

of God, have been assailed, and overthrown by infidels and miscreants, in different States and at different periods of the world, and, sometimes, these mischiefs have been perpetrated, even by ignorant zealots and silly fanatics. In France for example, at a very modern era, the Institution of marriage was repudiated,—and little children were taught to turn from the parental shrine, and bend the knee to the naked Goddess of Liberty.

These execrable tenets were inculcated throughout the State, by men, who, to say the least of them, were quite as respectable, both for intelligence and numbers, as those who compose the present classes of abolitionists. Yet it was quite evident, that God ordained marriage, and that his son, with his own lips, had taught little children lessons of obedience to their parents.

Before advancing from this branch of the inquiry it is proper that I ask your indulgence, for having quoted, at length, the passages of scripture upon which this part of the argument rests. The simple array of them, it appears to me, leads necessarily to conviction, and it is better that the letter should be a little encumbered, than that they should be forgotten.

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Office, The same heretofore occupied by Jas. M.  
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May 27, 1842—tf.

**FOR SALE,**

**T**HE last and best section and a half of land now for sale in Marshall county. Said land lies six miles north of Holly Springs. Any person desiring such a place, and will give the value thereof, can be accommodated by applying to the subscriber, at Holly Springs.  
July 5, 1842.—tf. ROGER BARTON.

**DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES,**  
for the Northern District of Mississippi.  
In the matter of the petition of Albert G. Ellis of Ponola county, to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts.  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that Albert G. Ellis of Ponola county has been duly declared a bankrupt by an order of this said court made on the 13 day of June A. D. 1842, and that the said Albert G. Ellis has applied for a certificate of discharge from his debts under the act of congress in such case made and provided; and the 4th Monday of September next at Aberdeen, has been set for the final hearing. All persons interested may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they can, why the decree and certificate of discharge should not be granted.  
24 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, clerk.

Lafayette county to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Charles R. Campbell of Lafayette county has filed his petition in this court to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts under the act of congress in such case made and provided; and that an order has been duly entered in this court appointing the 2d of July next, at the court room in the town of Aberdeen in this district, as the time and place for the hearing of said petition. All persons may then and there appear and shew cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.  
22 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE clerk.

**DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES,**  
for the Northern district of Mississippi.

In the matter of the petition of John McLellan of Carroll county, to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts,

**N**OTICE is hereby given that John McLellan of Carroll county, has filed his petition in this court to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts, under the act of congress in such case made and provided; and that an order has been duly entered in this court, appointing the 2d of July next at the court room in the town of Aberdeen in this district, as the time and place for the hearing of said petition. All persons may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.  
22 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, clerk.

*District Court of the United States for the Northern district of Mississippi.*

In the matter of the petition of Thomas Stanly of DeSoto county, to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Thomas Stanly of DeSoto county has filed his petition in this court to be declared a bankrupt, and to be discharged from his debts, under the act of Congress in such case made and provided, and that an order has been duly entered in this court, appointing the 2d of July next, at the court house in the town of Aberdeen, in this district, as the time and place for the hearing of said petition. All persons may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.  
22 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, cl'k.

*District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Mississippi.*

In the matter of the petition of Joseph Shields of Lafayette county, to be declared a bankrupt, and to be discharged from his debts.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Joseph Shields of Lafayette county, has filed his petition in this court to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts, under the act of Congress in such case made and provided, and that an order has been duly entered in this court appointing the 2d of July next at the court house in the town of Aberdeen, in this district, for the hearing of said petition. All persons may then and there appear, and shew cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.  
22 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, cl'k.

**N**OTICE is hereby given Henderson of Marshall county declared a bankrupt by an order of court, made on the 27th day of August 1842; and that the said Blum has applied for a certificate of his debts under the act of congress in such case made and provided; and the 4th Monday of October next at Aberdeen, has been set for the final hearing. All persons interested may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they can, why the decree and certificate of discharge should not be granted.  
25 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, clerk.

The district Court of the United States for the Northern District of Mississippi.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Johnson of the city of Lafayette in this court to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts, under the act of congress in such case made and provided; and that an order has been duly entered in this court, appointing the 4th Monday of September next at the Court Room in the town of Aberdeen, in this district, as the time and place for the hearing of said petition. All persons interested may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they can, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.  
Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, clerk.  
May 31—25—4w.

**District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Mississippi.**

**N**otice is hereby given, that Johnson of Lafayette county, has filed his petition in this court to be declared a bankrupt and to be discharged from his debts, under the act of Congress in such case made and provided, and that an order has been duly entered in this court, appointing the 4th Monday of September next, at the court room in the town of Aberdeen, in this district, as the time and place for the hearing of said petition. All persons interested may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they can, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.  
Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, clerk.  
July 5—25.

**District court of the United States for the Northern district of Mississippi.**

**N**otice is hereby given that Butler and David McCullum of this said court made on the 27th day of August 1842, and that the said Nathaniel and David McCullum has applied for a certificate of discharge from his debts under the act of congress in such case made and provided; and the 2d Monday of October next has been set for the final hearing. All persons interested may then and there appear and shew cause, if any they can, why the certificate of discharge should not be granted.  
25 Test, G. M. RAGSDALE, clerk.

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**W**ILL attend the Circuit and District Court, the Federal Court and Chancery court. June