

CONDITIONS.

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Newbern Prices Current. CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Table with columns: From To, MERCHANDIZE, Lb., none, gal., bush., M., wt., and various commodity prices like Bacon, Beef, Butter, etc.

Washington Insurance COMPANY Of the City of New York.

PROPOSALS

FOR INSURING Houses, Buildings, Stores, Ships in Harbour, Goods, Wares and Merchandise, From loss or Damage by Fire. THE President and Directors of the Washington Mutual Assurance Company of the City of New York...

No insured Person will be liable to make good the Losses of others; but in case of fire, the sufferer will be indemnified to the full amount of the sum insured.

Southern Rates.

Classes of Hazards and rates of Annual Premiums for Insurance against fire. First Class of Hazards. Buildings of Brick or stone, covered with Tile, Slate, or Metal,

Goods not Hazardous therein, 56 a 62 1/2 cts. per \$100.

Second Class of Hazards. Buildings of Brick or Stone, covered with Wood,

Goods not Hazardous therein, 85 a 100 cts per \$100.

Third Class of Hazards. Buildings entirely of Wood.

Goods not Hazardous therein, 175 a 200 cts. per \$100.

Goods not hazardous are such as are usually kept in Dry Good Stores; including also Household Furniture and Linen, Cotton in Bales, Coffee, Flour, Indigo, Pot Ash, Rice, Sugars and other articles not combustible.

The following Trades, Goods, Wares and Merchandise, are considered hazardous, and are charged with 12 1/2 cents per \$100 in addition to the Premium above named for each Class, viz.

Chair Makers, Chocolate Makers, Sail Makers, Tavern Keepers, Tobacco Manufacturers; China, Glass and Earthen Ware in packages, Chip and Straw Hats, Flax, Hemp, Groceries, including Spirituous Liquors, Oil, Pitch, Salt Petre, Tar, Turpentine.

The following Trades and Occupations, Goods, Wares and Merchandise, are deemed extra hazardous, and will be charged 25 cents and upwards per \$100 in addition to the Premium above specified, for each Class, viz.

Apothecaries or Druggists, Boat Builders, Bakers, Brewers, Millers, Cabinet Makers, Carpenters, Chemists, China, Glass and Earthen Ware Sellers, Coopers, Distillers, Dyers, Founders, Musical Instrument Makers, Printers, Rope Makers, Varnish Makers or any Manufactory requiring the use of Fire Heat; Aqua Fortis, Ether, Gun Powder, Spirits of Turpentine, Hay, Straw, Fodder and Grain unthreshed.

MEM. Grist Mills, Fueling Mills, Cotton Mills, Oil Mills, Paper Mills, Saw Mills, will be insured at special Rates of Premium.

N. B. Country Houses, standing detached from other Buildings though of the third Class, will be insured at one per cent.

Ships in Port, or their Cargoes; also, Ships building or repairing, may be insured against Fire.

Conditions of Insurance.

- 1. All applications for insurance must be made at the Office of the Company. 2. If the Property offered for Insurance is within the District of a Surveyor of this Company, he will examine and report thereon; but if not within any such District, then the Applicant must himself furnish an accurate and just Description thereof, viz. of what Materials each Building is constructed; whether occupied as Private Dwellings, or how otherwise; where situated; the Name of the present Occupiers; how situated with respect to other Buildings. And in the Insurance of Goods, Wares and Merchandise, the Place where the same are deposited is to be described; also, whether such Goods are of the kind denominated hazardous, and whether any Manufactory is carried on in the Premises; all which is to be certified and attested in such Manner as the Nature of the Case may admit. And if any Person or Persons shall insure his or their Buildings or Goods, and shall cause them to be described in the Policy otherwise than they really are, so as the same be charged at a lower Premium than is herein proposed; or if such Description be false or fraudulent, such Insurance will be void and of no effect. 3. Goods held in Trust, or on Commission, are to be declared as such; otherwise the Policy will not extend to cover such Property. 4. Every Policy of Insurance made by this Company, shall be sealed with its Seal, and signed by the President and Secretary; and the Person for whose Interest the Insurance is made, must be declared and named therein: No Policy or Interest therein, can be assigned but by consent of the Company, expressed by Endorsement made thereon. 5. No Insurance will be considered as made or binding until the Premium is paid. 6. Persons insuring property with this company, and who have already made other insurance on the same property shall give notice thereof in writing at the company's office before or at the Time of the execution of the policy; and persons who, after insuring property with this company, have insurance made on the same property elsewhere, shall, with all reasonable Diligence, notify the same in Writing at the Office of the company, and have the same endorsed on the policy, or otherwise acknowledged in Writing; in Default whereof, the policy shall cease and be of no effect; and in case of loss,

this company shall be liable to the payment only of a rateable proportion of the loss or damage which may be sustained.

7. No Loss or Damage by Fire will be paid, that may happen or take place in consequence of any Invasion, Civil Commotion, Riot, or Military or usurped Power whatsoever. But the Company will pay all Losses on Property burnt by Lightning.

8. Books of Accounts, written Securities, Notes, Bills, Bonds, Deeds, ready Money, or Bullion, cannot be insured.

9. Jewels, Plate, Medals, or other curiosities, Paintings and Sculpture, are not included in any Insurance, unless such Articles are specified in the Policy.

10. All Persons insured by this Company sustaining any Loss or Damage by Fire are forthwith to give Notice to the Company, and, as soon after as possible, to deliver in as particular an Account of their Loss or Damage, signed with their own hands, as the Nature of the Case will admit, and make Proof of the same by their Oath or Affirmation, and by their Books of Accounts, and other proper Vouchers as shall be reasonably required; and shall make Oath whether any and what other Insurance is made on the same Property; and shall procure and produce a Certificate, under the Hand and Seal of a Magistrate or Notary Public of the City or Town where the Fire happened, not concerned in such Loss, that he has examined into the Cause of such Fire and Loss; and his Opinion thereon together with the Affidavit or Affidavits annexed thereto, of such Person or Persons as shall be examined before him, in Relation to such Fire and Loss, stating the Circumstances, as near as possible, how such Fire happened, & the amount of the Loss such Person hath sustained thereby. And until such Affidavits and Certificates are produced, the Loss shall not be payable. Also if there appears any Fraud or false Swearing, the Insured shall forfeit his Claim to Restitution or Payment, by Virtue of his Policy.

11. In Case any Difference shall arise, touching any Loss or Damage, it may be submitted to the Judgment of Arbitrators indifferently chosen, whose Award in Writing, under Oath, shall be binding on the Parties. And when any Loss or Damage shall happen, the Company shall pay for the same in sixty Days after the Loss shall have been ascertained and proved.

12. Insurance may be made for seven Years; by paying the Premium for six Years; and for less Number of Years than seven a reasonable Discount will be allowed.

N. B. The company do not hold themselves responsible to give Notice of the Expiration of policies, but will in all cases endeavour to cause seasonable information to be given of the same.

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby informed that the subscriber is duly appointed surveyor for the said Washington Insurance company, of such buildings as shall be offered for Insurance in the said company or in which goods wares merchandise or household furniture offered for insurance in the said company shall be stored, deposited or kept within the state of N. C. Owners of property theretore in the town of Newbern or its vicinity desirous of insuring the same in this company will apply to the Subscriber to make the necessary examination and report.

Elias Hawes.

Newbern, Dec. 20.

NATHAN THOMAS. MERCHANT TAILOR.

INFORMS the inhabitants of Newbern, and the Public in general, that he has returned from N. York, and has taken a House in Craven Street, a few doors south of the State Bank, nearly opposite his old stand, where may be had on reasonable terms all kinds of Goods in his line of business, consisting in part of the first quality of Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, vestings, &c.—He returns his thanks to all those who favor'd him with any part of their custom the last year, & hopes for a continuance, as he has spared no pains in selecting his Goods, and has furnished himself with as good workmen as can be found in the City of New-York—he receives the latest fashions from New-York & Philadelphia monthly, and thinks he can safely say that any gentlemen who will favor him with their custom, shall have their work done in the best manner and newest style, or be furnished with any article in the clothing line, as he keeps constantly a general assortment of clothes ready made.—But call gentlemen and try for yourselves, and you shall receive the subscribers thanks, "and by his works ye shall know him." Newbern Nov. 8.

Notice.

Will be offered at public Sale.

AT the House of the Subscriber on the 30th of January next, the plantation whereon I now live, containing

235 Acres.

It is deem unnecessary to give a description of the land as no person will purchase without first viewing the premises. Terms will be made known on the day of sale.

Elizabeth Bray.

January, 15th 1818

State of North-Carolina. Craven County.

By Joseph Bell and Thomas Sparrow, Esquires, two of the Justices of the Peace for said County.

WHEREAS complaint hath this day been made to us, two of the Justices of the peace for the said county, by Edmund Hatchsen'r. of this County, that two certain Negro Slaves belonging to him, named JOHN and JOE, have absented themselves from their said Master's service, and are lurking about in the said county, committing many acts of felony and other misdeeds. These are therefore in the name of the State, to command the said Slaves forthwith to surrender themselves and return home to their Master. And we do hereby also require the Sheriff of the said County of Craven, to make diligent search and pursuit after the above mentioned Slaves, and them having found, to apprehend and secure, so that they may be conveyed to their said Master, or otherwise discharged as the law directs, and the said Sheriff is hereby empowered to raise and take with him such power of his county as he may think fit for apprehending the said Slaves: And we do hereby by virtue of an Act of Assembly of this State, concerning servants and Slaves, intimate and declare, if the said Slaves John and Joe, do not surrender themselves and return home immediately after the publication of these presents, that any person may kill and destroy the said Slaves, by such means as he or they may think fit, without accusation or impeachment of any crime or offence for so doing, or without incurring any penalty or forfeiture thereby.

Given under our hands and seals at Newbern, this 12th day of Sept. A. D. 1817.

JOSEPH BELL. (Seal.) THO'S. SPARROW. (Seal.)

Description of the above Outlaws.

John is about 23 years old 5 feet three or four inches high yellow complexion, large feet and hands, one of his fore teeth wanting, and has the broad E. H. on each of his cheeks.—Joe is about 22 years old, 5 feet seven or eight inches high, is very stout built, yellow complexion, and has lost some of the toes off each of his feet by the frost, beginning at the great toe on each foot.—I will give a reward of 50 DOLLARS to any person who will bring to me alive either or each of the above described Slaves, or secure them in jail so that I get them again, or I will give \$100 for each of their heads.

Edmund Hatch, Craven County, Sept. 20

Taken Up

AND committed to Jail on the sixth inst. a mulatto NEGRO man, who calls his name MOSES, and says that he belongs to Harry Hunter of Tarborough, (N. C.) and that he is by trade a Blacksmith: had in his possession from one to two hundred dollars, and a watch, further description is deemed unnecessary.—The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away. Tho's. Masters, Jailr Newbern Jan 7, 1818.

LIST OF LETTERS Remaining in the Newbern Post-Office.

DEC. 31, 1817.

Burton Allen, (2) Mr. Antaney, Christopher Bragg, Mrs. Ann Battle, M. Boggy James Beasley, Hardy Brown, James Battle, Mrs. Sarah Brown, Capt. Henry Bratthoff, John Bland, James B. Benton, Wm. Beasley, John Bunker, James Bryan, (2) Nathaniel Briggs, Edwin Becton, Mr. Bacque, Thomas Brouder, John Bell, Asa Bishop, Charles Butler, Joseph Brinson, Mrs. Nancy B. Bryan, Henry Carraway, (2) Mrs. Harriet Cook, R. Carman, Benjamin Cheney, James H. Cary, (2) Solomon Childs, Mrs. Castix, John Charlott, George Cooper, Capt. John Conness, Thomas Cheek, Gordon Cloyd, (2) George Chase, Joseph Caruthers, John Crawford, L. Dowdy, Creed Dudley, (3) Capt. Dalrymple, John D. Delacy, Daniel Daughety, jun'r Phelis Dominic, (2) John G. Edwards, Wm. Ennis, Mrs. Easton, Dr. P. Edwards, (2) Frederick Foy, Allen Fitch, David Forlaw, (2) John Franklin, Simon Fostique, Dr. John A. Green, 2 Mrs. Hollon Green, Wm. Gatlin, David Gatlin, F. G. George, Thomas Gray, Augustin Ghio, (2) John N. Giddens, (2) Benjamin C. Good, Miss Mary G. Heritage, (2) Charles Holland, Miss Jane G. Hall, Wm. Heritage, (2) Mrs. Margaret Hart, David Harrell, Mrs. Sarah Hall, Daniel Hill, Attorney at Law, Wm. B. Harmon, James T. Jones, (2) Roger Jones, Wm. Jones, Reuben P. Jones, Mrs. Mary Johnston, (apt. Wm. Jackson, M. Johnston, John P. Koffke, Wm. Kinsey, Justus King, Rob't. Lanier, Joseph Long, R. Leigh, L. Leach, Wm. McKinney, (3) Wallace Moore, Wm. Mitchell sen'r. (3) Benjamin Mason, Mrs. Morning, Thomas Maysee, Capt. McKown, John McCabe, John McMaster, (2) John Moore, Moses Mordecai, Capt. Mills, G. Murphey-Turner-Nelson, George Nelson, Mrs. Mary Nelson, Miss Ann M. Neale, John B. Oliver, Mrs. Mary Oliver, Theophilus Odum, Ordinary of Newbern, Zackus Paul, Capt. Jacob Phillips, Capt. Simeon Pendleton, (2) Capt. M. Price, Mrs. Mary Physioc, John Potts, (2) George Pollock, Mrs. Sarah Paul, Joseph Physioc, Abner Pearce, John Perry, (2) Elijah Pittman, Jesse Paul, C. Roach, sr. Wm. Rhodes, Benjamin Roe, Wm. Roan, Gideon Ricketson, Hobart Robertson, Joseph Rhine, John Slye, (4) John Strong, 2 Col. W. S. Sparrow, Genl. Samuel Simpson, (2) Silas S. Stevenson, Mrs. Mary Sharp, Wm. Sparrow, Thomas Smith, John Smith, Elinne Shepherd, Thomas Scott, John Silvester, Mrs. Mary Sanders, Miss M. D. Smythe, Hosea Smith, Capt. Wm. Sparrow, James Saunders, Thomas Sparrow, 2 Henry Tew, James Taylor, Francis S. Tindell, Daniel Toulson, Capt. Aaron Usher, Seth Umphrey, Joseph Vail, Mrs. Elizabeth Vail, Ichabod Wetmore, 2 Jeremiah Wetherston, Wm. Williams, 2 Ezekiah Williams, 2 Richard Winslow, 2 Mrs. Rebecca Wallace, Bryant C. Woods, John Walsh, John Witherspoon, Isaac Williams, Robert M. Wallace.

(199) T. Watson, P. M.

40 DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN-AWAY from the subscriber living on Lime stone Creek, Duplin County, on the 20th of October, two Negro Men, named

SAMPSON and JOE.

Sampson is about 50 years of age 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, dark complexion, thick set from his hips up, and below rather slender, wore away a tarpolin hat, a yarn homespun jacket and a new pair of tow cloth trousers, has holes in both of his ears, and wears rings in them.—Joe is about 30 years of age, upwards of six feet high, black complexion, slender made, and one of his toes on his left foot next his big toe has been cut off—wore away a striped homespun jacket & tow cloth trousers.—They both speak very broken english, not being long in the country.—It is likely they will make for some seaport town, and try and get on board some vessel, either at Newbern, Swansborough or Wilmington.—I will give the above reward of FORTY DOLLARS if taken out of the County, or TWENTY DOLLARS if taken in said County, and deliver them to me in Duplin County, or secure them in any Jail in the State, so that I get them again, and all reasonable expences shall be paid, or a proportionable part for either of them. Masters of vessels and all other persons are forbidden from harboring, employing or carrying them away, under the penalty of the law.

Easler Killpatrick Duplin County Nov. 1, 1817.