

**Hancock County, Georgia**  
**Supplement to**  
**Early Newspaper Abstracts**  
***Farmer's Gazette, 1803 – 1806***

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased to be and appear at my office within the time allowed by law, to shew cause, if any they can, why said letters should not be granted.

Given under my hand, at office, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805. Myles Greene, c.c.o.

**The Famous & Complete Horse STERLING.** Elegantly formed - near fifteen hands high - in great health and vigor.

Will stand the insuing season at the subscribers stable, in Hancock county, near Cooper's Mills on Logdam; and will be let to Mares at the price of \$8 the season . . . Lewis Saunders. January 26, 1805.

**Auction.** Will Be Sold, On Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup> of March next, at the public square in the Town of Milledgeville, on the south side of the Oconee River (opposite the County of Hancock)

Twenty LOTS Of said Town; agreeably to a Law passed the last cession of the Legislature of the state of Georgia. John Harbirt, Howell Cobb, A. M. Devereux, Oliver Porter, Comm.

**Lost, On the 17<sup>th</sup> instant** a Pocketbook containing sundry papers that will be of no use to anybody but myself. Whoever will deliver the above Pocket Book to the subscriber or Mr. William Sanford in Sparta, will be liberally rewarded. Henry Huff. January 19.

**Brought to Jail On the 5<sup>th</sup> instant,** a negro fellow who calls himself SAM, says he belongs to a widow Blackwell, in Columbia county, about ten miles above Augusta; he is of a dark complexion and about six feet high. John Freeman, jailer. January 19.

**Hancock Inferior Court, January Term, 1805.** Whereas Joseph B. Jones, on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1804, petitioned the Inferior Court of said County, praying the benefit of the Act of Insolvency; it was ordered, by the Court, that the third Saturday in July, 1804, be appointed for that purpose; of which all creditors of said Jones were cited to take notice. Circumstances intervening prevented the Courts meeting at the time appointed. It is now at this term further Ordered, that the third Friday in March next be appointed for the purpose aforesaid, of which all the creditors of said Jones will take notice. James Lewis, Clk.

**Notice.** Those indebted to the late concern of James Boge, & Co. are informed that the notes and accounts are placed in the hands of the subscriber for collection. He will be at the Superior Court in Sparta on the third Monday in February next, at which time they will have an opportunity of settling the same, such as do not may expect suits commenced against them immediately thereafter. J. Hutchinson, Attorney for the surviving copartners. January 19, 1805.

**Hancock county.** Whereas William Bazer & Charles Waller hath applied to me for letters of administration on the estate of Edward Bazer, late of said county dec.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased to be and appear at my office within the time allowed by law, to shew cause, if any they can, why said letters should not be granted.

Given under my hand, at office, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1805. Myles Greene, c.c.o.

#### **Saturday, February 16, 1805, Vol. II, No. 78**

**Court of Ordinary.** Hancock county, February 8<sup>th</sup>, 1805. Upon the petition of David Morgan; Ordered, that a citation be published for the administrators of Jesse Butler deceased, to make titles to a certain tract of Land, lying on the waters of Little Ogechee, agreeably to the tenor of a bond given by the said intestate, in his lifetime, to said David Morgan, for that purpose, a copy of which bond is filed in the Clerk's Office of this Court; and if no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary, such further order will be hand thereon, after publishing this notice once a month for three months, as the law in such cases directs.

Extracts from the Minutes, Myles Greene, Clk.

**Court of Ordinary,** Hancock county, February 8<sup>th</sup>, 1805. Upon the petition of Gale Lewis; Ordered, that a citation be published for the administrators of Lundy Huff deceased, to make titles to a certain tract of Land, lying on the waters of Fort Creek, agreeably to the tenor of a bond given by the said intestate, in his life time, to the said Gale Lewis, for that purposes, a copy of which is filed in the Clerk's Office of this Court; and if no sufficient cause be shown to the contrary, such further order will be had



575 acres of Land, be the same more or less, whereon Cary Evans now lives, adjoining Briant Ward; 1150 acres . . . adjoining Ward, whereon Marten and William Garner now lives; 1150 acres, be the same more or less, adjoining L. Marbrey; 1000 acres, be the same more or less, adjoining Walton and Marten, whereon Epharum Lindsay and James McCleskey now lives; 2000 acres, be the same more or less, adjoining William Blunt, whereon Joseph Scott now lives; all granted to John Gorham and taken by virtue of two executions, as the property of said Gorham, at the instance of Thomas Carson, for the use of Joseph Scott and William Philips . . .

Also - 287½ acres of Land, be the same more or less, lying on the North Fork of the Oconee river, whereon Thomas Barron & Petygroo now lives; taken by virtue of sundry executions as the property of David Creswell.

Also - 130 acres of Land . . . with the rent of Land for the presant year, lying on Blood's creek, adjoining lands of John Walker, Edward Edwards and Joseph McDermant; taken by virtue of two executions as the property of Humphrey Scroggins and at the instance of Josiah Jordan, guardian for the heirs of Benjamin Jordan, deceased, and John Armstrong for the use of James Armstrong.

All the above mentioned tracts of land are in Jackson county.

Also - 600 acres of Land . . . lying in the county of Franklin, on the Grove Fork of Broad river, adjoining Col. Russel Jones, being a part of a tract of land granted to John Hinson; taken by virtue of an execution as the property of Edmond Taylor, at the instance of Samuel Gordan - the property pointed out by the defendant.

Also - One Waggon and hind Gear and one bay Horse; taken by virtue of an execution as the property of James Steen, at the instance of William Armer.

Conditions Cash. Robert Hyde, Sheriff. June 17<sup>th</sup>, 1805.

**Sheriff's Sale.** On the first Tuesday in August next at the Market House in the Town of Sparta, between the usual hours,

Will Be Sold, Sundry articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture; delivered to me as the property of Joseph B. Jones, an insolvent debtor.

Also, 200 Acres of Pine Land adjoining Dr. Seth Kennady, and on the road leading to Montpelier; executed as the property of William Veal, Sen. to satisfy sundry executions in favor of Samuel Hawkins - returned to me by a Constable.

Also, A Lot (No. 197) in the Town of Montpelier, adjoining the Warehouse; taken as the property of David Hubbert to satisfy Benjamin Buckannan. Conditions Cash. J. Hamilton, D.S. June 28<sup>th</sup>, 1805.

**Sheriff's Sale.** On the first Tuesday in August next, at the Market House in the Town of Sparta, at the usual hours, Will Be Sold,

225 acres of Land more or less, lying on the waters of Little Ogechee in Hancock county, adjoining Wood and Philips, improved, whereon lives James Page; taken by execution as his property, to satisfy James Hall, endorsee, &c. Terms Cash. H. Lewis, D.S. June 27<sup>th</sup>, 1805.

**All concerned take Notice.** The Justices of the Inferior Court of Hancock County, will meet in Sparta, on the last Monday in July, September and November to do County business, and the day following the Court of Ordinary will be held.

The business will be conducted in the following manner - On Monday the Court on application will bind Orphans, grant Tavern licence, and orders for Roads and Bridges and appoint Commissioners and Overseers to superintend them, and hear the cases of Insolvent Debtors, &c. On Tuesday nothing will be attended to but the business of the Ordinary.

**Lost or Mislaidd.** A note of hand given by John Smith to the subscriber, dated some time in the last of February or the first of March, for the sum of \$60, payable the 25<sup>th</sup> of December next. All persons are cautioned from trading for said note. John Purify. July 4<sup>th</sup>, 1805.

**Caution.** All persons are hereby forwarned not to credit or have any dealings with my wife, Precilla Gray, on my account, as I will not be answerable for any of her contracts. Zachariah Gray. June 28<sup>th</sup>, 1805.

**Charleston, June 17.** French and Spanish Fleet. Captain Merchant, of the *Franklin*, arrived at quarantine on Saturday, in 14 days from St. Thomas's has obligingly favoured us . . .

**Savannah, June 19.** Arrived yesterday in 11 days from St. Pierre, Martinique, from the schooner *Jane*, Capt. E. Burrough, who informs that, on the 16<sup>th</sup> of May, the French and Spanish Fleets arrived at Port-Royal, Martinique . . .