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BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES.

WHEREAS, by various acts of Congress, the President of the United States is authorized to direct the public lands which have been surveyed to be offered for sale:

Therefore, I, James Monroe, President of the United States, do hereby declare and make known, that public sales, for the disposal (according to law) of public lands, shall be held as follows, viz:

At Franklin, in Missouri, on the first Monday in January next, for the sale of Townships 51 to 55, in range 26, west of the 5th principal meridian line.

50 to 55, ranges 27 and 28 do.
51 to 55, range 29 do.
At the same place, on the first Monday in March next, for the sale of

Townships 51 to 56, in range 30, west of the 5th principal meridian line.
50 to 56, in ranges 31, 32 & 33 do.
At St. Louis, in said state, on the first Monday in December next for the sale of

Townships 35 to 44, in range 1 and 2, east of the 5th principal meridian line.

At the same place, on the first Monday in March next, for the sale of Townships 35 to 44, in ranges 3 and 4 east.

At the same place, on the first Monday in May next, for the sale of Townships 35 to 44, in range 5 and 6, east, and of 43 and 44, in range 7 east.

At Jackson, in the county of Cape Girardeau, in the said state, on the first Monday in February next, for the sale of

Townships 34, in ranges 1 to 14 east of the 5th principal meridian line.
33, range 4, east do.
29, 30 & 31 5 do.
31, 32 & 33 6 do.

At Edwardsville, in the state of Illinois, on the first Monday in January next, for the sale of Townships 8 to 13, in range 9, west of the 3d principal meridian line.

11 to 13 10 and 11 do.
6 to 13 12 and 13 do.
8 to 12 14 do.

At Vandalia, in the said state, on the third Monday in January next, for the sale of Townships 5 to 10, in range 1, east of 3d principal meridian line.

7 to 10 2
8 to 10 ranges 3, 4, 5 and 6
1, 8, 9 and 10 range 7, east
1, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 8,

At Palesine, in said state, on the second Monday in February next, for the sale of Townships 6 to 10, in ranges 9, 10, and 11, east of 3d principal meridian line.

5 to 10 range 14 west of 2d principal meridian line
8, 9 and 10 ranges 12 and 13.

At Detroit, in Michigan Territory, on the first Monday in November next, for the sale of range Townships 8, 9 and 10 S. in ranges 4 and 5 east.

8 and 9 in range 6
7, 8 and 9 7

Except such lands as have been or may be reserved by law for the support of schools, or for other purposes. The lands shall be sold in regular numerical order, beginning with the lowest number of section, township, and range.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, this nineteenth day of September, 1820.
JAMES MONROE,
By the President,
JOSEPH MEIGS
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

TO BUILDERS

PROPOSALS will be received for erecting at Newbern, N. C.

AN EPISCOPAL

CHURCH,

Dimensions about SEVENTY FEET by FIFTY-FIVE—to be built of BRICK, the roof SHINGLED, with liberty to change for a SLATE roof if required; to have side and end GALLERIES, the latter to be calculated for an ORGAN; fifty to sixty PEWS on ground floor; PULPIT, DESK, and COMMUNION TABLE, with a VESTRY ROOM; high arched WINDOWS; two AISLES; the whole to be finished in a neat, workmanlike manner, and of the best materials. The Building will be situated in the centre of a Lot about three hundred and twenty feet by two hundred and fourteen—to front on two streets—principal front to the South, on a street sixty feet wide, the other to the West, on a street of same width—entrance intended from each.

PLANS, with Proposals for building the same, will be received until the first February, 1821.—Address to "Building Committee of Episcopal Church, Newbern."

M. C. Stephens }
J. R. Donnel, } Building
M. Jarvis, } Committee.
J. P. Daves, }
J. F. Burgwin. }

Newbern, Nov. 15, 1820.—1394
For the information of those residing at a distance, it may be observed, that the materials for building, viz: Lime, Bricks, pitch pine Lumber, cypress or juniper Shingles, may be had in the Town and vicinity, on as low terms, perhaps, as at any place in the U. States.

FOR SALE,

THE remainder of lease of that pleasant and desirable situation in the town of Newbern, situated on the corner of Johnson and Middle-streets, being one half acre Lot, No. 337 in plan of said town; on which is a comfortable, well finished and convenient Dwelling House, good Kitchen, and other offices, all in good repair, and under excellent fence—a good Garden, with several fruit trees—forming a most desirable residence for a small family, being in the most healthy and pleasant part of said town. The lease expires January 1st, 1827—and can probably be renewed at that time. Terms will be made accommodating to the purchaser.—For further particulars apply to

E. Graham, or
Jno. F. Burgwin.
Nov. 2d, 1820.—1411f

NOTICE

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of SAUNDERS & STREET, was dissolved on the 10th inst. by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the concern, are requested to make immediate payment to JAMES SAUNDERS, who will pay all claims against the firm, as soon as they shall become due.

JAMES SAUNDERS,
JOHN STEET.
Newbern, Jan. 13, 1821.

The Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he will continue to keep on hand at the Store lately occupied by the above firm, a general assortment of GROCERIES, &c. and will be thankful for all favours.

JAMES SAUNDERS.
Jan 13th, 1821.—147 i 4

PRINTING.

BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CARDS, HANDBILLS, BLANKS, AND CIRCULARS,
NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

LETTERS

Remaining in the Newbern Post-Office, January 1st, 1821.

Capt. Noah H. Allen, (4) Capt. Milton Andrews, (3) Capt. Stowers Andrews, Charles Anderson, William Anderson.

B.

Miss Mary M. Brown, Miss Mary Ann Blake, Miss Mary Bratcher, Miss Nancy Biggs, David Babb, Nath'l & Josephus Briggs, Richard Berry, Carney J. Bryan, Edward Browning, Wm. W. Bell, Arnold Borden, Capt. James Babbidge.

C.

Mendall Churchill, Sidney Crane, Collector of Ocracoke, David Cornish, Henry Carraway, Richard Carlton, John Carlton, Richard Caskill, (2) Captain Ezra Cornell.

D.

Joseph Davies, Edward Downing, Wm. Dickson, Joseph Delamar, Creed Dudley, Sam'l Davis, Miss Mary Dowdy, Capt. A. J. Delisle, Abner Dexter.

E.

Capt. Ephraim Eldige, Mr. Edwards.

F.

Enoch Foy, Capt. John Fosset, John D. Friou, Isaac D. Finch, (2) Capt. R. Fisher.

G.

Moses & Thomas Gardner, John Green, Smith's Creek, Capt. A. Gould, B. C. Good, Wm. Gatlin, David Gatlin, Wm. Gunning, Capt. Joseph Gould, Calvin Gillet & Justice Edwards.

H.

Wm. Holland, John Harwood, Capt. N. Harding, (3) J. Hull, James C. Hamontree, Capt. Heale, G. C. Hatch.

I.

Simon P. Jordan, Mrs. Susan Jones, Mrs. A. Jarvis.

K.

William Kelly, Charles Kelly.

L.

Charles Lockwood, George Lester.

M.

Moses Moore, Joshua Mitchell, Capt. S. B. Mills, Francis McIlwain, Benjamin Mason, Capt. John C. Manson, Miss Mary Mattin.

N.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson, Mrs. R. Nelson, James Nelson, John S. Nelson.

O.

James G. Oliver, Mrs. Sally Oliver, Thomas O'Bryan, Donum Oliver.

P.

Jacob Pacquinet, Joseph Physioc, Spencer Pittman, Mrs. Nancy Powers, Miss Nancy Pearce, Capt. Adino Paddock.

R.

G. M. Rains, Isaac A. Rew, (2) Robert Roff, H. Reynolds, John Reel, James Rowe.

S.

Adam Scott, Asa Smith, Capt. Sam'l Shiars, Wm. S. Sparrow, James Sivils, Henry J. Standing, Jenett Starky, Miss Mary Spellman, Nathan Sulliff, John Smith, John Smelage, John Stocks.

T.

Joshua Taylor, Esq. Collector Ocracoke, Capt. John Toby, Daniel Tolson, Mary Turner.

V.

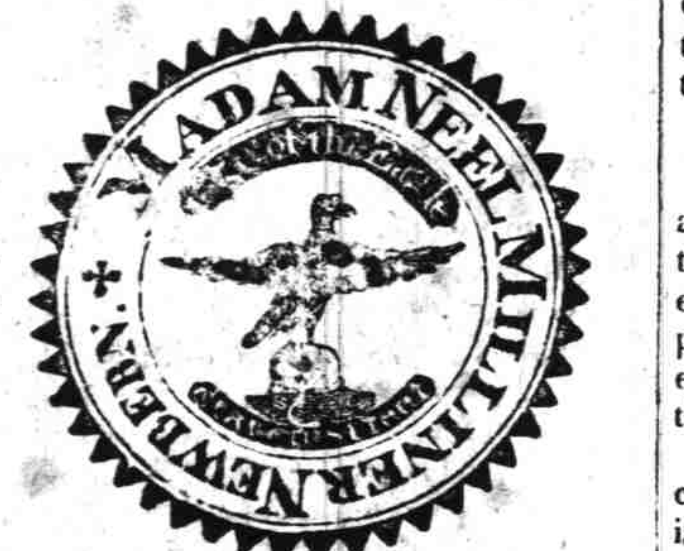
John Vail, Miss Elizabeth Vail.

W.

Capt. Joseph Wallace, John Whitford, Richard Winslow, Beverly Wallace.
THO'S WATSON, P. M.

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MILLINERY, &c.



HAS the honor of informing the Ladies of Newbern and its vicinity, that she has just received an elegant assortment of Black Ribbon and wide Black Silk Lace for Ladies' Dresses—Elegant Bands and Edged Bonnet Trimming—Whitening, of the best quality, for whitening Lghorn and Straw Bonnets—and has on hand a general assortment of MILLENERY, &c.

Having purchased the articles in her line on the best terms, she will sell to customers at lower prices than they can be obtained elsewhere in town.
Jan. 13, 1821.—147-3t

NORTH-CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

At the annual meeting of this Society, held in Raleigh during the last month, the following Premiums were agreed upon for the present year, and ordered to be published, viz:

For the most productive Meadow, rendered so by art, of at least two acres, with the best method of curing and preserving Hay, a Premium of the value of \$15.

For the best crop of Corn, raised from land that has been exhausted and reclaimed, not less than two acres, \$15.

For the best crop of Wheat, from two acres of the same kind of land mentioned in the preceding article, \$15.

For the best crop of Rye, from five acres of the same kind of land \$15.

For the best crop of Cotton, from at least five acres of the same kind of land, \$15.

For the best method of reclaiming worn out land, by culture, and the application of common and cheap materials as manure, founded on an actual experiment of at least two acres, \$15.

For draining, reclaiming and rendering productive, two acres of Marsh or Swamp Land, and producing the greatest quantity of Corn thereon, \$15.

For the best constructed Plough, for ploughing deep, and completely turning over the grass and soil, \$10.

For the best Barn built since the establishment of this Society, to be claimed in the year 1823, \$30.

For the best common Barn, \$ 5
For the largest and best Ox, 15
For the best Milch Cow, 10
For the best Heifer, 10
For the best Bull, 10
For the best Yoke of Oxen, 10
For the best Boar, 5
For the best and heaviest Hog, 5

For the largest quantity of good Cheese made in one year from two Cows, \$10.

For the largest quantity of good Butter made in one year from two Cows, \$10.

For the best account of the Cattle distemper and an effectual method of preventing and curing it, \$15.

For the best thirty yards of Carpeting, resembling Scotch Carpeting, a dozen Silver Tea-Spoons.

For the best ten yards of Woolen Cloth, \$10.

For the best pair of Woollen Blankets, \$10.

For the best pair of Cotton Blankets, \$10.

For the best ten yards of Flannel, \$10.
For the best ten yards of mixed Woollen and Cotton Cloth, \$10.

For the best ten yards of Diaper, \$10.
For the best ten yards of Cotton Shirting, \$10.

In addition to the above Premiums, it was last year proposed to have had a Ploughing Match in the vicinity of Raleigh, in the month of October, at which time it was also proposed to have an Exhibition of Animals and of Domestic Manufactures; but as no persons came forward to compete for any of these objects, it is presumed the period has not yet arrived for carrying into effect this part of the Plan of the Society.—The proposed meeting in October will therefore be suspended for the present.

A Committee having been appointed to consider the best plan for organizing County Societies, auxiliary to this Society, &c. the following Report was made thereupon, and unanimously adopted.

REPORT.

The Committee to whom was referred a resolution directing them to consider the best plan of organizing County Societies auxiliary to this, and to digest a plan whereby the premiums of this Society may be obtained in any county in this State, beg leave to report.

That they have had this subject under consideration, and are of opinion that it is very desirable that a number of Agricultural Societies should be formed throughout this State, and that they should be auxiliary to this, in their endeavours to improve the Agriculture of our country by such means as they may deem most expedient, and report annually to this Society an account of their success in this great work, and the Premiums by them awarded and on what account, as well as the result of any experiments which may have been made by their members; and whatever else they may deem important.

* This premium was awarded last year to Mr. Hartwell King, of Wake County, who, from two acres of this kind of land, raised 30 barrels of Corn.

As to the method by which premiums may be obtained in any county in this State, they are of opinion that the candidates for Premiums should furnish the best evidence the nature of the case will admit of their claim. If it be for the greatest production of any species of any grain or other crop, well-attested certificates of the quantity produced, together with a written account of the process of preparing the land, and cultivating the crop: If for Domestic Manufactures, Living Animals, or implements of Husbandry, an exhibition of the subject should be required.

Resolved, That whenever any Agricultural Society within the State shall make it known to our Secretary, that they wish to become auxiliary to this Society, that they shall be received as such.

and resolved further, That it shall be the duty of each auxiliary society to report to this society annually, an account of their progress in improving Agriculture, their different experiments, and the success attending them, and the premiums by them awarded, and on what account, that this Society may publish the same for the information of the farmers throughout the State.

JAMES MEBANE, Chairman.

CULTIVATION OF THE VINE.

FROM THE KENTUCKY GAZETTE.

Glasgow Vineyard, Nov. 22.

GENTLEMEN: I have received your letter by Mr. Beauchamp, requesting me to give you a sketch of the Vineyard at this place planted by a Swiss gentleman and myself.

The situation of the ground on which the vines are planted is elevated. The vines are planted on the south-east of the hill, and rather in a rolling position, well calculated to drain the water off in heavy rains, which I conceive very essential to the culture of vines.—The grape that we cultivate is of different species: we have planted of the Madeira, Claret, Cape, Burgundy, and Champaign. The Claret and Cape thrive well and ripen remarkably regular. The vines of the Madeira thrive finely, though they do not ripen so well as others. I have declined cultivating them, as I think they will not succeed in this climate. The first vines were planted in a nursery, in 1813, from the slips, and in 1814 we planted them out in the manner that we wanted them to grow. The first part of the vineyard consisted of two and a half acres; it bore a small crop of grapes in 1816, and in 1817 we made five barrels of wine, which was of the Claret and Madeira quality; The Vineyard now consists of about five acres; they have never failed bearing since they first began. The fall I made nine barrels of wine, although the last two and half acres had just began to bear; (from the novelty of the institution) I was persuaded that one half of the grapes were ate each year.

I rather think the vines will not come to maturity under ten years. The vines should be pruned when clear of sap. I have generally pruned in January and February. The slips should be planted in March, when the vines first begin to put forth. The slips should be either buried or kept in a warm cellar, after they are taken from the vine, until planted.

I am well convinced, from my experience in the business, that a Vineyard, in an eligible situation, well cultivated, will yield from three to five hundred dollars to the acre; and one hand can with ease cultivate five acres, except gathering: and I have no doubt but the wine would be equally as good as that which is imported at the same age. I have sold my wine, when only two years old, for two and a half and three dollars per gallon.

Should the people of Kentucky and Tennessee turn their attention to this business, they will not only be enabled to stop the importation of wines, but will be enabled to furnish the eastern and northern states with this article cheaper than they can import it.

Very respectfully, yours,

JAMES H. HICKS.