



VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

THE Plantation belonging to Eleanor P. Ross and the estate of Margaret S. Spruill, is now offered for sale. It is well known by the name of the

Schenck Plantation,

Lying on Tar River, one and a half miles above Tarborough, adjoining the lands of Messrs. E. D. Mcneair, J. R. Lloyd, and L. D. Wilson. The tract contains

995 ACRES,

Of which 4 to 500 acres are cleared, and well adapted to the growth of cotton, corn, &c. There are on the premises,

A good Dwelling House,

And all necessary out-houses, and the Farm is in a high state of cultivation. A further description is deemed unnecessary. Possession will be given to the purchaser on the first of January next. Terms made easy and accommodating. Persons wishing to purchase will please call on either of the subscribers.

B. J. SPRUILL
JOS. LAWRENCE.

Sept. 18, 1838. 38

The Raleigh Star and Washington Whig will insert four times, and forward account to this office for collection.



THE RACES,

Over the COTTAGE COURSE,

Near Warrenton, N. C.

WILL COMMENCE on the fourth Thursday in October next, the 23d, and continue FOUR DAYS.

A great many horses are expected, and the contest for the good and large purse, will be spirited.

And on the fifth day, (Saturday,)

A Foot Race,

Mile heats, for a purse of \$20, with some other races that may be made—much amusement is expected, as many are now in training, and it is believed there will be a great number to start.

It is the way to add strength to our small, feeble, and in sort of white face, budless race of people.

JAS. J. HARRISON.

19th Sept. 1838. 39 3



CUT AND ROE HERRINGS.

THE Subscriber has received on consignment, a large supply of VERY SUPERIOR

Cut and Roe HERRINGS,

Which he will sell 1/2 for Cash.

JAS. WEDDELL.

Tarboro', 4th May, 1838.

State of North Carolina, EDGECOMBE COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, AUGUST TERM, 1838.

Solomon T. Braddy, Coffin King in right of his wife Louisa formerly Louisa Braddy, Joseph B. Braddy, Julia Ann Braddy, and Sarah Eliza Braddy an infant of tender years who sues in this behalf by C. Field King her guardian, plaintiff, vs. Mary Philips formerly Mary Braddy, Marmaduke Braddy, Willoughby Simmons in right of his wife Maria formerly Maria Braddy, and Isaac B. Braddy, defendants.

Petition for division and sale of Slaves.

Appearing to the satisfaction of this Court, that Mary Philips formerly Mary Braddy, Marmaduke Braddy, Willoughby Simmons in right of his wife Maria formerly Maria Braddy, and Isaac B. Braddy, defendants in this case, are not residents of this State: It is ordered, that publication be made in the Tarboro' Press for six weeks, notifying them to appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in Tarboro' on the fourth Monday in November next, and answer, demur, or plead to this petition, or judgment pro confesso will be taken against them, and the same heard accordingly.

Witness, JOSEPH BELL, Clerk of said Court, at office in Tarborough, the second Monday in August, 1838.

JOS. BELL, C. C.

Price adv \$7 50.

To all whom it may concern.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given, that a Petition will be presented to the next General Assembly, praying the passage of a special act, repealing the act vesting the election of the ministerial

Officers of the Courts

In the people, as regards the County of Edgecombe, and providing that in future such Officers shall be appointed as formerly. S. pt. 22, 1838.

Notice.

THE subscribers having qualified at August term of the County Court of Edgecombe, as adm'rs de bonis non on the estate of

Newsom Cromwell dec'd,

Hereby notify all persons having claims against said dec'd to present them properly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery; and all those indebted to the estate to make immediate payment.

CHARLES W. KNIGHT,
WM. S. BAKER.

Sept. 15th, 1838. 38 3

PROSPECTUS,

OF THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE, And Miscellaneous Reporter.

Agriculture, literature, science, the mechanical arts, virtue, and religion; the county's stay and nation's wealth.

NOTWITHSTANDING the extensive variety of newspapers and periodicals, published throughout the country, and the diversity of subjects therein embraced, it is obvious to every rational and reflecting mind, that the conductors of those powerful, and if rightly guided, those salutary vehicles of information, have been too generally actuated by party motives; and that political contests have been carried to such an alarming extent, as to threaten the dissolution of our noble institutions; while subjects relating to AGRICULTURE, LITERATURE, SCIENCE, and the MECHANICAL ARTS, those subjects immediately connected with our best interests, and which would eventually place us in an independent situation, have measurably remained unnoticed.

Actuated therefore by these views, the subscriber intends publishing in JAMES TOWN, N. C. a periodical, under and conforming with the above title; in the execution of which, he designs in the first place, to use all laudable exertions in procuring and disseminating practical information, essential to the interests, and calculated to increase the dignity of the FARMER.

Secondly:—EDUCATION, and the Literary Institutions of the country, will find in his columns, a warm and friendly support.

Thirdly:—SCIENCE, and the Mechanical Arts, will also be subjects of discussion, and invariably receive a liberal share of attention.

Fourthly:—Due attention will be paid to subjects calculated to promote the cause of VIRTUE and RELIGION.

Fifthly:—A brief notice will also be taken of passing events, of an important and interesting nature, both Foreign and Domestic; excluding all Political contests, and subjects calculated to create party animosity.

In short, no pains will be spared, to render the ADVOCATE a valuable and interesting visitor in every family, and to every virtuous and intelligent class of the community.

In order therefore, the more effectually to prosecute our purpose, we respectfully solicit the friendly aid of every intelligent Farmer, Mechanic, Literary and Scientific gentleman, who may have talent and inclination, to communicate to us such discoveries and practical hints, on subjects within our province, as may enrich our columns, and by a reciprocal interchange of thoughts, become a valuable source of information. Communications also on subjects either Religious, or Moral, will be thankfully received.

TERMS.

The ADVOCATE, will be published in semi-monthly numbers, consisting of sixteen octavo pages, (one sheet,) neatly printed, on good paper, folded and stitched, and promptly mailed to subscribers; making in a year 384 pages, and furnished with title page and index, at \$1.25 per year, in advance.

Any person by forwarding \$10, free from charge, will be entitled to ten copies.

In consequence of the difficulties and losses, invariably attending the collection of small sums, at a distance; no order for the paper will be attended to, until the subscription price is forwarded, or the payment secured by some known responsible person.

All letters, communications, &c. to the publisher, must come free from postage, or they cannot be attended to.

All persons holding subscriptions, are requested to forward them as early as possible.

Editors favorable to our designs, and those who may feel disposed to exchange with us, will do us a favor by giving our Prospectus an insertion.

JOHN SHERWOOD

Jamestown, N. C. Aug. 1838

Constables' Blanks for sale,

AT THIS OFFICE.



Hilliardston Residence

FOR SALE.

HAVING an interest in settling in the West, I have determined on removing with my family, which is a large one, to the State of Tennessee, on or before the 1st day of November next. I now positively offer my residence at Hilliardston for sale, with the land attached,

Containing seven hundred and fifty four Acres,

Of good free corn and cotton land, lying on Swift Creek, ten miles North of Nashville, in Nash county, on the main road from Louisburg and the Raleigh and Gaston rail road to Enfield, in Halifax county, where it intersects with the Wilmington, Halifax, Weldon, Petersburg and Portsmouth or Norfolk rail roads, being 18 miles from the depot at Enfield. This residence is so well known, that it is deemed unnecessary to say much about it; but as there are many who have not seen, or heard of the advantages it affords, I will say that the situation is a most desirable one for any family not so large as my own, and particularly as

A summer residence.

It is situated a little above the dividing line between the upper and lower country in a most healthy region, with a large and convenient Dwelling House, with all other out-houses of the best kind, and there is a first rate well of excellent water in the yard, also good springs on the premises. Among the buildings are attached, a good and spacious Store House, a large Gin and Cotton House, and bacon houses in good order, in which I have done a successful business for many years, and which holds out at this time the strongest inducements for an active man of business.

Hilliardston forms almost a village, with as good society as is to be found in the State. There is also a private female school house within three hundred yards of said residence, which affords every advantage desirable by the wealthy and most scrupulous. For terms, &c. apply to the subscriber.

WM BURT.

Hilliardston, Nash county,

Sept. 13, 1838.



Shocco Land for Sale.

THE subscriber being about to remove to Mississippi, offers his present residence for sale.

It is on the Stage road.

10 miles from Warrenton, 15 from Louisburg, and three from the Shocco Springs, and contains 200 acres of good land. As a healthy and pleasant residence it has but few equals.

JAMES GORDON.

Sept. 8, 1838. 37 4

Notice.

FOR SALE, the Revised Statutes of the Laws of North Carolina—five of the first volume at five dollars each—one of the second, at four dollars.

JOS. BELL, C. C.

Tarboro', Aug. 10, 1838

Notice.

STRAYED from Josiah Barrett's, in this county, about the 20th May last,

A small bay jimmy MULE,



Belonging to the Subscriber, with shoes on her fore feet, (whether her hind feet were shod is not now recollected,) about three years old. I purchased said Mule from a horse drover, so it is very uncertain which way she may have gone; but when last heard from, she was in the county of Edgecombe. I suppose she has been taken up by some one before this, and if so, any information respecting her will be thankfully received, and the person amply compensated for his trouble.

WILLIAM D MOYE.

Greenville, Put county, June 4th, 1838

For Sale at this office,

AN ORATION,

On Banking, Education, &c.

Delivered at the Queen Street Theatre, in the city of Charleston, S. C. July 4th, 1837.

ALSO, an Oration on

The Freedom of the Press;

To which is appended the doings of a Public Meeting held in Charleston, S. C. July 28th, 1837.

By Theophilus Fisk.

March 1838.



THE RACES

Over the Nashville Course,

NORTH CAROLINA,

WILL COMMENCE on Tuesday, the 30th October next, and continue THREE DAYS:

First Day.

A Sweepstake, for two year old colts and fillies, \$100 entrance, half forfeit, mile heats—to name and close by the first day of October—two or more to make a race. Two entered.

On the same day, a Sweepstake, for three year old colts and fillies, \$100 entrance, half forfeit, mile heats—to name and close by the 20th October—three or more to make a race. One entered.

Second Day.

Proprietor's Purse, \$200, two mile heats, entrance \$15.

On the same day, a Sweepstake, for three year old colts and fillies, \$150 entrance, half forfeit, two mile heats—to name and close by 20th October—three or more to make a race. One entered.

Third Day.

Jockey Club, \$350, three mile heats, entrance \$20. The Jockey Club Purse subject to the usual discount.

Stables and litter will be furnished for Race Horses gratis.

Entries can be made by letter to the Proprietor at Nashville.

JOHN S ARRINGTON, Prop'r
Nashville, Aug. 20th, 1838.

THE RACES

Over the Tarborough Course,

NORTH CAROLINA,

WILL COMMENCE on Tuesday, the 6th of November, and continue FOUR DAYS:—

First Day,

A Sweepstake, for three years old, mile heats, \$100 entrance, \$50 forfeit—to continue open until Monday 22d October. Persons wishing to enter will make it known by addressing the Proprietor.

Second Day,

Part of Jockey Club Purse, two mile heats, \$200—entrance, \$15 for subscribers; \$20 for non-subscribers.

Third Day,

Balance of Jockey Club Purse, three mile heats, \$300—entrance, \$20 for subscribers; \$30 for non-subscribers.

Fourth Day,

A Handy Cap, mile heats, best three in five, \$150—entrance, \$10 for subscribers; \$15 for non-subscribers.

☞ Purses liable to the full amount. All letters addressed to the Proprietor must be post paid.

WM FOXHALL, Proprietor.
August 29th, 1838

☞ The Petersburg Constellation, Norfolk Herald, and Warrenton Reporter will give the above five (weekly) insertions, and forward acc't to this office for collection.

Notice.

ALL those indebted to the firm of Pender & Pope, are requested to come forward and settle by cash or note, before November Court next, as we wish to close our business by that time.

PENDER & POPE.

Sept. 20, 1838. 38

Notice.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of

Horne & Bering,

Is dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN R DERING

Stantonsburg, N. C. July 11th, 1838



For Sale.

WILL SELL very cheap for cash, or on time,

A first-rate Horse and Sulkey,

The Sulkey is one of Hedenburg's best, full plate, and superior to any in this country. It is as good as when it came from the shop, uninjured in the least—silver plate. The Horse is a Northern one, bought in Baltimore by Mr. R. H. Austin, of Tarboro'. He is young, lively in harness, and perfectly gentle, and one of the finest looking animals I ever saw. If any person wishes such an Establishment it can be bought on the most reasonable terms, as I shall go South this fall and shall not need it for several months; which is the cause of my wishing to sell. Application can be made personally or by letter.

JOHN C. DRAKE.

Nashville, No. Ca. Sept. 4, 1838.

Notice.

THE Subscribers are now receiving their supply of

SPRING GOODS,

Which we are determined to sell as cheap as the cheapest.

J. & J. LAWRENCE.

Tarboro', 18 April, 1838.



Mrs. A. C. Howard,

INFORMS her customers and the public, that she is now opening

Her Spring Supply of

GOODS,

Comprising a handsome Assortment of articles in the Millinery Line, viz:

Pattern Bonnets, of the latest and most approved fashions, Cottages Bonnets, a superior article, English Straws, Leghorn braids, Grecians, mixed Straws, &c.

Drawn Bonnets, various colors and patterns, Plain and figured Silks and Satins, for dresses, Green India Silk, Black Mode, Floreces, Crapes, Thread Edgings, Blond Edgings and Footings, Insertings, Grecian and Bobbinett, Handkerchiefs, Caps, Capes and Collars, head Ornaments, A splendid assortment of Ribbons, Flowers, &c.

These Goods were all selected by herself, and are of the most fashionable and best quality. They will be sold at a very small advance for Cash, or on the usual credit to punctual customers.

Tarborough, May 5, 1838.

A CURE FOR

HARD TIMES,

At the cheap Cash Store.

THE Subscriber, in announcing to his customers and the public generally, the arrival of his Spring purchases, takes pleasure in assuring them that his present Stock comprises the

LARGEST,

Most splendid and Cheapest

ASSORTMENT OF

Seasonable Goods,

Ever exhibited in Tarborough, And respectfully solicits a call from those whose object is to buy.

New and Fashionable Goods, at extremely Low Prices.

Having made his purchases principally at the Auction Sales for Cash, he feels confident in saying he can not only exhibit an immense variety of New and Fashionable Goods, but is enabled and will sell them at such prices as cannot fail to satisfy the greatest economist, and prove a partial (if not an entire) remedy for the "Hard Times."

☞ The subjoined are a few of the leading articles:—

60 pieces printed Muslins, small and large patterns, from 20 to 75 cents per yard, Printed Lawns and French Prints, A beautiful assortment of black and colored Silks, very cheap.

300 pieces Calicoes, from 64 to 35 cents per yard, Gingham, 15 to 25 cents, New style silk Scarfs, Cravats, and Handkerchiefs,

Muslin and Lace worked Collars, English thread Laces, Edgings, and Insertings, Parasols and Umbrellas, Irish Linens, Long Lawns, and Diapers, Ladies' Corsets, from \$1 to \$6, Bonnet and Cap Ribbons,

Ladies and Misses' Bonnets,



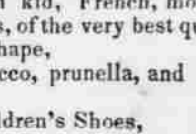
Superfine broad cloths, various colors, cheap, Cassimeres, plain and ribbed, A variety of styles of Goods, for Gentlemen's summer wear, Men's long and short nap

Beaver and Silk Hats,



Of every variety of shape, quality and color, from \$1 to \$6 each, 30 dozen palm leaf Hats, from 10 cent each, 5000 yards bleached and brown Shirtings and Sheetings, from 64 cts. Ladies English kid, French, morocco, and prunella Slippers, of the very best quality and most fashionable shape, Women's morocco, prunella, and leather Shoes, cheap, Misses and children's Shoes,

Men's and Boys' Shoes & Boots,



In great variety, very cheap, With every other article in the Staple and Fancy Dry Goods Line.

ALSO, a very large and general Assortment of

Groceries, Hardware, Cutlery, China, Glass & Crockery ware.

All of which he now offers at very low prices for Cash, or on a short credit to punctual men.

JAMES WEDDELL.

Tarboro', April 27, 1838.