THE ARITHMETIC OF HAPPINESS.

To simple numerals, either Roman or Arabic, I make no allusion. I stop not to stigmatise the dishonest spendthrift, who, being anxious to cut a figure in the world, and to take good care of number one, makes a great dash until the affairs are all at sixes and sevens, is eventually reduced to a cipher, takes refuge in some continental hospital for pecuniary incurables, and when he dies, affords old Nick a fair opportunity to dot and carry one. No, I would simply refer to the four arithmetical rules - multiplication, addition, substraction, division—by a careful study of which we may steer into the harbor of happiness with the same certainty that the sailor reaches his desiderated port by consulting the points of the compass.

"Happiness!" exclaims the reader, "what so easy to lose, what so difficult to attain!"

Pardon me, you are wrong in both positions, because you have forgotten your arithmetic. Recollect how memory multiplies the joys that are past—how hope multiplies those that are to come. The whole life of a good man may be a continuously grateful recollection of duties discharged, an ever present antepast of the celestial beatitudes — Take this extatic feeling for your multiplicand, three score and ten years for your average multiplicator, and then add up the quantum of happiness attainable even in this world! If we would but make a right calculation of life, how incalculably would it rise in our estimation! What a glorious and delightful enigma is mere existence, apart from all accidents and concomitants.—Is it nothing, when you might have been a spider, an earwig, a tadpole, to be a lord of this beautiful creation, a reasoning being, with all his proud privileges and enjoyments? Add up all these capacities for felicity, get the sum total by heart and be grateful.

And sickness, failure, misfortune, unhappiness, those master miseries of which we so loudly complain when they occur, what are they but interruptions of health, success, good fortune, joy? What are they but the salutary changes and checks which will give a zest to the return of our former state, even as hunger imparts a higher relish to food, and fatigue enhances the pleasures of repose. Many are the men who would never know they had been living in the possession of blessings unless they occasionally lost them. This is one of the advantages of subtraction, a precious rule of moral arithmetic, when we calculate it rightly.

If the grumblers who are envious of their superiors, and discontented with their own lot, would but substract those above from the agregate of those beneath them, they would generally find themselves much beyond the mean position. The balance is in their favor, and if they understood arithmetic, they would be thankful that they are no lower, instead of being discontented that they are not higher.

And why, while complaining of present disappointments, are we so rarely grateful for past pleasures? Because we do not understand the rule of multiplication. When the mirror, slipping from the boy's hand, was shattered to pieces, showing him his face in every fragment, he exclaimed.

"How fortunate that I let it fall! I have now twenty looking-glasses instead of one."

Such might be our own reflections when any long enjoyed advantage falls broken to the ground. We should multiply it by the twenty years during which we possessed it, add the future hope of its recovery, and by deducting the whole from the quantum of our present discontent, the latter ought to be reduced to a cipher.

The most miserable man that ever lived would diminish his ground of complaint by a third at least, if he would subtract from his sufferings the hours of sleep, during which he was on a par with the happiest.—An eastern fabulist recording a king who dreampt every night that he was a beggar, and a beggar who dreampt every night that he was a king, inquires which of the two, supposing each to have slept twelve hours out of the twenty four, had the greatest or the least enjoyment of existence. If there be any truth in the *crede quod habes et habes*, and we exchange the monarch's day or the mendicant's night, we shall reduce the enjoyments of the two to an equation. And this is what Providence is constantly effecting, by a system of drawbacks and compensations; by balancing the fear of losing what we have, against the hope of gaining what we have not.

Instead of mournfully adding up the amount of any loss as a ground work for complaint, it would be well to subtract it from what is left, that we may see how much remains as a basis for gratitude. It is very absurd, says Plutarch, to lament for what is lost, and not to rejoice for what it left, *a propos* to which he quotes a wise speech of Aristippus, the Cyreniac philosopher, who having lost a considerable farm, said to one who seemed excessively to compassionate his misfortune,

"You have but one field, I have three left; why should I not rather grieve for you!"

Discontent becomes still more unreasonable when people bewail the loss of that of which the possession gives them no pleasure. Determined to reserve to themselves a right of complaint, they toss up with fate upon the same knavish principle as the schoolboy's "heads I win—tails you lose."

Division, also, is a valuable rule, for we have our sorrows by imparting them to a sympathising friend; while, contradictory as it may sound, we double our own gratifications by sharing them with another. In conclusion, let it be recollected by those who study the calculations and the arithmetic of happiness, that the merest trifles may be made to minister to its support, even as a swimmer is enabled to keep his head above water by bladders filled with air;—that the burden which is well and cheerfully borne ceases to be felt; that not to wish for a thing is the same as to have it;—that not to regret a loss is still to possess what we like, simply by liking what we have.

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Jan 24 n5 Petersburg, Va.

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

ORDERED by the Court, that John L. Christian, Sheriff of Montgomery, be allowed to sell, at the Court House in Lawrenceville, on the first Monday in April next, the following Tracts of Land, or so much thereof, as will satisfy the taxes due thereon for the years 1840, and 1841, if not previously settled:

Alexander Martin, 100 Acres, situated on Little River, valued at $100; amount of tax due, $0 66
Bryant Rigans, 300 acres, situated on Little River, valued at $1000; amount of tax due, 4 95
H. & T. Sugg for H. Sugg's estate, 985 acres, situated on Little River, valued at $1047; amount of tax due, 7 60
Milly Davis, 50 acres, situated on Richland Creek, valued at $25; amount of tax due, 16¾
Nathaniel Knight, 50 acres, situated on Woodrun Creek, valued at $700; amount of tax due, 6 69½
Stancil Scarbrough, 426 acres, situated on Harris Creek, valued at $426; amount of tax due, 3 50
William Wade, 195 acres, situated on Hamer's Creek, valued at $390; amount of tax due, 2 58
Martin C. Williams, 393 acres, situated on Clark's Creek, valued at $626; amount of tax due, 5 65
William T. Wooley, 50 acres, situated on Hamer's Creek, valued at $25; amount of tax due, 0 16½
Soble Bowlin, 175 acres, situated on the waters of Little River, valued at $100; amount of tax due, 0 78
William P. Harris, 150 acres, situated on Beaver Dam Creek, valued at $150; amount of tax due, 1 17
Haywood & Cupples, 541 acres, situated on Rocky Creek, valued at $200; amount of tax due, 4 00

JOHN L CHRISTIAN, Sheriff.
Price adv. $5 00.—11—3t

CITY TAXES —Notice is hereby given, that I shall attend at the City Hall, on Friday, the 31st instant, from ten o'clock in the forenoon, to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of taking the City Tax List for the current year.

All *free Males*, who have resided within the City for three months previous to the said 31st of March, are subject to Poll Tax.

Persons failing to give in their Taxables, on the day specified, are liable to a fine of Two Dollars, which will be rigidly enforced.

W. R. GALES, *Int Pol.*
Raleigh, March 9, 1843. 11 3t.

To Printers and others.

BY a Resolution of the General Assembly, ratified the 26th of January, 1843, the PUBLIC TREASURER is authorized to have printed, on terms the most favorable to the State, a Manuscript Volume in the Governor's Office, entitled "*Indexes to Colonial Documents relative to North Carolina*," from the Offices of Board of Trade and the State Paper Offices of the British Government. The work will probably consist of 250 pages, and is to be of Octavo form; and as the value of the work will depend essentially on its accuracy, the most scrupulous attention will be required from the Contractor. Each page is to consist of not less than 1050 Small Pica *ems*, and to be leaded; to be done up in Pamphlet form, stitched and cut, outside sheet to be thick coloured paper with the Title thereon.

Sealed Proposals, through the Post Office, or otherwise, endorsed "Proposals to print Colonial Documents," will be received at this Office, until the last day of this month, and the Contractor will state how much per page, or how much per copy for 50 copies, he will charge for the Work, executed according to the above Proposals.

JNO. H. WHEELER, Pub. Treas.
Treasury Office, March 20, 1843. } 12.

PROSPECTUS
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COLD WATER MAGAZINE.

This work is to be, as its title indicates, devoted to the cause of Temperance; and it is fully hoped and confidently anticipated, that our exertions, through the medium of its pages, will be productive of much good, especially to the *young* and *rising generation*, for whom it is more peculiarly designed. It will be our aim to inculcate, by statements of facts, by illustrations, interesting narratives, sketches and tales, the principles of TOTAL ABSTINENCE and sound morality to give the young a just abhorrence of the use of intoxicating drinks, and cause them to shun every temptation which may lead to so baneful a practice; to incite in them a just and laudable desire to benefit their fellow men, by adding their mite of influence to the moral power which is now at work, and which promises to wipe away the blot upon the fair fame of our country; to aid thilhereformer, and encourage the reformed in their praiseworthy efforts to conquerthe enslaving passion for drink, which has debased so many of the noblest hearts and proudest intellects; to speak the words of hope and encouragement to the drunkard, and of sober truth and remonstrance to those who still persist in the unholy, unchristian and unmanly practice of dealing in that which is blighting the fairest flowers, poisoning the holiest affections severing the fondest ties, and filling the land with crime, misery and wo.

To aid us in the undertaking, we have secured the services of Messrs. N. MOORE and A. FITZ, gentlemen warmly devoted to and actively engaged in the cause, as editors; and about of contributors of sterling merit, whose productons cannot fail of being the instruments of much good, if widely disseminated.

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PRINTERS.

Other men may eat, drink and sleep; may live, and move, and had a living like decent creatures; the merchant may relax in the limb of sickness, or retire at the seasons of enjoyment; the mechanic may forego a job when he breaks a limb or chooses to go a fishing; the farmer may work or let it alone, and the mariner has frequent intermission amidst the toils and storms of his career; and the world was not confusion, nevertheless. They only comparatively feel the consequences. Not so with the printer—the slave of types. For him there shines no holiday; no repose, no retreat awaits his tried powers. When he skulks, the world comes to an end and chaos riots.—*Oxford Mercury.*

THE OLD MAXIM REVERSED.

"Divided we stand; united we fall," as the drunkard said to his rum-bottle.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having, at the last Term of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for Wake County, taken letters of administration according to law on the estate of Joseph Peace, deceased, hereby gives general notice to all creditors of said estate to present their claims duly authenticated within the time limited by law for that purpose—otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

Debtors to the said estate will also please to make payment immedtately.

WILL. W. HOLDEN, Adm'r.
March 1st. 1843. 10 3t.

Valuable Plantation for sale.

The subscriber offers for sale that valuable plantation, 5 miles west of Raleigh, called Oak Grove containing about 500 acres, a part of which is as good as any in the county. There is a snug dwelling house on the premises. It is one of the most delightful situations for a country residence any where to be found. Apply to

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NOTICE.

The following tracts of land will be offered for sale at the Court House door in the town of Pittsboro', Chatham County, on the 2nd Monday in March next, or as much thereof as will satisfy the taxes due on said tracts for the year 1840.

Owners' Names.	No. Acres	Year due.	Am't Taxes.
Benjamon Buckhanon	200	1840	7 13½
Benjamon Spivey	427	"	7 04
James Gunter	200	"	1 62½
John Gunter of Moore	53	"	33½
Brithie Drake	150	"	1 16½
Richard Holt Jr	50	"	1 16½
John Hughs	325	"	1 08½
Bennet Holloman	100	"	66⅔
Hezekiah Harman	186	"	2 00
Henry Lightfoot—2 imp—4 unimp lots in Haywood		"	1 75
Thompson Lawrence	100	"	2 73½
Daniel McClarie—1 improved lot in Haywood	63	"	2 42
Albert Segroves	136	"	1 45
John Utley	79	"	1 76⅔
Do for Mrs. Utley's Estate	196	"	50
Mrs Lucy Utley	200	"	1 33½
John Burns Jr	140	"	1 46⅔
Edward Burns	177	"	1 61⅔
Caleb Beal	180	"	1 50
Willis Coggin	200	"	3 00
Daniel Campbell	79	"	1 66⅔
Merrit Dickens	175	"	1 25
James Dowdy	217	"	3 44½
Reuben Hart	125	"	41⅔
Catharine Hurley	96	"	2 66⅔
Elisha Hart	100	"	1 50
Joab Johnson	170	"	7 66⅔
James Johnson	120	"	1 66⅔
Nancy Melver	100½	"	3 75
John Melver Jr	354½	"	3 23½
Henry Oldham	88	"	1 44
Dennis Tysor	100	"	3 83½
Oran Williams	100	"	1 66⅔
Nathan Vestal	100	"	1 50
John Edwards	25	"	1 13½
Alvis Burns	250	"	4 06½
John Baily	50	"	33 1-2
Thos Clarke Jr	350	"	4 66 1-2
Silas Clarke	136	"	56
Herbert Cooper	85	"	1 26 1-2
William Ellington	70	"	1 33½
Wesley Edwards	150	"	3 00
Anderson Gleen	160	"	1 66⅔
Joshua Holladay	100	"	83⅓
William Mitchum	140	"	1 66⅔
Mary Mitchum	200	"	1 33 1-2
Do	100	"	1 33 1-2
Tabitha Myrick	75	"	23 1-2
Isaac Richardson	97	"	1 66⅔
Joseph Rogers	317	"	4 33⅓
Albra Williams	74	"	16⅔
John Hadley	100	"	2 33⅓
Do	100	"	
Isaac Clarke	114	"	66½
Alfred Fleming	570	"	7 50
Do for Liles heirs	160	"	
Do	300	"	
Do	200	"	8 63 1-2
Adam Brower	548	"	
Do	46	"	
Do	23	"	2 41 1-2
Wilson Brewer	170	"	
Do	425	"	2 00
Mary Cheek	50	"	16⅔
Claborne Deaton	193	"	
Do	24	"	1 10
Polly Fooshee	78	"	1 16 1-2
Elizabeth Fooshee	40	"	1 25
Charles Jones	150	"	1 52
John Mazey	97	"	1 16⅔
Daniel McNeil	359	"	1 34
Paisey McCarter	150	"	34
Michael Phillips	50	"	1 17
William Triplet	75	"	16⅔
Jacob Teague	100	"	16 2 3
Willing Hardue	350	"	1 67 1-2
Daniel Carroll	111	"	1 37 1-2
Joel A Elkins	200	"	3 00
Thomas E Glass	170	"	2 66 1-2
John Glass	196	"	2 00
Do	130	"	2 16 1-2
John H Hawkins	330	"	
Do	305	"	
Do	300	"	9 55
Henry Jeffreys	650	"	2 33⅓
Benjamon Jones	320	"	2 10
David Mitchell	112	"	1 33⅓
Lindsale Phillips	230	"	
Do	40	"	2 00
Do for John Nauls Heirs	160	"	33⅓
Richard Phillips	60	"	1 16⅔
Ambrose Smith	350	"	
Do	218	"	2 05
Nicholas Stone	100	"	1 75
John Thompson	70	"	1 34

WILL. P. TAYLOR, late Sheriff.
Jan'y 25, 1843. price adv. $19 50 5-6w.

PLAYING CARDS.

In Goodrich's History of France, we find the following interesting account of the early history and signification of playing cards:

"It is a very singular fact, that no change has been made in the form of figures on cards, since the time of Charles VI. Those which are now played with, resemble in all respects those which were used to amuse that monarch, and a very just idea of the dress of that period may be obtained from them.

The figures had a distinct meaning. By the hearts, were meant the churchmen, from the French word *cœur*, meaning heart, and these cards are called "*gens de chœur*," or choirmen. By the spades, which are in fact pikeheads, are meant the noblest or military, By the square stones, or tiles, which we call diamonds but which the French call *carreaux*, were intended the class of workmen. And lastly, the suit, which we call clubs, but which is in fact a leaf of clover or trefoil, was meant to represent the peasantry."

A WINDFALL.

The heirs of our eldest and wealthiest citizens, who died a few weeks back, on taking possession of his house, discovered a large sum of money of which they had no previous knowledge whatever. They continued their researches until the sum of one hundred thousand dollars was collected, (of which there is no account left by the deceased,) part in bank bills, but the larger portion in checks one two or three years old, upon our city banks—not certified—yet every dollar of which was promptly paid on presentation at the different banks. Such windfalls are rare enough. [American.

Two Hundred Dollars Reward

PROCLAMATION,

By His Excellency, JOHN M. MOREHEAD, *Governor, Cap tin General, and Commander in Chief, of the State of North Carolina.*

WHEREAS, it has been made appear to the Executive Department, that, at the last Term of the Puperior Court of the County of Cabarrus the Grand Jury found a true Bill against MARK KISOR, for the murder of JAMES S. RUSSEL; and the said Kisor has fled from justice:

Now, therefore, to the end that said Mark Kisor may be arrested and brought to trial for the said offence, I do hereby issue this my Proclamation, offering a Reward of Two Hundred Dollars, for the apprehension and delivrey of the saio Mark Kisor, to the Sheriff of Cabarrus: And I do, moreover, hereby enjoin and require all Officers of this State Civil and Military, to use their best exertions to apprehend, and tocause to be apprehended, the said fugive aforesaid.

Given under my hand as Governor &c, and to which I have caused the Great Seal of State to be affixed.

Done at our City of Raleigh, this 25th October 1842.

JOHN M. MOREHEAD.

By his Excellency's command,
PAYON REYNOLD'S, Pri. Sec.

DESCRIPTION

Said Kisor is about 30 years of age, five feet ten inches high, dark hair, square shoulders, dark skin, large mouth, some appearance of scald-head, speaks quick, is a Blacksmith by trade, has a bad countenance, and fond of carrying his Rifle. and of Liquor. He has a brother in Georgia, and two sisters in Mississppi, one married to Parrot Evans, the other to —— Collins. 44 8w

Star, Standard, Salisbury Watchman, and Highland Messenger, will each eight weeks, unless sooner countermanded and foward bills to Executive Department.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Chatham County.
Court of Equity—Fall Term, 1842.

Alexander Johnson and others.
vs
Horace D. Bridges and wife and others
Petition to sell the lands of Joab Johnson Dec'd.

In this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that Horace D. Bridges and wife, W. H. Stone and wife, John S. Mundane and Wife, and Nicho'as S. Johnston, are not inhabitants of this State; it is therefore ordered that publication be made for 6 weeks, in the Raleigh Star, commanding them to appear before the Hon. the Judge of our said Court, at the court house in Pittsborough, on the 3rd Monday in March next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, or the same will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to them.

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Raleigh, Dec. 1841. 50

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Hertford County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—November Term, 1842.

Jere D. Askew vs Joseph R Askew. } Original attachment levied on land.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant in this case has absented himself from the State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him; it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for six weeks, notifying the said Joseph R. Askew, that he be and appear before the Justices at the next Court to be held for the County of Hertford, at the Court House in Winton, on the fourth Monday of February next, then and there replevy the property attached and plead; otherwise judgment final will be entered up against him, and the property condemned subject to the plaintiff's recovery according to Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

Witness, Lewis M. Cowper, Clerk of the said Court, at Winton, the fourth Monday of November, A. D. 1842.

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Sep. 27.

NOTICE.

THERE will be sold on the second Monday in March next, at the Court House in Whiteville, Columbus county, the following Tracts of land, or so much thereof as will satisfy the Taxes and charges thereon for the years of 1840 & 1841.

First 50 acres of land the property of the heirs of George Harper, in Crewsoe Island.

Do 50 said Harper's heirs joining the above.

300 acres the property of the heirs of Josiah Handen, on the Brown Marsh.

100 acres, the property of the heirs of John Godwin, deceased, on the waters of Lumber River.

Also 170 acres, the same on the same waters.

300 acres the heirs of Willis Swindals, on the road leading from Whiteville to Wilmington.

7 50 the heirs of Samuel Swindall, on the Brown Marsh

200 acres more or less, the heirs of Jacob Crowson, on Porter Swamp.

300 acres, more or less, the property of John Robbins, near Sowlses Swamp.

J. WILLIAMSON.
Dec. 16, 1842.
Price adv. $5. 51 3w

State of North Carolina,
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions,
December Term, 1842

William Harding vs. Mary Glover, David M. Matthews, Litt'y Matthews. } Original Attachment Levied on Land and Mill.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Mary Glover, David Matthews and Littlebury Matthews, the Defendants in this case, are non-residents of this State; it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for six weeks for Defendants to appear at the next term of this Court, at the Court House in the Town of Jackson, to be held the 1st Monday in March next; then and there to plead, answer, replevy or demurrer, otherwise the same will be taken *pro confesso* and heard *ex-parte*. Witness, Thos. Hughes, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the 1st Monday of December, 1842.

THOS. HUGHES, Clk.
Price Adv. $5 62½. 6 6w

LOUISBURG N. C.

THE PUBLIC are informed, that Mrs. H. B. BOBBITT wil keep a **Select School** for *YOUNG LADIES*, the next year, at her own House, in which School will be taught the following:

For the Latin and French Languages, (per session) $10
For the higher branches of English, Embroidery and Needle work included, 7
For beginners, 6
Music, (a separate charge) 20

Board for Young Ladies may be had with the Preceptress, at $35 per Session, payable at any time during the year.

Dec. 21st, 1842. 1—3t.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
Hertford County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—November Term, 1842.

Daniel Valentine vs Joseph R. Askew. } Original attachment levied on land.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant in this case has absented himself from the State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for six weeks, notifying the said Joseph R. Askew, that he be and appear before the Justices at the next Court to be held for the county of Hertford, at the Court House in Winton, on the fourth Monday of February next, then and there replevy the property attached and plead; otherwise judgment final will be entered up against him, and the property condemned subject to the plaintiffs' recovery according to act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

Witness, Lewis M. Cowper, Clerk of the said Court, at Winton, the Fourth Monday of November, A. D. 1842.

L. M. COWPER, Clk.
Price adv. $5 62 2—6w.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Hertford County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—November Term, 1842.

Lewis M. Jeggetts & Co. vs Joseph R. Askew. } Original attachment levied on land.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant in this case has absented himself from the State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for six weeks, notifying the said Joseph R. Askew, that he be and appear before the Justices at the next Court to be held for the County of Hertford, at the Court House in Winton, on the fourth Monday of February next, then and there replevy the property attached and plead; otherwise judgment final will be entered up against him, and the property condemned subject to the plaintiff's recovery according to act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

Witness, Lewis M. Cowper, Clerk of the said Court, at Winton, the fourth Monday of November, A. D. 1842.

L. M. COWPER, Clk.
Price adv. $5 62 2—6w

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Hertford County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—November Term, 1842.

Lewis M. Jeggetts vs. Joseph R. Askew. } Original attachment levied on land.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant in this case has absented himself from the State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him; it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Raleigh Star for six weeks, notifying the said Joseph R. Askew, that he be and appear before the Justices at the next Court to be held for the County of Hertford, at the Court House in Winton on the fourth Monday of February next, then and there replevy the property attached and plead; otherwise judgment final will be entered up against him, and the property condemned subject to the plaintiff's recovery according to Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

Witness, Lewis M. Cowper, Clerk of the said Court, at Winton, the fourth Monday of November, A. D. 1842.

L. M. COWPER, Clk.
Price Adv. $5 62 2—6w

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Bertie County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—November Term, 1842.

Andrew J. Askew vs Alexander O. Askew. } Disputed will.

On motion in open court, it is ordered that publication be made for six weeks in the Raleigh Star, for John Hare and wife Mary, of the State of Tennessee, and Dorsey Outlaw and wife Clarissa E., of the State of Mississippi, (Distributees of Mary Askew, dec'd.) that they make their personal appearance (or by attorney) at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions. to be held for the county of Bertie, at the court house in Windsor, on the second Monday of February next, and enter their caveat, or Judgment pro confesso will be taken against them.

By order of Court.
JONATHAN S. TAYLOE,
Clerk of Bertie Co. Court.
Price adv. $5 62 3—6t

VERY NEAT PATENT SELF PAYING TOBACCO BOX.

A neat little machine with the foregoing name stamped upon it, was exhibited to us this morning. It is intended for use in hotels and other public houses where tobacco is in demand. On depositing a penny in the box and pressing a spring, a little drawer shoots out containing a small paper of tobacco. But the drawer will not move, nor the call for tobacco be answered, however hard the spring may be pressed until the penny is dropped into the subtreasury of the machine.—Albany Evening Journal,