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*Chair-makers, House and Sign Painters*  
RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public in general, that they have commenced the above business in all its various branches. Their work shall be executed in a style equal, if not superior, to any done in this part of the State. Those wishing to purchase can call and judge for themselves, at the shop next door to Messrs. Savage and Leaman's.  
Raleigh, February 18, 1820.  
One or two apprentices will be taken to the above business.

**Advantageous Opportunity.**  
FOR a person who is desirous of improving his mind, and increasing his stock of information, by establishing himself with, or engaging in his employment, a man that is well acquainted with the mercantile world generally—who has transacted business in the capacities of Clerk and principal, both in town and country: the services of a person thus qualified could be engaged on very reasonable terms.  
Country Produce—all kinds of Domestic and Foreign Goods, and the duties of emptying House are familiar to the Subscriber.  
Satisfactory references can be given for his capacity and integrity. A line from any part of this, or the adjoining States, through the medium of the Post Office, addressed to A. A. Leigh, N. C. will be promptly attended to.  
September 8, 1820.

**State of North-Carolina,**  
*Granville County.*  
August Court, A. D. 1820.  
Parsley vs. Kenneth Gillis—Original attachment levied on all the right and title of the defendant to a Tract of land lying on the south side of Flat Creek, adjoining the lands of Philip Bishop and Pleasant Rowland, being the tract that was sold by Reuben Ragland, dec'd to Leonard Ragland.  
Appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant is not an inhabitant of this State: It is ordered that publication be made for three months in the Raleigh Star, that unless the defendant appears at our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the county of Granville, at the Court-House in Oxford, on the first Monday of November next, reply, plead to issue, or demand judgment by default will be entered against him.  
Witness, Stephen K. Sneed, Clerk of our said Court at Oxford, the first Monday of August, A. D. 1820.  
STEP. K. SNEED, Clk.  
3ms price adv. \$5 75.

**State of North-Carolina,**  
*Johnston County.*  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1820.  
Byrd vs. The Administrators and heirs at law of Rebecca Byrd dec'd—Petition for distributive share of dec'd's Personal estate.  
Appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Rebecca Byrd was the Administrator of the estate of said dec'd.  
The estate of dec'd, leaving children, names unknown, Deceased and others are not residents of this County. Ordered therefore that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for three months from the first Monday of November next, then and there show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petition shall not be granted, and judgment awarded.  
By SANDERS, Clk.  
3ms price adv. \$4 75.

**Warrenton Academy.**  
HAVING been engaged for the last six years in different parts of this State, and they understand, has always given satisfaction to those who have entrusted their children to his care—His character as a good disciplinarian is exceeded by none, which is deemed a great recommendation.  
His engagements depending chiefly on the success of the academy, the arrangements of it will be given up to as far as will comport with the duty of the Trustees. They can with confidence recommend this Institution to the attention of parents and guardians generally the buildings attached to the academy will be occupied by Mr. Freeman, who will board such students as wish to live with him, on the customary terms.  
The exercises will be commenced under his care on the 1st of January next.  
Fees of tuition will remain as hitherto.  
By order of the Board.  
GEORGE ANDERSON Sec'y.  
Warrenton, Sept. 13, 1820—40 or 50 lines.

**State of North-Carolina,**  
*Johnston County.*  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1820.  
Stevens, John Farmer and others, vs. the Real Estate of Harry Powell, dec'd.—Petition for division of land.  
Appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the said Harry Powell is not a resident of this State: It is ordered that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Star for the said Stephen Powell to appear at the Court-House in Smithfield, on the 4th Monday of November next, and there show cause if any he has, wherefore the prayer of said petition shall not be granted and writ of division issue accordingly.  
By order of the Court.  
RM. SANDERS, Clk.  
7-6ts. price adv. \$3 62 1-2.

**Marion Academy.**  
TEACHERS qualified to teach the Latin and Greek languages, Geography, English Grammar, arithmetic &c. is wanted to take charge of this institution for the ensuing year, on the 1st of January next. A salary of six hundred dollars per annum will be given—Persons desirous of obtaining this situation are requested to address the subscriber. Testimonials of good Moral character and qualifications as a Teacher will be required; none need to apply without. Should there be suitable applications by the 7th of November, election will be held on that day by the Board of Trustees.  
C. MAYNARD, Pres't.  
of the Board of Trustees.  
Marion Court-House, September 8, 1820. 39-6ts.

**State of North-Carolina,**  
*Granville County.*  
August Court, A. D. 1820.  
Samuel Goodwin and Susan Schaub, vs. Kenneth Gillis—Original attachment, levied on all the right and title of the defendant to a tract of land, lying on the south side of Flat Creek, adjoining the lands of Philip Bishop and Pleasant Rowland, being the tract that was sold by Reuben Ragland, dec'd to Leonard Ragland.  
Appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant is not an inhabitant of this State: It is ordered that publication be made for three months in the Raleigh Star, that unless the defendant appears at our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the county of Granville, at the Court-House in Oxford, on the first Monday of November next, reply, plead to issue, or demand judgment by default will be entered against him.  
Witness, Stephen K. Sneed, Clerk of our said Court at Oxford, the first Monday of August, A. D. 1820.  
STEP. K. SNEED, Clk.  
3ms price adv. \$5 75.

**Entertainment.**  
THE Subscriber returns his thanks for the share of patronage he has received from his friends, and the Public generally, since he has opened a public house in this place, and solicits a continuance and increase of the same. He has room for twelve or fourteen Members of the approaching Assembly: Also for transient and travelling gentlemen. No pains will be spared to please and render every thing comfortable. He will occupy his stand near the Market-House and will have negroes for sale during the session.  
WILLIAM W. BELL.  
September 28, 1820. 39 5ts

**Benj. S. King**  
CAN accommodate fifteen or twenty Members of the approaching General Assembly with Lodgings, at a moderate rate.  
September 28, 1820. 39 4ts

**A Negro Man**  
NAMED Gibson (or Caspary) runaway from me on the 24th of July. He is about 28 or thirty years of age, five feet ten or eleven in height, highly black, somewhat bow-legged, his face is longer and narrower than common, with a projecting forehead and chin. His eyes resemble an African's in redness, and sink deeper into his head than common; when frightened or angry, he starts, and it is believed that he has a small scar on some part of his face, and that there are some marks of the whip on his back. He is fond of spirits, and has followed the carpenter's trade. This fellow, I am informed, was purchased in May 1817, by Mr. Jeremiah Smith, of John G. Blount, Esq. of Beaufort, North-Carolina, as agent for Leonard Henderson, Esq. of Granville, to whom the negro belonged. It is expected that he will endeavor to reach Richmond, in Virginia, as he says he once belonged to a Mr. Mayo of that place.  
Should he be taken to Raleigh, he would be recognized by William Greenhaw, Esq. near that place. I am of opinion that this negro, if taken, will not own his rightful owner, or his own name. A liberal reward will be paid for securing said negro so that I get him.  
Whoever may take up this negro, or the jailor to whom he may be delivered, will please write immediately.  
REUBEN C. SHORTEN.  
Georgia, Jasper County, 14th Sept 1820. 38 4ts.

**Valuable lands for Sale.**  
A large tract of about one thousand acres of fine Land on Long Lake, Wayne County, to be let off in a body on either side of the Canal. These lands lie within twelve miles of Newbern are near the river, and in point of fertility undoubtedly equal to the best lands on Mattamuskeet or Lake Phelps. On the west side of the Canal 200 acres are already ditched into five forty acre squares, of which, one square has been deeded two years, the others about one year and about twenty acres are cut down. On the eastern side of the canal, 200 acres have been deeded about a year, but are not ditched into squares.  
Terms of payment will be made easy to any person disposed to purchase; the price will be low for such lands, and can be learned on application by letter or otherwise, to  
WILLIAM BLACKLEDGE.  
Newbern, Sept. 15, 1820. 39 3ts.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
WILL be sold at the Court-House door in Rockford, Wayne County, on Saturday the 2nd day of December next, the following tracts of LAND or so much thereof, as will pay the taxes due thereon for 1819, as specified for 1818, with costs of advertising:  
400 Acres of Abraham's estate, adjoining John Forkner do Robert Greed  
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102 do do do do do do do do do do  
2 Town Lots in Huntsville Enoch Poor's do Thomas D Kelly  
70 acres owners unknown do John Dobbins  
160 do of Preston's heirs do Samuel Johnson  
250 do of Stephen Paue do William Golding  
100 do of Sawyers do Nancy Priehard.  
JOHN WRIGHT, Sh'ff.  
Sept 25, 1820. 40-9t price adv. \$7 50

**Notice.**  
THE co-partnership of Wm H & JNO. C. Guy, was this day dissolved by consent of both parties. All persons having claims against said firm, will please present them for payment. Those indebted to said firm must come forward and settle immediately with John C. Guy; who is fully authorized to close the business of said firm.  
WM HENRY GUY.  
JOHN C. GUY.  
Johnston County, Smithfield, 2  
September 18th, 1820. 39

**Notice.**  
WHEREAS a number of the stockholders of the North Carolina, Catawba Navigation Company, have failed to pay the required instalments on their respective shares: Therefore it is notified such delinquents to settle all arrears with the Treasurer in Charlotte, on or before the 1st day of January next: otherwise the provisions of the charter will be enforced against them.  
ISAAC T. AVERY, Pres't of the N. C. Catawba Navigation Company

**North Carolina,**  
*Catawba Navigation Company.*  
NOTICE is hereby given, that the fourth instalment of ten dollars on each and every share of the Company's Stock is required to be paid to the Treasurer in Charlotte on or before the 1st day of January next.  
ISAAC T. AVERY Pres't  
Sept. 9, 1820. 39-4ts.

**Auction Sale**  
OF DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, UTILITY, TEA, CHINA, GLASS, EARTHEN WARE &c. &c.  
DURKIN, HENDERSON'S, & C.  
DESIROUS of closing their business, will offer the whole of their stock at auction, on Monday, the 23d of October next, amounting at cost, to upwards of  
TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.  
TERMS—Under \$100 Cash, 3 months, 300 to \$1000 6 months, 500 to 1000 9 months, 1000 to 1500 12 & 18 months.  
Approved bond with security, either in this State or North-Carolina.  
Sale to continue from day to day until all are disposed of.  
Petersburg, 2d September, 1820. 39-4ts.

**By the ships Virginia & Tobacco Plant,**  
WE ARE RECEIVING  
150 Packages well assorted FINE GOODS,  
Which we offer for sale on reasonable terms.  
LYNCH & CATHER  
Petersburg, Va. 2m.

**State of North-Carolina,**  
*Wake County.*  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1820.  
Thomas Cobbs, ex. &c. vs. John Evans—Original attachment levied on Lot in Raleigh.  
THE Defendant having removed out of the State, or conceals himself, that the ordinary process of Law cannot be served on him: It is therefore ordered by the Court, that advertisement be made in the Star for three months, that if the defendant does not come forward on or before the next term of this Court, to be held on the third Monday in November next, at the Court-house in Raleigh, and reply and plead, otherwise judgment final will be had, and the property condemned subject to plaintiff's recovery.  
B. S. KING, C. C.  
39-3ms price adv. \$4 75

**State of North-Carolina,**  
*Wake County.*  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1820.  
Thomas Cobbs, ex. &c. vs. John Evans—Original attachment levied on Lot of land in Raleigh.  
THE Defendant having removed out of the State, or conceals himself, that the ordinary process of Law cannot be served on him: It is therefore ordered by the Court that advertisement be made in the Star for three months that if the defendant does not come forward on or before the next term of this Court, to be held on the third Monday in November next, at the Court-house in Raleigh, and reply and plead, otherwise judgment final will be had, and the property condemned subject to plaintiff's recovery.  
B. S. KING, C. C.  
39 3ms price adv \$4 75.

**Warrenton Female Academy.**  
PUBLIC examination of the pupils in this seminary will commence on Monday the 13th day of November, and will be continued on the two succeeding days. It is confidently anticipated that much gratification will be afforded to those who are judges of and feel an interest in a well founded and systematic course of instruction: such as that afforded in this institution.  
At the close of the examination a Gold Medal will be publicly presented to one of the young Ladies, who has completed her education.  
Joseph Andrews, } Principals.  
Thomas J. Jones, }  
41-5ts

**A NUMBER OF WAGGONS, BOTH LARGE AND SMALL,**  
which they will dispose of cheap for cash, or on a short credit.  
YOUNG & TURNER.  
September, 20th 1820. 40-3w.

**TIMOLEON.**  
THIS noble animal will stand the next season at my Stage in Warrenton, North-Carolina, and from the appearance of his coat, I may safely say that he promises to be as celebrated for getting fine colts as he had been as a racer.  
DAVID DANCY  
October 3, 1820 41 3t

**Committed**  
TO the Jail of Orange county, three negroes, to wit: one man by the name of Jim, one woman by the name of Suky, and her child by the name of Phoeby. They say that they all belong to Richardson Finch of Rowan county, in this State, and that they ran away from him about three or four weeks ago. Jim is a fellow of dark complexion, five feet eight or nine inches high, and about thirty-five years of age, walks lame, owing, he says, to having his thigh broke when he was a boy. Suky is a small woman, of yellow complexion, about 23 years of age (from her appearance). Her child Phoeby is about 2 or 3 years of age. Suky says that she was purchased by the widow Heater, of Franklin county, about two or three years ago. The owner is requested to come forward, prove his property, pay charges and take them away.  
JAMES GLANCY, Jailor.  
Hillsborough, October 4, 1820. 41-3tp

**Five Cents reward.**  
PANAWAY leaves the subscriber's house, Polly Winters, a girl aged about 15 years. She had been bound to the subscriber, some years ago by the county court of Guilford. She is a worthy as far as this is concerned, and all persons from employing or harboring said girl, or the law will be put in force against such offenders. I will give the above reward for her delivery to me at my house, in Guilford county but no expenses will be paid, nor thanks given for her delivery.  
EZEKIEL DEWIS  
September 27, 1820. 41-3t

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
On the 25th day of November, 1820 at the Court-House in Halifax Town, will be exposed to public sale, for ready money, the following tracts and lots of Land, viz:  
1 Lot of land in Rockland, valued to \$1000 listed to Richard Carter.  
2 Lots of land in Rockland, valued to 2000 dollars, listed to Jess K. Strother.  
1 Lot of land in Rockland, valued to 50 dollars, listed to Henry Macklin.  
3 Lots of land in Rockland, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to do do do.  
1 Lot of land in Rockland, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Alexander Boyd, jr.  
1 Lot of land in Rockland, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Thomas Howell.  
1 Lot of land in Rockland, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to C. W. Hill.  
3 Lots of Land in Rockland, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Ann Hull, &c.  
60 Acres of land, not described, listed to W. Smith for Cunningham's heirs.  
455 Acres of land, not described, listed to Thos. B. Littlejohn.  
50 Acres of land, not described, listed to Randal Minton.  
70 do do do do do do Polly King.  
257 do do adjoining R. L. Marshall, Esq. and others, listed to Penelton B. Isbell.  
20 Acres of land adjoining Jas. Moore and others, listed to Francis Tate's orphans.  
300 acres of land adjoining Benjamin Kimbell and others, listed to Francis Tate's orphans.  
65 Acres of land adjoining James Moore and others, listed to Charles Marshall.  
128 Acres of land adjoining Wm. Sturdivant, listed to John Sturdivant.  
365 Acres of land adjoining Geo. P. Brock and others, listed to J. M. Nichols's orphans.  
400 Acres of land adjoining Benj. Kimbell and others, listed to Edward Maclean.  
102 Acres of land, adjoining I. Mathews, Esq. and others, listed to Nancy Matthews.  
50 Acres of land adjoining Arthur Cotton and others, listed to John Owen.  
279 acres of land adjoining Rockland g. listed to Richard Carter.  
311 Acres of land near Rockland, listed to Wm. J. Harwell.  
105 acres of land, near Rockland, listed to Wm. J. Harwell.  
117 Acres of land near Rockland, listed to Z. Charlin Hite.  
386 Acres of land adjoining Jas. Marshall and others, listed to do do do do do do do do do do.  
209 acres of land adjoining as Marshall, and others, listed to James Powell, senior.  
100 Acres of land not described, listed to John Jones.  
95 do do adjoining Penny Joiner and others, said to belong to John Smith.  
120 Acres adjoining James Barnes and others, said to belong to Henry D. Williamson.  
75 acres adjoining Geo. Pollock and others, said to belong to Henry D. Williamson.  
360 Acres adjoining Wm. H. Smith and others, said to belong to Christ. Morning's heirs.  
150 acres adjoining Ann Dry out and others, said to belong to do do do do do do do do do do.  
393 acres, adjoining Jos. Cotton and others, said to belong to Richard Harris.  
21 Acres, adjoining Jos. Cotton and others, said to belong to Narcissa Young.  
20 acres, adjoining Cullen McMullen and others, said to belong to Narcissa Young.  
450 Acres, adjoining Polly Bell and others, said to belong to Eli Joyner's heirs.  
100 Acres, adjoining Geo. Espnell and others, said to belong to Isham Hill.  
8 1/2 acres, adjoining Hardy Nevil, said to belong to Jas. Carter's heirs.  
One so much of the above lands &c as will pay the taxes due thereon for the year 1819, together with the costs of advertising.  
M. H. PUFFWAY, Sh'ff.  
Halifax 26th Sept 1820. 41 7t price adv \$14

**Ten Cents Reward**  
FOR a boy about sixteen years old well made, dark complexion, and a lot of a good deal of activity. We suppose him to be in the neighborhood of Fayetteville, or perhaps he may have gone to South-Carolina, where his mother lives.  
H. C. PLATT, C. C.  
Raleigh, Oct. 10 1820. 41 3t

**Entertainment**  
At the sign of the Keys in Raleigh.  
THE subscriber gives notice that he yet continues to keep a House of entertainment at his old stand, about one hundred yards west of the State-House, where he is provided to accommodate Members of the approaching Legislature, and all others that may favor him with their custom, on the most reasonable terms.  
JOSIAS DILLARD.  
October 12, 1820. 41-

**Five or six Members**  
General Assembly can be accommodated with private board and comfortable rooms, on moderate terms, if early application be made to  
ROBT. PARSLEY.  
Raleigh, October 13, 1820. 41:5t

**The Miss Pulliams**  
INFORM the Members of the ensuing General Assembly, that they will accommodate them as usual: and have other rooms provided, very convenient.  
Raleigh, October 11, 1820. 41-3t

**Education.**  
THE Rev. C. A. Hill, A. M. having resigned his station as principal of the Warrenton Male Academy, will continue his superintendance thereof, only to the end of the present session.  
He will open a private school in Warrenton on the first day of next January, at the same prices as heretofore. His arrangements are such that those entrusted to his charge will eat and lodge in the same house with his family. Very attention will be paid to the literary advancement and moral department of his pupils.  
He has been induced to this change from a public to a private seminary, because he believes it will be more beneficial to his pupils and more agreeable to himself. Grateful that this change meets with the almost unanimous approbation, sanction, and support of his present patrons in, and near Warrenton, he can but hope for the same from those more remote.  
September 16th, 1820. 33-cow. until the 1st Jan. 1821.