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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 Lands, viz:

4 Lots of Land in Rocklanding, valued to $800, listed to Jas. Sykes.

1 Lot of land in Rocklanding, valued to $1000 listed to Richard Carter.

2 tracts of land in Rocklanding, valued to 2000 dollars, listed to Jas K. Strother.

3 Lot of land in Rocklanding, valued to [illegible] dollars, listed to Henry Macklin.

4 Lots of land in Rocklanding, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Fairfax Banks.

1 Lot of land in Rocklanding, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Alexander Boyd, jr.

1 Lot of land in Rocklanding, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Thomas Howell.

1 Lot of land in Rocklanding, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to C W. Boid.

5 Lots of Land in Rocklanding, valued to 1000 dollars, listed to Wm. Bullock.

600 Acres of Land, not described, listed to W. Smith for Cunningham's heirs.

405 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 Polly King.

287 do do adjoining R. L. Marshall, Esq. and others, listed to Pendleton Bisbell.

429 Acres of land adjoining Jas. Moore and others, listed to Francis Tate's orphans.

500 Acres of land adjoining Benjamin Kimbell and others, listed to Frances Tate's orphans

265 Acres of land adjoining James Moore and others, listed to Charles Marshall.

158 Acres of land adjoining Wm. Sturdivant, listed to John Sturdivant.

365 Acres of land adjoining Geo. Pollock and others, listed to J. M. Nicholson's orphans.

400 Acres of land adjoining Benj. Kimbell and others, listed to Edmd Machin.

100 Acres of land, adjoining J. Mathews, Esq and others, listed to Nancy Matthews

50 Acres of land adjoining Arthur Cotton and others, listed to John Owen.

[illegible] Acres of land adjoining Rocklanding, listed to Richard Carter.

311 Acres of land near Rocklanding, listed to Wm. J. Barwell.

105 Acres of Land, near Rocklanding, listed to Wm J Barwell.

137 Acres of land near Rocklanding, listed to Zachariah Rice.

360 Acres of land, adjoining Jas. Marshall and others, listed to Matthew C. Turner.

580 Acres of land adjoining Jas. Marshall, and others, listed to James Powell, sen'r.

100 Acres of land not described, listed to John Scott.

[illegible] 95 do adjoinining Penny Joiner and others, said to belong to John Smith.

125 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

560 Acres, adjoining Wm R Smith and others, said to belong to Christ. Mooring's heirs

150 Acres adjoining Wm Bryant and others, said to belong to Dred Bradly

393 Acres, adjoining Jos Cotton and others, said to belong to Richard Harriss

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

400 Acres, adjoining Polly Bell and others, said to belong to Eli Joyner's heirs

[illegible] Acres, adjoining Geo Espnell and others, said to belong to Isham Sikes

8[illegible] Acres, adjoining Hardy Nevil, said to belong to Jas Carpenter's heirs

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. PETTWAY, Sh'ff

Halifax, 26th Sept 1820. 41-7t price adv $14

State of North-Carolina,
Wake County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1820.

Thomas Cobbs, ass. &c. vs. John Evans—Original attachment levied on Lot in Raleigh.

THE Defendant having removed out of the state, or so 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 replevy 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

Louisburg Female Academy.

THE semi-annual examination of the young Ladies of this Institution, will commence on Wednesday the 29th of November next, and close on the Thursday following, when parents, guardians, and others who feel an inclination to attend, are earnestly solicited to favour us with their Company.

R. A. TAYLOR, See'y.

Louisburg, N. C. 31st Oct. 1820. 44-2t.

Franklin Academy.

THE examination of the Students at this institution, will commence on Monday 27th of November next, and continue two days. Parents, Guardians, and friends to the Institution are respectfully invited to attend.

SAM'L JOHNSON, See'y.

29th October, 1820. 44-2ts.

Fifty Dollars reward,

IF caught out of the county of Rowan, and confined so that I get him; or twenty-five Dollars, if apprehended in Rowan, and confined so that I get him in Rowan county, Ranaway on the 21st of May, 1820, my Negro man, ANTHONY, twenty-two years of age, five feet seven or eight inches high, strong made and very dark complected—went away well clothed. I think he will aim for the eastern part of North-Carolina. Any person complying with the above advertisement shall be entitled to the above reward.

FRED. MILLER.

Living in Rowan County, 15 miles east of Salisbury, and 6 m's S. of Lexington. 44-tf.

7th Division—2d Order.

THE 2 Regiments of Wake will be reviewed in Brigade, as heretofore ordered by the senior officers commanding. The Wake troop of Cavalry are requested to muster with the Brigade.

The Major General will be absent from the State until returns are due; they will of course be made to the senior Brigadier General, Eli B. Whitaker, whose post-office is Enfield.

By Order,
CHAS. L. HINTON, } Aids-de-camp
ROBT. TURNER, }

October, 31, 1820. 2ts.

Notice.

IN pursuance of certain deeds of trust to the undersigned duly executed by Joel Altman, of the county of Wayne, for the purpose of securing the payment of certain debts therein named, I shall proceed to sell at the dwelling house of the said Joel Altman, five miles north-east of Waynesborough, on Friday the 24th day of November next, (for cash or such negotiable notes as the parties may think proper to receive,) all the lands owned by the said Altman, in the county of Wayne, supposed to contain about three thousand acres [illegible] cattle, twenty-five head of sheep, six hundred head of hogs, one set of blacksmith's tools, and six feather beds.

If the property is not all sold the first day, the sale will continue the next day until all is sold.

N. WASHINGTON, Trustee.

21st October, 1820. 44-4ts.

Notice.

IN pursuance of a deed of trust to the undersigned duly executed by Joel Altman of the county of Wayne, for the purpose of securing the payment of certain debts therein named, I shall proceed to sell for cash, at the Court-house in the town of Smithfield, on Tuesday the 28th day of November next, a tract of Land owned by the said Joel Altman, in the county of Johnston, on Mill creek, adjoining the lands of David, George, and Nathan Altman, containing four hundred acres.

N. WASHINGTON, Trustee.

21st October, 1820. 21-4ts.

Look Here!

THE subscriber has completed a large STABLE, about 100 feet long, and will keep horses at the moderate price of 40 cents per day. He has three lots; one for travellers, one for drovers, and one for the sick. He will keep horses for hire: also a good hack and careful driver, likewise gigs, &c. He pledges himself that horses entrusted to his care, shall be kept in the best manner; and would take 60 or 70 head during the ensuing Session. Horses that may be foundered or addicted to any other vice, can be cured by him as quick as by any other person in the state.

JONATHAN BUSBY.

N. B. I will board servants at 40 cents per day, and can take as many as 10 or 15 travellers. To those who know me, it would be useless to say more. I will not be liable for accidents of any kind; but great care shall be taken to prevent any.

Raleigh, Nov. 3, 1820. 44-3t.

State of North-Carolina,
Buncombe County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, October Term, 1820.

Benjamin King and Samuel King, Administrators of the Estate of Abraham Kaykendall, dec'd. vs William Metcalf—Original attachment.

Thomas Justice summoned as Garnishee.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant in this case is not a resident of this State: It is ordered that publication be made three weeks in the Raleigh Star, that unless the defendant appear at the next Term of this court, to be held at the Court House in Ashville, on the first Monday in January next, then and there plead, answer, &c. that judgment final will be taken against him.

Witness, John Miller, Clerk of our said Court, at office the first Monday after the fourth Monday in September, A. D. 1820.

JNO. MILLER, Clk.

44-3w. $5

Lost,

A FEW days since, in this City, the following judgments and notes, viz: One judgment on Demsey Blake, for $28 and 26 cents; two on John Moore, for $66 each, and one on col. Wm. Daniel, for $61 and 90 cents. Also, one note of hand on Jacob Sorrel and Brother, for $160, due next Christmas; one other on the same, amount not recollected, and some other small notes.

All persons are forwarned from trading for said judgments or notes, and any information relative to them will be thankfully received.

JAMES CURTIS.

November 3, 1820. 44-tf.

NOTICE.

I offer for sale, my possessions in Lincolnton, North-Carolina, consisting of six improved lots. The buildings thereon are convenient—The place would afford an excellent stand for a practising attorney. I would sell a part or all the lots, and give a liberal credit, or take in payment young negroes.

ROBT. H. BURTON.

Lincolnton, N. C. 16th Oct. 44-4ts.

Ten Dollars reward

FOR apprehending and delivering to us, twelve miles above Raleigh, on the Haywood road, GEORGE, a well known blacksmith, belonging to Massenburg's estate.—George went off on the 23d inst. and has probably gone to Franklin, where he has many acquaintances: of we will give five dollars if secured in any jail within the State, so that we get him again. We forwarn all persons from harbouring, or dealing with him, as we shall put the law in force against any such offenders.

H. C. WIATT, & Co.

October 30, 1820. 44-tf.

Ten Dollars Reward

FOR Gary Parish, an indented apprentice to the Stage and Waggon making business who is a boy about sixteen years old, well made, dark complection, and a lad 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.

The above reward will be given to any person who will deliver him to us, twelve miles west of Raleigh, on the Haywood road, or five dollars if secured in any Jail, within the state, so that we get him again. This is also to forwarn all persons from harboring or employing him, as the law will be put in force against any who shall thus offend.

H. C. WIATT, & Co.

Raleigh, Oct. 10, 1820. 44-tf.

A Teacher Wanted.

A TEACHER is wanted at the Leaksville Male Academy. A gentleman who can come recommended, will meet with liberal encouragement, by immediate application to R. GARLAND, Sec'y to the Board of Trustees.

Leaksville, Oct. 7, 1820. 43-tf.

BLANKS
For sale at this Office.

Just published, & for sale,
HENDERSON'S

ALMANACK,

FOR 1821.

THEY will be dispatched as soon as possible to the different parts of the State, and sold at the usual prices.

November 3, 1820.

Important Sale.

FOR SALE AT AUCTION.

BY Virtue of a deed of Trust, executed to us for certain purposes therein expressed, will be exposed to sale, on Monday the 11th day of December next, THAT VALUABLE LOT OF GROUND, IN THE CITY OF RALEIGH, WELL KNOWN BY THE NAME OF CASSO'S CORNER. It will be divided into Lots to suit the purchasers. The situation is known to be [illegible] Tavern, or Mercantile, or other public business. Terms will be accommodating and made known on the day of sale.

JAMES F. TAYLOR, } Trustees.
THOMAS P. DEVEREUX, }

Raleigh, Nov. 2, 1820. 44-tds.

STATE BANK OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
Raleigh, October 31, 1820.

IT will be recollected that owners of Shares in this Bank, subscribed December 1818, will be entitled to profit after the dividend to be declared next December, agreeable to the terms of the subscription. To the end, that the names of the subscribers for this new stock, or their assignees may be ascertained and entered on the Books of this Bank, the receipt of full payment of said shares should be forwarded to this Office immediately after the 15th of December next; when such receipts will be cancelled and certificates of Stock issued in the names of the real owners thereof. None but those who may have fully paid for the Stock on the 15th December next, will be entitled to share the profits of the Institution, or considered as Stockholders.

Published by order of the Board of Directors.

WM. BOYLAN, President.

44-7t.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE BANK.
Raleigh, Oct. 26, 1820.

AGREEABLY to the 2nd section of the Act incorporating the State Bank of North Carolina, an election of thirteen Directors of the Principal Bank is to take place annually on the first Monday in December. The Stockholders of the said Bank are therefore called upon to meet and hold said election, and to attend to such other business in relation to the general interests of the Institution as may be judged necessary, on Monday the 4th of December next, at 9 o'clock in the morning, at the Bank in Raleigh.

By order of the Board,

WM. H. HAYWOOD, Cashier

☞ Such Stockholders as cannot conveniently attend, will please to send their Proxies.

44-3w.

Stop the Thief.

$20 REWARD.

STOLEN from the subscriber on Saturday the 16th instant, from the Methodist Camp-Meeting Ground, Wake county, 5 miles south of Raleigh, on the main Stage Road leading south, a ROAN HORSE, he may be known by the following description: has a star in his forehead, work mane and tail, and has some saddle spots on his back—trots very fast in the gear, and an excellent saddle horse—he paces remarkable fast. He was stolen, as I am led to believe, by a Peter Thomas, who has been lurking about Raleigh for some time: from his own account, while in this place, he stated that his place of residence was at Fish-Dam Ford, Broad River, South Carolina. He was pursued as far as Fayetteville, where any further tidings of him could not be had; but I am apprehensive that he has either taken the road to Charleston, or Camden, S. C. Said Thomas is about 17 or 18 years of age; had on when he left the Camp Ground, a mixed homespun suit, and I believe his hair is a little inclined to be red.

The above reward and all expences will be paid to any person who will deliver the above horse to me in Raleigh, and twenty five dollars for the thief, with proof sufficient to convict him, of the theft.

RUFFIN TUCKER.

October 19, 1820. 42-4ts.

DOMESTIC.

THE AFRICAN SETTLEMENT.

WASHINGTON, OCT 27, 1820.

The Board of Managers of the American Colonization Society have to discharge a painful duty in laying before the Auxiliary Societies & the public, the distressing intelligence received from the coast of Africa. The following extract of a letter, from a correspondent in London, is the latest information obtained. Mr. Doughen's arrival (which may be daily expected) will give a more particular account of the nature and causes of the calamity:

Extract of a letter from a respectable gentleman in London, dated August 28, 1820.

"You will probably have heard, before the receipt of the present, of the fatal calamity which has been permitted to befall Mr. Bacon & most of his white companions on the coast of Africa, in their benevolent undertaking for the welfare of their fellow creatures. It is another of that class of Providential dispensations which repeats, with a loud voice, "be still; and know that I am GOD;" but which should never be permitted to discourage human efforts. Mr. James Doughen, the only survivor of the four, arrived here a few days since, from whom I learn that he addressed letters, about the sixteenth of May, to the Secretary of the Navy and to Mr. Caldwell,* (through the Governor of Sierra Leone,) relating the melancholy particulars. Having arrived on the coast of Africa, in the ship Elizabeth, on the 9th of March, Mr. Bacon purchased a schooner at Sierra Leone, in order to land the people and disembark the stores, &c. at Campelar, about 25 miles up the river Sherbro, with the design of remaining there till the rainy season was over, and then to proceed to the place which might be selected for the reception of recaptured negroes, &c. About the 20th of March they arrived at Campelar, and were engaged to the 5th of April in landing their articles; on that day Mr. Bankson and Mr. Crozier were taken ill on board the Elizabeth, and went in the schooner, on her last trip, to Campelar, where Mr. Crozier died on the 15th of April.

"Mr. Townsend, who was an officer of the ship of war, and commanded the schooner, died on the 16th. Mr. Bankson recovered at that time, but was afterwards carried off. Mr Doughen was taken ill about the 16th and Mr. Bacon the 17th. After remaining at Campelar nine days, in that state he was prevailed on to go to Sierra Leone, with Mr. Lefevre and Dr. Stormont, (two gentlemen from thence,) for medical aid but died on the passage, the 3d May, at Cape Shilling, an English settlement. Mr. Doughen left Campelar on the 9th June, at which time 15 out of 82 people of color had also died: the remainder were generally in health, though a part had been ill and recovered. Before Mr. Crozier's death, he appointed Mr. Coker, a mulatto, and one of the emigrants, as his deputy agent in case of his death; and before Mr. Doughen left the coast, a *palaver* had been held with the chiefs, from whom a grant of land had been obtained, and Mr. Coker's intention was to proceed with the people to a town called Mano, (which empties into the Bagro,) which had been offered them for shelter till their own buildings were erected. All Mr. Bacon's books and papers were left with Mr. Coker. Mr. Doughen's desire is to return, as speedily as possible, to the United States—and, as there are two ships to sail shortly for New York, (the Cincinatus and Criterion,) it is probable he will embark in one of them. Mr. D. being appointed by Mr. Bacon as architect under him, as government agent, it appeared proper that he should see Mr. Rush, the American ambassador, and acquaint him with all the circumstances: he has addressed a note to Mr. Rush on the subject, and I presume will be able to see him to-morrow."

At present we would request our friends not to be discouraged. The board lament the unfortunate issue of their first efforts; but they had no right to calculate upon the absence of those disasters and disappointments which attend all human affairs, and which are ordered or permitted to attend them for purposes, the wisdom and goodness of which, though we may not see, we cannot doubt. We lament, also, the loss sustained by the Society and our country, and the cause of humanity, in the deaths of those who so freely offered themselves in the service of God, and for the good of man, to toil, and suffering, and death. They have "entered into their rest, and their works do follow them," and we trust they have obtained "the prize of their high calling;" and their examples and their fate, we rejoice to know, instead of deterring has encouraged others to assume their posts. To these dispensations of the Almighty we bow in submission, and, at the same time, resolve to go on in the path of duty. Were we to stop now we lose all that has been done; and much, notwithstanding this disaster, has been done. We are not without a proper degree of consideration for the lives and comforts of those who are now again ready to adventure in our service; and, could we believe that the climate of the coast of Africa was such as to forbid all hope of settlement, we should be ready to abandon our purpose, and look elsewhere for a more safe asylum: but the circumstances that have occurred there do not in our judgment, any farther prove such a fact, than similar instances during the late season in our own country.

We think proper, also, to remark that, from the unforeseen detention of the Elizabeth, her arrival upon the coast was unseasonable. The rains were at hand, and no adequate provision, we think it probable, was made for the shelter and comfort of the people. The zeal and activity of the agents, in providing for this state of things, we have no doubt, increased their exposure and danger. Against all these disadvantages, we hope to be better able to guard for the future. It is also worthy of particular remark, that the mortality amongst our people should by no means be imputed to the situation selected for our settlement. On the contrary, we have every reason to presume that the fatal diseases were contracted by them either on board the vessels, to which they appear to have been a good deal confined on a sickly coast; or at such temporary abodes on the shore as were resorted to for shelter, until the necessary arrangements could be completed for obtaining a grant of the lands contemplated as the site of our intended settlements, and until fixed habitations could be there constructed, and they could draw around them the ordinary comforts of domestic life.

All this is the word of time, and our people appear, in this instance, to have met with unexpected delays. It must be obvious to the least reflection, what labors, what privations, and what exposure to all the worst influences of the climate, in its most unfavorable situation, the *first* adventurers must encounter who arrive, in the sickly season, with all this work before them; and how different must be the situation of their successors, who, upon their arrival, will find all the first difficulties conquered; and, immediately quitting the coast, may resort, at once to the hospitable abodes of friends prepared to receive them into the bosom of an organized society. We do, therefore expect a more full developement of the intelligence received from Africa, with the well-assured hope that it will not be found to justify any radical objection against our scheme of colonization; nor even to require any change in the site pro-

*These letters have not yet arrived.