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## PROSPECTUS OF THE

### Greenville Mountaineer.

"It is of infinite moment that you should properly estimate the immense value of your National Union."  
Washington's Farewell Address.]

**A**T the earnest and solicitous request of a large and highly respectable number of the citizens of this and the adjoining districts, and with the assurance of a very considerable accession to his subscription list, Mr. Wells has been induced to resume the publication of the Greenville Mountaineer. Influenced by the known wishes of his former patrons, and the recent anxiety of others, the subscriber has consented to take upon himself again the editorial department of this paper. In doing so he is fully aware of the sacrifice he makes, and the responsibility which he must incur. If he consulted only his own feelings and interest, he would never subject himself again to the trouble and mortification necessarily attending the life of an Editor. He is, however, actuated by other and better motives. Our country is in a civil and most alarming crisis, and every one should be willing to lend his aid, no matter how feeble it may be, in averting the dangers by which she is surrounded.

The politics of the Greenville Mountaineer are well known. It would be sufficient for those who have heretofore been acquainted with this paper, to say that there will not be, in any respect, the slightest change in its tone and principles. But as this Prospectus is intended for new subscribers, and those who may not be acquainted with the course hitherto pursued by the Editor, it is proper that he should make a concise summary of those principles by which he will be governed.

The subscriber has, from his earliest political recollection, been devotedly and enthusiastically attached to those great republican principles on which this government is founded. He believes in the divine right and power of the people to make, alter and abolish, at pleasure, their forms of government. He is convinced that all good governments are founded on the virtue and intelligence of the people. He looks upon the government of the U. S. States as the wisest and the best that ever has or ever can be formed. He regards the Federal Constitution as the most perfect system of civil polity that the wisdom, virtue and patriotism of man can institute. He is opposed to all latitudinarian constructions of that sacred charter of our liberties. He is not, however, in all cases, in favour of a strict and literal construction of its principles. He believes the one will tend to consolidation and the destruction of all state rights; and he knows the other would disarm the general government of its ceded powers, and give to those which it does not possess. He refers to the Tariff as being a striking and remarkable instance of the latter. He is opposed to the American System in every form and measure that it has yet assumed. He regards that branch of it called the Tariff as an ingenious and dangerous fraud upon the Constitution. He believes it to be not only impolitic and unjust, but highly oppressive to the Southern country. In resisting its operations by all constitutional means in our power, he will ever be found among the foremost. To that mercenary system of Internal Improvement, now carried on by the general government, he is opposed, as well on account of its expediency, as its unconstitutionality. He does, however, believe in the right of Congress to construct roads for military purposes, when absolutely required as a "necessary and proper means" of carrying on war. He is opposed to the United States Bank, and believes its establishment to be one of the most palpable violations of the Constitution that has yet occurred. He regards the proposed division of the surplus revenue as the most unconstitutional and extravagant measure that could characterize any administration.

In regard to our state politics, he is with Huger, Smith, Drayton, Richardson, Manning, and the venerable Taylor. He is opposed to a Convention, at present, and in all probability will be for a number of years to come. He cannot see that a Convention could do any good, and he does believe that it might do much harm. Instead of resorting to such a procedure, he is rather disposed to wait for the returning good sense and justice of the American people. He regards the doctrine of Nullification as the most odious and dangerous of all political heresies. In it he can see nothing but the dismembered fragments of this mighty republic. He looks upon it as the destroyer of that noble fabric, reared by the wisdom, and cemented by the blood of our ancestors. The union of these States he regards, in the language of Washington, as the main pillar in the defence of our real independence, the support of our tranquility at home, our peace abroad, our safety, our prosperity, and the very liberty we so highly prize. He is disposed to "discountenance even a suspicion that it can in any event be abandoned." He looks to the re-election of Gen. Jackson, at this particular crisis, as of momentous importance to the safety of this Union and the prosperity of this government. Possessed as he is of the confidence of the American people, and distinguished as he always has been for his firmness, independence and patriotism, he should be warmly and zealously supported by every one who wishes well to our common country. Were we to lose the weight of his influence and character at this time in the administration of this government, no one can well predict the consequences.

The Greenville Mountaineer will contain a summary of all foreign news, the proceedings of Congress and the State Legislatures so far as the same may be of general interest. In it will be published, occasionally, short biographical sketches of our distinguished men—extracts from reviews and periodicals—the speeches in Congress, and some of the most important public documents. It will be the object of the editor to make its contents as interesting as possible to all classes of persons. In order to effect this, he will pay considerable attention to the selection of such matter as may be useful to the Agricultural part of the community.

The first number of the Mountaineer will be issued about the first of May. It will be published on a super-royal sheet, on a new and elegant type, at \$3.00 in advance, or \$3.50 after six months.

**B. F. PERRY.**  
Greenville, S. C. March 7, 1831.

**WINE! WINE!**  
JOSEPH L. HUNCKLER offers for sale a few BOTTLES OF WINE, expressed from the grape grown in his vineyard, in this country. Apply at Col. E. Bryan's Store.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**  
I HEREBY forewarn all persons against harboring, trading with or trusting, on my account, my WIFE ELIZABETH, as she has left my house and home without any just provocation, and to the great injury of our domestic concerns; and I will not be responsible for any of her dealings.  
**BURGES M'ENTIRE.**  
Rutherford, April 10, 1831.



## 4 HORSE POST COACH, FROM MORGANTON TO ASHEVILLE.

J. H. & R. W. TATE,

HAVING become contractors of this Line of Mail Stages, inform the travelling public that they run once a week and back, from Morganton to Asheville, a distance of sixty miles, in two days, a line of four horse Post Coaches, which leave Morganton on every Saturday morning at 4 o'clock A. M. and arrive at Asheville at 6 o'clock, P. M. of the same day; and leave Asheville at 4 o'clock, the following morning, (Sunday) and arrive at Morganton at 8 o'clock, P. M. This line immediately intersects with the line from Salem to Greenville at Morganton and also with the great Western line at Asheville. The accommodation in this Line are excellent—having good coaches, able horses and experienced drivers. This is the speediest and shortest route for those who are travelling either westwardly or eastwardly, as it harmonizes with the Salem, N. C. and Greenville line, which runs 50 or 60 miles per day. FARE—64 cents per mile.

N. B. All possible care will be taken of baggage, bundles, &c.; yet the contractors will not be responsible for losses.  
Morganton, May 12, 1831.

## SALEM AND GREENVILLE LINE OF POST-COACHES.

THIS LINE is run through a distance of 196 miles in three days and a half, by way of Huntsville, Statesville, Morganton, Brindletown, Bedfordsville, and Rutherfordton to Greenville S. C. The contractors have good horses and excellent drivers; they have made their stands with a view to the accommodation of passengers.

This Line passes through a romantic and healthy country, yielding all the bounties of nature. It passes through the bosom of the Gold Region of Western North Carolina. These considerations and the cheapness of fare, they hope are sufficient inducements to insure a general run of travelling on this Line.

The Line from Washington city via Fredericksburg, Lynchburg and Danville, Va. is directly connected with this at Salem, N. C. The Augusta Line connects with this at Greenville, S. C. This is the most direct Line from Washington city to New Orleans.

The departures are as follows, viz: Leave Salem every Monday and Thursday at 5 A. M. and arrive at Greenville every Thursday and Sunday at 11 A. M. Leave Greenville every Tuesday and Saturday at 1 P. M. and arrive at Salem every Tuesday and Friday at 8 P. M.

All possible care will be taken of Baggage and bundles, but the contractors will not be liable for any accidents or losses.  
FARE 5 cents per mile for regular passengers, and 64 cents per mile for way passengers.

SAMUEL M. D. & DAVID TATE, JR., Contractors.  
Morganton, N. C. March 7, 1831.

## NEW ESTABLISHMENT. WESTERN LINE.

THE subscriber having become contractor for the Mail Stage from LINCOLNTON VIA RUTHERFORDTON TO ASHEVILLE, takes this mode of informing the public, that this line is connected with the Salisbury, Fayetteville and Columbia Lines at Lincolnton, and is a continuation of the two former westwardly to Asheville, where it meets the Knoxville, Tennessee line. The country through which it passes is healthy and romantic, affording an exhibition of as grand mountain scenery as can any where be found. This line is the shortest between Carolina and Tennessee;—it leaves Lincolnton every Saturday morning and runs to Rutherfordton, and thence to Asheville on Sunday evenings, whence it returns to Lincolnton on Tuesday—making an easy travel each way of 85 miles in two days.

All possible care will be taken of baggage or other things, but no liability for any loss or accident that may happen.  
Rutherfordton, March 26, 1831.

## TAILORING.

THE undersigned inform the citizens of Franklin and the neighborhood, that they have just opened a shop for the execution of all work connected with the  
**TAILORING BUSINESS,**

in a fashionable, neat, durable, and expeditious manner, in the town of Franklin, where all orders will be gratefully received and faithfully executed. They receive the latest fashions from N. York and Philadelphia, quarterly, and practice on the most approved system of cutting, viz: the Patent Protractor system. They warrant all garments to fit, and, in point of style and workmanship, to be inferior to none in the western part of the State. Their prices will be moderate; and they hope by a faithful and punctual discharge of their duties, to receive a share of the public patronage.

JAMES V. JAY, & Co.  
Franklin, May 10, 1831.

## TO THE PUBLIC.

HATS! HATS!  
NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber will attend the Courts of the counties of Rutherford, Buncombe and Haywood with a complete assortment of new, good and fashionable HATS; which he will sell for Cash, L. abbs' Wool (fall shearing,) Furs, Beeswax, Tallow &c. He hopes from his long experience in the HAT business, and the superior quality of the articles which he offers, which he is confident is not excelled by anything of the kind in market, to give general satisfaction to those who favor him with their patronage.  
W. A. MILLER.  
Greenville, Tenn., May 23, 1831.

## Valuable Land FOR SALE.

By virtue of a Decree of the Court of Equity, made at the last term, setting aside the site heretofore made, and ordering the bidders to be reopened.—I will expose to sale, at the Court House in Rutherfordton, on the 2nd Monday in July next (being the Monday of the County Court), all the Lands belonging to the Estate of the late DAVID WEAVER, deceased; comprising  
One tract joining the lands of David Hardin and others situate on or near Hickory creek;  
One other tract joining Crow's lands, William Beatty's and nearly joining the above mentioned;  
Also, one other tract joining or nearly so each of the above-mentioned tracts;—the whole containing about one hundred acres.  
Rich deposits of gold are said to have been discovered on these lands.

Terms—One half payable twelve months after the sale, and the other half eighteen months. Bond with approved security to be given. Titles will be made as the Court shall hereafter order.

The purchasers at the previous sale can have their bonds re-delivered whenever called for.  
THO. DEWS, Jr., C. & M.  
May 23rd, 1831.

## DR. O. P. MILLS,

HAVING located himself at Rutherfordton, tenders his professional services to the citizens of the village and its vicinity. He would add, that having had considerable experience in private as well as public practice, he hopes to receive a liberal share of patronage. His office will be kept in a front room of R. G. TWITTY'S HOTEL.  
OTIS P. MILLS.  
Rutherfordton, June 4, 1831.

Terms of subscription. Two dollars and fifty cents, per annum, if paid in advance; or three dollars, if paid within the year;—but if delayed after the close of the year, twenty-five cents will be added.  
No paper will be discontinued until particularly ordered and all arrearages paid, or at the discretion of the publisher.  
Advertisements inserted on the usual terms.—All persons advertising will please note the number of times they wish to have them inserted, or they will be continued and taxed accordingly.

### State of North Carolina, Buncombe County.

Superior Court of Law—April Term, 1831.  
Charles Williamson vs. Polley Williamson. Petition for Divorce.  
It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant, Polley Williamson, is not an inhabitant of this State; It was ordered that publication be made for three months in the Rutherford Spectator and Raleigh Register, that the said Polley Williamson appear at the next Superior Court of Law to be held for the county of Buncombe, at the Court House in Asheville, on the 3rd Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the said petition or the same will be taken pro confesso, and set for hearing ex parte.  
Witness, Joshua Roberts, Clerk of said Court, at Asheville the 2nd Monday after the 4th Monday in March, 1831.

### State of North Carolina, Lincoln County.

In Equity—Spring Term, 1831.  
John McMin vs. Silas Scarborough and Shilrly Scarborough. Original Bill.  
IT having been made appear to the Honourable Court, that Shilrly Scarborough, one of the defendants in this case, is not an inhabitant of the State; therefore, ordered, that publication be made for six weeks, in the Rutherford Spectator, that unless the said Shilrly Scarborough appear, at the next Court of Equity, to be held for the county aforesaid, on the 5th Monday after the 4th Monday of September next, at the Court House in Lincolnton, then and there to plead answer or demur to complainant's bill, the same, as to him, will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte.  
Teste, JOHN D. HOKE, C. J. E.  
14 6w Pr. adv. \$2.50

### State of North Carolina, Lincoln County.

County Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—April Sessions, 1831.  
McCabe & Alexander vs. Caleb Fullenwider. Original attachment levied on six negroes in the hands of Henry Fullenwider.  
The same, likewise original attachment levied on the same negroes, in the hands of the same.  
IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Caleb Fullenwider, the defendant, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore ordered by Court that he appear at the County Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the said County, at the Court House in Lincolnton, on the 3rd Monday in July next—reply and plead to issue, or judgments in the above cases by default will be entered up against him. Ordered that publication hereof be made six weeks successively in the Rutherford Spectator.  
Teste, VARDRY McBEE, Clerk.  
10 6w Pr. adv. \$2.50

### State of North Carolina, Haywood County.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—April Term, 1830.  
John Slate vs. Martin Healey. Original Attachment.  
IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Martin Healey was beyond the limits of this State: It is ordered that publication be made for six weeks, successively, in the North Carolina Spectator and Western Advertiser, that the said Martin Healey appear, plead, answer, or demur at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for this County, at the Court House at Waynesville, on the last Monday in June next, to the aforesaid attachment, otherwise judgment will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte.  
Witness, R. LOVE, Clerk of our said Court at office, the first Monday after the fourth Monday of March, 1831.  
R. LOVE, Clerk.  
10 6w Pr. Adv. \$2.50

### TATE'S HOTEL.

THIS establishment is open for the accommodation of gentlemen. It is the house formerly occupied by David Tate, Esq. and lately by Maj. Bouchelle. The undersigned, promise, to those who may give them a call, genteel attention, and the best possible fare. The Salem and Greenville Stages, and the Stages to Asheville, stop at the Hotel. They can afford any travelling accommodations to those who wish to visit the Gold region of Barke and Rutherford.  
D. TATE, JR. & BROTHERS.  
Morganton, N. C. March 5, 1831.

### NOTICE.

THE undersigned will have the BRIGHT HOPE FURNACE, in Greene County, Tennessee, in full operation by the 20th instant, where all kinds of Castings can be had on the shortest notice.  
Mill Castings; Bark Mills; Forge Hammers &c., can be had, to order, at any time.  
Orders addressed to Greenville, Tennessee, will be promptly attended to.  
D. SHIELDS, & Co.  
Brighthope, March 7, 1831.

### JOB PRINTING AND BLANKS.

FOR sale at this office the following kinds of Law Blanks: Subpoenas, Administration Bonds, Constables Bonds, Appeal Bonds, Prosecution Bonds, Writs of Ejectment, Blank Notes, Constables Warrants, Judgments and Executions, Orders of Sale upon Constables levies.

### North Carolina Constitutionalist AND STATE RIGHTS ADVOCATE.

"The Liberty of the Press—the shield of Freedom—the scourge of Tyrants."

WILLIAM S. RANSOM & WILLIAM POTTER, PROPOSE to publish in the CITY OF RALEIGH, a political newspaper, under the above title. They propose to give to the public an independent and a consistent republican State Rights paper: one that will always support the principles it professes, with a due regard to truth, and promote the rational views of the true friends of liberty and democracy. They will ever contend for the "Union" inviolate, as well against the open attack of "Nullification," as the insidious inroads of a latitudinarian construction of the Constitution—that sacred instrument by which the sovereignty of the States is secured and our happy lands have saved from the vortex of a consolidated general government. Believing the present course to be partial, oppressive and unjust, and that, in order to diffuse useful knowledge, and to set forth the merited character of the Constitution, and to diffuse correct moral and political opinions, they will spare no pains to present to the public mind with the propriety and accuracy of the principles which it shall be their duty to advocate and defend. General Jackson's re-election, and the opposition of Henry Clay and others, they have now stated, with their political creed, which will be the creed of North Carolina. Carolina is one of the great States, and is richly tributary and populated with natural resources; and it shall be the duty of the Editors, to maintain the honor of the State and to set forth her merited character—her political and moral principles, and to diffuse useful knowledge of the State and the people. They call for patronage from patriotic citizens of North Carolina, and the friends of republicanism generally. As respects the permanency of our government, the CONSTITUTIONALIST will be a various store of intelligence to the mechanic and the merchant, as well as the physician, the lawyer, and particularly to the politician. Foreign and domestic news—the proceedings of Congress and of our State Legislature, and the ten essays, will be found in the columns. The best papers in the Union will be taken by the Editors, from which important and interesting extracts will be taken.

Mr. Ransom, (intending to retire from the Bar as soon as the necessary number of subscribers is procured,) will devote his time exclusively to the editorial department.

The first number of the "Constitutionalist" will appear as soon as One Thousand Subscribers shall have been obtained.

Persons holding Subscription Lists, will please return them, addressed to William Potter, at Raleigh, on or before the 1st of August next.

**CONDITIONS.**  
The North Carolina Constitutionalist, will appear weekly, on an imperial sheet, in new type, and on good paper, (except during the session of the Legislature, when it will be issued semi-weekly,) at three dollars per annum, payable on receipt of the first number, or four dollars, at the end of six months.

Editors of newspapers, generally, will confer an obligation by giving this Prospectus one or two insertions.  
Raleigh, N. C. 18th May, 1831.  
Subscriptions received at this Office.

### NEW YORK CHEAP WHOLESALE CLOAK, STOCK & CLOTHING WAREHOUSE—REMOVED.

THE subscriber has removed his establishment from No. 184, Maiden Lane, to the spacious Store Nos. 123, Pearl-street, over Messrs. Hyde, Cleveland & Co., where he will keep constantly on hand a much more extensive assortment, than formerly. The style, make and materials of the cloaks will be greatly improved, and will be sold at about the same low prices as those of the last season. He has also on hand, a large assortment of low priced Clothing, made in good style, expressly for the Southern and Western trade, that will be sold at about the usual prices of the most inferior quality. Also, an assortment of Stocks, with many other desirable articles. Those who will take the trouble to examine this stock of Goods will probably satisfy themselves that they cannot select the same amount from any stock in the city that will be a safer or more desirable purchase.

For sale by F. J. CONANT, No. 135, Pearl-street, New York.

### \$25.00 REWARD!

LOST on the 18th instant a CALF SKIN POCKET BOOK, containing \$100 in cash, also a counterfeit \$2 bill; also two notes on Moore Martin, one for \$20 and the other for \$13 15; also one note on William L. Eakridge for \$49 10. There were other valuable papers, not now recollected. The bank bills were chiefly of the denomination of \$5 and \$10 principally on the Georgia banks, and among which was one \$20 bill on one of the Georgia banks. The Pocket Book was lost between Sandy Run and Rutherfordton. The above reward will be given to any person who will deliver the pocket book and contents to the owner.  
JOHN G. ESKRIDGE.  
Rutherfordton, April 22, 1831.

### HOUSE OF ENTERTAINMENT.

AT THE SIGN OF THE BELL,  
Union Court-House, S. C.  
JAMES NORRIS

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general, that he has taken that large and convenient house lately occupied by Joseph Reid, Esq. He thinks it unnecessary to make promises and will therefore only invite travellers to call and judge for themselves.  
NOTICE.

MRS. PATSEY MEREDITH BALES, will hear some information very acceptable, by addressing a line to Brown's Post-office, Fairfield District, South-Carolina, to  
J. H. TAYLOR, Admr. of E. Morris.  
March 5, 1831.