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DR. FRANKLIN.

Looking over a review of Pirkin's Political and Civil History, in the Christian Spectator, we found the following motion and remarks, made by Dr. Franklin, that prayers should be attended every morning in the National Convention, of which he was a member, forming a Constitution of Government. We read it with peculiar delight on more accounts than one; and we transfer the records to our columns as reflecting more decidedly and happily upon Dr. Franklin's religious character than does any other act of his life with which we are acquainted.

"While the important question of the representation of the States in the Senate, was the subject of debate, and the States were almost equally divided upon it, Dr. Franklin moved that prayers should be attended in the Convention every morning, and in support of his motion, thus addressed the President:

Mr. President—The small progress we have made after four or five weeks of close attendance and continual reasoning with each other, our different sentiments on almost every question, several of the last producing as many *noes* as *ayes*, is, methinks, a melancholy proof of the imperfection of the human understanding. We indeed seem to feel our own want of political wisdom, since we have been running all about in search of it. We have gone back to ancient history for models of government, and examined the different forms of those Republics, which, having been originally formed with the seeds of their own dissolution, now no longer exist; and we have viewed modern States all round Europe, but find none of their Constitutions suitable to our circumstances. In this situation of this assembly, groping as it were, in the dark, to find political truth, and scarce able to distinguish it when presented to us; how has it happened, Sir, that we have not hitherto once thought of humbly applying to the Father of Light, to illuminate our understandings? In the beginning of the contest with Great Britain, when we were sensible of danger, we had daily prayers in this room for Divine protection! Our prayers, Sir, were heard, and they were graciously answered. All of us who were engaged in the struggle, must have observed frequent instances of a superintending Providence in our favor. To that kind Providence we owe this happy opportunity of consulting in peace, on the means of establishing our future national felicity. And have we now forgotten that powerful friend? or do we imagine we no longer need his assistance? I have lived, Sir, a long time; and the longer I live, the more convincing proofs I see of this truth, that God governs the affairs of men! And if a sparrow cannot fall to the ground without his notice, is it probable that an empire can rise without his aid? We have been assured, Sir, in the sacred writings, that "except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it." I firmly believe this, and I also believe, that without his concurring aid, we shall succeed in this political building no better than the builders of Babel; we shall be divided by our little partial local interests, our projects will be confounded, and we ourselves shall become a reproach and a by-word down to future ages. And what is worse, mankind may hereafter, from this unfortunate instance, despair of establishing governments by human wisdom, and leave it to chance, war or conquest. I therefore beg leave to move, that henceforth, prayers imploring the assistance of Heaven and its blessings on our deliberations, be held in this assembly every morning before we proceed to business; and that one or more of the clergy of this city be requested to officiate in that service."

SCHOOLS IN NEW YORK.

For her enterprise in the cause of education, the State of New-York deserves the respect and gratitude of the friends of virtue and liberty every where. The attention of her Governors and Legislators, from time to time, has an influence, even far beyond her liberal grants to promote that cause. What father, what mother of that State will not be interested and delighted to read that part of their Governor's message, relating to the subject of education, or to hear it read by their children with animated looks and thrilling tones. The Governor says—

"A sense of the importance of common education, has been strongly manifested by the Legislature, in setting apart an ample fund for the purpose. An enlightened people will not live under a government where their rights are unnecessarily abridged; and a free government cannot be maintained by an ignorant population.

The enlightened mind, while it discerns the truth, looks with indulgence upon the errors of opinion, religious, political, or social, which others may entertain; and in our government, where every measure depends upon the public voice, our reliance must be placed upon the general intelligence of the people, for exemption from those civil disorders which have put a short period to the duration of free governments, in whatever nation or time they may have existed."

The Governor states, "that the returns for the past year shew, that school districts have been organized in almost every neighborhood in the State, amounting in the whole to 8,847, and that 8,270 have made returns according to law."

The system adopted by this State is excellent. By patronage, and not by coercion of law, the people form and organize their school districts.

Each district draws from the public funds a sum of money proportionate to the sum the district raises by tax or contribution. Such a system might be gradually carried into operation by the patronage of the General Government, and it would bind to the Union more firmly the heart of every good citizen.

The Governor adds "that the public money paid to the school districts during the past year is \$214,840.

In addition to this amount there has been paid in the several districts 297,048

Making a total of 511,888

Paid for teachers' wages alone, in the common schools of the State."

It is believed that a number of States according to their population even exceed this liberality, and yet are constantly pressing forward to increase their advantages for education. The conviction is becoming deeper and more general "that knowledge is power." It is by such institutions States and Nations are to be taught to feel that the soul of man,

"A native of the skies,
High born, and free, her freedom should maintain
Unsold, unmortgaged, for earth's little bribes."

PROPRIETY.

Dr. Stonehouse, when he entered into holy orders, took occasion to profit by his acquaintance with Garrick to procure from him some valuable instructions in elocution. Being once engaged to read prayers in the city, he prevailed upon Garrick to go with him. After the service, Garrick asked the Doctor what particular business he had to do when the duty was over? "None," said the Doctor. "I thought you had," replied Garrick, "on seeing you enter the reading desk in such a hurry. Nothing can be more indecent than to see a Clergyman set about sacred business as if he were a tradesman, and go into the Church as if he wanted to get out of it as soon as possible." He next asked the Doctor what books he had in the desk before him? "Only the Bible and Prayer-book," said the Doctor. "Only the Bible and Prayer-book!—Why you tossed these backwards and forwards, and turned the leaves as carelessly as if they were those of a day-book and ledger."

State of North-Carolina, Greene County.

November Term, 1829.

Blake Little, } Original attachment. Different persons summoned as Benjamin Miller } Garnishees.
v. }
T appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant, Benj. Miller, is not a resident of this State: Ordered therefore, that publication of the pendency of the above named suit be made in the Raleigh Register for six weeks successively, so that the said defendant may appear before the said Court on the 2d Monday of February next, at the Court-house in Snowhill, and reply, &c. Witness, Wm. Williams, Clerk of said Court at Office, the 2d Monday of Nov. 1829.

WM. WILLIAMS, Clk.

State of North-Carolina, Greene County.

November Term, 1829.

James Westbrook, } Original attachment. Le- } vied on land, &c. Also, }
v. } Gray Westbrook, } Garnishee summoned.
T appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant is not an inhabitant of this State: Ordered that publication of the pendency of the above named suit be made in the Raleigh Register for six weeks successively, so that the said defendant may come forward at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for said county at the Court-house in Snowhill, on the 2d Monday of February next, and reply, &c. Witness, Wm. Williams, Clerk of said Court at Office, the 2d Monday of Nov. 1829.

WM. WILLIAMS, Clk.

Superior Court of Law, Chatham County, Fall Term, 1829.

Alfred Vestal & others vs. Thos. Vestal & others.
Petition for the division of Lands of William Vestal, dec.

T appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that John Vestal, one of the defendants in this case, is not an inhabitant of this State; it is therefore ordered, that notice be published in the Raleigh Register for six months of the filing of the Petition, and that the said John Vestal, at the next term of this Court, on the 3d Monday of March next, plead, answer or demur to the petition, or the same will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte.

CHAS. J. WILLIAMS,
Clerk Sup. Court.

Money Lost.

ON Friday last, the subscriber, while travelling in the Stage from Raleigh to Fayetteville, lost a packet of money and papers, the precise sum not known, but believed to be between two and three hundred dollars, consisting of Treasury Notes, several one dollar Newbern bills, two dollar State Bank bills, several five and ten dollar State Bank bills, and five and ten dollar bills on South-Carolina Bank; 4 or 5 ten dollar bills on the United States Bank, one distinctly recollected to be signed by John Haskin, and one by Jones. Also, a five dollar Cherau bill, folded in a paper, and endorsed D. Mask, to whom it belongs. There was also a Justice's Judgment for \$90, in favor of Stackburgh's Executors against Mr. Legrand of Anson, with credits thereon.

The whole was folded in a sheet of blank paper, and snugly tied up. A liberal reward will be paid to the person finding the same, and delivering it to the Editors of the Register, Raleigh, the Editor of the Observer, Fayetteville, or to the Subscriber.

GEO. C. MENDENHALL,
Guilford county, N. C.

Valuable Real Estate for Sale.

WILL BE SOLD, on the first day of March next, at Public Sale, at the Town House in Fayetteville, all the Real Estate, (the Banking House excepted) belonging to the State Bank of North-Carolina, in Fayetteville and its vicinity, consisting of the Lots or Parcels of Ground with their Buildings and Improvements, and Tracts of Land following, viz:

One Lot of Ground, containing about an acre, on the south side of Mumfords street, with a large elegant two story Dwelling House, a large Warehouse in good repair, a Stable and other Out-houses thereon, known as the Mumfords place.

One Lot at the corner of Person and Dick streets, with a large two story House, occupied as a store and dwelling, and a large two story Warehouse thereon, formerly Henry Branson's.

One unimproved Lot, having about sixty feet front on Winkles street, and running back about one hundred and twenty feet.

Two unimproved Lots on Hillsborough street, a little north of Maiden Lane, one having fifty and the other about sixty-six feet front, and running back about one hundred feet.

One Lot with a large three story unfinished brick house, intended for two stores and dwellings, adjoining the Planter's Hotel at the foot of Haymont, formerly Henry Branson's.

One Lot on Person street with a large Warehouse thereon, rented by the town as a Public Flour Warehouse.

One Lot situate on a cross street between Person and Russell streets, with a handsome two story Dwelling house, Kitchen, Garden, &c.

One Lot fronting on Person and Bow streets, a few yards east of the Town House, with a large Store House on each street, and convenient Warehouses back, formerly Oliver Pearce's.

One Lot with a convenient Warehouse thereon, and one or two vacant Lots adjoining, situate between Gillespie and Dick streets, opposite the State Bank, formerly the property of Duncan Thompson.

Several Lots and Warehouses in Lower Fayetteville, and two well known and convenient Wharves, all lately Duncan Thompson's.

A Lot with a two story House of two tenements, fronting on Hay street, opposite the Mansion Hotel, and running back to Old street, formerly Col. Clarke's.

That elegant and desirable residence on Haymont, called the McMillan place, with about twelve acres of Ground. The dwelling house is large and commodious, commanding a fine view of the town—the garden and out-houses have lately been put in a state of repair. This place is admirably calculated for a summer seat or permanent residence for persons living in the low country in pursuit of health.

1120 acres of tolerably timbered Land, within two miles of Fayetteville, with an excellent Mill Seat on a never-failing stream, running through the lands, formerly John Hudley's.

640 acres of Land on Beaver Creek, within six miles of Fayetteville, formerly Larkin Newby's.

122 acres of Land within about a mile and a half of town, affording several healthy situations for building, on which there are excellent springs, a little northwest of Haymont.

1081 acres of well wooded sand hill Lands, within four miles of Fayetteville, formerly the property of John McKay, jun.

A Plantation of about 300 acres of first rate Land, on the east side of the Cape-Fear River, about three miles below Fayetteville, formerly Thomas Davis's.

50 acres of Land on the east side of Cape-Fear River, 15 miles below Fayetteville, adjoining lands belonging to the heirs of John Thomas.

A very liberal credit will be given to the purchasers. Particular terms made known at the sale, which will be made by order of the President and Directors of said Bank.

DUNCAN CAMERON, President.

Raleigh, Jan. 14.

"Fortunes for the Needy."

15,000 DOLLARS,
Capital Prize.

To be drawn in Washington City on Tuesday
2d February.

Grand Consolidated Lottery.

No. 2 for 1830.

SCHEME.

16,000 Dollars.
6,000 Dollars.
4,000 Dollars.
2,625 Dollars.
2,000 Dollars.
4 Prizes of 1,000 Dollars.
6 500 Dollars.
8 400 Dollars.
8 300 Dollars.
10 200 Dollars.
20 150 Dollars.
25 100 Dollars.

Tickets \$5. Halves 2.50. Quarters 1.25.
Orders enclosing cash or prize Tickets will at all times meet with prompt attention. All who stand in need of the cash will find it to their interest to send their orders directed to

B. W. HEWSON,

Petersburg,
Where the cash is paid for all prizes the moment they are drawn.

MANAGER'S OFFICE,

RICHMOND, VA.

Richmond Dock Lottery, No. 2.

Will be drawn Thursday, 4th Feb. 1830.
54 Numbers—8 Drawn Ballots.

1 Prize of \$10,000.

1 4,000

1 2,500

1 2,000

1 1,830

5 1,696

5 1,000

Besides \$600, 500, 400, 200, 100, 60, 50, 40, 20, 10, & 5.

Whole Tickets \$5—Halves 2.50—Quarters 1.25.
A package of 18 whole, embracing the 54 numbers may be had for \$85, which is compelled to draw \$40—and may draw \$10,000—or any of the other Capitals.

Let all your orders be addressed to

YATES & MCINTYRE,

Richmond, Va.

Richmond Dock Lottery, No. 3.

To be drawn 13th Feb. 1830.

1 Prize of \$10,000

1 2,500

1 2,000

1 1,200

1 1,022

2 1,000

Besides \$500, 300, 200, 150, 10, &c.

Tickets \$4—Halves 2—Quarters 1.

A package of 18 whole, which is compelled to draw \$32, and may draw any of the above capitals, 10,000, 2,500, &c. may be had for \$70. Address all your orders to

YATES & MCINTYRE,

Managers

Grand Consolidated, No. 2.

60 Number Lottery—8 Drawn Ballots.

1 Prize of \$16,000

1 6,000

1 4,000

1 2,625

1 2,000

4 1,000

Besides \$500, 400, 300, 200, 150, 100, 70, 60, 50, &c.

Whole Tickets \$5, Halves 2.50, Quarters 1.25.

A package of 20 whole, which is compelled to draw \$41, may be had for \$95.

Address all your orders to

YATES & MCINTYRE.

State of North-Carolina,

Wake County.

Superior Court of Law and Equity—Fall Term, 1829.

Burwell Simms & others.

Ex parte.

Petition for Sale of the Dower Lands of which Wm. Simms' Widow, late of Wake, died possessed.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that John Simms, one of the children of William, hath removed beyond the limits of this State, and hath died leaving him surviving the following children, viz: Martha, Calvin, Silvester, Sanford and Marion: And it further appearing to the Court, that Joseph Loyd, who intermarried with Penny, another child does not reside within the limits of the State: It is ordered, that publication be made in the Raleigh Register for six weeks, that the said children, and grand-children, and heirs of the said William Simms, dec'd. be and appear before the Judge of our Court of Equity to be holden in the county of Wake, at the Court house in Raleigh, on the first Monday after the 4th Monday of March next, and plead, answer or demur, otherwise the Bill will be taken pro confesso as to them and decreed accordingly.

Witness, H. M. Miller, Clerk and Master of Wake Court of Equity, the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday of September, 1829.

H. M. MILLER, C. & M.

A very valuable Tar River Plantation in the County of Granville, a Tannery in the Town of Oxford, and other Property, for Sale.

FOR the purpose of closing the trusts reposed in me by two deeds executed by Absalom Yancey and duly registered in the Register's Office for the county of Granville, I shall offer for sale in the Town of Oxford, on Monday the 1st day of February next, that being Court day, and continue the sale from day to day until completed, the following Valuable Property, viz:

A Tract of Land, lying on the south side of Tar River, nine miles south of Oxford, immediately on the Taylor's Bridge Road leading from Oxford to Raleigh—containing, by estimation 1500 acres, about 350 of which are valuable low grounds—the balance first rate upland, highly improved by fencing, tobacco houses, corn houses, stables, negro houses and a very comfortable dwelling house for a small family. Persons disposed to purchase are invited to view the premises previous to the day of sale. Mr. Yancey who resides on the land will take pleasure in shewing it.

Also, a Tannery near Oxford, together with the Stock of Leather, Rawhides, Bark, Tools, and other things belonging to the establishment likewise two Lots of Ground adjoining. The improvements are very considerable and almost new.

Also, two comfortable Dwelling Houses on Hillsborough street in Oxford, in good repair, with every House necessary for the convenience of families.

Also, 53 acres of Land on New Light Creek—All the interest of the said Absalom in and to his late Father's Estate—All his Household Furniture.—Three Negro Slaves, a man and two women.

I shall likewise sell on the Tar River plantation, on Friday the 5th day of February, the Stock of Hogs, Horses, Cattle, Corn, Fodder, Wheat, Oats, Household and Kitchen Furniture, plantation Tools, &c.

The Sale will positively be made, and the terms accommodating to purchasers.

H. M. MILLER, Trustee.

DRAWING.

The following numbers were drawn in the N. Y. Lottery 19th class Extra.

44, 19, 49, 9, 18, 15, 1, 24, 24.

No. 19, 44, 49, a capital of 15,000 Dollars.

Several good prizes sold at

HEWSON'S OFFICE,

Petersburg.

January 1830.

GARDEN SEED.

WE have just received from Connecticut a supply of Garden Seed warranted to be of the last year's growth.

WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD,

Raleigh Jan. 6, 1830.

The Prot. Episcopal Sunday

School Union.

HAVING established a Depository at the store of S. Hall, Newbern, all the Publications of the Society can be had, at the prices fixed by the Union in New York.

Newbern, December 22d, 1829.

40 Reams of Post and Foolscap

PAPER, different qualities, just received by

J. GALES & SON

Wanted Immediately.

A GOOD FEMALE COOK, also, a Female House Servant. Apply at this Office.

Jan. 19.

Committed

TO the Jail of Buncombe County, N. Carolina, on the 12th instant, a Negro Man named MANUEL, or MACK, and says he belongs to Zachariah Bugg, who bought him in August last from Isaac Brent in Northumberland county, Virginia, and brought him with a number of negroes to Mecklenburg county, N. C. where he had about three weeks at a Mr. Russell's; from thence his master started for New-Orleans, and he made his escape from him on the road about three weeks ago.

Said negro is 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high; dark complexion, and says he is 27 years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, and take him away.

WM. COLEMAN, Jailor.

Asheville, Jan. 15.

Haywood's Manual.

Brought up to the present time.

J. GALES & SON have just published an APPENDIX to Haywood's Manual, which embraces the Laws passed since the year 1819, under distinct heads, in alphabetical order, including those of last Session, which renders the Work complete.

For this addition to the Manual, no extra charge will be made. The Book will be sold at Five Dollars as heretofore. Orders will be instantly attended to.

S. pt. 12, 1829.

THE SUBSCRIBER

OFFERS for Sale his HOUSE & LOTS in the Town of Oxford, with the LAND adjoining—about 200 acres—of which about 60 acres are Woodland. The House is 52 by 40 feet, commodious, and well finished throughout, having 4 rooms with fire places on each floor, with a wide passage on each—a garret distributed into closets and two comfortable rooms; and a cellar under the whole divided into several apartments. It is situated in a most beautiful grove of Oaks; attached to it is a large Falling Garden furnished with fruits selected from the north—on the house is a well of excellent water in the yard—an Office in the yard suitable for a Lawyer, and every necessary Out-house, all in good repair.

Also, a TANYARD now in operation, which might give employment to 8 or 10 hands, having 104 acres of land attached to it, and on the premises is a comfortable two story Dwelling, with every convenience for a family residence. A better constructed Yard is seldom seen anywhere. This property will be disposed of on reasonable and accommodating terms.

THO. B. LITTLEJOHN,

Oxford, Sept. 1.

NOTICE.

STOLEN out of my pocket, in the Clerk's Office at Roxborough, Person county, a Black Leather Pocket-book, containing a number of valuable papers, a number of notes of hand, which cannot at present be remembered. A recollect one, on Lewis Daniel, for \$450; one on Francis Lawson, with Wm. Street security for \$100; likewise, a number of small Notes, not at present recollected. There was one-half of a Hundred Dollar note, U. S. money, payable at the Branch Bank of New-Orleans, letter L. No. 3831; also, one-half of a Fifty Dollar note, U. S. paper, payable at Charleston, letter L. No. 2146; one Ten Dollar note of the State Bank of N. C. and one Dollar Note, of the same Bank, with a number of Constables receipts, and other valuable papers. I would forewarn any person from trading for any of the Notes of hand or other papers. To any person finding, or giving information of the Pocket-book, I will give a reward of \$30, by delivering of the same with the contents to JAMES WILLIAMSON, Person county, Nov. 30.

CHARLOTTE HOTEL.

THE Subscriber having recently purchased the HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT formerly kept by Mr. Robert I. Dinkins, in the town of Charlotte, N. C. respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he now has opened the House for the reception and entertainment of all who may feel disposed to honor him with their custom. Every effort will be used to render persons comfortable, and unremitting exertions will be made to give entire satisfaction to all. The Beds and bedding are inferior to none; his Table will be furnished as well as the market in the back country will afford; the Bar with liquors of the best quality; attentive and rusty waiters will be employed, and Stables abundantly furnished.

J. D. BOYD,

Charlotte Dec. 10, 1829.

N. B. Having discontinued the mercantile business, I shall look for prompt payment from all who are indebted to me; in fact I cannot discharge any.

J. D. B.