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No advertisement inserted until it has been paid for, or its payment assumed by some person in this town, or its vicinity.

All letters to the editors must be post-paid, or they will not be attended to.

Watch Repairing, &c.

JAMES B. HAMPTON respectfully informs the public, that he occupies the old shop formerly owned by his father, on Mainstreet, a few doors south of the Court-House, Salisbury, where he is now prepared, with a good set of tools, to repair all kinds of

WATCHES & CLOCKS.

He assures all who may favor him with their custom, that their work shall be executed in as good a style as at any other shop in this part of the country. All kinds of old Jewels repaired, and some kinds made. Jobs of every description in his line of business, will be thankfully received, and executed on a short notice. People who reside at a distance, by sending, may depend on having their work as faithfully attended to and returned, as though they were present. Also, the old established Salisbury prices charged.
Salisbury, Aug. 13, 1822.

GROCERIES, &c.

The subscriber has just received a choice supply of GROCERIES, which he offers for sale on the most reasonable terms, or cash. Among them are: Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Rum, Rice, Figs, Raisins, Salt, & also, the usual supply of *Confectioneries*. Likewise, pint and half pint Bunchers.
THOMAS HOLMES.
June 16, 1822.—106

The Celebrated Horse
VAPOLON,
WILL stand the ensuing season at my plantation, seven miles west of Salisbury, at ten dollars the season, five dollars the single leap, and fifteen dollars for insurance. The season will commence the 15th of September, and end the last of November. Produce of all kinds will be taken in payment at the market price.
MICHAEL BROWN.
September 9, 1822.—6wt24

Jack, Don Pizarro.
FOR SALE, the celebrated Jack Don Pizarro. He will be seven years old next spring: is uncommonly large, and well formed, of great strength and vigor, and an excellent and sure foot-gaiter. Price, \$500.
JUNUS NEED.
Salisbury, N. C. Sept. 23, 1822.

Blind Horses.....cured.
The subscriber wishes to inform the citizens of the United States, that he has obtained a patent from the President of the United States for a new and useful discovery in the method of curing blindness in Horses. The manner of treatment is simple, and very easily performed. Numbers of people have given certificates of the great usefulness of this discovery, and others are ready to testify in the same way, should they be called on. The subscriber wishes it not to be understood, that horses whose eyes have become dead, can be brought to their sight again; but, in many cases, where they have been blind from one to seven years, by his method they have been restored to perfect sight, and ever after remained so.
Rights for States, or single counties, may be obtained by applying, either personally or by letter, to the subscriber, or his agent, in the town of Housville, Surry county, N. Carolina. A right for a single county will be sold at from \$25 to 100 dollars, proportioned to the population thereof.
JOSEPH SATER.
Surry county, N. C. Aug. 13, 1822. 3wt25

A Swindler.
A SHORT time since, a man by the name of George Cartwright, a journeyman shoemaker, commenced working with me, and after getting into my debt, absconded without paying. He went off with a journeyman tailor, by the name of Lemons. It is supposed he will make for Tennessee, by the way of Lincolnton and Morganton. The object of this notice is to put the public on their guard, and let the character of the man keep pace with himself.
ASA TOMPSON.
Concord, July 29, 1822.—67 11

Catawba Navigation
COMPANY.
The Stockholders of the Catawba Navigation Company, are required to pay the third installment on each share held by them; respectively, together with all arrearages, to Duncan Campbell, Esq. treasurer of the company. The stock of all those who shall fail to comply with the above notice, will be positively sold at Lincolnton, on the 23d day of October next.
By order of the Board
ISAAC T. AVERY, P^{re}s.
Lincolnton, Aug. 1, 1822.—3wt23

Lots for Sale.

THERE will be exposed to Public Sale at Clinton, Rowan county, situate in the fork of the north and south Yadkin, on the 3th day of November next, being the first Monday of the month, the remaining unsold lots in the town plan of said place, one of which contains a large new frame building, nearly finished. Likewise, the adjoining lands, upwards of two hundred acres, a great part of which consists of valuable low grounds, reserving the plan of the town, the width and direction of the road, to the site of the bridge commenced on the north Yadkin, and to the bridge of the south Yadkin. The sale will continue from day to day, until the property is all disposed of; and a credit of one and two years given for the purchase money, with interest, the purchaser giving bond and security. Attention will be given by
J. A. PEARSON,
JOHN CALLOWAY,
C. S. WOODS.
2wt24

Marshal's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution to me directed, issued from the Circuit Court of North Carolina, at the instance of the United States Bank, against Alexander Prohock and Alexander Long, sen. will be exposed to public auction, for cash, at the Court-House in Salisbury, North Carolina, on the 31st day of October next, a certain tract of Land, lying on the Yadkin river, supposed to contain one thousand acres, more or less, in the county of Rowan, North Carolina. This tract of land is the tract that Alexander Prohock sold to Judge Murphy.
Due attendance will be given by,
BEVERLY DANIEL, Marshal.
By JAMES TURNER, Dep. Marshal.
Sept. 19, 1822.—6wt25

Land to be sold for Taxes.

I WILL sell, at the Court-House in Lincolnton, on Monday the 18th day of November next, the following tracts of land, (or so much thereof as will satisfy the taxes and contingent charges thereon) due for the years 1820 and 1821.
100 acres (owner not known) lying on Long Shoal Creek, joining lands of George Harman, Lovell and Potter, and others, (not listed).
125 acres belonging to the heirs of James Wilson, lying on Potts' Creek, joining lands of Daniel Conrad, Jacob Shuffard and others, (do. do.)
200 acres lying on naked creek, joining lands of William Koons and others, supposed to belong to—Dara' Logatees, (do. do.)
200 acres lying near the Catawba Springs, (belonging to—Pringle's estate) listed by Capt. John Reid for the year 1820, for the year 1821 not listed.

83 acres lying on Snow Creek, joining lands of John Null and others, (formerly listed by said Null) belonging to—Rhyme, (do. do.)
300 acres lying on the waters of Maiden Creek and Pinch gut, joining lands of Henry Sides and George Lutz, supposed to belong to the legatees of—Jarrett, (do. do.)
100 acres lying on Jacobs' River, joining lands of Joseph Johnson and others, supposed to be the property of William Reid, (do. do.)
200 acres lying on the Catawba River, joining lands of William Henderson, James Abernathy and others, the property of William Davidson, (do. do.)
Also, 7 1/2 acres, lying on John Wilfong's Mill Creek, joining lands of John Wilfong, Jacob Star, and others, belonging to David Bollinger's legatees,—not listed.
JOHN COULTER,
Sheriff of Lincoln County,
September 27th, 1822. 4276

A PROCLAMATION.
WHEREAS, by an act of the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, the Governor of the State is authorized to cause the unsold lands lately acquired by treaty from the Cherokee tribe of Indians, to be offered for sale: Now, therefore, I, Gabriel Holmes, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby declare and make known that a public sale for the disposal, agreeably to law, of the said lands shall be commenced at Waynesville, in the county of Haywood, on Monday the 28th of October next, under the superintendance of a Commissioner, appointed for that purpose, who is authorized by my letter of instructions, to adjourn the said sale to, or near the site which shall previously be laid off for a town on the said lands, should such adjournment be deemed advisable. One eighth part of the purchase money will be required of the purchaser, at the time of the sale, and bond and security for the payment of the balance, in the following instalments, viz: One eighth at the expiration of one year, one fourth at the expiration of two years, one fourth at the end of three years, and the remainder at the end of four years. The sale to continue two weeks, and no longer.
Given under my hand and the seal of the State, at Raleigh, on the 12th day of September, 1822.
GABRIEL HOLMES.
3wt25

State of North Carolina,

ROWAN COUNTY.

COURT OF P^las and Quarter Sessions, August Session, 1822: Joseph Davis vs. John Caldwell....original attachment, levied, &c. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant is not an inhabitant of this state, it is therefore *Ordned*, that publication be made for six weeks successively, in the Western Carolinian, printed in Salisbury, that the defendant appear at our next court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the county of Rowan, at the Court-House in Salisbury, on the 13th Monday of November next, then and there to reply, plead or demur, or judgment will be entered against him, according to the plaintiff's demand.
Test. JOHN GILES, C. R. C. C.
Price adv. \$2.—5wt26

Writing Paper.

FOR sale at the office of the "Carolinian," at three dollars twenty-five cents per ream. Also, two reams broken foolscap, \$2 50. And one bundle Super Royal, for wrapping.
9wt23e

Salisbury Bible Society.

THE members of this society and all other persons friendly to the benevolent objects of the institution, are requested to attend a meeting to be held in the Court House on Saturday, the 12th of October. After the business of the Society is disposed of, a sermon will be delivered on the occasion, by the Rev. Jonathan O. Freeman.
September 15th, 1822.—20

Division of Rowan.

NOTICE.—A bill will be laid before the next General Assembly for a division of Rowan county; the new county to be laid off on the north side of the River.
September 18th, 1822.—20

Dancing School.

MR. SANSAY respectfully informs the Ladies and gentlemen of Salisbury, that he intends to open a dancing school, on the first of November next. On his arrival, he will give particular notice by another advertisement.
Oct. 1, 1822.—21

Salisbury Cavalry.

THE officers and dragoons composing the company of cavalry under my command, are ordered to parade in the town of Salisbury on the 17th inst. completely equipped, to be reviewed by the Major General. It is requested that every man in my company should appear as clean and neat as possible.
GEORGE L. SMITH, Capt.
Oct. 1, 1822.—3wt23

Salisbury Races.

THE Races over the Salisbury Turf, will commence on Wednesday, the 23d of October next.
First day, three mile heats; second day, two mile heats; third day, one mile heats,—free for all horses, geldings, or mares. Fourth day, the proprietors' purse,—free for all nags owned and raised in the county.
JAMES HUIE, Treasurer.
Salisbury, Sept. 24, 1822.—4wt23

Improved Cotton Gins.

THE subscribers take this method to inform the citizens of Rowan county, and counties adjacent, that they have commenced making Cotton Saw Gins on an improved plan. Those wishing to purchase Cotton Gins, by applying to us in Salisbury, a few doors north of the Court House, can be supplied as cheap as at any shop in this part of the state. All kinds of repairing done to Cotton Gins, at short notice, and on low terms.
SAMUEL FRALY,
ALEX. R. FRALY.
Salisbury, Oct. 1, 1822.—5wt33

Taken up and committed

TO the jail of Burke county, N. C. a bright mulatto man, who calls himself Nelson: he says he belongs to Reuben Pickett, of Fairfield district, S. C. He is a chunky, thick set fellow, and appears to be about 19 or 20 years of age. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.
JOHN M'GUIRE, Jailor.
Morganton, Sept. 22, 1822.—423r

AGRICULTURAL NOTICE.

THE annual meeting of the Mecklenburg Agricultural Society will take place at the Court-House in Charlotte, on the 3d Saturday in October next; where the members, and others friendly to the cause of agricultural pursuits, are earnestly solicited to attend. We sincerely hope that every intelligent farmer in this county will turn out to a man, and produce specimens of their agricultural knowledge, together with their implements of husbandry, and live stock of every description; it being the science taught our first parents before they fell from their first estate, before they knew those multiplied evils which have since been brought upon their descendants; and may, therefore, be said to have the blessing of the Deity himself. Let us arouse from our present lethargic state, and tear asunder the veil of prejudices that has shrouded our minds and paralyzed our intellectual exertions. We anticipate a numerous and respectable meeting; and hope, ere long, we will be able to say with our voice, *God speed the Plough!*
By order of the Society,
J. SMITH, Sec. Secy.
September 23, 1822.—3wt23r

Notice to Jailors.

RAN AWAY from my plantation, in Lancaster District, South Carolina, on the 3th of Sept. a negro fellow by the name of Peter. He is about 22 or 23 years of age, six feet 2 or 3 inches high, of a slender make, thin visage, throws his head back and speaks with considerable consequence when conversing, has a sore on the bottom of his right foot, which is at present small, but the surrounding scar is larger than a dollar—the toes are useless—but he wears a shoe on that foot. I purchased Peter from Mr. John K. Vincent, who brought him from Orange county, N. C. near the Caswell line. In returning to that place, he will probably be lodged in some jail, and in that condition, I expect, will deny his name and owner. Any jailor who may have him in custody, will please direct a line to the subscriber, at Liberty Hill, Lancaster District, S. C.—for which satisfactory acknowledgement shall be rendered. JOHN GOOCH.
Oct. 1, 1822.—21

State of North Carolina,

WILKES COUNTY.

COURT OF Pleas and Quarter Sessions, July Term, 1822.—George Parks vs. the real estate of John Demmit, deceased....Petition for partition.—It appearing that Nancy Caudle, or her heirs, are not inhabitants of another state—*Ordned*, that publication be made for six weeks in the Western Carolinian, that they appear at the next county court, to be held for the county of Wilkes, at the Court-House in Wilkesboro', on the first Monday in November next, and plead, answer or demur, or the petition will be heard ex parte.
R. MARTIN, C. R. C. C.
9wt23e

AGRICULTURAL.



Hail! first of Arts, source of domestic ease;
Pride of the land, and patron of the seas.

RYE.

A writer in the American Farmer says: "The great and the only secret with regard to insuring a good crop of Rye is early sowing. From the middle of August to the middle of September, I have always found to be the best time for sowing Rye. From three pecks to a bushel per acre, is amply sufficient for seed.—Early sown rye is much more heavy than the later, and further, it affords excellent pasture both in the fall and spring, nor does pasturing injure the crop; in many cases it is a real benefit—particularly when eaten down by sheep."

Remedy against Vermin which infect SWINE.

Mr. Joseph W. Ballard, of Mount Pleasant, Isle of Wight County, Virginia, directs, in cases where hogs are infested with vermin, to take "a little tar, and grease of any kind sufficient to make the tar quite thin, then pour it over the hogs, when fed, sufficiently so as to have them quite smeared with the tar; this may be repeated often in the summer and fall, as I conceive it to be an excellent thing for the health of the hogs—or in good weather you may give to each hog a small table spoonful of sulphur in their food, or in damp weather have them well sprinkled with strong wood ashes; either of these remedies will prevent or destroy the vermin."—*Amer. Farmer.*

BIRDS.

A Pennsylvania Agricultural Society have recommended to their fellow citizens to prohibit the practice of shooting birds, inasmuch as it is believed that the alarming increase of insects in that state is principally owing to the destruction of birds.

TOMATOES.

The following recipe comes from the hands of a lady, eminent for the neat and judicious management of all her household concerns; we can say from happy experience, that tables spread under her superintendance, are always inviting, as well for the variety of good things, as for the taste with which they are displayed.
Edit. *Amer. Farmer.*

To preserve Tomatoes through the winter.

Peel the Tomatoes, cut them small, and stew them without water, their own juice being sufficient: season them with salt, pepper, grated ginger, garlic pounded fine, to your taste—when cool, put them up in bottles and cork them so as to exclude the air—look at them frequently, if you observe an effervescence of mould, or a disposition to ferment—heat them over a slow fire—they must be done in an earthen pan, or the fine red colour will not be so well preserved—they require to be kept on the fire some considerable time, until some are wasted, or they will not keep—when the weather is cool there will be no further trouble with them.

PRODUCTS OF FLORIDA.

A writer in the Floridian, published in Pensacola, states a fact which may be interesting to many persons. "It may perhaps be gratifying to your readers to learn that among the abundant vegetable productions of West Florida, the Quercus Cerris, or oriental oak, stands in the first class. It owes its importance to the production of nut galls—they have hitherto been imported from the Mediterranean at a great expense, and their importance in manufactures is well known.—They are the production of an insect of an hymenopterous species. The *Cynops Quere folis*, deposit their eggs on the leaves and tender branches of the tree—an excrescence is soon formed around

the egg, which enlarges the ball to the size of a bullet, inclosing the egg—which in process of time is hatched, and the embryo often undergoing several changes, finally eats its way out of its prison.—This excrescence is the nut gall—and those found in Florida are equal in every respect to those imported from the Levant.

This tree seldom attains the height of ten feet, and grows principally in low and wet situations, and the galls cover the branches in great profusion. The writer of this gathered in the space of a few moments several pounds. When it is taken into consideration the importance of this production in dying and medicine, their present high price (from 50 to \$60 per cwt.) and their not being indigenous in any other part of the United States, we know of nothing that would so well repay the enterprize of any of our citizens, as collecting them and sending them to the northward for sale."

Desultory.

The Shakers.—It has been decided in Kentucky, that the law which authorizes the imposing fines by a court martial, on the Shakers, for not attending ordinary musters, is unconstitutional and void, as the religious tenets of that society forbid them bearing arms; and the property seized by the sheriff for such fines was restored.
The law of that state increasing the jurisdiction of justices of the peace, from five pounds to fifty dollars, has also been declared unconstitutional, because it deprived the party of trial by jury; and in consequence of this decision, the law was amended so as to provide for a jury trial before a justice of the peace.

Singular detection of Plagiarism.

A correspondent of the "Village Record" lately sent the Editor an essay as original, which the latter wrote and published in another paper, some years ago.

Early Marriage.

Tacitus says early marriage makes us immortal. It is the soul and chief prop of empire. That man who resolves to live without woman, and that woman who resolves to live without man, are enemies to the community in which they dwell, injurious to themselves, destructive to the world, apostates from nature, and rebels against heaven and earth.

Labor and the raw material.

It is stated in an article in the Aurora, that one pound of Sea Island Cotton worth 20 cents in Savannah, when sent to England and converted into green gauze, sells for about \$80; and that one pound of flax, converted into fine Brussels lace, will obtain nearly \$400!

A new green color has been discovered.

and is formed from a decoction of coffee and sulphate of copper. Coffee kernels and the whites of eggs will produce the color, by laying together forty-eight hours.

Second Lambert.

—There is a gentleman in the town of Centerbarbor, in N. H. Mr. Caleb Towle, a wealthy and respectable farmer, whose height is 5 feet 10 inches, girth 7 feet, and weight 315 lbs. He is obliged to use a second chair for the more bulky part of his frame.

A valuable and wonderful Calf.

A calf, only seven months old on the 16th of last month, the property of Nathan Cook, of Fayette, Seneca co. N. York, is stated to have given, for the last month, from 1 1/2 to 2 pints of milk every day; and has a bag and teats of a handsome size. The usual quantity of cream rises on the milk, as on milk from cows. The calf is but common sized for her age; and Mr. C. is obliged to have it milked regularly, to prevent injury.

Valuable Geese.

James Sisson, Esq. of Warren, (R. I.) has imported a species of geese from Bremen, which sometimes grow so large as to weigh 20 pounds and more—and has been successful in his attempts to raise them, having now 22 of them young and old.

A Steam-boat of iron has been put afloat

to run between London and Paris. She draws less water than has been usual, is in every respect equal to the ordinary steam boat, and is utterly *incombustible*.