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PUBLIC SALES OF RAILROAD LANDS.

THE Lands belonging to the Alabama and Tennessee Rivers Railroad Company amounting to upwards of 300,000 acres, situated in the vicinity of the company's railroad, embracing large tracts of superiar timbered lands, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, at the following times and places, to-wit:

The Lands situated in Dallas, Autauga and Perry counties at Plantersville, on Tuesday, October 6, 1863.

The Lands in Bibb county at Randolph on Friday, October 9

The Land in the lower part of Shelby county up to the north boundary of township 18, at Montevallo on Tuesday October 13.

The Lands in the upper part of Shelby county, from Shelby Springs to Coosa river, at Columbiana on Thursday, October 15.

The Lands in Talladego county, at Talladega on Tuesday, October, 20.

The Lands in Calhoun county at Jacksonville on Friday, October, 23

Maps exhibiting the Lands in Calhoun, Talladega and Shelby counties are placed in the offices of the Probate Judges of those counties; those of the Lands in Bibb at the Randolph depot; and those of the Lands in Perry, Autauga and Dallas counties at the store of Thomas S Driskell, Plantersville.

Soldiers or their families and widows in occupancy of Lands, on or before the 7th day of July, 1863, will be entitled to purchase forty acres at $1.25 per acre, on making proof of occupancy and payment on or before the 1st day of October next to A. M Goodwin, the Treasurer of the Company, at Selma. Applications may be made to the Treasurer in person or by letter, accompanied by proper affidavits of the applicant and two other respectable persons, setting forth the facts required to be proved.

By order of the Board of Directors.

THOS. A. WALKER, President.

☞ At the instance of parties desiring further opportunity to examine the Lands, the above sales are postponed for four weeks, & will be made on the following days, to-wit:

Plantersville,	Tuesday,	November 3d.
Randolph,	Friday,	" 6th.
Montevallo.	Tuesday.	" 10th.
Columbiana,	Thursday,	" 12th.
Talladega,	Tuesday,	" 17th.
Jacksonville,	Friday,	" 20th.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of John M. Teague, late of Calhoun co. deceased, having been granted on the 2nd day of Sept. 1863, by Judge of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala. –Notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said Estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted will please make immediate payment. Oct 10. J. C. TEAGUE, Adm.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of Jno. C. Lewis, dec. on the 3d day of Sept., 1863, by the Probate Court of Cherokee county, Ala.; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and those indebted as requested to make payment.

WM. HICKMAN, Adm.

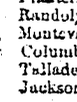
Sep. 19.

The Board of Surgeons,

APPOINTED under the Militia Act of August 29th, 1863, for the purpose of examining those who claim exemption from inability, will meet at Jacksonville on the 15th, 16th and 17th inst., and at Oxford on the 19th and 20th inst. J. C. FRANCIS,

Oct. 3, 1863. Ch'n Board.

Committed,



To the jail of Ashville, St Clair co., Alabama, a negro man, who says his name is YORKSON, and belongs to Prichard Higans of Talladega county lately removed from Madison county. Said boy is about 30 years, weighs about 165 or 175 pounds, about six feet high.

The owner of said negro is notified to come forward, prove property pay charges and take him way, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. J. C. MONTGOMERY.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of Randolph county, Ala, on the estate of Timothy Disharoon, dec'd, on the 13th day of Augut, 1863; Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate will please make payment.

Aug. 29. J. H. DISHAROON, Ex'r.

COMMITTED.

TO the jail of Lebanon, DeKalb co., Ala., on the 16th day of August. 1863, a negro man who says he belongs to William Marchman, near Greenville Merriwether county. Ga.. and that he left his his master about the 1st of May last. He says he is about 20 years old, five feet, six inches high, and weighs one hundred and fifty pounds, calls his name WASH.

The owner of said negro is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs,

Sep.5. T. J. LITTLE, Jailor.

Notice. TRUST SALE.

ON the 4th day of November, 1863, between the hours of 12 M and 4 P M, at the court house door of the county of Cherokee, in Centre, Ala, I, as Trustee, under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust, made on the 24th day of December, 1856, by Richard F Hamptou, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of said county, in Book K, pages 600 to 606, for the benefit of his creditors, shall offer for sale at public outcry, to the highest bidder, on a credit of one day, the following described lands, to-wit:

The east half of south east quarter of section 20, township 10, range 9—80 acres.

The north part of the north half of section 20, township 10, range 9—15½ acres.

The north west quarter of north west quarter of section 21, township 10; range 9—40 2-100 acres.

The east half of north east quarter of section 20, township 10, range 9—80 acres.

Lots numbered 11, 12, 13, and 14, in the plan of the survey of the school commissioners, embracing the south west quarter of section 16, township 10, range 9—161 acres—all together about 406 53-100 acres; all in the Coosa Land District, situated in said county of Cherokee, and about 1½ to 3 miles of Centre, the county seat of said county.

Also one Engine Iron-Lathe.

Said land forms a beautiful and desirable settlement, situated on the Coosa river, 2 miles from a steamboat landing, upon the great road, 1½ miles from the court house; finely timbered, watered, productive and healthy location. The purchaser will procure unquestionable titles. For further information, apply to

M. J. TURNLEY,

Sept. 5. Jacksonville, Ala

Administrators Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, made on the 31st day of September, 1863, the undersigned, as the Administrator of the estate of Joshua A Smith, dec'd, will proceed to sell, upon the premises of decedent, ON TUESDAY THE 10th day of NOVEMBER next, 1863, the following described Personal Property, belonging to said estate, to-wit.

One Still & 12 stands,
One Black Mare,
One Cow, one Iron wedge,
Two weeding Hoes,
Four Plow Hoes and about 500 bushels of Corn.

TERMS OF SALE—A credit of twelve months, with interest from date.

Note with approved security will be required to secure the purchase money.

JOHN A. SPAULDING,
Administrator, &c.

October 10, 1863—tds.

MILL NOTICE.

THE undersigned give notice to the public that their Mills on Talladega river are now in splendid order, and that they are prepared to make FLOUR, equal in quantity and quality to any mills in the country. Business attended to with accuracy and dispatch.

J. R. PESSNEL & SMITH.

July 25, 1863.—6m.

STONE'S HOTEL.

[Corner of Water and Green Streets.]

SELMA, ALABAMA.

J. M. STONE, Proprietor.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate Britton C. Harris decd. by the Probate Court of Randolph county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to come forward and make payment.

W. H. COFIELD, Adm.

Sep.19.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Chapman S. Shields, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Cherokee county, Ala., on the 26th day of Aug., 1863, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

JOHN W. RAMSEY, Adm.

Sept 19.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned, as administrator of the estate of John M. Teague, deceased, late of Calhoun county, Ala., by virtue of an order made by the Probate Court of said county, will offer for cash at public outcry to the highest bidder, within the legal hours of sale, upon the premises of said dec'd., in said county, on the 2nd day of October, 1863, the following described personal property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

One buggy, one thoroughbrace horse wagon, one rifle gun, one set blacksmith tools, two sets of surveyors instruments, one pair scales, 3 augers, one tenant sow; four barrels, two boxes sundries, two pair hames, two plows, one scythe and cradle, one mattock, one large cow-bell, one spade, one Digest and Smith's Alabama Justice, one Smith's Alabama Justice, ten books, one inkstand and one pair of saddlebags.

J. C. TEAGUE, Adm.

Sept10tds.

WANTED.

WE want thirty negro men to cut cord wood; or we will contract with any responsible parties to cut, upon our premises, 1,0000 to 6,000 cords. Enquire at the works of OXFORD IRON COMPANY.

Sept 25, 1863. sp25-tf.

Improved Merchant Mills.

THE undersigned respectfully inform the public generally that their Flouring Mills situatee on Tallassehatchee Creek, five miles south-west of Jacksonville, has been recently much improved and thoroughly repaired. They are now prepared to manufacture an article of Flour, equal in quality to that of any mills in the country, and a large quantity to the bushel. They have a good lot with water convenient, for the use of persons who may bring wheat from a distance.

They solicit a continuance of the patronage of their old friends and customers, assuring them that their well-earned reputation for promptitude and correct dealing shall be fully maintained. Every effort will be made to accommodate those who come from a distance, so that they may get their grinding done without having to return.

Their SAW MILL is also now in excellent order, and they have on hand a large quantity of almost every variety of Lumber, and will at all times be prepared to fill orders with accuracy and dispatch.

J. A. ADERHOLT,

June 27, 1861. T. SPARKS.

STATE WHISKEY —AND— ALCOHOL.

THE undersigned, Agent for the State of Alabama, at Jacksonville, has now in store, for the following counties, for sale to Druggists, merchants and Physicians ONLY, and in the original package, State Whiskey and Alcohol, upon affidavit filed in the following form:

To Druggists and Merchants:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } I do solemnly
.....county. } swear that I will not use, dispose of or sell the whiskey, (or alcohol, as the case may be,) purchased by me from J. B. Forney Agent of State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical, chemical and manufacturing purposes, and that I will not dispose of or sell the same in quantities less than a quart, nor to any person for re-sale, other than physicians, for their legitimate practice in their profession, nor for more than twenty-five per cent. net profit, nor permit any one in my employment or under my control to do so.

To Physicians:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA: } I do solemn-
.....county } ly swear that I will not use, sell or dispose of the whiskey (or alcohol) purchased by me from J. B Forney Agent of the State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical purposes in the legitimate practice of my profession as a physician, and that I will not sell or dispose of the same for more than fifty per cent. net profit, nor will I permit or allow any person in my employment or under my control to do so.

Calhoun county, one barrel, 55 to 60 gals.
Cherokee "
Talladega "
DeKalb "
Marshall "
St Clair "
Blount "
Randolph "

The proportions will hereafter be arranged as equitably as I may be able to do so. The assortment is expected to be issued monthly. Price for whiskey $10 00, alcohol $15 00 per gallon. J B FORNEY, Agt.

apr 25

Administrators Sale.

THE undersigned Administrators of Administrator of the Estate of James S. Williams, deceased, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the late residence of decedent, On Wednesday the 14th day of OCTOBER next, the following described personal property of said estate, to-wit:

About twenty bales of COTTON.

Two or three fine, young HORSES, and a remnant of an old Stock of GOODS.

The sale to commence at the usual hour.

PERMELIA F. WILLIAMS,
ELISHA HYATT,

Sept. 12, 1863. Adm's. & Adm.

NOTICE.

Ala. and Tenn. River Railroad

WAR NOTICE,

By L. W. PETTIGREW, successor to W. Y. LUNDIE & CO.

Charge for receiving, weighing and shipping Cotton, twenty five cents per bale. When re-weighed, twenty five cents per bale will be charged to be paid by the purchaser. Cotton remaining over one month will be charged ten cents a bale per month extra. Oct. 15, 1863—6m.

Executor's Sale OF LAND AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Alabama, made on the 7th day of September, 1863, the undersigned, as the Executors of the Estate of John Prater, dec'd will proceed to sell at the late residence of John Prater, dec'd, on the 29th day of October, 1863, the following described property, to-wit:

Elias and Lucy his wife, Catharine, Mandy, and Frances; one Horse and Wagon, 3 Cows and Calves and two Yearlings, seven head of Hogs; some Farming tools and household Furniture; two bales of clothing; also THIRTY ACRES OF LAND.

Terms of Sale will be a credit of Twelve months with interest from date—Note and approved security will be required to secure the purchase money.

Also at the same time and place we will sell the crop grown on the place for the year 1863.

JAMES PRATER,
A J PRATER,

Sept. 12, 1863. Executors.

Committed

TO the jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Ala. on the 14th Oct. 1863, two negro men who call their names COLUMBUS and SAM, and say they belong to Mark Childers of Columbus county, Mississippi, and were brought out by Tide Johnson who carried them to Cornwall Iron works in Cherokee county, Alabama.

Coleman is five feet eleven inches high, black complexion, and weighs 170 or 180 pounds—is about 28 years old.

Sam is copper color, five feet six or seven inches high, about nineteen years old, and weighs about 140 pounds.

The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law directs.

Oct. 17 J G WALLINGHAM, Jailor.

Office Cond't. of Conscripts,

TALLADEGA, ALA., Sept. 21, 1863.

GENERAL ORDER, NO. 22.

I. Pursuant to Special orders No. 149, from Gen. J. E. Johnston, the undersigned hereby assumes command of the Conscript Service of the State of Alabama

Commandants of camps of instruction, and Enrolling officers will continue to be governed by the orders heretofore issued from the office of the Commandant for the State.

The attention of Enrolling officers is particularly invited to the character and efficiency of their assistants, a full Descriptive Roll of whom will be returned to this office as soon as possible.

II. 1st Lieut. G. A. Cary is assigned to duty as Adjutant, and will be respected and obeyed as such.

H. C. LOCKHART,

Sep26-4t Lt. Col. & Comdt. for Ala.

EXECUTORS SALE.

THE undersigned Executor of the estate of Thompson Hodges, decd., under an order from the Probate Court of Calhoun county Ala., will, on Monday, the 2d day of November next, at the late residence of decd, sell to the highest bidder for cash, between sixty and seventy bushels of wheat, about two hundred bushels of corn and a side of leather, the property of said estate. The sale to commence at the usual hour.

This the 28th day of Sept., 1863.

S. H. HODGES,
Exr.

NOTICE.

I Have in my possession a gray horse which was left with me by a deserter from the 16th Ala. Cav'l, named L. B. Jordan. Said horse has some black specks on him; is about eleven years old; fifteen hands high, and paces. If any one has lost such a horse, he is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away.

O. W. SHEPHERD.

Arbacoochee, Randolph co., Ala. Sep. 26.

NOTICE.

THERE will be sold on the 27th day of October next, at the late residence of Jesse Mann, dec'd, in Haralson county, and State of Georgia, the following property to-wit: Eight hundred and thirty acres of land, more or less, lying on Tallapoosa river, in said county, one mile above Smith's bridge, the above land to be sold in lots of two hundred two and one-half acres; about three hundred acres of cleared land, well improved, good orchards, blacksmith shop and thrasher on said premises; also one mill, on a creek. There is about one hundred and fifty acres of bottom land cleared, and some to clear on said plantation; also four negroes to-wit: Farnet, a man, 35 years old, Isaac a man, 26 years old, Jake, a boy 17 years old, Feb. a woman 55 years old; stock of all kinds, corn, fodder, cotton, wheat and syrup: one wagon, one buggy, blacksmith tools, plantation tools, household and kitchen furniture. The above property to be sold by consent of the legatees of said deceased, for the benefit of the heirs, there being no minor heirs. Terms of sale cash. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them to the undersigned for payment.

This 16th Sept., 1863.

W. P. F. MANN.
H. J. MANN.

Sept 26-4ds.

Executors Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of Joseph McKelvy deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law; or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

SOLOMON P. WOOD, adm.

Sep26.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of Sept. 1863, by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. on the estate of Jacob Wharton, decd. all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to us, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to me immediately.

SOLOMON P. WOOD.

Sep26

Attention Militia.

ALL persons subject to enumeration under the Militia Act of Aug. 29th, 1863, who claim an exemption from military service by reason of disability, must procure a certificate of such disability from the board of Surgeons appointed for this county under said act. See notice of the meeting of said Board in this paper. Those exempt for other reasons than disability, must get a certificate from the undersigned, or they will be enumerated as those entitled to no exemption.

WM. M. HAMES,
Special Aid for Calhoun County.

Committed

To the jail of Centre, Cherokee co. Alabama, about the 21st of September, 1863, a negro boy, found with the Yankees captured in this county, who says that his name is Cary, and that he belongs to William Moore, of Danville, Boyle county, Ky.

The owner of said boy is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

S. M. GINN, Jailor.

Oct 3, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of E. A. Jelks, dec'd, having been granted to the the undersigned on the 25th day of Aug. 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county: notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred.

Oct 10. C. N. JELKS, Adm'r

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Stephen O. Black, dec, late of Calhoun county, having been granted to the undersigned on the 22d day of Sep., 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

Oct. 10. ABEL PHILLIPS, Adm.

OBITUARY.

DIED,

In the 3rd Alabama Hospital, Richmond. Va., July 3rd., 1863, Private DANIEL A. TURK, of company "D" tenth Ala., Regt, from a wound, received in the battle of Chancellorsville May 3rd, 1863. He was a Kind, affectionate and obedient son; also, a devoted and lovely brother. His youthful and comprehensive mind bid fair to bring him to eminence and preeminence, as a man of intellect and honor. None knew him but to love him.—But man that is born of a woman is of few days and full of trouble. The deceased being actuated by the love of home and liberty, parted with his parents in Alabama to return no more. He left home at the age of Seventeen years, and had served his country seventeen months when he died, on entering the army he joined the 10th Ala., Reg't in which he has many warm friends to mourn his loss, and particularly in his respective company. He was active in the discharge of the duties incumbent upon him. He was always at his post, and never had been censured by his officers when camp duty was allotted him; he was vigilant in executing the orders given him to the extent of his ability. His command acknowledges the loss of a *Soldier*.

And when the storm of battle gathered thick and fast before him, and the flash of Artillery lit up the distance like lightning playing upon the flaping sails of the storm—he pressed on undauntingly baring his young and noble heroic bosom against the storm of iron-hail, offering his life a sacrifice upon the altar of his country. Not only was he brave, and gallant soldier of his country—but a soldier of the living God. He participated not in the evils incident to camp life, His mother visited him as soon as she received the intelligence of the fatal shot and found him baring all his sufferings with unsurpassed fortitude. Notwithstanding the extent of his wound was such that would frighten the most buoyant soldier he regarded it as a visitator of providence, and therefore he was enabled to survive much to the astonishment of his attendants.

He trusted in God with an unflinching confidence, laying hold of the promises of his Lord and Master. In all his sufferings he looked to God for help; and when circumstances would admit of it he would talk fluently of Jesus Christ.

He was always talking of and confiding in the blood of Christ. Never did he loose sight of Heaven. When his case was considered hopeful, he turned to his mother one day, and said—but for you and Pa. I could turn my head on my pillow and die, But Mother, I would like to live (if God is willing) to comfort you and Pa in the decline of years.—When his friend, Mr. E. B. Hardy, would pass his bed he would call him, and ask him to talk about Moses, and sing songs of Zion. When a relative of his was taking a final leave of him—the poor boy suppressed his agony, and with an elated countenance, exclaimed Uncle Jame if we never meet again on earth, I hope we will meet in heaven. He often entered into earnest prayer, in the behalf of his father and the writer. The day before he died he attempted to sing O P when shall I see Jesus &c., He then said, Into thine hand I commit my spirit, thou hast redeemed me O' Lord God of truth. His mother was called to his bed early in the morning of the 3rd, of July 1863, to see him die. He turned the pallid face to her, and asked, "mother why did you come so soon; He then said (as the cold damp sweat gathered upon his brow) mother I will soon be better. But a moment and another soul and its God met. His spirit had been beckoned away—it had taken its everlasting flight, and to-day his soul is delighted in traversing the golden streets of the new Jerusalem, and drinking deep of the stream that makes glad the city of God. Weep not mourning parents, all is well—weep not as those who have no hope, your loss is his eternal gain. He no more will return to you; His habitation is in that house not made with hands eternal in the Heaven, he is clad in a robe of righteousness washed white in the blood of the Lamb. By faith we can see him in the shining courts of glory seated on the right hand of God tuning his harp of gold in everlasting praise of the Lamb of God that taketh away the sins of the world.

Therefore parents be of good cheer.

"Be ye therefore ready also for the son of man cometh at an hour when ye think not."

His Brother,

JOHN M. TURK.

DIED——At the residence of her nephew, A. Wright, Calhoun Co. Ala. Sep. 15th, 1863, Mrs. Susan Miles, in the 83th. year of her age.

The deceased dated the begining of her christian warfare, as far back as 30 years; having given her heart to her Saviour, at the early age of 7 years. Her long life was a living illustration of the truth and power of religion. She had been for 50 years or more a consistent and useful member of the Baptist church. She beautifully adorned her profession, even in the furnace of affliction. For 30 years in feeble health, laid upon a bed of suffering for 15 years, deprived of her eye-sight for 10 years, she was ever cheerful, uncomplaining and submissive to the divine will.

Her mind retained its remarkable vigor, till within a few days of her death: and it was truly refreshing even of late years, to hear from her lips, words of peace and comfort, flowing from her deep and rich experience as a christian. "Like as a shock of corn cometh in his season," so she was gathered into the garner of the Lord.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

S.

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

October 10, 1863.

☞See obituary notices on 1st page.

Public Meetings for the Relief of Soldiers' Families.

We have been requested to give notice that public meetings will be held at the court ground in each precinct in this county, on Saturday the 24th inst. for the purpose of ascertaining the number of families who need relief under the late conscription.

These meetings will appoint one or more delegates to a county meeting to be held on the Saturday following at Jacksonville, for the purpose, among other things, of adopting a lower and more uniform standard or rate of prices for provisions sold to soldiers families; in order that the burden of aid needed may fall more equally than at present, where some few noble and liberal men are doing all, and many others doing nothing.

Jail Broken and six prisoners taken out!

On Monday nighr last at about 9 o' clock a party of armed men appeared at the County Jail in this place, called the Jailor out and represented to him that they had a prisoner to comit to the Jail (giving the name of a man that there had been some effort made to arrest) They succeeded in getting the Jailor to unlock the door and immediately siezed him and held him fast untill they had succeded in taking and tieing six prisoners that had been confined in the Jail. The parties called out the names of the prisoners they wanted, namely; M.D. Sanders, N. B. Sanders, T. P. Sanders, M. J Watson. C. W. Collins, and N. T. Harper, all we believe from St. Clair County and reported deserters. The parties who took these men from the Jail are represented as having been well armed and well mounted.—They left with the prisoners and are supposed to have gone in the direction of St. Clair County.

The above is about the substance of the statement given by the Jailor

Talladega Reporter.

We have since learned verably, that the men mentioned above were all found hanged on Friday afterwards, two and a half miles from Tallaeega, near the Conscript camp. Deserters tories and unionists it seems are learning some very wholesome lessons of late. We hope that thier leaders and coadjtors Lincoln's robbers and murders in Rosecranz army may soon be taught lessons equally salutary by Gen Bragg and his brave army.

PRESIDENT DAVIS passed through Atlanta and Marietta on the 9th inst. on his way to Gen. Bragg's head quarters. At each place he made a brief address to the citizens assembled from the depot platform, speaking hopefully of the condition of affairs and complimenting Georgia soldiers and ladies—the first for their glorious achievements on every battlefield & the latter for thier exertions in behalf of the wounded in the late battle. The President was accompanied by Gens. Longstreet Breckinridge and Pemberton and Gov. Brown and Sen. Cobb. We have seen no further information of his progress, or intimation of the purpose of his visit. It may be on a hasty tour of inspection, or he may desire to remain until a decisive movement is made, in this now most important field of action.

Our Circuit Court

Adjourned on Monday last, after having been in session the previous week—HON. J. T. HEFLIN presiding, and J. H. CALDWELL. Esq. Solicitor. Our new Sheriff and Deputy, Messrs. Owens and Willingham, we learn, discharged their difficult and responsible duties to the entire satisfaction of the Court and parties litigant; and our old Clerk, G. B. Douthit, Esq. fully sustained his long established and well earned reputation, as an excellent, correct, and efficient officer. An excellent Grand Jury too, was faithful in the discharge of most important duties.

A considerable amount of business, on both the civil and criminal dockets was disposed of; among the latter, some heavy fines most justly imposed.

Judge Heflin, it is probable, may not be popular with that class of people who are ever found impatient under and complaining of the wholesome restraints of good laws; but his thorough knowledge of law, his stability, strict impartiality and firm administration of justice, can but commend him to all law-abiding people. We believe him to be the right man, in the right place, and at the right time; for surely, when crime of almost every grade is stalking abroad, is not the time to paralyze the arm of justice, take from the good citizen the protection of law, or relax in its firm administration. Judge Heflin makes the law, as far as his duties and responsibilities are concerned, what it shonld be, a terror and means of punishment to evil doers and a praise and protection to them that do well.

We forgot in our previous issues to inform our readers of the gratifying tidings which reached us from our neighbours of Oxford and vicinity.

For several months past, many robberies and other depredations had been committed on the citizens near Antioch Church: in fact the audacity of the depredators reached such a height, that the peaceful citizens were not only endangered of their property but their lives. The peace-loving and loyal citizens could stand it no longer, their indignation was aroused, and they formed in a body, and with the assistance of a squad of Capt Hall Lewis' company, set to work. They scoured the country known as Kentuck and California, and succeeded in arresting about 27 of the robbers, who proved to be deserters from the army or those connected, in harboring them or concealing their ill-gotten goods, and sharing their disloyal sentiments. A Courtmartial, consisting of the best citizens of that vicinity tried the offenders, and punished them according to their guilt. Several of them we learn, went the *short road to Talladega*, while others were sent to Gen. Bragg who forwarded them to the army in Virginia. Others volunteered in some military company, and several have left to seek a home in Mississippi or South Carolina.

Thus by the energy of our citizens the country has been cleared of deserters, disloyal ones rooted out, and the country is freed from a class of population who are a terror to the people and an injury to our cause.

HEAD QUARTERS, Wheeler's Cavalry Corps, }
On the river near Courtland, Ala. Oct 19. }

MR. J. F. GRANT—*Sir*—Gen. Wheeler with his Cavalry has just made a circuit around the enemy's army, by the way of Murfreesboro and Shelbyville, completely destroying the Railroad for about 20 or 25 miles, destroyed an abundance of Stores, six or seven hundred wagons, and capturing a thousand prisoners and about 3,000 mules. Yet we have to mourn the loss of Benj. Easley. He was killed on the 30th day of Sept. in a fight at Farmington, while standing square to the enemy, within 75 yards of them. He was shot through the head and fell dead from his horse; the only man killed during the raid. Wm Shaw and Wm Stephens were captured. We have nine others out on a scout that we have not heard from, yet we think they will come out safe.

J. M. ANDERSON.

In addition to the intelligence by the above letter from Lieut. Anderson, we learn from Mr. Wm R Hubbard of Wheeler's Escort, who handed us the letter, the paiuful news, that Capt. Wm. White, of this place was dangerously if not mortally wounded, having been shot through the body ranging from the point of the right shoulder blade to the left side.

☞John Brock, Esq. will start from Blue Monntain to Virginia on the morning of the 27th inst. and will take letters and clothing, properly boxed up, to any of the soldiers in the Virgtnia army.

☞ Prisoners recently captured in East Tennessee report the death of Col. Bob Johnson, Andy Johnson's second son. He is said to have died at Huntsville, Alabama, in a drunkin fit. It will be recolleeted that his oldest son was thrown from his horse in Nashville, some five or six months ago, and killed, while on a drunken frolic.

Pike and his Indian army.

We perceive by Northern accounts, says the Mississippian, that Albert Pike is again in the field, notwithstanding his bad treatment by Holmes and Hindman. He has seven thousand Indians in good fighting trim, and is moving to take a place in the next battle in the trans-Mississippi department. We hope that under Kirby Smith and Gen. Price, Gen. Pike will get along more harmoniously than he formerly did, and that he will not find it necessary to make any more expositions of corruption and imbecility though the public prints.

An Incident of the Battle of Chickamauga.

We are permitted by a friend to make an extract from a private letter, which relates an interesting incident of the battle of Chickamauga, which deserves to be recorded. Premising that Lieut. Renfro was a citizen of Athens, in this county, and was a member of Capt. Hart's company, now commanded by Capt Henry, and that Col. Weedon was the Lieut. Col of the 22d Alabama Regiment, we subjnin the extract:

Montgomery Advertiser.

Renfro took the colors of his regiment early in the fight on Sunday last (battle of Chickmauga) and carried them far ahead of the main body of the regiment until he was killed. A good deal of the ground over which his regiment passed was an open field, and as the regiment passed through it was exposed to a murderous fire from both artllery and infantry, yet Lieut. Renfro carried his colors proudly through it, and fell at the far side of the field within twenty paces of the enemy As soon as Lieut. Renfro fell the Lt. Col. of the regiment (Lieut Col. John Weedon) siezed the colors, but had scarcely straightened himself before he fell lifeless across Lieut. Renfro's dead body, and the flag partially covered both of them.

The News. by telegraph and otherwise, since our last issue, may be briefly summed up as follows:

The Yankees opened a heavy fire on the 7th, from a mortar battery at Moccasin point, upon Lookout mountain, continuing four hours, for the purpose as supposed of ascertaining the position of our batteries, but failed to elicit a response.

All was quiet at Charleston on the 10th. Although the Yankees make big threats at bombarding Charleston, it is not believed they can do much mischief from the distance they are at, five miles

A heavy cavalry skirmish occurred at Culpepper on the morning of the 10th in which the Yankees were driven back four miles, and one hundred of them captured with their camp equipage.

Gen. Tom Green, on the 20th ult. surprised a Yankee force of 3,000 that had left their gunboats and encamped on the bayou Fordoche, east of the Atchafalaya. He killed at least 100 of them, captured four hundred and sixty-one, and drove the rest to their gunboats.

Movements are on foot in every county in Texas, to furnish the families of soldiers with corn at a maximum price of fifty cents per bushel. In many of the counties it is given and delivered to the families without any charge.

The result of the Sabine Pass fight shows it to be the most brilliant of the age. Forty-two men, all told, were attacked in a battery by four gunboats, backed up by a fleet of transports of twenty vessels, carrying over ten thousand men. We captured two of the gunboats with all on board; crippled a third, which afterwards sunk at sea, and sent the whole force back where it started from.

The number of killed and wounded Federals was greater than our entire force; the number of prisoners taken was eight times our entire force the number of guns captured was more than double the number we had and of five times the weight of metal.—These men were the Jeff Davis Gaurds, a company of Irish volunteers raised in the City of Houston in 1861 for the war. Silver medals have been presented to each member of the garrison by the citizens of the city.

A special Washington dispatch to the Herald says that for two months past the question of the setlement of the impending difficulties between the North and South, without further bloodshed, had been under consideration at Washington and Richmond. The negotiations have not yet reached any definite proposition.

Letter from East Tennessee.

The Latest from Knoxville—The Blue Bellies Preparing to Skedaddle—Citizens Impressed.

CLEVELAND TENN., Oct. 7th, 1863.

Knoxville Register: As I have just seen a man from Knoxville who left there on the 2d inst, I will give you the news he brings. He states that on last Thursday eighteen pieces of artillery and all the forces at that place except about two thousand, left for Loudon. On the same day he heard that the Federal forces above had fallen back to New Market, except some scouting parties. They had become very much alarmed. Their General Carter, had sent his own and some other families out into Kentucky on last Monday. My informant says he heard Federal officers saying that they never expected to hold East Tennessee. He says there are some three hundred and fifty citizens in prison at Knoxville. When my informant left Knoxville he says the Southern men were very much lifted up about Generals Bragg's victory at Chickmauga.

From a reliable source I learn the Federals broke up camp at Athens Sunday last and fell back to Sweetwater.—Their pickets yesterday were at Mouse Creek. On Monday last a scout of some twelve men dashed into Calhoun and fired on some boys wounding one by the name of Brock. I hope to be able to inform you in a day or so that McMinn is clean of the Blue Bellies

Yours, &c, EAST TENNESSEE.

The Richmond *Examiner* of the 7th inst says:

Though the Federal Union and the Confederates have now in the field more powerful armies than at any previous period in the war and though they are literaly face to face at Charleston, Chattanooga, and on the Rappidan, the most peaceful disposition seem to pervade the bosoms of the opposing hosts. There is no one sound of battle from all our wide border bristling as it is wtih bostile bayonets The enemy's advance has been checked in Northern Virginia, his plans of destruction and desolation defeated at Charleston, and the angry tide that burst in from the Southwest has been partially rolled back at Chickamauga. The Yankees is every where foiled and the Confederates seem not ready to attempt his expulsion from our terretory. We can better afford this inactivity than the enemy. With him not to continue to advance is to admit failure.

Gen. Gilmore is doing nothing at Charleston but marching and countermarching his negro regiments on Morris Island, while the monitor monsters blockade the port of Charleston. Making the blockade effective is all that accomplished by the number of lives and the amount of pawer and shot that have been expended during the most memorable siege of modern times. Gilmore may throw a few shells at Charleston, but their effect is little to be dreaded, the distance between his batteries and the city being five and not four miles as previously stated.

Exchange

THE undersigned has SALT to exchange for PORK. Also LEATHER to exchange for Wheat, Corn, Meat, &c.

FLEISH & WELLHOUSE.

Jacksonville, Oct. 14, 1863.

SALT, SALT!

THE undersigned have 75 sacks of Salt, which they now offer for sale at 75 cts. per pound, or in exchange for produce.

BLUN & FRANK.

Jacksonville, Oct. 17, 1863.

Confederate Tax Notice.

IN accordance with section 14, entitled an act for the assessment and collection of Taxes, the Lists valuations and enumerations made and takin within this the 14th. District by the assessor, are now submitted to any and all persons concerned, at Jacksonville Ala

Appeals will be received and determined, relative to any erronious or excessive valuations or enumerations made and taken by the assessor. The List will remain open for fifteen days, after the date of this notice.

H A. EARNS,
Collector 14th. District.

Oct. 17th. 1863.

Agency Notice.

DURING my absence in the army, Elias Read is my authorized Agent, to transact any business connected with my administration of the Estate of E. A. Jelks, dec.

Oct. 17, 1863. C. N. JELKS, Adm.

List of Appointments

For Assessing Tax in Kind.

THE undersigned Assessor of Confederate war Tax will be at the times and places mentioned below, for the purpose of Assessing the tax on Corn, Fodder, Hay, Potatoes, Beans, Peas, Ground Peas, Tobacco, Wool & Cotton, and to complete the further assessment of Wheat, Oats and Rye. Also the value of all Horses, Mules, Asses, neat Cattle, Hogs and Sheep not necessary for agricultural purposes, and what may have been butchered since the 24th of April last, and also to complete other assessments.

☞Tax payers are notified that this is my last round, that there are no exemptions, and that the law will be rigidly and indiscriminately enforced against all who fail to attend and give in their taxes.

Beat No.	8, Waldenz,	Oct.	19
" "	7, Mt. Gilead church,	"	20
" "	22, Kansas,	"	21
" "	6, Ohatchie,	"	22
" "	5, Polkville,	"	23
" "	21, Sulphur Springs,	"	24
" "	4, Maddox's,	"	26
" "	13, Oxford,	"	27
" "	12, Yoe's X Roads,	"	28
" "	11, White Plains,	"	29
" "	10, Rabbit Town,	"	30
" "	9, Cross Plains,	Nov.	2
" "	9, Ladiga,	"	3
" "	20, Borden's,	"	4
" "	19, Fips,	"	5
" "	18, Pine Thicket,	"	6
" "	16, Pounds'	"	7
" "	17, Fair Play,	"	9
" "	23, Oak Grove,	"	10
" "	15, Pine Grove,	"	11
" "	14, Sugar Hill,	"	12
" "	3, June Bug,	"	14
" "	2, Alexandria,	"	16
" "	1, Jacksonville,	"	17

R. H. WYNNE, Assessor.

Oct. 17, 1863.

Committed

TO the Jail of Centre, Cherokee county, Ala. two negro men named COWDON & ANDERSON. Cowdon is about 35 or 40 years old, and weighs about 150 pounds, black color. Anderson is about 23 years old weighs about 140 pounds, black color. They say they belong to Wm. H. Key of Franklin co. Ala. who went to Talladega.

The owner of said negroes is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law directs.

Oct. 17, '63. S. M. GINN, Jailor.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration with the will annexed, upon the Estate of Richardson H Doss, having been granted to the undersigned, on the 15th day of June, 1863, by the Judge of the Probate Court of Marshall County Ala. All persons having claims against said Estate, will present them within the time prescribed by law, duly authenticated or they will be forever bared.

F. M. KIRBY,
Adm'r.

Sept. 25th 1863.

Exchange Notice No 6.

Richmond, Sept. 12, 1863.

The following Confederate officers and men captured at Vicksburg, Miss., July 4, 1863, and subsequently paroled, have been duly exchanged, and are hereby so declared t

1. The officers and men of Gen. C. L. Stevenson's division.
2. The officers and men of Gen. Bowen's division.
3. The officers and men of Brig. Gen. Moore's Brigade.
4. The officers and men of the 2d Texas Regiment.
5. The officers and men of Waul's Legion.
6. Also, all Confederate officers and men who have been delivered at City Point at any time previous to July 25th, 1863, have been duly exchanged, are hereby so declared.

R. OULD,
Oct. 3-6t. Agent of Exchange.

DAVID L. CAMPBELL,

(FORMERLY CAMPBELL & BENNETT.)

General Commission Merchant

No. 53, North Water Street,

Aug. 15, 1863. MOBILE, Ala.

Liberal advances on produce in store.

Notice.

WANTED TO HIRE, from four to six good negro fellows. I will take hands by the month at twenty dollars. For further information apply to

Oct 10. JONATHAN PHILLIPS.

$150 REWARD.

WILL be paid by the undersigned for three negro fellows who have runaway, or $50 for either. FRANK, a mulatto with blue eyes, weight about 135. WRIGHT a copper color, with a little defect in one of his eyes. JOHN a smooth black, with one of his fore fingers crooked and stiff. The above reward will be paid to have them lodged in jail so that we get them.

THOMASON & NANCE.

Talladega Oct. 3, 1863.

Administrator's Sale.

THE undersigned, Administrator of S O'Black, deceased, will, ON TUESDAY THE 3rd DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT, upon the premises of deceased, sell to the highest bidder the following described PERSONAL PROPERTY, to-wit:

Various kinds of Farming Tools,
Twenty-six Bee Stands,
One Buggy and Harness,
A few bushels of Oats,
One Yoke of Oxen, and
Two head of Stock Cattle, and other articles.

Said property will be sold for cash;

And at the same time and place, I will RENT OUT THE LAND of deceased for the year 1864. Sale to take place at usual hour.

ABEL PHILLIPS,
Administrator.

Sept. 30, 1863.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
CALHOUN COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for said county, Special Term, Sept. 11th, 1863.

This day came James J. Rowland, admr. of the estate of James England, dec'd., and filed in court his resignation as administrator of the same; and also at the same time filed his account and vouchers for a final settlement of his said administration of said estate. It is therefore ordered that the 19th day of Oct. 1863, be set apart for making said settlement, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day, as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear at a special term of said Court, to be holden at the court house of said county, on said 19th day of October, 1863, and contest said settlement if they think proper

A. WOODS,
Oct 3. Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
CALHOUN COUNTY. }

Coure of Probate for said county, September 28th, 1863.

THIS day came S. H. Hodges, Executor of the estate Thompson Hodges, dec'd., and filed in said court his petition in writing representing that his testator died seized and possessed of the following described lands situated in said county to-wit: the N W fourth of section 26, township, 12, range 9, containing 100 and 41-100 acres, and S W fourth of N W fourth of section 26, township 12 range 9, containing 40 and 10-100 acres, also the N W fourth of S W fourth section 26 township 12, range 9, and the S E fourth of N E fourth, and N E fourth of N E fourth of section 27, township 12, range 9, containing 120 acres, more or less, also N W fourth of N E fourth, section 26, township 12, range 9, also N E fourth of N W fourth of section 13, township 13, range 9, all east in the Coosa Land District. Said executor further alleges that said lands cannot be equally, fairly, and beneficially divided among the legatees of said estate without a sale of the same, and therefore prays an order of court authorizing him to sell the same for distribution. He further represents that Mary B Word, wife of James Word, is a non-resident legatee of said estate, of full age and resides in Hunt county, and State of Texas. The premises considered, it is ordered by the court, that the 15th day of November, 1863, be set for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county for forty days prior to said day as a notice to said non-resident legatee to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the Court house of said county, on said 15th day of November, 1863, and defend against said petition if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
Judge of Probate.

PROPOSALS

ARE invited for conveying the Mails of the Confederate States from day 1863 to June 30th 1866 on Route 5167 From Cross Plains, by Goshen, Colosa Centre, Blue Pond, Sand Rock, Van Buren and Sand Mountain to Guntersville 65 miles and back, twice to Centre and once a week. residue—Leave Cross Plains Tuesday and Saturday at 4 a. m., arrive at Centre same days by 9 a. m.—Leave Centre Tuesday and Thursday at 10 a. m., arrive at Cross Plains same days by 3 p. m.,

Leaving Centre Thursday at 10½ a. m. arrive at Guntersville by 12 night—Leave Guntersville Friday at 12 a. m., arrive at Centre same day by 9 p. m.

Persons making proposals will file same with P. M. Cross Plains on or before the 20th inst.

Sept. 7th 1863.

H. FRANCIS. Spl. Agt.
P. O. Department.

"The contractor will not be required to perform military service."

H. FRANCIS.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate Joshua A Smith, deceased on the 9th day of July, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

Oct.r 3 JOHN A. SPAULDING, Adm.

Sale of Railroad Stock

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Alabama, made on the 4th day of September, 1863, I will proceed to sell, on MONDAY THE 9th DAY of NOVEMBER, 1863, before the court house door of said county, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, a Certificate of Railroad Stock in the Alabama and Tennessee River Railroad company embracing 13 Shares of thirty-five dollars each, belonging to estate of John Maddox, dec'd.

J. W. MADDOX, Adm. of
Oct. 7. said Estate.

SUGAR!

TO exchange for bacon, pound for pound; also sold for cash at the Drug Store.

Sept. 11. T. N. AGLIN.

Jacksonville Republican

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PUBLIC SALES OF

RAILROAD LANDS.

THE Lands belonging to the Alabama and Tennessee Rivers Railroad Company amounting to upwards of 900,000 acres, situated in the vicinity of the company's railroad, embracing large tracts of superiur timbered lands, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, at the following times and places, to-wit:

The Lands situated in Dallas, Autauga and Perry counties at Plantersville, on Tuesday, October 6, 1863.

The Lands in Bibb county at Randolph on Friday, October 9

The Land in the lower part of Shelby county up to the north boundary of township 18, at Montevallo on Tuesday October 13.

The Lands in the upper part of Shelby county, from Shelby Springs to Coosa river, at Columbiana on Thursday, October 15.

The Lands in Talladego county, at Talladega on Tuesday, October, 20.

The Lands in Calhoun county at Jacksonville on Friday, October 23

Maps exhibiting the Lands in Calhoun, Talladega and Shelby counties are placed in the offices of the Probate Judges of those counties; those of the Lands in Bibb at the Randolph depot; and those of the Lands in Perry, Autauga and Dallas counties at the store of Thomas S Driskell, Plantersville.

Soldiers or their families and widows in occupancy of Lands, on or before the 7th day of July, 1863; will be entitled to purchase forty acres at $1.25 per acre, on making proof of occupancy and payment on or before the 1st day of October next to A. M Goodwin, the Treasurer of the Company, at Selma. Applications may be made to the Treasurer in person or by letter, accompanied by proper affidavits of the applicant and two other respectable persons; setting forth the facts required to be proved.

By order of the Board of Directors.

THOS. A. WALKER, President.

☞ At the instance of parties desiring further opportunity to examine the Lands, the above sales are postponed for four weeks, & will be made on the following days, to-wit:

Plantersville,	Tuesday,	November	3d.
Randolph,	Friday,	"	6th.
Montevallo,	Tuesday,	"	10th.
Columbiana,	Thursday,	"	12th.
Talladega,	Tuesday,	"	17th.
Jacksonville,	Friday,	"	20th.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of John M. Teague, late of Calhoun co. deceased, having been granted on the 2nd day of Sept. 1863, by Judge of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Ala. –Notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said Estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred; and all persons indebted will please make immediate payment. Oct. 10. J. C. TEAGUE, Adm.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of Jno. C. Lewis, dec. on the 3d day of Sept., 1863, by the Probate Court of Cherokee county, Ala.; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

W. F. HICKMAN, Adm'r.

Sep 17

Said boy is about 5 feet 9 inches high, weighs about 165 or 175 pounds, is quite black.

The owner of said negro is notified to come forward, prove property pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs. J. C. MONTGOMERY.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Joshua A Smith, deceased on the 9th day of July, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

Oct 3 JOHN A. SPAULDING, Adm.

$50 REWARD.

WILL be paid by the undersigned for three negro fellows who have runaway, or $30 for either. FRANK, a mulatto with blue eyes weight about 135. WRIGHT a copper color with a little defect in one of his eyes. JOHN a smooth black, with one of his fore fingers crooked and stiff. The above reward will be paid to have them lodged in jail so that we get them.

THOMASON & NANCE.

Talladega Oct. 3, 1863.

COMMITTED.

TO the jail of Lebanon, DeKalb co., Ala., on the 15th day of August, 1863, a negro man who says he belongs to William Marchman, near Greenville Merriwether county, Ga., and that he left his his master about the 1st of May last. He says he is about 70 years old, five feet, six inches high, and weighs one hundred and fifty pounds, calls his name WASH.

The owner of said negro is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

Sep.5. T. J. LITTLE, Jailor.

Notice. TRUST SALE.

ON the 4th day of November, 1863, between the hours of 12 M and 4 P M, at the court house door of the county of Cherokee, in Centre, Ala, I, as Trustee, under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust, made on the 24th day of December, 1856, by Richard F Hamptdh, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of said county, in Book K, pages 600 to 606, for the benefit of his creditors, shall offer for sale at public outcry, to the highest bidder, on a credit of one day, the following described lands, to-wit:

The east half of south east quarter of section 20, township 10, range 9—80 acres.

The north part of the north half of fl section 20, township 10, range 9—45½ acres.

The north west quarter of north west quarter of section 21, township 10; range 9—40 3-100 acres.

The east half of north east quarter of section 20, township 10, range 9—80 acres.

Lots numbered 11, 12, 13, and 14, in the plan of the survey of the school commissioners, embracing the south west quarter of section 16, township 10, range 9—161 acres—altogether about 406 53-100 acres; all in the Coosa Land District, situated in said county of Cherokee, and about 1½ to 3 miles of Centre, the county seat of said county.

Also one Engine Iron-Lathe.

Said land forms a beautiful and desirable settlement, situated on the Coosa river, 2 miles from a steamboat landing, upon the great road, 1½ miles from the Court House; finely timbered, watered, productive and healthy location. The purchaser will procure unquestionable titles. For further information, apply to

M. J. TURNLEY.

Sept. 5. Jacksonville, Ala.

Administrators Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, made on the 21st day of September, 1863, the undersigned, as the Administrator of the estate of Joshua A Smith, dec'd, will proceed to sell, upon the premises of decedent, ON TUESDAY THE 10th day of NOVEMBER next, 1863, the following described Personal Property, belonging to said estate, to-wit.

One Still & 12 stands,
One Black Mare,
One Cow, one Iron wedge,
Two weeding Hoes,
Four Plow Hoes and about 500 bushels of Corn.

TERMS OF SALE—A credit of twelve months, with interest from date.

Note with approved security will be required to secure the purchase money.

JOHN A. SPAULDING.
Administrator, &c.

October 10, 1863—tds.

MILL NOTICE.

THE undersigned give notice to the public, that their Mills on Tallapoosa river are now in splendid order, and that they are prepared to make FLOUR, meal in quantity and quality to any [illegible] the country. Business attended to with [illegible] and dispatch.

J. R. ESSNEL & SMITH.

July 25, 1863.—3m.

STONE'S HOTEL.

[Corner of Water and Green Streets.]

SELMA, ALABAMA.

J. M. STONE, Proprietor.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate Britton C. Harris decd. by the Probate Court of Randolph county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to come forward and make payment.

W. H. COFIELD, Adm.

Sep.19.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Chapman S. Shields, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, by the [illegible]

Sep. 10.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned, Administrator of the estate of John M. Teague, late of Calhoun county, Ala., by virtue of an order made by the Probate Court of said county, will offer for sale at public outcry, to the highest bidder, within the hours of sale, upon the premises of said deceased, in said county, on the 25th day of October, 1863, the following described personal property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

One buggy, one three horse wagon, one rifle gun, one set blacksmith tools, two setts surveyors instruments, one pair scales, two pair gears, one sorrel mare four cattle, two sheep, one saddle, one set bridles, one grind stone and cradle, one set tools, one plow and gear, one cow-bell, one plane, one Clayton and Smith's Alabama Justice, one Simkin's Alabama Justice, two books, one bedstead and one pair of saddlebags.

J. C. TEAGUE, Adm.

Sept 10 ds.

WANTED.

WE want thirty negro men to cut cord wood; or we will contract with any responsible parties to cut, upon our premise, 1,0000 to 5,000 cords. Enquire at the works of OXFORD IRON COMPANY.

Sept 15, 1863. sep26-tf

Improved Merchant Mills.

THE undersigned respectfully inform the public generally that their Flouring Mills situated on Tallasschatchee Creek, five miles south-west of Jacksonville, has been recently much improved and thoroughly repaired. They are now prepared to manufacture an article of Flour, equal in quality to that of any mills in the country, and as large a quantity to the bushel. They have a good lot with water convenient, for the use of persons who may bring wheat from a distance.

They solicit a continuance of the patronage of their old friends and customers, assuring them that their well-earned reputation for promptitude and correct dealing shall be fully maintained. Every effort will be made to accommodate those who come from a distance, so that they may get their grinding done without having to return.

Their SAW MILL is also now in excellent order, and they have on hand a large quantity of almost every variety of Lumber, and will at all times be prepared to fill orders with accuracy and dispatch.

J. A. ADERHOLT,
June 27, 1861. T. SPARKS.

STATE WHISKEY

—AND—

ALCOHOL.

THE undersigned, Agent for the State of Alabama, at Jacksonville, has now in store, for the following counties, for sale to Druggists, merchants and Physicians ONLY, and in the original package, State Whiskey and Alcohol, upon affidavit filed in the following form:

To Druggists and Merchants:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } I do solemnly
..... county, } swear that I will not use, dispose of or sell the whiskey, (or alcohol, as the case may be,) purchased by me from J. B. Forney Agent of State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical, chemical and manufacturing purposes, and that I will not dispose of or sell the same in quantities less than a quart, nor to any person for resale, other than physicians, for their legitimate practice in their profession; nor for more than twenty-five per cent. nett profit, nor permit any one in my employment or under my control to do so.

To Physicians:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA: } I do solemn-
.....county } ly swear that I will not use, sell or dispose of the whiskey (or alcohol) purchased by me from J. B Forney Agent of the State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical purposes in the legitimate practice of my profession as a physician, and that I will not sell or dispose of the same for more than fifty per cent. nett profit, nor will I permit or allow any person in my employment or under my control to do so.

Calhoun county, one barrel, 55 to 60 gals.
Cherokee "
Talladega "
DeKalb "
Marshall "
St Clair "
Blount "
Randolph "

The proportions will hereafter be arranged as equitably as I may be able to do so. The same amount is expected to be issued monthly. Price for whiskey $10 00, alcohol $15 00 per gallon. J B FORNEY, Agt.

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NOTICE.

Ala. and Ten. River Railroad

WARE HOUSE,

By L. W. PETTIGREW, successor to W. Y. LUNDIE & CO.

Charge for receiving, weighing and shipping Cotton, twenty five cents per bale. When re-weighed, twenty five cents per bale will be charged to be paid by the purchaser. Cotton remaining over one month will be charged ten cents a bale per month extra. Oct. 18, 1860—6m.

Executor's Sale

OF LAND

AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Alabama, made on the 7th day of September, 1863, the undersigned, as the Executors of the Estate of John Prater, dec'd will proceed to sell, at the late residence of John Prater, dec'd, on the 25th day of October, 1863, the following described property, to-wit:

Elias and Lucy his wife, Catherine, Martha, and Frances; one Horse and Wagon, 3 Cows and Calves and two Yearlings, seven head of Hogs; some Farming tools and household Furniture; two beds and clothing; also THIRTY ACRES OF LAND.

Terms of Sale will be a credit of Twelve months, with interest from date—Note and approved security will be required to secure the purchase money.

Also at the same time and place we will [illegible] crop grown on the place for the year

JAMES PRATER,
A. J PRATER.
Executors.

[illegible]

[illegible] county, two negroes, to-wit: COLE, 28 [illegible] to Mark Chisholm, Mississippi, and [illegible] from Johnson who [illegible] from works in Cherokee [illegible]

[illegible] five feet eleven inches high, [illegible] and weighs 170 or 180 [illegible] about 28 years old.

[illegible] color, five feet six or seven [illegible] years old, and [illegible] 160 pounds.

The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law directs.

Oct. 17. J G WILLINGHAM, Jailor.

Sale of Railroad Stock

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Alabama, made on the 4th day of September, 1863, I will proceed to sell, on MONDAY THE 9th DAY of NOVEMBER, 1863, before the court house door of said county, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, a Certificate of Railroad Stock in the Alabama and Tennessee River Railroad company, embracing 13 Shares of thirty-five dollars each, belonging to estate of John Maddox, dec'd.

J. W. HARPOX, Adm. of said Estate.

Oct. 7.

Office Comd't. of Conscripts,

TALLADEGA, ALA., Sept. 21, 1863.

GENERAL ORDER, }
NO. 22. }

I. Pursuant to Special orders No. 149, from Gen. J. E. Johnston, the undersigned hereby assumes command of the Conscript Service of the State of Alabama

Commandants of camps of instruction, and Enrolling officers will continue to be governed by the orders heretofore issued from the office of the Commandant for the State.

The attention of Enrolling officers is particularly invited to the character and efficiency of their assistants, a full Descriptive Roll of whom will be returned to this office as soon as possible.

II. 1st Lieut. G. A. Cary is assigned to duty as Adjutant, and will be respected and obeyed as such.

H. C. LOCKHART,
Sep26-4t. Lt. Col. & Comdt. for Ala.

EXECUTORS SALE.

THE undersigned Executor of the estate of Thompson Hodges, decd., under an order from the Probate Court of Calhoun county Ala., will, on Monday, the 2d day of November next, at the late residence of decd, sell to the highest bidder for cash, between sixty and seventy bushels of wheat, about two hundred bushels of corn and a side of leather, the property of said estate. The sale to commence at the usual hour.

This the 28th day of Sept., 1863.

S. H. HODGES,
Exr.

NOTICE.

I Have in my possession a gray horse which was left with me by a deserter from the 10th Ala. Cav., named J. B. Jordan. Said horse has some black specks on him; is about eleven years old; fifteen hands high, and paces. If any one has lost such a horse, he is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away.

O. W. SHEPHERD.

Arbacoochee, Randolph co., Ala. Sep 26.

NOTICE.

THERE will be sold on the 27th day of October next, at the late residence of Jesse Mann, dec'd, in Haralson county, and State of Georgia, the following property to-wit: Eight hundred and thirty acres of land, more or less, lying on Tallapoosa river, in said county, one mile above Smith's bridge, the above land to be sold in lots of two hundred two and one-half acres; about three hundred acres of cleared land, well improved, good orchards, blacksmith shop and thrasher on said premises; also one mill, on a creek. There is about one hundred and fifty acres of bottom land cleared, and some to clear on said plantation; also four negroes to-wit: Farnet, a man, 35 years old; Isaac a man, 26 years old, Jake, a boy 17 years old, Feb, a woman 55 years old; stock of all kinds, corn, fodder, cotton, wheat and syrup; one wagon, one buggy, blacksmith tools, plantation tools, household and kitchen furniture. The above property to be sold by consent of the legatees of said deceased, for the benefit of the heirs, there being no minor heirs. Terms of sale cash. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them to the undersigned for payment.

This 19th Sept., 1863.

W. D. P. MANN.
H. J. MANN.

Sept. 26-4ds.

Executors Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of Joseph McKelvy deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law; or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

SOLOMON P. WOOD, adm.

Sept26.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of Sept. 1863, by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. on the estate of Jacob Wharton, dec'd. all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to us, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to me immediately.

SOLOMON P. WOOD.

Sep26

Committed

TO the Jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 21st day of October, 1863, a runaway slave, who calls his name DANIEL, and who says he belongs to Churchwell Gibson, of Macon county, Ala. who resides about 8 miles of Tuskegee. Said slave is 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, black complected, about 40 years old, and weighs 160 pounds.

The owner of said negro is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

J. G. WILLINGHAM, Jailor.

Committed

To the jail of Centre, Cherokee co. Alabama, about the 21st of September, 1863, a negro boy, found with the Yankees captured in this county, who says that his name is Cary, and that he belongs to William Moore, of Danville, Boyle county, Ky.

The owner of said boy is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

S. M. GINN, Jailor.

Oct. 3, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of E. A. Jelks, dec'd, having been granted to the the undersigned on the 25th day of Aug. 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county: notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred.

Oct 10. C. N. JELKS, Adm'r

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Stephen O. Black, dec. late of Calhoun county, having been granted to the undersigned on the 22d day of Sep., 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

Oct. 19. ABEL PHILLIPS, Adm.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } CALHOUN COUNTY. }

Court of Probate for said county, September 28th, 1863.

THIS day came S. H. Hodges, Executor of the estate Thompson Hodges, dec'd., and filed in said court his petition in writing representing that his testator died seized and possessed of the following described lands situated in said county to-wit: the N W fourth of section 25, township, 12, range 9, containing 100 and 41-100 acres, and S W fourth of N W fourth of section 26, township 12 range 9, containing 40 and 10-100 acres, also the N W fourth of S W fourth section 26 township 12, range 9, and the S E fourth of N E fourth, and N E fourth of N E fourth of section 27, township 12, range 9, containing 120 acres, more or less, also N W fourth of N E fourth, section 26, township 12, range 9, also N E fourth of N W fourth of section 13, township 13, range 9, all east in the Coosa Land District. Said executor further alleges that said lands cannot be equally, fairly, and beneficially divided among the legatees of said estate without a sale of the same, and therefore prays an order of court authorizing him to sell the same for distribution. He further represents that Mary B Word, wife of James Word, is a non-resident legatee of said estate, of full age and resides in Hunt county, and State of Texas. The premises considered, it is ordered by the court, that the 15th day of November, 1863, be set for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county for forty days prior to said day as a notice to said non-resident legatee to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the Court house of said county, on said 15th day of November, 1863 and defend against said petition if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
Judge of Probate.

Administrator's Sale.

THE undersigned, Administrator of S. O Black, deceased, will, ON TUESDAY THE 3rd DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT, upon the premises of deceased, sell to the highest bidder the following described PERSONAL PROPERTY, to-wit:

Various kinds of Farming Tools,
Twenty-six Bee Stands,
One Buggy and Harness,
A few bushels of Oats,
One Yoke of Oxen, and
Two head of Stock Cattle, and other articles.

Said property will be sold for cash;

And at the same time and place, I will RENT OUT THE LAND of deceased for the year 1864. Sale to take place at usual hour.

ABEL PHILLIPS,
Administrator.

Sept 30, 1863.

Committed

TO the Jail of Centre, Cherokee county, Ala. two negro men named COWDON & ANDERSON. Cowdon is about 35 or 40 years old, and weighs about 150 pounds, black color. Anderson is about 23 years old weighs about 140 pounds, black color. They say they belong to W. H. Key of Franklin co. Ala. who went to Talladega.

The owner of said negroes is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law directs.

Oct 17, '63. S. M. GINN, Jailor.

SUGAR!

TO exchange for bacon. Sound for round also sold for cash at the Drug Store.

Sept. 11. T. N. AVGLIN

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

October 10, 1863.

☞Adminstrators and Executors who are indebted to the Republican office for advertising in DeKalb and Cherokee Counties will please settle with Hon. M. J. Turnley, during the Circuit Court.

The uncertainty of the times imperiously demand that these accounts should be settled up, and it is earnestly hoped that this request will not be disregarded.

☞An apprentice to the printing buisness will be taken at this office if application be made soon

With one between the ages of 14 and 17, of steady and industrious habits who can spell and read tolarably well, a liberal arrangement will be made, and a good opportunity afforded to learn the art of printing.

Blue Mountain & Rome Rastroad.

The question has been very properly asked by the Selma Reporter, "Why the Blue Mountain and Rome Railroad has not been built"—or at least "why it is not under better progress of construction at this time?"

It is indeed a wonder that the Government has not finished this road long ago, as a *military necessity*. There is no expenditure of the war that has been made, that would have remunerated half so surely or so rapidly, as to have filled up this connection, and thus have effected a *continuous rail* from Meridian, Miss. to Kingston, Ga.

Let us look at the situation. From Meridian to Kingston, by way of Mobile and Montgomery—the most expeditious and surest route of transportation for troops and munitions of war. the distance is 555 miles. By way of Blue Mountain and Rome, 320 miles—a saving of 225 miles in distance

There are in addition to the 225 miles by the Mobile route, four changes to be made—two at Mobile, one at Montgomery and another at West Point, (on account of the break of guage,) while by the Rome route, when the bridge across the Tombigbee is completed, the *same cars* may run through without a single change. This gives another saving of at least 100 miles—in fact it is more than double that distance, all things taken into consideration. We may safely say 320 miles against 760.

From New Orleans to Richmond, by way of Mobile and Wilmington, the distance is 1481 miles, while by Blue Mt. and Rome and the Tennessee route it is 1188 miles, with at least *four* less changes to be made. The facts are too apparent to need further comment.

The distance from Blue Mountain to Rome (which completes this short route) is 61 miles. *Three fourths* of the grading as already been done, and *three months* of *active work* would complete the remainder.

There is another consideration urging the necessity of this connection, which we do not believe has had its due influence with those who have the matter of furnishing iron in charge. By this route the Shelby Coal Fields are only 220 miles from Atlanta, and the transportation may be made *without breaking bulk;* while by the river and Montgomery, the distance is 330 miles with three transhipments. This coal is equal if not superior to any in the Confederate States, and would be of incalculable value to Georgia at this time. Some of the best iron in the State of Alabama will also be within twenty-four hours run of Atlanta when this road is completed—to say nothing of valuable marble. &c &c.

Can it be that the Government Officials fully appreciate the advantages of this work? And if so, why has not the Blue Mountain and Rome Railroad been built?

☞A letter containing the obituary of Col. W. N. Estes, who was killed in the fight at McLemore's Cove, dated 22d Sept reached us only a day or two since. The obituary and resolutions of the staff and line officers, shall appear in our next.

☞Hon. T. H. Watts, Governor elect, will address his fellow citizens at the following times and places:
Thursday 29th Oct—Weenowee, Randolph co
Friday, 30th Oct—Arbacoochee;
Saturday, 31st Oct—Jacksonville, Calhoun.
Monday, 2d Nov—Asheville, St. Clair co.
Tuesday, 3d Nov—[illegible]

Oct 7—Sgt Hamilton accidentally killed on Shelbyville pike.

Oct 8—Farmington Tenn—Co B, killed Leibetter & Shaffer. Co D—wounded, Capt Wm. White, mortally; privates C Littlejohn, slight, Irby Morgan, serious in left hip. J Snow, flesh wound thigh; E L Woodward, right ear and face, slight. Co E—wounded, Lt Dobbs slight; Reid and Barber. Co G—wounded, pr Adkins. Co H—Killed, J Murrel; wounded, Lt Allen in two places serious. Co I—killed pri Howell and Bodie; wounded Capt Seawell, left thigh broken.

All those that were seriously or mortally wounded had to be left behind, and are probably prisoners. M. W. FRANCIS,
For Sur. Morgan's Cavalry.

Jacksonville, Ala. Oct, 20, 1863.
TO NON CONSCRIPTS OF ALA.

Fellow-citizens;—While the fate of battle is suspended in equipoise, as it were, between the Federal and Confederate farces at Chattanooga; the spirit of every patriot is stirred within him. But what can be done to insure success to our arms in the impending struggle? Let us organize *to a man* in companies, under the act of Congress of '61, or under the laws of Alabama, and go forth *in the name* of Israel's God, and join our brethren, sons and fathers in the anticipated contest; and by the blessing of God, victory shall be ours. "We are fully able to possess the goodly land." There are 52 counties in the State—let an average of 300 from each county organize, and we have 15,600—at 400 per each, we have 20,800—and at 500 each, we have 26,000 men—with either of these numbers added to Bragg's army, victory will be ours—the army of Rosecrans would be captured or demolished, and we would be *one* Sabbath day's journey nearer peace, raids into Alabama would be effectually stopped. But let Bragg's army be overcome; the backbone of our defence is broked; raids will overwhelm us, our property will be stolen, our homes desolated, our families insulted and reduced to beggary, as is the case wherever the enemy comes.

Chattanooga is the *place* and *now* is the *time* to repel raids into Alabama. We may go for two or three months, and get back in time to raise the next crop. I already belong to a company, and am ready at an hour's warning, (as is doubtless every member of the company) for orders. Our sister State Georgia will do her duty. Come one, come all—and with God's blessing, the enemy shall be delivered into our hands.

Respectfully,
M. J. TURNLEY.

Late News.

From the Montgomery Advertiser.

Special Dispatch.

DALTON, Oct, 14.

President Davis left Bragg's army today with great satisfaction and anticipations.

The people of Dalton called him out and he said we had been looking in the face of the enemy, but would soon see their backs.

Most important movement are on foot. A glorious campaign is in anticipation.

Special to the Mobile Register.

SENATORIA Oct, 12—Gen. Chalmers tore up the Railroad in four places on the night of the 10th, and attacked Collersville on the 11th.

Gen Sherman with a part of Smith's brigade. was here, going to Corinth.

We captured 104 prisoners; five stand of colors and twenty wagons and burned the enemy's camp with forty wagons and immense quanty of stores.

Adjutant Pope of the 7th Tennessee regiment; captured General. Sherman's sword from the ears under the guns of the fort.

We drove the enemy into their fortifications, but could not take the place on account of reinforcements coming up from both ends of the road.

Our loss was fifty killed and wounded the enemy's loss was heavy.

Prisoners report Gen. Smith and Col. Anthony killed.

Gen Chalmers was slightly wounded but remained on the field. L.

CHARLESTON Oct, 13.

Two prisoners captured on Saturday night. They state that Batteries Gregg and Wagner will be ready to open fire upon the city within two weeks, and that Gilmore is mounting many 400-pounder Parrot guns, and that a new 4-gun battery has been constructed between Gregg and Wagner. Also that Parott, the inventor of the Parott gun is on Morris Island supervising the mounting of said guns.—they further state that Greek fire consists of cakum soaked with a mixture of ether and guano.

They state that the Page ironclad frigate Decator, with three additional moniters is daily expected from New-York.

RICHMOND, Oct 13.

In consequnce of the action of the British Consuls relative to the foreigners enlisted in the Confederate service, the President has felt it his duty to dismiss them from the Confederacy.

A Special to the *Enquirer* from Orange C. H. dated the 12th inst; says our forces hold Culpeper C. H. We have 278 prsoners and have sent off 136 more. General Smith drove the enemy's rear gaurd across the Rappahannock last night, after a severe fight of three hours at Brandy Station.—Our loss is about 75 and we are pressing the enemy.

GREAT NEWS FROM LOUISIANA.

Defeat and Capture of Banks!!

15 Yankee Regiments Captured!

[Special to the Mobile Advertiser.]

JACKSON, Oct. 11.

A gentleman from Natchez arrived at Brookhaven, another from New Orleans to Summit, and others from intermediate points, all confirm the defeat of Banks and the capture of himself and his staff and fifteen regiments by General Taylor.

A man from New Orleans, who left Friday, says the news is published in the city papers.

JACKSON October 15.

A lady from New Orleans says about 800 paroled prisoners had arrived there, and more expected.

She brought out a copy of the Era, in which the accouht was published but had given it away.

REPULSE OF THE ENEMY ON THE TALLAHATCHIE.

GEN. CHALMERS FALLING BACK.

SHERMAN GOING TO REINFORCE ROSECRANZ.

[Special Dispatch to the Mobile Advertiser.]

OXFORD, October 15.

Ten regiments of cavalry with nine pieces of artilery pursued Gen Chalmers to Wyatt and were repulsed there.

The loss is heavy on both sides.

It is reported by a scout that from three to five thousand infantry one regimenta valry sixteen pieces ofartillery one hundred wagons passed Holly Spring yesterday moving South.

Gen. Chalmers is falling back on Grenada.

Shermon's chrps is going via Corinth to reinfhree Roseeranz.

GREAT BATTLE IN VIRGINIA.

CONFEDERATES VICTORIOUS. SEVERAL THOUSAND PRISONERS TAKEN.

Passengers by the Central train from Gordonsville, this morning Oct 17, bring the report of a general engagement at or near the old Manassas battle ground, on Thursday last resulting in the defeat of the enemy and the capture of several thonsand prisoners.

The medical directors of Gen. Lee's army had telegraphed to Gordonsville for an ambulance train.

A committee of citizens to attend on the wounded, left for the seat of war this morning.

DIED, at the residence of her son-in-law in Calhoun County on the 21st. of Sep 1863, Mrs Caroline Thomas, consort of Mr. Marcel Thomas; aged 50 years.

She joined the M. E. Church in 1830 & from that time till her death lived a consistent member.

For the last 18 years the writer was personally acquainted with her and often conversed on the subject of religion, always finding her ready to give the strongest testimony of her acceptance with God.

Truly she was a woman of piety and devotion. As a wife kind and affectionate, as a mother, ever watchful and tender; admonishing by precept and example. But she is gone; no more to council with that husband; no more to instruct and point her children to the home of the blessed at God's right hand. She leaves a kind husband and twelve children to mourn her loss. But their loss is her eternal gain. She rests from her labors and her works do follow. Then husband and children, cease thy tears, emulate her virtues, practice her religion and soon you shall meet her again in that land where pain and death are felt and feared no more.

W. S. W.

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of Alexandria Lodge, no. 208 Free and accepted Masons, held at the Lodge Hall, Oct. 15th, 1863.——The following preamble and resolutions, were unanimously adopted; That whereas it hath pleased the Supreme Architect of the universe to remove from among us, our beloved Brother, Lieut. W. H R DER who fell in the battle of Chickamauga on the 20th Sept. 1863, in a gallant charge upon an invading foe, driving them back in confusion, whose aim was our destruction. His last words were, "Push forward boys, fight as long as there is a yankee to desecrate the soil of the South."

In the death of our brother this Lodge has lost a true and zealous member, our army a brave and patriotic soldier, his wife a kind and affectionate husband, and the church to which he belonged a pious and zealous member. His walk was always consistent with that of a christian, and this community has also lost an exemplary member whose place will be hard to fill.

Resolved, That this Lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days, and that these resolutions be published, and a copy handed to the bereaved wife.

S. D. McCLELLAN,
WM. P. CROOK.

Tribute of Respect.

At a special communication of Alexandria Lodge No. 208, of Free and Accepted Masons, held at the Lodge Hall, Oct. 15th, 1863, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted; when it having been announced that BENJAMIN EASLEY, a worthy member of this Lodge had been slain in a heavy skirmish, near Farmingron—That, whereas, it having pleased the Almighty Disposer of Events to take from this transitory existence to a state of endless duration, from the dangers and toil of this life, to a land of eternal safety and refreshment, our beloved brother Benjamin Easly, whose kind and conciliatory course had so endeared him to all with whom he has been associated—

Therefore Resolved, That in the death of our Brother this Lodge mourns the loss of a devoted Mason, an affectionate husband and parent, a brave soldier, an exemplary christian, and a useful and highly esteemed citizen.

2nd, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the family of our deceased brother in this their sad bereavement.

3rd, That as a faithful token of our esteem and remembrance of him as a mason, a soldier and a citizen, that the Secretary spread these proceedings upon the minutes of this Lodge, and that the succeeding page be left blank.

4th, That we wear the usual badge of mourning for 30 days: and that a copy of these proceedings be transmitted to the family of the deceased, and also furnished to the Jacksonville Republican for publication.

W. P. CROOK, S. W.

Clothe Your Soldiers.

I appeal to the citizens of Calhoun county, in behalf of the members of my company for blankets, as there are a great many destitute. Winter is upon us and the government not able to supply. I earnestly solicit the citizens to bring forward their blankets or quilts and depsit them with Judge Woods, who has been furnished with funds to pay for them. J. H. McCAIN, Cap. co. B,
Oct. 24, '63. 30th Ala. Regt.

Clothe Your Soldiers.

I appeal to citizens of Calhoun, for Blankets for my company. The government not being able to supply us, I solicit every one that has a blanket to bring it foreward, and deposit it with Judge Woods at Jacksonville, for which they will be paid ten dollars, Judge Woods having received the money for that purpose. S. C. KELLY, Cap. Co. E.
Oct 24, '63. 30th Ala.

NO. 96.

ALL common county claims, registered before the present year, are now payable; also all of said claims registered this year up to No. 96 are payable. Persons holding same can call and receive their money. Oct 31 '63.
E. L. WOODWARD, County Treas'r.

Notice to the Heirs at Law of Edward M. Hale.

THE heirs at law of Edward M. Hale, deceased, to-wit; Harriet Martin, Susan Chambly, Sarah Ann Geer, Elvira Geer, Martha Geer and Jane Hale, are hereby notified that Wm B Hale, as administrator of the Estate of Edward M Hale, dec'd, has filed a petition before the Court of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala. asking for an order to sell a lot of Land situate in the town of Oxford, in Calhoun county in said State, for distribution. The third Monday in November next is set for the hearing of said petition. The said heirs are required to appear before said court on that day, and contest said application if they see proper.

L. J. STANDEFER,
Oct. 24. Judge of Probate.

The Election.

THE Militia Act, approved August 20th, 1863, directs that after the enumeration is made, that an election shall be ordered for each class, in the several counties of the State.

The Governor has further directed, that wherever the number of voters in either class in a Beat does not exceed 25, then such Beat or Beats must be consolidated with some contiguous beat forming a new one, and numbered accordingly. The rolls for this county show that the different beats will not average more than *ten* persons subject to duty in class No. 2, or State militia. consequently I have, in conformity with the above directions, consolidated the beats in this county, as shown by the notice of election given by the Sheriff for class No. 2, or State militia; therefore all persons subject to duty in the State militia, will cast their votes at the place indicated for holding the election in said new militia beats. For instance, all of class no. 2, in the old Beats, 1, 3 and 8, will vote at Jacksonville, electing but one Officer for the three old beats, and so with the others. Class No. 1, or Home Reserves, will hold their election in the same old beats, the number in each one being sufficiently large to authorize it No one will be allowed to vote in the election of the election of the 1st day, but those subject to duty in the State militia, or class No 2, and no one will vote in the 2nd election but those subject to duty in the Home Reserves. The returns to be made to the undersigned.

It is to be hoped that the elections will be generally attended, and good and efficient men elected; remembering that in these times of trouble, every man is called upon to do his whole duty, especially in matters of this kind.

WM. M. HAMES, Special Aid
for Calhoun county.

Election Notice.

On Wednesday the 3rd day of November next, I will proceed to open and hold an election at the following election precincts in Calhoun county, for the purpose of electing a County Comidant for the State Militia, withe the rank of Lieut. Col., and Beat Comidants with the rank of Lieut, for each new beat for the State militia, as prescribed by the Militia Act of Aug. 29, 1863; and the following named persons are appointed Managers.

The old beats, 1, 3, S, are consolidated, and form new militia beat No. 1—Managers, A Adams, F. Love, and Jacob I Aderholt.

Old beats 6, 7 22, form No 2, Peeks Hill—John Burgess, A Kirby, and J J Lazenby.

Old beats, 2, 5, 21, form No. 3, Iron Works—Larkin Coker, A. Downing & Noah Goode.

Old beats 4, 13, 12, form No 4, Oxford—Daniel Hinds, John Spencer, W. Harrison.

Old beats 9, 10, 11, form No. 5, Rabbit Town—E Manning, J W Whiteside and J W Morgan.

Old beats 14, 15, 17, form No. 6, Pine Grove—J C Barker, Abner Coffey and John Evans.

Old beats 23, 16, form No. 7, Abernathy—Henry Albright, James Kemp, and John Burgess.

Old beats 18, 19, 20, form No 8, Carmichael—T S Carmichael, John W Ganns and Wm. Howell.

Oct 23 BARTLETT OWEN, Shff.

And also on Wednesday the 4th day of November next, I will proceed to open and hold an election at the several election precincts in the county, for the purpose of electing a County Commandant of the Home Reserves, with the rank of Colonel, and one Commandant far each beat, with the rank of Captain, and the following named persons will act as Managers.

Beat No 1—A Adams, F Love and Jacob I Aderholt.

Beat No 2—John M Crook, J R Walker, J A Gladden,

Beat No 3—L C Mitchell, W Jackson, John Loyd.

Beat No 4—Wm Kennedy, John Alexander, John W Bagley.

Beat No 5—Larkin Coker, A Downing and Noah Goode.

Beat No 6—John Burgess, A Kirby and J J Lazenby.

Beat No 8—Michael Dickinson, Barton Griffin and T D Hodges.

Beat No 8—S Allen, Carter Boozer and B Nabors.

Beat No 9—G L Alexander, H Graham and J W Ledbetter.

Beat No 10—E Manning, J W Whiteside and J W Morgan.

Beat No 11—B S Evans, J A Flemming and E Kerr.

Beat No 12—C Davis, Sevier Elsten and W C McMahan.

Beat No 13—Daniel Hinds, John Spencer and Wm Harrison.

Beat No 14—S Jenkins, Jno Rhodes and Wm Lackey.

Beat No 15—J C Barker, Abner Coffey and John Evans.

Beat No 16—Henry Albright, James Kemp and John Burgess.

Beat No 17—Wm Baber Peter Edwards and Sidney Carruth.

Beat No 18—A D Chandler, Wm R Brown sen. and Richard Anderson.

Beat No 19—T S Carmichael, J W Ganns and Wm Howell.

Beat No 20—Matthew Alexander, Wm Wood and T D Treadaway.

Beat No 21—John T Finley, Ferrington Crow and Z Henderson.

Beat No 22—Thomas Bennett, John Hall and John A Spaulding.

Beat No 23—J W McDaniel, Robert Pesnell and C W Defreese.

The Cailiff's of the beats where the elections are held will act as returning officers. BARTLETT OWEN, Shff.

Land for Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale upon favorable terms, his tract of Land lying two miles west of Jacksonville, containing 80 Acres: 40 acres cleared and and the balance well timbered. A dwelling and out houses on the place. For further particulars, or examination of the land, call on the undersighed on the premises.
Oct. 24, '63. P. F. BEACHAM.

Notice to Creditors.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Robert S. Cowan, deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the ——day of Sept: 1863, by the Probate Court of Cherokee county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

WM. N. COWAN, Adm.
Turkey Town, Ala. Oct. 24.

Notice to Creditors.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of Cherokee co. Administrator of the estate of Benjamin Awbrey late of said county, deceased, on the 14th day of Oct. 1863: All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred, and those indebted will please make payment.

MARTIN HAIL, } Adm's
Oct 24 A. H. MACKEY, }

Notice to Creditors.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Joshua A Awbrey dec., by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. on the 14th day of Oct'r, 1863; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

MARTIN HAIL, } Admr's
Oct 24 A H MACKEY, }

Dissolution.

THE partnership in the Tanning business heretofore existing betwien the undersigned; was dissolved by mutual consent on the 6th day of October, 1863. J. Z. Brady, will pay all claims against the firm, and he is also authorized to collect all debts due.

J. Z. BRADY,
Oct 24 L. C. MITCHELL.

Exchange

THE undersigned has SALT to exchange for PORK. Also LEATHER to exchange for Wheat, Corn, Meat, &c.

FLEISH & WELLHOUSE.
Jacksonville, Oct. 14, 1863.

SALT, SALT!

THE undersigned have 75 sacks of Salt, which they now offer for sale at 75 cts. per pound, or in exchange for produce.

BLUE & FRANK.
Jacksonville, Oct. 17, 1863.

Confederate Tax Notice.

IN accordance with section 14, entitled an act for the Assessment and collection of Taxes, the Lists valuations and enumerations made and taken within this the 14th District by the assessor, are now submitted to any and all persons concerned, at Jacksonville Ala

Appeals will be received and determined, relative to any erronious or excessive valuations or enumerations made and taken by the assessor. The List will remain open for fifteen days, after the date of this notice.

W. A. EARNS.
Collector 14th District.
Oct. 17th. 1863.

Agency Notice.

DURING my absence in the army, Elias Read is my authorized Agent, to transact any business connected with my administration of the Estate of E. M. Jelks, dec.
Oct. 17, 1863. C. M. JELKS, Adm.

List of Appointments
For Assessing Tax in Kind.

THE undersigned Assessor of Confederate war Tax will be at the times and places mentioned below, for the purpose of Assessing the tax on Corn, Fodder, Hay, Potatoes, Beans, Peas, Ground Peas, Tobacco, Wool & Cotton, and to complete the further assessment of Wheat, Oats and Rye. Also the value of all Horses, Mules, Asses, neat Cattle, Hogs and Sheep not necessary for agricultural purposes, and what may have been butchered since the 24th of April last; and also to complete other assessments.

☞Tax payers are notified that this is my last round, that there are no exemptions, and that the law will be rigidly and indiscriminately enforced against all who fail to attend and give in their taxes.

Beat No.	8, Waldens,	Oct.	19
" "	7, Mt. Gilead church,	"	20
" "	22, Kansas,	"	21
" "	6, Ohatchie,	"	22
" "	5, Polkville,	"	23
" "	21, Sulphur Springs,	"	24
" "	4, Maddox's,	"	26
" "	13, Oxford,	"	27
" "	12, Yoe's X Roads,	"	28
" "	11, White Plains,	"	29
" "	10, Rabbit Town,	"	30
" "	9, Cross Plains,	Nov.	2
" "	9, Ladiga,	"	3
" "	20, Borden's,	"	4
" "	19, Fips,	"	5
" "	18, Pine Thicket,	"	6
" "	16, Pounds'	"	7
" "	17, Fair Play,	"	9
" "	23, Oak Grove,	"	10
" "	15, Pine Grove,	"	11
" "	14, Sugar Hill,	"	12
" "	3, June Peg,	"	14
" "	2, Alexandria,	"	16
" "	1, Jacksonville,	"	17

R. H. WYNNE, Assessor.
Oct. 17, 1863.

DAVID L. CAMPBELL,

(FORMERLY CAMPBELL & BENNETT.)

General Commission Merchant,

No. 53, North Water Street,

Aug. 15, 1863. MOBILE, Ala.
Liberal advances on produce in store.

Notice.

WANTED TO HIRE, from four to six good negro fellows. I will take hands by the month at twenty dollars. For further information apply to

Oct 10. JONATHAN PHILLIPS.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration with the will annexed, upon the Estate of Richardson H Doss, having been granted to the undersigned, on the 15th day of June, 1863, by the Judge of the Probate Court of Marshall County Ala. All persons having claims against said Estate, will present them within the time prescribed by law duly authenticated or they will be forever bared.

F. M. KIRBY,
Adm'r.
Sept. 25th 1863.

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PUBLIC SALES OF

RAILROAD LANDS.

THE Lands belonging to the Alabama and Tennessee Rivers Railroad Company amounting to upwards of 300,000 acres, situated in the vicinity of the company's railroad, embracing large tracts of superiar timbered lands, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, at the following times and places, to-wit:

The Lands situated in Dallas, Autauga and Perry counties at Plantersville, on Tuesday, October 6, 1863.

The Lands in Bibb county at Randolph on Friday, October 9

The Land in the lower part of Shelby county up to the north boundary of township 18, at Montevallo on Tuesday October 13.

The Lands in the upper part of Shelby county, from Shelby Springs to Coosa river; at Columbiana on Thursday, October 15.

The Lands in Talladego county, at Talladega on Tuesday, October, 20.

The Lands in Calhoun county at Jacksonville on Friday, October, 23

Maps exhibiting the Lands in Calhoun, Talladega and Shelby counties are placed in the offices of the Probate Judges of those counties; those of the Lands in Bibb at the Randolph depot; and those of the Lands in Perry, Autauga and Dallas counties at the store of Thomas S Driskell, Plantersville.

Soldiers or their families and widows in occupancy of Lands, on or before the 7th day of July, 1863, will be entitled to purchase forty acres at $1.25 per acre, on making proof of occupancy and payment on or before the 1st day of October next to A. M Goodwin, the Treasurer of the Company, at Selma. Applications may be made to the Treasurer in person or by letter, accompanied by proper affidavits of the applicant and two other respectable persons, setting forth the facts required to be proved.

By order of the Board of Directors.

THOS. A. WALKER, President.

☞ At the instance of parties desiring further opportunity to examine the Lands, the above sales are postponed for four weeks. I will be made on the following days, to-wit:

Plantersville,	Tuesday,	November	3d.
Randolph,	Friday,	"	6th.
Montevallo,	Tuesday,	"	10th.
Columbiana,	Thursday,	"	12th.
Talladega,	Tuesday,	"	17th.
Jacksonville,	Friday,	"	20th.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of John M. Teague, late of Calhoun co. deceased, having been granted on the 2nd of Sept. 1863, by Judge of the Probate of Calhoun county, Ala. —Notice is given, that all persons having claims against said Estate will be required to present them within the time prescribed by law duly authenticated or they will be barred, and all those make immediate payment.

TEAGUE, Adm.

St Clair co., who says his name is and belongs to Talladega county Jackson county, eighs about 165 high, was arrested and notified to come forward, prove property pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

J. C. MONTGOMERY.

J. CAMPBELL,

(LATE CAMPBELL & BENNETT.)

Commission Merchant,

North Water Street,

Sep. 3. MOBILE, Ala.

Refers to Planters on produce in store.

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F. M. KIRBY, Adm'r.

Sept. 25th 1863.

Agency Notice.

DURING my absence in the army, Elias Read is my authorized Agent, to transact any business connected with my administration of the Estate of E. A. Jelks, dec.

Oct. 17, 1863. C. N. JELKS, Adm'r

COMMITTED.

TO the jail of Lebanon, DeKalb co., Ala., on the 16th day of August, 1863, a negro man who says he belongs to William Marcellan. near Greenville Merriwether county, Ga., and that he left his his master about the 1st of May last. He says he is about 20 years old, five feet, six inches high, and weighs one hundred and fifty pounds, calls his name WASH.

The owner of said negro is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs,

Sep.5. T. J. LITTLE, Jailor.

Notice. TRUST SALE.

ON the 4th day of November, 1863, between the hours of 12 M and 4 P M, at the court house door of the county of Cherokee, in Centre, Ala, I, as Trustee, under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust, made on the 24th day of December, 1856, by Richard F Hampton, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of said county, in Book K, pages 600 to 606, for the benefit of his creditors, shall offer for sale at public outcry, to the highest bidder, on a credit of one day, the following described lands, to-wit:

The east half of south east quarter of section 20, township 10, range 9—80 acres.

The north part of the north half of 8 section 20, township 10, range 9—45½ acres.

The north west quarter of north west quarter of section 21, township 10; range 9—40 3-100 acres.

The east half of north east quarter of section 20, township 10, range 9—80 acres.

Lots numbered 11, 12, 13, and 14, in the plan of the survey of the school commissioners, embracing the south west quarter of section 16, township 10, range 9—161 acres—all together about 406 53-100 acres; all in the Coosa Land District, situated in said county of Cherokee, and about 1½ to 3 miles of Centre, the county seat of said county.

Also one Engine Iron Lathe.

Said land forms a beautiful and desirable settlement, situated on the Coosa river, 2 miles from a steamboat landing, upon the great road, 1½ miles from the court house; chiefly timbered, watered, productive and healthy location. The purchaser will procure unquestionable titles. For further information, apply to

M. J. TURNLEY.

Sept. 5. Jacksonville, Ala.

Administrators Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, made on the 31st day of September, 1863, the undersigned as the Administrator of the estate of Joshua A Smith, dec'd, will proceed to sell upon the premises of decedent, ON TUESDAY THE 10th day of NOVEMBER next, 1863, the following described Personal Property, belonging to said estate, to-wit.

One Still & 12 stands,
One Black Mare,
One Cow, one Iron wedge,
Two weeding Hoes,
Four Plow Hoes and about 500 bushels of Corn.

TERMS OF SALE—A credit of twelve months, with interest from date.

Note with approved security will be required to secure the purchase money.

JOHN A. SPAULDING.
Administrator, &c.

October 10, 1863—tds.

MILL NOTICE.

THE undersigned give notice to the public, that their Mills on Tallapoosa river are now in splendid order, and that they are prepared to make FLOUR, equal in quantity and quality to any mills in the country. Business attended to with accuracy and dispatch.

J. R. PESSNEL & SMITH.

July 25, 1863.—6m.

STONE'S HOTEL.

[Corner of Water and Green Streets.]

SELMA, ALABAMA.

J. M. STONE, Proprietor.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate Bratton C. Harris dec'd. by the Probate Court of Randolph county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to come forward and make payment.

W. H. COFIELD, Adm.

Sep. 19.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Chapman S. Shields, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of Cherokee county, Ala., on the 26th day of Aug., 1863, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

JOHN W. RAMSEY, Adm.

Sept 19.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned, as administrator of the estate of John M. Teague, deceased, late of Calhoun county, Ala., by virtue of an order made by the Probate Court of said county, will offer for cash at public outcry to the highest bider within the Legal hours of sale, upon the premises of said dec'd., in said county, on the 25th day of October, 1863, the following described personal property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

One buggy, one three horse wagon, one rifle gun, one set blacksmith tools, two sets of surveyors instruments, one pair scales, 3 augers, one tenent saw; four chisels, two boxes sundries, two pair hames, four plows, one scythe and cradle, one mattock, one large cow-bell, one spade, one Digest and Smith's Alabama Justice, one Smith's Alabama Justice, ten books, one inkstand and one pair of saddlebags.

J. E. TEAGUE, Adm.

Sept 10ds.

WANTED.

WE want thirty negro men to cut cord wood; or we will contract with any responsible parties to cut, upon our premises, 1,0000 to 6,000 cords. Enquire at the works of OXFORD IRON COMPANY.

Sept 19, 1863.

Improved Merchant Mills.

THE undersigned respectfully inform the public generally that their Flouring Mills situated on Tallasschatchee Creek, five miles south-west of Jacksonville, has been recently much improved and thoroughly repaired. They are now prepared to manufacture an article of Flour, equal in quality to that of any mills in the country, and as large a quantity to the bushel. They have a good lot with water convenient for the use of persons who may bring wheat from a distance.

They solicit a continuance of the patronage of their old friends and customers, assuring them that their well-earned reputation for promptitude and correct dealing shall be fully maintained. Every effort will be made to accommodate those who come from a distance, so that they may get their grinding done without having to return.

Their SAW MILL is also now in excellent order, and they have on hand a large quantity of almost every variety of Lumber, and will at all times be prepared to fill orders with accuracy and dispatch.

J. A. ADERHOLT,
June 27, 1861. T. SPARKS.

STATE WHISKEY

—AND—

ALCOHOL.

THE undersigned, Agent for the State of Alabama, at Jacksonville, has now in store, for the following counties, for sale to Druggists, merchants and Physicians ONLY, and in the original package, State Whiskey and Alcohol, upon affidavit filed in the following form:

To Druggists and Merchants:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } I do solemnly
..... county. } swear that I will not use, dispose of or sell the whiskey, (or alcohol, as the case may be,) purchased by me from J. B. Forney Agent of State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical, chemical and manufactering purposes, and that I will not dispose of or sell the same in quantities less than a quart, nor to any person for re-sale, other than physicians, for their legitimate practice in their profession, nor for more than twenty-five per cent. nett profit, nor permit any one in my employment or under my control to do so.

To Physicians:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA; } I do solemn-
.....county } ly swear that I will not use, sell or dispose of the whiskey (or alcohol) purchased by me from J B Forney Agent of the State of Alabama at Jacksonville, except for medical purposes in the legitimate practice of my profession as a physician, and that I will not sell or dispose of the same for more than fifty per cent nett profit, nor will I permit or allow any person in my employment or under my control to do so.

Calhoun county, one barrel, 55 to 60 gals.
Cherokee "
Talladega "
DeKalb "
Marshall "
St Clair "
Blount "
Randolph "

The proportions will hereafter be arranged as equitably as I may be able to do so. The same amount is expected to be issued monthly. Price for whiskey $10 00, alcohol $15 00 per gallon.

J B FORNEY, Agt.

apr 23

NOTICE.

Ala. and Ten. River Railroad

WARE HOUSE,

BY L. W. PETTIBONE, successor to W. Y. LUNDIE & CO.

Charge for receiving, weighing and shipping Cotton, twenty five cents per bale. When re-weighed, twenty five cents per bale will be charged to be paid by the purchaser. Cotton remaining over one month will be charged ten cents a bale per month extra. Oct. 18, 1860—6m.

$150 REWARD.

WILL be paid by the undersigned for three negro fellows who have runaway, or $50 for either. FRANK, a mulatto with blue eyes, weight about 125. WRIGHT a copper color, with a little defect in one of his eyes. JOHN a smooth black, with one of his fore fingers crooked and stiff. The above reward will be paid to have them lodged in jail so that we get them.

THOMASON & NANCE.

Talladega Oct. 3, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Joshua A Smith, deceased on the 5th day of July, 1863, by the Probate court of Calhoun county, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment.

Oct. 3 JOHN A. SPAULDING, Adm.

Committed

TO the jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Ala. on the 7th Oct. 1863, two negro men who call their names COLUMBUS and SAM, and say they belong to Mark Childers of Coahoma county, Mississippi, and were brought out by Tide Johnson who carried them to Cornwall Iron works in Cherokee county, Alabama.

Coleman is five feet eleven inches high, black complexion, and weighs 170 or 180 pounds—is about 28 years old.

Sam is copper color, five feet six or seven inches high, about nineteen years old, and weighs about 146 pounds.

The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law directs.

Oct. 17. J. G. WILLINGHAM, Jailor.

Sale of Railroad Stock.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of the Probate court of Calhoun county, Alabama, made on the 4th day of September, 1863, I will proceed to sell, on MONDAY THE 9th DAY of NOVEMBER, 1863, before the court house door of said county, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, a Certificate of Railroad Stock in the Alabama and Tennessee River Railroad company, embracing 13 Shares of thirty-five dollars each, belonging, to estate of John Maddox, dec'd.

J. W. MADDOX, Adm. of said Estate.

Oct. 7

Office Cond't. of Conscripts,

TALLADEGA, ALA., Sept. 21, 1863.

GENERAL ORDER, }
NO. 22. }

I. Pursuant to Special orders No. 149, from Gen. J. E. Johnston, the undersigned hereby assumes command of the Conscript Service of the State of Alabama.

Commandants of camps of instruction, and Enrolling officers will continue to be governed by the orders heretofore issued from the office of the Commandant for the State.

The attention of Enrolling officers is particularly invited to the character and efficiency of their assistants, a full Descriptive Roll of whom will be returned to this office as soon as possible.

II. 1st Lieut. G. A. Cary is assigned to duty as Adjutan, and will be respected and obeyed as such.

H. C. LOCKHART,
Sep26-4t Lt. Col. & Cond't for Ala.

EXECUTORS SALE.

THE undersigned Executor of the estate of Thompson Hodges, decd., under an order from the Probate Court of Calhoun county Ala., will, on Monday, the 2d day of November next, at the late residence of decd, sell to the highest bidder for cash, between sixty and seventy bushels of wheat, about two hundred bushels of corn and a side of leather, the property of said estate. The sale to commence at the usual hour.

This the 28th day of Sept., 1863.

S. H. HODGES,
Exr.

NOTICE.

I Have in my possession a gray horse which was left with me by a deserter from the 10th Ala. Cav., named J. B. Jordan. Said horse has some black specks on him; is about eleven years old; fifteen hands high, and paces. If any one has lost such a horse, he is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away.

O. W. SHEPHERD.

Arbacoochee, Randolph co., Ala. Sep 26.

Dissolution.

THE partnership in the Tanning business heretofore existing between the undersigned was dissolved by mutual consent on the 6th day of October, 1863. J. Z. Brady, will pay all claims against the firm, and he is also authorized to collect all debts due.

J. Z. BRADY,
Oct 24 L. C. MITCHELL.

Clothe Your Soldiers.

I appeal to citizens of Calhoun, for Blankets for my company. The government not being able to supply us, I solicit every one that has a blanket to bring it forward, and deposit it with Judge Woods at Jacksonville, for which they will be paid ten dollars. Judge Woods having received the money for that purpose.

S. C. KELLY, Cap. Co. E.

Oct 24 '63. 30th Ala.

NO. 96.

ALL common county claims, registered before the present year, are now payable; also all of said claims registered this year up to No. 90 are payable. Persons holding same can call and receive their money. Oct 31 '63.

E. L. WOODWARD, County Treas'r.

Notice to the Heirs at Law of Edward M. Hale.

THE heirs at law of Edward M. Hale, deceased, to-wit: Harriet Martin, Susan Crumbly, Sarah Ann Geer, Elvira Geer, Martha Geer and Jamei Hale, are hereby notified that Wm B Hale, as administrator of the Estate of Edward M Hale, dec'd, has filed a petition before the Court of Probate of Cherokee county, Ala. asking for an order to sell a lot of Land situate in the town of Cedar, in Calhoun county in said State, for distribution. The third Monday in November next, is set for the hearing of said petition. The said heirs are required to appear before said court on that day, and contest said application if they see proper.

L. J. STANDEFER,
Oct. 24. Judge of Probate.

Executors Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of Joseph McKelvy deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law; or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

SOLOMON P. WOOD, adm.

Sept26.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of Sept. 1863, by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. on the estate of Jacob Wharton, dec'd. all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to us, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to me immediately.

SOLOMON P. WOOD.

Sep26

Committed

TO the Jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 21st day of October, 1863, a runaway slave, who calls his name DANIEL, and who says he belongs to Churchwell Gibson, of Macon county, Ala. who resides about 8 miles of Tuskegee. Said slave is 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, black complected, about 40 years old, and weighs 160 pounds.

The owner of said negro is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

J. G. WILLINGHAM, Jailor.

Committed

To the jail of Centre, Cherokee co, Alabama, about the 21st of September, 1863, a negro boy, found with the Yankees captured in this county, who says that his name is Cary, and that he belongs to William Moore, of Danville, Boyle county, Ky.

The owner of said boy is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

S. M. GINN, Jailor.

Oct. 3, 1863.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of E. A. Jelks, dec'd. having been granted to the the undersigned on the 25th day of Aug. 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county: notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred.

Oct 10. C. N. JELKS, Adm'r

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Stephen O. Black, dec. late of Calhoun county, having been granted to the undersigned on the 23d day of Sep., 1863, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make payment.

Oct. 10. ABEL PHILLIPS, Adm.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, CALHOUN COUNTY.

Court of Probate for said county, September 28th 1863.

THIS day came S. H. Hodges, Executor of the estate Thompson Hodges, dec'd., and filed in said court his petition in writing representing that his testator died seized and possessed of the following described lands situated in said county to-wit: the N W fourth of section 26, township 12, range 9, containing 103 and 41-100 acres, and S W fourth of N W fourth of section 26, township 12 range 9, containing 40 and 10-100 acres, also the N W fourth of S W fourth section 26 township 12, range 9, and the S E fourth of N E fourth, and N E fourth of N E fourth of section 27, township 12, range 9, containing 120 acres more or less, also N W fourth of N E fourth, section 26, township 12, range 9, also N E fourth of N W fourth of section 13, township 12, range 9, all east in the Coosa Land District. Said executor further alleges that said lands cannot be equally, fairly, and beneficially divided among the legatees of said estate without a sale of the same, and therefore prays an order of court authorizing him to sell the same for distribution. He further represents that Mary B Word, wife of James Word, is a non-resident legatee of said estate, of full age, and resides in Hunt county, and State of Texas. The premises considered, it is ordered by the court, that the 15th day of November, 1863, be set for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county for forty days prior to said day as a notice to said non resident legatee to be and appear at a special term of said court to be holden at the Court house of said county, on said 15th day of November, 1863 and defend against said petition if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
Judge of Probate.

Administrator's Sale.

THE undersigned, Administrator of S O Black, deceased, will, ON TUESDAY THE 3rd DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT, upon the premises of deceased, sell to the highest bidder the following described PERSONAL PROPERTY, to-wit:

Various kinds of Farming Tools,
Twenty-six Bee Stands,
One Buggy and Harness,
A few bushels of Oats,
One Yoke of Oxen, and
Two head of Stock Cattle, and other articles.

Said property will be sold for cash;

And at the same time and place, I will RENT OUT THE LAND of deceased for the year 1864. Sale to take place at usual hour.

ABEL PHILLIPS,
Administrator.

Sept 30, 1863.

Exchange Notice No 6.

RICHMOND, Sept. 12, 1863.

The following Confederate officers and men captured at Vicksburg, Miss., July 4, 1853, and subsequently paroled, have been duly exchanged, and are hereby so declared:

1. The officers and men of Gen. C. L. Stevenson's division.
2. The officers and men of Gen. Bowen's division.
3. The officers and men of Brig. Gen. Moore's Brigade.
4. The officers and men of the 2d Texas Regiment.
5. The officers and men of Waul's Legion.
6. Also, all Confederate officers and men who have been delivered at City Point at any time previous to July 25th, 1863, have been duly exchanged, are hereby so declared.

R. OULD,
Oct. 3-6t. Agent of Exchange.

Committed

TO the Jail of Centre, Cherokee county, Ala. two negro men named COWDON & ANDERSON. Cowdon is about 35 or 40 years old, and weighs about 160 pounds, black color. Anderson is about 23 years old weighs about 140 pounds, black color. They say they belong to Wm. H. Key of Franklin co. Ala. who went to Talladega.

The owner of said negroes is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law directs.

Oct. 17, '63. S. M. GINN, Jailor.

SEGARS!

TO exchange for bacon, prefer fat; sound; also sold for cash at the Drug Store.

Sept. 11. P. N. GLEN.

Jacksonville Republican.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

October 31, 1863.

☞ Adminstrators and Executors who are indebted to the Republican office for advertising in DeKalb and Cherokee Counties will please settle with Hon. M. J. Turnley, during the Circuit Court.

The uncertainty of the times imperiously demand that these accounts should be settled up, and it is earnestly hoped that this request will not be disregarded.

☞ Hon. T. H. Watts, Governor elect, will address his fellow citizens at the following times and places:

Thursday 29th Oct—Weenonah, Randolph co
Friday, 30th Oct—Arbacoochee, "
Saturday, 31st Oct—Jacksonville, Calhoun.
Monday, 2d Nov—Asheville, St. Clair co.
Tuesday, 3d Nov—Gadsden, Cherokee co.
Wednesday 4th Nov—Centre, Cherokee co.
Thursday 5th Nov—Lebanon, DeKalb co.
Saturday 7th Nov—Guntersville, Marshall co
Monday 9th Nov—Blountsville, Blount co.
Wednesday 11th Nov—Elyton, Jefferson co.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS owing Tithes to the Confederate States, such as WHEAT, OATS, RYE and WOOL, are notified, that unless they bring in their tithes within two months from the time they give in, to the Assessor, their papers will have to be put in the hands of the Confederate States Collector for collection.

W. F. BUSH,
Supervising Agent
for Calhoun county.

Jacksonville, Oct. 24, 1863.

A Chance for a Good Bargain.

A Gentleman requests us to state that he has for sale a **Good Piano**, but little used, not at blockade prices, but upon reasonable terms. Further information by enquiry at this Office.

Lincoln, it is stated, says that God has revealed to him, (we suppose after the manner of Mormon revelations,) that he must hold on to his office in order to subjugate Southern Rebels. A second revelation may inform him that he is the second Pharoah.

☞ In the election notice published last week, a mistake occurred in puting Wednesday instead of Tuesday the 3rd of November.

☞ The friends of Lt. Col. B. O. Ramey, announce him as a candidate for County Commandant of Home Reserves.—Election Wednesday next 4th Nov.

☞ The friends of R. D. R. Williams, announce him as a candidate for County Commandant of State Militia—Election Tuesday next, 3d November.

Prisoners.—Whenever the Yankees get on excess of a few thousand prisoners they become obstinate and overbearing and refuse to carry out their plainly understood agreement for exchange, as has been recently the case. It is noticeable too that they treat their prisoners with a great deal more inhumanity, when they have the advantage of numbers. This was the case after the capitulation of Vicksburg when our prisoners at Fort Delaware were compelled to drink filthy ditch water, which caused them to die by hundreds to such an extent that it aroused the indig- of even the Yankee Medical staff, who remonstrated against it, but without any permanent reform.

Success has attended our arms on every field recently, and it is announced under date of the 23d inst from Richmond, that their are 12,000 prisoners retained in that city. We venture that so soon as we get a few more the faithless and hippocritical Yankees will become as pliant and accommodating as could be desired.

Gens. Grant and Rosecranz.

The latest Northen intelligence recieved at Richmond on the 25th inst, says:

"Grant has been ordered to supersede Rosecranz his movements beyond Chattanooga without orders from the Government at Washington having given offence to the military authorities there.

Rosecranz has gone to Cincinnatti."

We are glad that the Yankees still adhere to petulant, short-sighted policy which can but prove disastrous to their arms. We have no doubt that Rosecranz is an abler General than Grant, though he may not have been so successful. The greatest generals are liable to some disasters when they do occur unless wholy demoralising, a general and his army will make an extraordinary exertion to retrieve their fallen fortunes, than under any other circumstances. Defeats are sometimes advantages and victories misfortunes, as was once supposed to be the case with us and our enemies. Generals placed in near positions cannot probaly understand them as wellas their predecessors; and in their impatience to fulfil public expectation are liable to commit still more fatal blunders. Rosecranz is no doubt glad to be released from his dilemma, and Grant may very soon have the laurels of Vicksburg dimmed by the disasters of Chattanooga.

☞ Lieut. W. A. Beal, will start for the 48th. Regt. on the 29th. or 30th. inst. and will take letters and clothing for Co. K. if left with Judge Wood by the 28th.

Late News.

From the Rome Courier.

Summary of news by Telegraph, &c

From the Front.—The enemy are said to be building water works above their pontoon bridges to prevent their being swept away by raft's floating down against them.

A dispatch from Lee to Cooper on the 21st states that Stuart on the 19th opposed the advance of Kilpatricks division of cavalry, while Fitz Lee attacked his flank and rear. The enemy was routed and pursued until he reached his infantry support at Haymarket. At Gordonsville 200 prisoners with horses and eight wagons and ambulances were captured.

A special dispatch to the Richmond Enquirer from Staunton, on the 21st says that Imboden entered Charlestown on Sunday surprising and bringing off 180 prisoners and some valuable property.

About 1200 prisoners captured during Lee's advance movement had arrived in Richmond

A flag of truce boat with a large number of women and children on board arrived at Suffolk from Norfolk.

Official information from Meridian Miss., report the Yankees retreating to Big Black rapidly and being pursued by our cavalry. One regiment entered Clinton in their retreat and burned some houses. The loss on either side not reported. President Davis left Meridan on the 20th for Enterprise.

At Charleston on the 20th our batteries continued their fire on the Yankees who appeared in larger numbers than usual at Gregg and Wagner. Another Monitor has arrived making in all five. The Ironsides for the first time since the attack steered round Cumming's Point evidently making a trial of her Machinery.

On the 21st a reconoitering party of the enemy, in barges was discovered near Sumpter between twelve and one o'clock at night and driven away with grape shot.

Brilliant Success in East Tennessee.

We have reliable information that our cavalry under Cols. Dibbrell and Morrison have acheived a brilliant success at Philadelphia East Tennessee, capting 700 prisaners 6 pieces of artillery 5 wagons loaded with stores 10 ambulances and all the cavalry equipments of the prisaners, together with a good many horses, mules camp equipages &c.—*Atlanta Intelligencer.*

Wheelers Exploits.—The Atlanta Intelligencer learns through Major Hope, further particulars of Wheeler's recent expedition in Tennessee:

He captured upwards of eleven hundred and sixty-five wagons, in the Sequatchie vlly 1,000 of which he destroyed, and the remainder he succeded in bringing safely across the Tennessee. He shot upwards of 3,500 mules, and brought out with him nearly 1,000 horses and mules At McMinnville he destroyed 30 days rations for Rosecrans' army including 1,500 sacks of green coffee and 2,500 barrels of parched coffee, with other stores in proportion At McMinnville he also destroyed two trains of cars loaded for Chattanooga and also the rail road for nearly fifteen miles.

The Yankees have given several concerts in Knoxville. The front seats are assigned to the negro wenches of the city who are escorted to church, and to places of amusement by Federal soldiers and officers. Negro balls are frequent in which the belles are Ethiopian damsels and Federal officers the gayest gallants.

The Federals at Knoxville have not the most remote idea that Brag contemplaces a movement on that city They were engaged in plundering the country every where. Great numbers of people from the country have come into the city begging for bread.

Atlanta Register.

Napoleon's Tobacco.

The Richmond *Examiner* of saturday prints the following conspicuously at the head of its news colums:

"The Vicomte de St. Romain has been sent by the French Government to ours to negotiate for the transportation of the tobacco bought for France by French agents.

"The Confederate States Government has at last consented to allow the tobacco to leave the country, provided the French Government will send its own vessels for it.

"The latter will send French ships, accompanied by armed convoys.

"To this the United States Government objects *in toto.*

"Vicomte de St. Romain is now making his way to New York to send the result of his mission, through the French Consul, to the Emperor.

The War.—Meade has undoubtedly got in his hole. He ran like a man. We picked up from two to three thousand prisoners, and gave the rest of his men such a demoralization that he will hardly be able to hold them again. They followed whither he led this time, but it will depend on the direction, perhaps, whether they will do it again.

[Richmond Sen.

Lost,

ON the 27th inst. between Jacksonville and Mrs. Walker's on the Gadsden Road, a patent 5 shooting Pistol, finely finished.

Any person finding said pistol and leaving it with Mr. J H Sargeant at Jacksonville, will be liberally rewarded. Oct. 28.

WANTED—Several hundred bushels of Chinese Sugar Cane seed, for hwich a liberal price will be given. Enquire at this Office. Oct 31.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Calhoun County.
Orphan's Court, Special Term, Oct. 28th, 1863.

This day came A. F. Allen. Administrator of the estate of S A Allen, dec. and filed his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate

It is therefore ordered by the court, that Monday the 30th day of November next be set for auditing and allowing said account and vouchers, and making said settlement. It is further ordered that notice of said settlement be given to all persons interested, by publication in the Jacksonville Republican a weekly newspaper published in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said 30th day of November, to be and appear at my office at the court house in said county, on said day, and contest the said settlement if they think proper. Witness, A Woods, Judge of Probate, at office this 28th day of October, 1863. A. WOODS, Judge

Oct 31 of Probate.

Chickamauga, Sep. 22, 1863.

Mr. Grigg:—It has been long since the readers of your valuable paper in DeKalb co. Ala. have heard of the 3d Confederate Cavalry. I think it was about the opening of Spring, that you were informed that Lt Col. Wm. N. Estes of DeKalb Co. was promoted to the Colonelcy of said Regt. Now at the inception of winter, I write to chronicle the death of that gallant and much honored officer.

Col. Estes had, from the beginning of our retrograde movement from Tennessee, borne himself in true knightly and chivalric style in oft-repeated contests with the vandal foe, till on the 17th inst., in McLemore's Cove, at Davis' Cross Roads, Walker county, G o. the brave Estes poured out his blood in defence of the country and cause he loved so well. He fell, gallantly leading a charge of his Reg't, after having driven the foe over two miles, and breathed his last in the arms of his devoted followers—telling them, "He died in defence of his country, being entirely reconciled with his fate."—Poor Estes! He is gone from amongst us, and expressed himself as being satisfied with his untimely end. There was no braver man than he—there was no nobler nor purer man and patriot—a more warm hearted friend was never known. His sad fate has caused many a manly tear to course down the sunburnt cheek of the sturdy and brave soldiers who have shared the toils, the privations and perils of the deeply lamented Estes. *Requiescat in pace.* May this be his epitaph. DeKALB.

Sept. 18th, 1863.

The Staff and Line Officers of the 3rd Confederate Cavalry Regt. met to adopt Resolutions expressive of their feelings upon the death of their late lamented Colonel, Wm. N. Estes. On motion, Capt. Daniel Clayton was called to the chair, and Adj't Nicholson requested to act as Secretary.

On motion, Capts. Rice, Reese, McCaskill, Saudusky, Lt Leonard and Adjt Nicholson were appointed a committee to draft Resolutions expressive of their feelings upon the death of the late lamented Col. Estes.

The committee after a brief Absence reported the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, to take from our midst, the Col: of the 3d Confederate Regt. Col. W. R. Estes, who was killed on the 17th inst. by the enemy, while gallantly leading his regiment as skirmishers against the common enemy of our country. Col. Estes was a man of great and daring courage—noble, generous and kind to his command, and ever ready to lead his regiment to conquest and to victory—without a murmur, he quietly expired in the arms of his regt. with his face toward the foe, and a sweet smile of satisfaction lit up his countenance, just before his spirit had taken its flight, as he beheld his men rushing upon the hated foe, to avenge his death, and relieve his country from the vile invader—therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Col. Estes, the regiment has lost a friend; our country a brave and gallant leader; and we hereby pledge ourselves to avenge his death, at any and at all times when brought into proximity with the enemy of our Confederacy.

2d, *Resolved*, That a copy of these proceedings be furnished the family of Colonel Estes, who have our warmest sympathy and kindest regards. Also copies be furnished the Chattanooga Rebel and Jacksonville Republican for publication. The meeting adjourned. Capt D. CLAYTON, Ch'n.

D. L. NICHOLSON, Sec'y.

Died, in Jacksonville, on the 13th of Oct. Tommie, daughter of Chappel and Ann Cannon, aged about 17 months. Little Tommie was a lovely child, the idol of the family. Her mother offered up many prayers that she might live, but the Saviour, that loves little children, bade her little spirit come home to heaven, to join in songs of praise to God the Father through eternal ages. Her little spirit is freed from sickness, sorrow, pain and death, and dwells with Jesus in that bright world of bliss. Parents prepare to meet little Tommie in heaven, where parting is no more. Methinks little Tommie will be standing on the other shore, with outstretched arms to welcome father and mother home.

My little one, my fair one, thou can'st not come to me,
But nearer draws the unnumbered hours, when I shall go to thee;
And thou perchance with seraph smile, and golden harp in hand,
Will be the first to welcome me, to our Immanuel's land. A. O. C.

Blue Stone.

50 Lbs. just received—call early at BLUN & FRANK'S.

JUST RECEIVED, Indigo, Alum, Brimstone, Epsom Salts, Castor Oil, Soda, Pepper, Tacks &c. at BLUN & FRANK'S.

To the Citizens of Calhoun County.

THE CITIZENS of Calhoun county are earnestly called upon to furnish Blankets for the use of members of companies E and H, of the 30th Alabama regiment. If Blankets are not to be had, Comforts, Coverlids, Carpets, or anything that will keep the soldiers warm will answer.

I will remain at Jacksonville six or eight days, during which time I will recive and pay ten dollars each for the above mentioned articles. JOHN C. FRANCIS,
Major, 30 Alabama.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Rebecca Ham, decd. having been granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of Sept. 1863, by the Probate Court of Randolph county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

Oct. 31. WM. McCARTER, Admr.

Notice.

I am at home for the purpose of getting clothing and blankets for Co E. 19th Con. Cav. Reg. All who wish to send to their friends must put them in packages or boxes, marked plain to persons intended, and forward to care of depot agents Silver Run or Talladega, previous to 15th November.

J. W. TOWNS.

The Election.

The Militia Act, approved August 29th, 1863, directs that after the enumeration is made, that an election shall be ordered for each class, in the several counties of the State.

The Governor has further directed, that wherever the number of voters in either class in a Beat does not exceed 25, then such Beat or Beats must be consolidated with some contiguous beat forming a new one, and numbered accordingly. The rolls for this county show that the different beats will not average more than *ten* persons subject to duty in class No. 2, or State militia. consequently I have, in conformity with the above directions, consolidated the beats in this county, as shown by the notice of election given by the Sheriff for class No. 2, or State militia; therefore all persons subject to duty in the State militia, will cast their votes at the place indicated for holding the election in said new militia beats. For instance, all of class no. 2, in the old Beats, 1, 3 and 8, will vote at Jacksonville, electing but one Officer for the three old beats, and so with the others. Class No. 1, or Home Reserves, will hold their election in the same old beats, the number in each one being sufficiently large to authorize it No one will be allowed to vote in the election of the election of the 1st day, but those subject to duty in the State militia, or class No 2, and no one will vote in the 2nd election, but those subject to duty in the Home Reserves. The returns to be made to the undersigned

It is to be hoped that the elections will be generally attended, and good and efficient men elected; remembering that in these times of trouble, every man is called upon to do his whole duty, especially in matters of this kind.

Wm. M. HAMES, Special Aid
for Calhoun county.

Election Notice.

On Tuesday the 3rd day of November next, I will proceed to open and hold an election at the following election precincts in Calhoun county, for the purpose of electing a County Commandant for the State Militia, with the rank of Lieut. Col., and Beat Com'dants with the rank of Lieut, for each new beat for the State militia, as prescribed by the Militia Act of Aug. 29, 1863; and the following named persons are appointed Managers.

The old beats, 1, 3, 8, are consolidated, and form new militia beat No. 1—Managers, A Adams, F. Love, and Jacob I Aderholt.

Old beats 6, 7 22, form No 2, Peeks Hill—John Burgess, A Kirby, and J J Lazenby.

Old beats, 2, 5, 21, form No. 3, Iron Works—Larkin Coker, A. Downing & Noah Goode.

Old beats 4, 13, 12, form No 4, Oxford—Daniel Hinds, John Spencer, W Harrison.

Old beats 9, 10, 11, form No. 5, Rabbit Town—E Manning, J W Whiteside and J W Morgan.

Old beats 14, 15, 17, form No. 6, Pine Grove—J C Barker, Abner Coffey and John Evans.

Old beats 23, 16, form No. 7, Abernathy—Henry Albright, James Kemp, and John Burgess.

Old beats 18, 19, 20, form No 8, Carmichael—T S Carmichael, John W Ganus and Wm. Howell.

Oct 23 BARTLETT OWEN, Shff.

And also on Wednesday the 4th day of November next, I will proceed to open and hold an election at the several election precincts in the county, for the purpose of electing a County Commandant of the Home Reserves, with the rank of Colonel, and one Commandant for each beat, with the rank of Captain, and the following named persons will act as Managers.

Beat No 1—A Adams, F Love and Jacob I Aderholt.

Beat No 2—John M Crook, J R Walker, J A Gladden.

Beat No 3—L C Mitchell, W Jackson, John Loyd.

Beat No 4—Wm Kennedy, John Alexander, John W Bagley.

Beat No 5—Larkin Coker, A Downing and Noah Goode.

Beat No 6—John Burgess, A Kirby and J J Lazenby

Beat No 8—Michael Dickinson, Barton Griffin and T D Hodges

Beat No 8—S Allen, Carter Boozer and B Nabers,

Beat No 9—G L Alexander, H Graham and J W Ledbetter.

Beat No 10—E Manning, J W Whiteside and J W Morgan.

Beat No 11—B S Evans, J A Fleming and E Kerr.

Beat No 12—C Davis, Sevier Elston and W C McMahan.

Beat No 13—Daniel Hinds, John Spencer and Wm Harrison.

Beat No 14—S Jenkins, Jno Rhodes and Wm Lackey.

Beat No 15—J C Barker, Abner Coffey and John Evans.

Beat No 16—Henry Albright, James Kemp and John Burgess.

Beat No 17—Wm Baber Peter Edwards and Sidney Carruth.

Beat No 18—A D Chandler, Wm R Brown sen. and Richard Andersen.

Beat No 19—T S Carmichael, J W Ganus and Wm Howell.

Beat No 20—Matthew Alexander, Wm Wood and T D Treadaway.

Beat No 21—John T Finley, Ferrington Crow and Z Henderson.

Beat No 22—Thomas Bennett, John Hall and John A Spaulding.

Beat No 23—J W McDaniel, Robert Pesnell and C W Defreese.

The Cailiff's of the beats where the elections are held will act as returning officers. BARTLETT OWEN, Shff.

Committed

TO the Jail of Centre, Cherokee County, Alabama, about the 25th day of October, 1863, a negro boy who says that his name is [illegible] and that he ran away from Cartersville, Georgia, about the first of September last, from a man whose name was Presley Tanner.

The owner of the above named negro boy is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

S. M. GINN, Jailor.

October 31, 1863.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of E. W. Ham, dec'd. on the 1st day of Sept., 1863, by the Probate Court of Randolph county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred: and those indebted are requested to make payment.

Oct 31. WM McCARTER, Adm.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

THE undersigned Administratrix and Administrator of the Estate of Lindsey Weaver, deceased, will, under an order from the Probate Court of Calhoun county, **On Tuesday the 31st day of November** next, sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the late residence of deceased,

Three good Mules,
Some Corn and Fodder;
Oats and Rye. Sale at the usual hours.

EUGINDA WEAVER, Admx.
DANIEL F. WEAVER, Adm'r.

Oct. 31, 1863.

Clothe Your Soldiers.

I appeal to the citizens of Calhoun county in behalf of the members of my company for blankets, as there are a great many destitute. Winter is upon us and the government not able to supply. I earnestly solicit the citizens to bring forward their blankets or quilts and depsit them with Judge Woods, who has been furnished with funds to pay for them. J. H. McCAIN, Cap. co. B,
Oct., 24, '63. 30th Ala. Regt.

Notice to Creditors.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Robert S. Cowan, deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the ——day of Sept. 1863, by the Probate Court of Cherokee county, Ala., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within the time prescribed by law or they will be barred, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

W. N. COWAN, Adm.

Turkey Town, Ala. Oct. 24.

Notice to Creditors.

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of Cherokee co. Administrator of the estate of Benjamin Awbrey late of said county, deceased, on the 14th day of Oct. 1863: All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred, and those indebted will please make payment.

MARTIN HALL, } Adm'rs
Oct 24 A. H. MACKEY, }

Notice to Creditors.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Joshua A Awbrey dec., by the Probate court of Cherokee county, Ala. on the 14th day of Oct'r, 1863; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them, legally authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment.

MARTIN HALL, } Adm'rs
Oct 24 A H MACKEY, }

Exchange

THE undersigned has SALT to exchange for PORK. Also LEATHER to exchange for Wheat, Corn, Meat, &c.

FLEISH & WELLHOUSE.

Jacksonville, Oct. 14, 1863.

SALT, SALT!

THE undersigned have 75 sacks of Salt, which they now offer for sale for Cash or in exchange for produce.

KLUF & FRANK.

Jacksonville, Oct. 17, 1863.

Confederate Tax Notice

IN accordance with section 14, cap'lad act for the assessment and collection Taxes, the Lists valuations and assessments made and taken within this the 1st district by the assessor, are now submitted to all persons concerned, at the [illegible]

Appeals will be received relative to any errors or omissions of the general assessor. The [illegible] seven days, at

Oct. 17th

List of Tax Assessments

THE undersigned will be at the several places mentioned below, for the purpose of receiving the tax on Corn, Fodder, Beans, Peas, Ground Peas, Cotton, and to complete the assessment of Wheat, Oats and Rye of all Horses, Mules, Asses, Hogs and Sheep not necessary for family purposes, and what may have died since the 24th of April last, and complete other assessments.

☞ Tax payers are notified that the law will be rigidly and immediately enforced against all who do not call and give in their taxes.

Beat No.	8,	Waldens,	
" "	7,	Mt. Gilead church,	
" "	22,	Kansas,	
" "	6,	Chatchie,	
" "	5,	Polkville,	23
" "	21,	Sulphur Springs,	24
" "	4,	Maddox's,	26
" "	13,	Oxford,	27
" "	12,	Yoe's X Roads,	28
" "	11,	White Plains,	29
" "	10,	Rabbit Town,	30
" "	9,	Cross Plains,	
" "	9,	Ladiga,	
" "	20,	Borden's,	
" "	19,	Pipe,	
" "	18,	Pine Thicket,	
" "	16,	Pounds',	
" "	17,	Fair Play,	
" "	23,	Oak Grove,	
" "	15,	Pine Grove,	
" "	14,	Sugar Hill,	
" "	3,	Jane Bug,	
" "	2,	Alexandria,	
" "	1,	Jacksonville,	

R. R. WAYNE, Assessor.

Oct. 17, 1863.