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TAKEN up, at the mouth of *Bay river*, in *Craven county*, the 4th of this instant (*November*) a negro man, who says his name is *WILL*, about 30 years of age, about 6 feet high, has a mark in his forehead imitating a diamond, a circle round each eye (supposed to be his country mark) but two toes on the right foot, and says he belongs to *Mr. Hardy*. The owner may have him by applying to me.

JOHN RIGGS.

PAPER MANUFACTORY.

BY our unhappy Contest with *Great Britain*, and the necessary Restrictions on our Trade, Paper has been an Article for which we, in this State, have much suffered, for though there are many Paper Mills in the Northern Colonies, where Paper is made in great Perfection, yet, by the Interruption of the *Clony Trade* by Water, the Southern Colonies have experienced a very great Scarcity of that necessary Article. To remedy this Evil, and throw in their Mite towards the Perfection of *American Manufactures*, the Proprietors of a *PAPER MILL* just erected near *Hillsborough*, in *Orange County*, give Notice to the Public, that their Mill is now ready to work, and if a sufficient Quantity of Rags can be had, they will be able to supply this State with all Sorts of Paper. They therefore request the Favour of the Public, and more particularly the Mistresses of Families, and the Ladies in general, whose more peculiar Province it is, to save all their Rags and Scraps of Linen of all Sorts; old Thread Stockings, Thrums from their Linen Looms, and every Kind of Linen, is useful. As this Undertaking is novel, saving of Rags may perhaps be thought too trifling, and below the Notice of the good Matrons of this State; but when they consider they are aiding and assisting in a necessary Manufacture, and when the young Ladies are assured, that by sending to the Paper Mill an old Handkerchief, no longer fit to cover their snowy Breasts, there is a Possibility of its returning to them again in the more pleasing Form of a Billet Deaux from their Lovers, the Proprietors flatter themselves with great Success. Persons in the several Towns and Counties in the State will be appointed to receive Rags, for which a good Price will be given.

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The ACTS of the last Session of Assembly, held at *Newbern* in *April* last.

* * Mr. *PINKNEY*, who was appointed Printer to this State in *April* last, being dead, and no Prospect of the State's being able to get their Laws printed, Mr. *DAVIS* informs the Public, that he has undertaken this necessary Work, and will dispatch them to the several Counties as soon as possible.

NEWBERN, *October 21, 1777.*

WHEREAS by sundry Acts of the Assembly of the State of *Georgia*, the following Encouragement is given to such Persons as will come and settle in the said State, *viz.* Five Hundred Acres of Land for every Head of a Family, and Fifty Acres for every white Person belonging to the same, and also Fifty Acres for each Negro, not exceeding ten in Number.

This is therefore to inform the Public in general, that the above mentioned Terms will be complied with to all such Persons as are inclined to remove and settle in the said State.

There are also two Battalions of Minute Men now raising, to continue for two Years. The above Bounty in Land is given, and also a Bounty of Thirty Dollars in Money, and Twenty Pence Sterling per Day, with the same Rations of Provisions as the continental Troops for the Privates. These Battalions will be stationed on the western Frontiers of the State, where the Lands are granted, and are not to be removed but in Time of actual Invasion, and then to return to their former Station as soon as the Service will permit.

JOSEPH WOOD, } Continental
EDWARD LANGWORTHY, } Delegates.

NEWBERN, *June 27, 1777.*

RUN away from *Green Spring*, near *Newbern*, a Negro Fellow named *SMART*, very black, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, well made, and very likely, speaks broken English, but very artful and insinuating. He is supposed to be lurking about *Slocumb's Creek*, with a Fellow belonging to *Mr. Almond*, and a Gang of Runaways belonging to the late *Mr. Clear's* Estate. Whoever brings the said Slave to *Green Spring* aforesaid, shall have Five Dollars Reward.

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