANNA SCHAUB.  
 Raleigh, May 13, 1819. 20-11

**BUFFALO SPRINGS,**  
 Mecklenburg County, Virginia.  
 THE subscriber begs leave to inform her friends and the  
 public, that she intends keeping a HOUSE OF ENTER-  
 TAINMENT at this desirable watering place, the ensuing  
 summer. Considerable secession of house-room has been  
 made to this establishment since the last summer, with which  
 and her efforts to please, she doubts not of giving general sa-  
 tisfaction to all who visit those springs, whether for the bene-  
 fit of the water, or for the enjoyment of society.—The efflu-  
 ent of these waters, in most diseases, is so generally known,  
 that it is deemed unnecessary to say anything on the subject.  
 ELIZABETH SPEED.  
 24-1

**A Hint!**  
 THE Gentleman who took from Mr. Combs's shop the 1st  
 Volume, of the Preceptor, will oblige me by returning  
 it. But if he is determined to save me the expense of hav-  
 ing them bound, as I intended, let him call and take the o-  
 ther Volume, as they are valuable books and nearly out of  
 print, it is a pity the set should be broken. I also wish to  
 remind those who have borrowed books of me and forgot-  
 ten to return them, that it would be well to do so now, when  
 their whole sets, or odd volumes, they will please send them  
 to the store immediately lest they again forget.  
 ROBT. PARSELEY.  
 June 21, 1819. 26-11

**100 Dollars Reward.**  
 WILL be given for the apprehension and delivery of  
 WILLIAM JOHNSON, who broke from the jail of  
 Raleigh, on the night of the 3d inst. Said Johnson is  
 about six feet high, large stature, black hair and black eyes,  
 complexion fair from long confinement.  
 AARON B. PUCKETT, Deputy Sheriff,  
 Sheriff's Sale.

**ON** Wednesday the 11th day of August  
 next, at the Court-House in Rockford,  
 Surry County, the following tracts of LAND  
 will be sold, or as much thereof as will pay the  
 taxes due thereon, for the year 1817, with costs  
 viz:  
 300 acres given in by John Chessor, adjoining  
 Reuben Bryan.  
 100 acres given in by James Morgan, ad-  
 joining John M. Smith.  
 150 acres given in by William Sparks, ad-  
 joining Samuel Johnson.  
 50 acres given in by Miry Gentry, adjoining  
 deep creek waters.  
 450 acres given in by Stephen Fitzgerald, ad-  
 joining George D. Halcumb.  
 100 acres given in by Polly Griffin, adjoining  
 Jeremiah Early.  
 100 acres given in by John Holder, adjoining  
 James M. Crow.  
 100 acres given in by Willis Holder, adjoining  
 James McCraw.  
 50 acres given in by John Vanderpool, ad-  
 joining Josiah Vanderpool.  
 300 acres given in by Bailey Corder, adjoining  
 Rachel Morton.  
 100 acres given in by Abram Hawks, adjoining  
 H. H. Snow.  
 151 acres given in by Richard Benson, adjoining  
 Akillis Key.  
 82 acres given in by George Ball, adjoining  
 Samuel Speer.  
 160 acres given in by widow Preston, adjoining  
 Samuel Johnson.  
 1500 acres given in by James L. Crawford,  
 adjoining Isaac Wooten.  
 16,000 acres given in by Jesse Lester's heirs,  
 adjoining Joseph Williams jr.  
 610 acres given in by Jesse Lester's heirs, ad-  
 joining Jonathan Dalton.  
 400 acres given in by Jesse Lester's heirs,  
 adjoining Burgess Williams.  
 JOHN WRIGHT, Sheriff.  
 June 7.



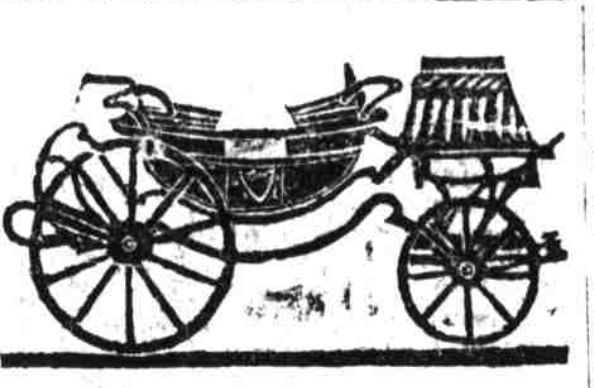
**WINDSOR CHAIR MANUFACTORY.**  
 THE Subscriber informs the Citizens of Raleigh and its  
 vicinity that he shall continue to carry on the above busi-  
 ness, during his stay in this place. Those wishing to supply  
 themselves with the above, will do well to call at his shop,  
 few doors east of the Market-House at the sign of Figure  
 Hope, as I am determined to sell 'em for cash or country pro-  
 duce. I also will turn columns for porches or porches in the  
 neatest and most approved style at a short notice.—A sample  
 of my work may be seen in Dr. Burgess's new porches, and  
 at my shop at this time.  
 JOEL BROWN.  
 June 24, 1819 26-11

**Hillsborough Academy.**  
 AS the preparatory school at the University of this state,  
 has at the late examination wholly ceased, in conse-  
 quence of the declension of the Rev. Abner W. Clapton, to  
 continue any longer in the business of that school. The Fac-  
 ulty have entered into an understanding with the Reverend  
 John Witherspoon, superintendent of the Hillsborough Aca-  
 demy, and with Mr. Rogers its principal teacher, in con-  
 currence with its Trustees, in consequence of which this Aca-  
 demy will be hereafter considered as a preparatory school to  
 the University. In pursuance of this arrangement after the  
 public examination of the University was completed, the Fac-  
 ulty proceeded to Hillsborough to attend the annual exami-  
 nation of the Academy, agreeably to previous appointment.  
 The examination began on the 13th of June, and was finish-  
 ed on the following day.  
 The number of students in the Academy at this time is  
 fifty four.  
 The public examinations of the Hillsborough Academy,  
 will hereafter be conducted in the presence of the faculty of  
 the University as being under their immediate care, jointly  
 with the Rev. Mr. Witherspoon. Their sessions will close,  
 and their examinations will take place contemporaneously.—  
 The plan of education is precisely the same; that of the Aca-  
 demy being modelled by the Faculty, expressly to qualify its  
 students for the classes of the University. As the faculty  
 will be present at the successive examinations of a student  
 in this Academy, and participate in the formation of the re-  
 ports, such youth as pass regular and approved examinations  
 on the course of studies here, will not be called to renewed  
 examinations on the same subjects when they wish to enter  
 the University; but will be admitted into the classes for  
 which they shall appear to be qualified by the examinations  
 of the Academy. The youth who shall be placed at Hills-  
 borough to commence their education, will not only enjoy  
 these advantages, but the benefits of a healthy situation; of  
 an enlightened and polished society; of boarding in good fa-  
 milies upon the most moderate terms; and of being called to  
 a regular attendance on religious instruction and public  
 worship.  
 The Faculty in their visit at this time, have had much sa-  
 tisfaction in witnessing the order, and sobriety both in  
 scholarship and manners, to which this school has been for-  
 med by its present managers. Its Trustees have given evi-  
 dence of practical wisdom, in their appointments to the of-  
 fices of the school, and in the trust which they have after-  
 wards reposed in unembarrassed and sound discretion of  
 those to whom the business of the Academy has been com-  
 mitted.  
 JOSEPH CALDWELL.  
 June 20, 1819. 26-4w  
 N. B. The exercises at this institution will be resumed  
 on the first Monday in July.

**A HACK,** pair of horses and a careful Driver for hire  
 Also, a Gunboat and single burr.  
 WILLIAM SHAW.

**State of North-Carolina,**  
 Anson County.  
 Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, April  
 Term, 1819.  
 John MacRae, vs John McNeill.—Attachment levied on  
 one hundred acres of land lying near John W. MacRae's  
 I appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that John  
 McNeill the defendant, is not an inhabitant of this State  
 it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Ra-  
 leigh Star for three months, that the said defendant appear  
 at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held  
 for the county of Anson on the second Monday in July next  
 at the Court-House in Wadesboro', then and there to plead  
 his answer or demurrer, otherwise the same will be taken pro-  
 confesso and heard ex parte.  
 Test, TOD ROBINSON, Clerk.  
 April 25, 1819. 19-6w

**State of North-Carolina,**  
 Edgecombe County.  
 Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, February  
 Term, 1819.  
 Constant Askew, vs Eli Askew, Polly wife of Thomas Har-  
 ris, Fines Askew, William Askew, the children and heirs  
 at law of Isaac Askew, dec. and Abner Askew, James  
 Askew, Betty wife of ———— Emogene and Cecily wife of  
 Travis Emogene, Benjamin Askew, the children and heirs  
 at law of David Askew, dec. and Sally wife of Lawrence  
 Page.—Partition of Dower.  
 I appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defend-  
 ants Eli Askew, Polly wife of Thomas Harris, William  
 Askew, Lawrence and Sally Page, are not inhabitants of this  
 State.—It is therefore ordered that publication be made in  
 the Raleigh Star for three months, that unless they appear at  
 the next court to be held for said county, at the court-house  
 in Tarborough, on the fourth Monday of May next, and  
 answer to the said petition, the same will be taken pro-  
 confesso and heard ex parte as to them.  
 Test, E. HALL, C. C.  
 May 6, 1819. 20-3m



**THOMAS COBBS,**  
 COACH-MAKER, RALEIGH, N. C.  
 HAS employed from the City of New York, New-Jersey,  
 & New-York, a number of first rate work-men, of the  
 several branches of his business—viz: Boddy-Making, Carri-  
 age-making, Trimming, painting Smith's, &c. who have been  
 carefully selected by his friend in New-Jersey. He has also  
 received from the Cities of New-York and Philadelphia, a  
 large & extensive Stock of the best and most fashionable mate-  
 rials.  
 He is grateful for the very liberal encouragement he has al-  
 ready received, & hopes from his assiduity & attention to his  
 business, to merit a continuance of their favours. Carriages  
 of any description, or price, can be had at a short notice.  
 Orders from any part of the Continent are solicited.  
 For ferre for excellence and elegance of his work, and  
 the cheapness of the advertiser, is made to his numerous ac-  
 quaintances in this and the neighboring States.  
 Raleigh, February 17, 1819. 8-cowt.

**Notice.**  
 THE subscriber has received his supply of Spring Goods.  
 His assortment is very general, consisting of staple and  
 fancy articles, tools and materials suitable for the different  
 mechanical professions, a neat assortment of Ladies', Gentle-  
 men's and Children's Shoes and Bootes, and most kinds of  
 Groceries, (spirits excepted) & bar iron. He wishes to sell  
 his goods for cash, or on credit to his punctual friends, as  
 cheap as any of his neighbors, and will be thankful for encou-  
 ragement.  
 WILLIAM PECK.  
 Raleigh, May 14, 1819. 20-3m  
 P. S. Those in arrears are respectfully informed that with-  
 out collections my business must be very seriously affected.  
 W. P.

**RUNAWAY,**  
 FROM the Subscriber, on Tuesday the 11th instant,  
 in Franklin county, a negro man named JIM, about  
 23 years of age, stout and well made, of a dark yellow  
 complexion, has been shot with small shot, one of which  
 effected his heel string so as to lame him slightly. Said  
 Negro was raised in Gates county, N. C. and was pur-  
 chased from Mr. Elisha Bonds of that County last Sep-  
 tember by Mr. Woods of Elbert county, Geo. I will  
 give twenty dollars for his apprehension and confinement  
 in any jail in the State, so that I get him again, or  
 forty dollars for his delivery in Raleigh Jail, or I will  
 give one hundred dollars for his delivery to me in Ek-  
 sington, Geo. to which place any information respecting  
 him must be directed.  
 JERU HALL.  
 May 20, 1819. 21-9w-1d

**State of North-Carolina,**  
 Bill County.  
 Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May  
 Term, 1819.  
 Hadness Van Noorden, vs. Reuben Speir.—Original at-  
 tachments levied on the land and plantation where Robert  
 Speir lived, and his property.  
 I appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the  
 Defendant John Baldwin is not a resident of this State.  
 Therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made  
 for three months in the Raleigh Star, that unless he appear  
 at the next Superior Court of Law to be held for Rich-  
 mond County, at Rockingham on the 3rd Monday of September next,  
 and reply, plead, be final judgment will be taken against  
 him. Given under my hand at Rockingham the 6th June,  
 1819.  
 B. H. COYINGTON, C. S. C.  
 June 20, 1819. 25-3t

**State of North-Carolina,**  
 Richmond County.  
 Superior Court of Law, March Term 1819.  
 John Morrison, vs John Baldwin.—Original Attachment  
 I appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the  
 Defendant John Baldwin is not a resident of this State.  
 Therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made  
 for three months in the Raleigh Star, that unless he appear  
 at the next Superior Court of Law to be held for Rich-  
 mond County, at Rockingham on the 3rd Monday of September next,  
 and reply, plead, be final judgment will be taken against  
 him. Given under my hand at Rockingham the 6th June,  
 1819.  
 B. H. COYINGTON, C. S. C.  
 June 20, 1819. 25-3t

**State of North-Carolina,**  
 Edgecombe County.  
 Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, February  
 Term 1819.  
 David Dickerson, vs. George W. D. Sergeant.—Original at-  
 tachment levied, &c.  
 I appearing to the satisfaction of the court that George W.  
 D. Sergeant is not a resident of this State.—It is therefore  
 ordered that publication be made in the Raleigh Star, for 3 months  
 unless the said George W. D. Sergeant do appear at  
 our next court to be held for said county, at the Court House  
 in Tarborough, on the fourth Monday of May next, and re-  
 ply, final judgment will be entered against him.  
 Test, E. HALL, C. C.  
 May 8, 1819. 20-3m

**MISCELLANY.**  
 The following is the prospectus of a New Paper edit-  
 ed by a very eminent Divine M. S. S. Beman at Mt.  
 Zion in Georgia. We recommend the paper as worthy  
 of patronage.

**PROSPECTUS OF THE MISSIONARY.**  
 The present period is peculiarly auspicious  
 for the diffusion of knowledge, & for the execu-  
 tion of every benevolent purpose. Within a  
 few years, the aspect of things has wonderfully  
 changed for the better. But a short time since,  
 the civilized world was clad in armour, and a  
 considerable portion of the earth presented one  
 extended field of conflict and blood! These  
 events furnished employment for the press, and  
 entertainment and instruction to the reader.  
 But these days have gone by. The world is  
 now the theatre of benevolence, rather than the  
 field of valour. The yoke of war is, in a mea-  
 sure, hushed; and the ingenuity of man is now  
 employed, and his energies are executing, plans  
 for the extension of human happiness, and the  
 mitigation of human distress. The Christian  
 Philanthropist, with calm deliberation and in-  
 extinguishable ardour, has fixed his eye upon  
 his grand object—the promulgation of the gos-  
 pel and the regeneration of the world. The  
 publicity of other news, has furnished wonderful  
 facilities for the diffusion of religious intelli-  
 gence. The press, is, at the present day, more  
 than at any former period, enlisted on the side  
 of the gospel; and this mighty engine of benevo-  
 lence or of mischief, is now exerting a prodig-  
 ious influence in favor of that cause which  
 swelled the angelic bosoms with the anthem of  
 "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth  
 peace, good will toward men." To say nothing  
 of the Religious Magazines, which, in different  
 parts of the Christian world, are executed with  
 talents and read with approbation; not to dwell  
 upon the fact that unnumbered millions of  
 Evangelical Tracts are continually issuing from  
 the press, and flying as the messengers of sal-  
 vation, in every direction, it is a circumstance  
 worthy of particular notice, that there are now  
 published and circulated in the United States,  
 between ten & twenty Religious News-Papers.  
 The influence of these publications on the mor-  
 als and happiness of the community, and their  
 bearings upon the vital interests of Zion, tran-  
 scend all human calculation. Eternity alone  
 can fix a just estimate upon a single publication,  
 whose tendency is, by the instrumentality of  
 heavenly truth, to make mankind virtuous and  
 happy.

The peculiar features which characterize the  
 efforts of the present day for the spread of the  
 gospel and the conversion of the world, are the  
 truly Catholic and Christian principles which  
 mark their origin and prosecution. We behold,  
 in these efforts, not the raging and restless hos-  
 tility of one party in the Christian Church  
 against another, but an enterprise in which all  
 Christendom has embarked. The cross of  
 Christ is the rallying point—the propitiary vic-  
 tim who once bled upon it, is the Captain of  
 Salvation—the only enemies to be exterminated  
 are sin and misery—the love which pervades  
 every bosom and nerves every arm in these con-  
 secrated ranks, is unquenchable as the fires of  
 Heaven—the motto is "conquest or death"—  
 and the anticipated song of victory, "worthy  
 is the Lamb that was slain."  
 To the promotion of this cause, THE MIS-  
 SIONARY will be sacredly devoted.  
 This paper will be principally, though not ex-  
 clusively, the vehicle of Religious News. The  
 reports of various charitable societies; the in-  
 teresting transactions of Baptist Associations,  
 Methodist and Presbyterian Synods; revivals  
 of Religion among the different denominations  
 of Christians; the histories of the origin, pro-  
 gress and success of Missionary Societies and  
 labours in Europe, Asia, Africa and America;  
 together with occasional Reviews of recent pub-  
 lications, and Essays, Moral and Religious  
 will constitute the materials with which we  
 shall fill and enrich the columns of the Mission-  
 ary. The paper will likewise contain a sum-  
 mary of Foreign and Domestic News; but on  
 subjects purely political, we shall state facts,  
 without epithet, or note, or comment.  
 THE EDITORS.  
 CHARLESTON, June 14.  
 Justice enlightened by starvation.—In a civil  
 suit now pending in this city, the jury retired  
 to make up their verdict on Saturday evening  
 at 7 o'clock. They are still confined, having  
 remained already a period of near seventy  
 hours. The problem is about to be solved, what  
 connexion subsists between a man's stomach  
 and his opinions. This process is certainly  
 calculated to make the body lean, if not the un-  
 derstanding. We expect to see some of these  
 gentlemen reduced to the circumference of