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"The Price of Liberty is eternal vigilance."

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AN HONEST MAN.—A man who lives in this community owed his neighbor a debt before the war, on a basis of its equivalent. This man had wheat for sale and his creditor desired to purchase. The result was that the said debtor offered his wheat in payment of this old debt at one dollar and fifty cents per bushel, which offer was accepted. This though nothing more than just and honest, is still highly honorable to the said debtor, during these degenerate times, and entitled him to a "good name" which is pronounced by the wise man, "better than riches."

I regard this as an instance of unshaken integrity and honesty, that should not be forgotten.

Nov. 14, '64. O. P. Q.

DEATH OF GEO. P. BROWN.—Many of our readers will be pained to learn that George P. Brown was killed in one of the recent engagements before Petersburg. George Brown was justly regarded as one of the most promising young men in our country.

Endowed with a fine intellect and pleasant address. These natural gifts had been carefully improved by a thorough education until he was enabled to take rank among the first young men in the country and had felt to make a man of distinction. He was a noble-hearted boy and many friends with him in lamenting his death. We tender our sympathies to his bereaved relatives in this painful affliction.

Tallahassee Reporter, 3d inst.

The London Herald of the 17th ult. states that there was a marvelous rise in the stock of Confederate cotton. Purchases were freely made on the intelligence from the South, and the termination of some very heavy accounts for the fall. So buoyant, in fact, was the market that with every operation a fresh rise took place. Compared with yesterday, the full improvement was about eight per cent, a circumstance indicating the tendency, if any large amount of business was transacted. The stock is gradually being absorbed, and will, in the course of a short period, be extremely scarce. Yesterday the price was 54 to 56; to-day it opened at 58 to 60, and promptly advanced to 62, to 64 which was the final quotation, and in the afternoon a good supply was given to the market.

Below Richmond.

The enemy were engaged yesterday in leveling a part of their works of few hundred yards North of Fort Harrison, and it is supposed by some that he intends making another advance on our left. Whether successful or defeated, the dispatches of Stanton will proclaim a victory. We notice in the United States papers of the 2d inst., that the superintendent of telegraphs, at Fort Monroe, has been ordered not to send any private dispatches over the lines, as the telegraph will be required for the use of the Government. This precaution is taken to prevent the truth leaking out relative to Grant's losses. No doubt the facts relative to the operations of last week had some effect upon the gold market, and it is to be presumed such information that the order referred to has been given.

There was no fighting on either side of the James river yesterday, but a heavy fog makes a move once a week, may try it again to-day.

OFFICE A. & I. GEN'L ALABAMA,
MONTGOMERY, Oct. 21, 1864.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 21.

All men, not in Confederate service on the 17th day of February, 1864, who have been elected to State offices since that time, and before actual enrollment in the Confederate service, are hereby notified that they are not bound to obey General Orders No. 11, issued by Maj. Gen. Withers on the 18th inst. Their official duties require their attention at home, and unless their exemption from Confederate military service has been or is hereafter revoked by the Governor, they will not be permitted to be put into Confederate service.

By order of the Governor,
JOEL RIGGS,
A. and I. Gen'l, Ala.

All papers in the State will publish once, and forward receipted account to the Executive office.

FROM THE FRONT.

The Augusta Chronicle, has been favored with the following items of a private letter of Nov. 3d giving intelligence obtained from a field officer just from Beauregard's department. Hood's army is at Columbia, Tennessee, with Sherman's force 95 miles in his rear and greedily demoralized.

Gen. Forrest is at Paducah, Kentucky, destroying Yankee property by the wholesale. While Gen. Walker of Magruder's army is en route to join Hood at Columbia, or Nashville, Tenn. Gen. Beauregard declares he will winter his army in Tennessee.

Corinth is our point of concentration.

to which place all the hospitals have been ordered to go immediately from Macon.

Gen. Price has whipped the Yankees at Kansas City. He will be reinforced by Magruder's command and winter in Missouri.

The London Times says the peace address signed by three hundred thousand gentlemen can effect just nothing, and thinks the only possible solution of the question is continued war. America has commenced the fiery ordeal of war which settled Europe on its present basis, and terrible as is the process, the Times cannot doubt that "America" will be the better for it in the end.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a regular communication of Alexandria Lodge, No. 108, the committee to whom the death of JOHN BROOK was referred, reported the following preamble and resolutions, which upon being read were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, in the wise dispensation of his providence to remove from our midst our much esteemed brother and Worshipful Master, John Brook, who has been in high standing as a member and Master of this Lodge for the last ten years, whilst quietly attending his domestic affairs, but a sudden death came in the wane of life, and left a dreadful sting that none escape, and from which none recover; Whereas, the remembrance of his many noble virtues and pleasant associations will ever stimulate us to deeds of emulation, and kindle in our hearts feelings of the profoundest respect and deepest esteem; and whereas, it is the duty of all who are in his hands and uncertain as to our future, to let us therefore humble ourselves before him, and acknowledge with humility that we do not at all times live according to the divine injunction—"Be ye also ready."

That he is resolved—

1st, That while we bow in due reverence to the Great Architect, we sincerely lament the loss of our deceased brother, whose benevolent heart and liberal hand was ever open to the needy and distressed, and whose deeds of kindness and charity have so long and so honorably adorned the widow and orphan, and rendered his name a lasting monument of esteem and affection among all who knew him.

2nd, That in the death of our brother, this Lodge has lost a worthy member, an efficient and faithful officer—a bright and devoted man, one who has long presided with dignity and honor to himself and entire satisfaction to the craft; the community in which he lived, an honorable, upright and useful citizen; his family a kind husband and a devoted father.

3rd, That we tender to his family our sympathies in their bereavement, that while they mourn their irreparable loss, they mourn not alone.

4th, That in receiving his name on the Death list of this Lodge on earth, we earnestly hope and believe that he occupies a seat in the Grand Lodge in Heaven, where the Great Architect presides.

5th, That these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Lodge, and that a blank page be dedicated to his memory and inscribed with his name.

6th, That the Hall be draped in mourning, and the members wear the usual badge for 30 days in token of their respect for our deceased brother.

7th, That these resolutions be published in the Jacksonville Republican, and a copy of the same be transmitted to his family.

JOHN W. TATUM,
J. A. GLENN,
E. G. MORRIS,
T. J. LOYD,
R. L. TARRANT,
Committee.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a regular communication of Alexandria Lodge, No. 208, Free and Accepted Masons, held at the Hall November 12th A. L. 5999, the death of JAMES W. SWINK, reported the following preamble and resolutions, which upon being read were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased the All-wise Ruler of the Universe, in his providence to remove from our midst our very esteemed and worthy brother James W. Swink, whilst quietly attending to his affairs around his home, where peace and harmony always presided. Altho' peace and harmony always presided, altho' a very young man, he was much devoted to the craft—none knew him but to love and adore him; his walk was truly that of a Christian, ever looking forward to the great prize, Christ Jesus.

That he is resolved—

1st, That in the death of our brother, James W. Swink, this Lodge has lost a very worthy member, his family a kind husband, a tender and loving parent, his church a consistent member, his neighborhood a good citizen.

2nd, That in receiving his name on the death list of this Lodge on earth, we earnestly hope that he occupies a seat in the Grand Lodge in Heaven, where the Great Architect presides.

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JOHN W. TATUM, jr.,
J. A. GLENN,
E. G. MORRIS,
T. J. LOYD,
R. L. TARRANT,
Committee.

Factory Cotton Yarns.

Any quantity, on hand and for sale, Nos. 10 to 14 inclusive, at the Okfuskee Cotton Mills, Randolph County, Ala.

W. L. WILSON, Proprietor.

Oct. 6, 1864—3n.

Tallahassee papers please copy and send bills to this Office.

Stolen.

FROM the subscriber's stable on the night of the 6th inst, one Bay Mare about fifteen years high, eight years old, black mane and tail. The mare is heavy and inclined to lay on both sides, no marks or freckles.

Also one Horse, a rather mouse colored, good size, inclined to pace, has a wen on the left side of his neck. They are supposed to have been taken by Wheeler's cavalry. Any information will be gladly received, and a liberal reward given.

Address me at Alexandria, Ala.
Nov. 9, 1864. MATTHEW ALLEN.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS testamentary, having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of G. G. Marie, deceased, by the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala. on the 10th day of October, 1864. 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. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make payment.

Nov. 10 G. C. ELLIS, Exr.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Calhoun County.

In the matter of the Probate of the last will and testament of John Brook, deceased. This day came Z. Henderson and filed in the probate court of said county for the probate of a paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John Brook deceased.

It is ordered that the 12th day of December next be and the same is hereby appointed, as a day for the hearing and determining upon the probate of said paper writing, and that notice thereof be given by publication in the Jacksonville Republican a weekly newspaper, printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear at a regular term of said court to be held at the Court House in said county on said 12th day of December, 1864, and contest the probate of said paper writing, as said last will, if they think proper to do—A. Woods, Nov. 15, 1864. Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Cherokee County.

Notice is hereby given that a special term of the Circuit Court for said county, will be begun and held at the Court House in the Town of Centre, for the business in said court on the first Monday day of January next, (1864) in accordance with an order made on the 10th day of November, 1864, by the Hon. W. J. Harrison, Judge of the 5th Judicial Circuit of the State of Alabama.

12th day of Nov., 1864,
W. H. STIFF, Clerk.

Committed.

TO the Jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun County, Alabama, on the 1st day of November, 1864, a negro man who calls his name JOHN, and who says he belongs to Benjamin Lawler of Hunterville, Ala.—that Lawler hired him in Selma about three years ago, that he was placed in charge of one Henderson's son to Moline on the railroad and afterwards sent to Moline from which place he ran away about 2 weeks ago.

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

W. E. SMITH, Jailor.

Committed.

To the jail of Jacksonville, Ala. on the 25th of Oct. 1864, two negro men named PRYMS, who is about twenty-five years old, five feet ten inches high, and weighs about 160 pounds, who is black, and says that he belongs to C. H. Williamson, of Augusta, Ga.

The other calls his name PERRY, and is about thirty years old, five feet ten inches high, and weighs about 160 pounds, and is also black, and who says he belongs to S. C. Gamany of Augusta, Ga.

The owners of the above described negro men, are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided, directs.

W. E. SMITH,
Jailor of Calhoun County.

Administrators Sale.

THE undersigned, Administrators of the estate of Moses Whiteside, deceased, under an Order from the Probate Court of Calhoun County, will on SATURDAY THE 26th DAY OF NOVEMBER, next, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, the following described personal property, assets of said estate, to-wit:

Eight Likely Negroes.
Two Mules, one Road Wagon,
One set of Blacksmith Tools,
Corn and Fodder,
One Cotton Gin,
Household and Kitchen Furniture, and Farming Tools.

Said property will be sold at the late residence of decedent, and for CASH, in Confederate Treasury Notes, (of the new issue.)

Sale to commence at the usual hour and continue until all of said property is sold.

No property will be delivered until the terms of sale are complied with.

J. W. WHITESIDE,
J. W. LEDBETTER.

Committed.

TO the jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun County, Alabama, on the 15th day of September, 1864, a negro man who calls his name HENRY. Said boy is about 24 years old, five feet high, black, and weighs about one hundred and twenty-five or thirty pounds. He says he belongs to Andrew Weeks of Rutherford county, North Carolina, and that his master was killed in some battle in Virginia, about two years ago.

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.

W. E. SMITH,
Jailor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

UNDER and by virtue of an order, from the Probate Court of Calhoun County, the undersigned, Administrator, of the estate of Balis M. Pika, deceased, will sell at the late residence of deceased, on Monday, the 14th day of November next, the following personal property, to-wit: One good Mule, four head of Cattle, one Pork Hog, five Bee stnds, some Farming and other tools, one complete set of Blacksmith tools, one Bedstead, twelve yards of good gray Jeans, and two Sycamore cradles.

Said property will be sold on a credit of twelve months, with interest from date, note and approved security will be required of the purchaser—sale will take place at the usual hours.

October 10th 1864.
BENJAMIN NABORS, Adm.

NOTICE.

A Valuable Plantation & House to Rent.

By virtue of an order from the Probate court of Calhoun county, I will proceed to rent the land belonging to the estate of Sims Kelly, deceased on Saturday the 5th November, to the highest bidder for twelve months at the late residence of Sims Kelly deceased; will commence renting by 11 o'clock A. M. Terms made known on the day of renting.

S. C. KELLY, Executor of Sims Kelly deceased.

October 27, '64.

Tax Notice.

I will meet the Tax payers of Calhoun county at the times and places mentioned below, for the purpose of collecting the State and County tax for the year 1864. Tax payers are requested to be prompt.

Nov. 11, White Plains, Monday	14
" 12, Oxford, Tuesday	15
" 13, Maddox, Wednesday	16
" 14, Sulphur Springs, Thursday	17
" 15, Polkville, Friday	18
" 16, June Bug, Saturday	19
" 17, Walden's Store, Monday	20
" 18, Vessell's Tuesday	21
" 19, Kansas, Wednesday	22
" 20, Peck's Hill, Thursday	23
" 21, Alexandria, Friday	24
" 22, Jacksonville, Saturday	25
" 23, Davis' Roads, Monday	26
" 24, Sugar Hill, Tuesday	27
" 25, Pine Grove, Wednesday	28
" 26, Pleasant Hill, Thursday	29
" 27, Abernathy, Friday	30
" 28, Fair Play, Saturday	1
" 29, Ladiga, Monday	2
" 30, Borden's Tuesday	3
" 1, Phisges, Wednesday	4
" 2, Pine Thicket, Thursday	5
" 3, Rabbit Town, Friday	6

H. GRAHAM, T. C. C. C.

Nov. 4, 1864.

NOTICE.

ON the 16th of Oct., when in search of a Mule stolen from me, I arrested John of this County, and found him in possession of a mule which he says he took on a wagon near Montevallo a few days ago. I have the mule in my possession, and the owner can get by proving property and paying the expenses.

My address is
Sulphur Springs, Calhoun co. Ala.
Nov. 3, '64.

FOR RENT!

I offer for rent my Farm of three or four hundred acres of cleared land, lying 10 miles west of Oxford, in Choctaw County. Confederate money will be taken for the rent. This place is one of the healthiest in the valley. Call and see us as early as possible.

J. C. PRITCHETT.

P. S. Persons renting the place can have sufficient brood stock from me.

Oxford Oct. 17, 1864.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of J. W. Whiteside, deceased, by the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala. on the 1st day of October, 1864; 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.

J. U. & J. W. WHITESIDE,
Administrators.
Oct. 13

WANTED

For Madison Hospital, Montgomery.

100 Bushels Dried Fruit,
10 Barrels Kruit.

To be delivered to C. Glover, Blue Mountain, or Col. J. D. Hoke, Jacksonville.

C. J. CLARK, Surgeon in charge.

NEWS FOR THE BLIND.

500 pair fine Glass for specks at
W. C. LAND'S
Jewelry Store.

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W. E. SMITH,
Jailor.

Sep. 29.

COMMITTED.

To the Jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun County, Ala. a negro man who calls his name WILLIS, and says he belongs to Harry Scholfield, of Baton Rouge, La. Said boy is about fifty years old, five feet 9 inches high, and weighs about 150 pounds, copper color. Committed 6th Aug. 1864.

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

Aug 13. W. E. SMITH, Jailor.

Jacksonville Female Academy.

This exercises of this institution will be resumed on Monday the 5th day of September next.

RATES OF TUITION.

Primary class per session of 5 months	\$20 00
Second	20 00
Third	20 00
Incidental fee, August 20, 1864.	2 00

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of James Hooper, dec'd, late of St. Clair County, having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of July 1864, by the Probate Court of St. Clair County, 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.

T. S. FREEMAN, Adm.
Sep. 29. NANCY HOOPER, Adx.

Administrators Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of John L. Senter, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of April 1864, 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.

JOHN L. McCONNELL, Adm.
Aug 13, 1864.

J. B. WALDEN,
Attorney at Law.

LOCATED at Centre, Cherokee co. Ala. will attend to business in the Circuit & Chancery Courts of Cherokee and adjoining counties and also to cases for Executors, Administrators and Guardians in the Probate Court.

March 26, 1864.

G. C. ELLIS & CALDWELL,
Attorneys at Law.

AND
Solicitors in Chancery.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

HAVING associated themselves in the practice of LAW, will practice together, except in CRIMINAL CASES, in the Counties of Calhoun, Talladega, St. Clair, Randolph, Cherokee and DeKalb. Jan. 12, 1864.

Lost.

I HAVE lost a 4 per cent. certificate for Bond of \$700, made payable to John Stuart, of Oxford, Ala.; which certificate I received in payment of his tax for 1863. I warn all persons from trading for the above certificate, as if not found I shall make application for a new one.

H. A. EARNS,
Collector 14th Dist.
Sept 23.

Committed.

TO the Jail of Jacksonville, Calhoun County, Alabama, on the 1st day of November, 1864, a negro man who calls his name GEORGE, and says he belongs to Frank Leonard of Macon county Ga.—that he was impressed as teamster, and brought to Alabama to work in the ditches near Jacksonville, and was afterwards sent to Oxford, that he left there intending to make his way home. The owner of the above described 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.

W. E. SMITH, Jailor.

Vinyard For Sale.

THE undersigned, wishing to change his residence, will sell, at a moderate price, his interest (one third) in the Vinyard four miles east of Jacksonville. Said vinyard has several acres of vines of three or four years growth, and a fine variety of fruit trees.

Oct. 13. GEORGE WHITE.

Notice.

WE will proceed to sell on Friday the 4th day of November, 1864, at the late residence of J. A. Whiteside, dec'd, in Choctaw County of Rabbit Town valley, the following property belonging to the estate of said decedent, to-wit: About 15 bushels Wheat, some 10 or 12 bushels grazing Oats, one Gin Band one Straw cutter and one Gin gearing, bolts, &c. and a few Books. Terms of Sale Cash.

Also, at the same time and place, we will RENT about 100 Acres of Land, for the year 1865. Terms of Renting made known on the day—this 8th Oct. 1864.

J. U. & J. W. WHITESIDE,
Administrators.

Strayed.

FROM the undersigned, on the 12th day of September, 1864, on Cane Creek, a dark bay MARE MULE, five or six years old, bay mane and tail closely sheared, medium size, now and then showing white spots, recently and before, no other marks recalled. Any person knowing anything about the said mule can address me at Morrisville.

DANIEL SUXNELLY.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate Court of St. Clair County, Alabama, on the 31st day of August, 1864, on the Estate of Lorenzo R. Blair, deceased. 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 persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Sep. 16. NASH LAWRENCE, Adm.

