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For Sale or Exchange.

I desire to sell my House and Lot on the Public Square in the town of Jacksonville, Ala., or to Exchange it for a Farm in this County. Parties desiring to exchange Land for Town property will do well to apply. The Store House is for Rent during the year 1875, unless otherwise disposed of.

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Dec. 22, 1874—2t.

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But a few days more before the wheels will turn, that will decide who are the lucky ones who will receive \$50,000, \$25,000, \$15,000, \$10,000, \$5,000, and many other valuable gifts in the Texas Gift Concert Association at Denison. The 31st of December will soon be at hand; don't forget the date, and secure a ticket before it is too late.

LIST OF APPOINTMENTS OF HENRY FITZ, Tax Assessor of CHHOUD County.

Pr. No. 11 White Pls., M. Jan. 25, 1874
" 12 Corn Grove, " 26, "
" 13 Corn, Wd., " 27, "
" 14 Oxford, Thur., " 28, "
" 4 Ford's, Friday, " 29, "
" 13, Alexandria, Sat., " 30, "
" 2, Alexandria, M. Feb. 1,
" 14, Sulphur Sp., T., " 2, "
" 5, Folkville, " 3, "
" 6, Pecks Hill, Thur., " 4, "
" 7, B. Hollingsworth, F., " 5, "
" 1, Jacksonville, Sat., " 6, "
" 9, Ladage, Mond., " 8, "
" 9, Cross Plains, Ts., " 9, "
" 8, Allen's, Wed., " 10, "
" 10, Rabbit Town, T., " 11, "
" 6, June Bug, Fri., " 12, "

I will attend at the times and places above mentioned, for the purpose of assessing the State and County Tax for the year 1875.
All persons interested are requested to attend promptly. FITZ, Tax Assessor.
Jan. 2, 1875—td.

The dramatic entertainment that was to come off at the College, for the benefit of the Baptist church of this place, has been postponed, on account of the inclemency of the weather, until Monday night, January 4th 1874.

The entertainment, from what we have seen of it at rehearsal, promises to be one of the finest ever given in Jacksonville. The play selected—the great tragedy of Bertram—will be finely presented in every part by the best amateur talent of the place. The farce is exceedingly good.

Let everybody turn out on Monday night.

By an oversight the notice of the fine concert entertainment given by Prof. Snow and class, for the benefit of the fire company, was not inserted in last week's issue. We have heard it spoken of on all sides as the most delightful of the season and creditable in a high degree to the teacher and pupils.

We trust that at no distant day the young folks will consent to favor our citizens with another such entertainment.

A Jacksonville Sunday School teacher says it is impossible for a Sunday school scholar, with a will, to satisfactorily fasten his mind down even upon the simplest exposition of the sublime of salvation.

Have you Goldsmith's Greece? asked a school girl of a clerk in town, the other day. No said the clerk reflectively, "we haven't Goldsmith's Greece, but we have some splendid hair oil."

Select Female School.

THE EXERCISES OF Mrs. RELIANCE'S Select Female School will be resumed on MONDAY the 1st day of FEBRUARY, 1875. 4t.

One of the most pleasant features of the Christmas holiday here was the Christmas tree in the M. E. Church, from which all kinds of Christmas gifts were dispensed to the expectant children and some older persons.

The presents to the old people were of the most grotesque and ridiculous character calculated to excite mirth and lend an additional charm to the enjoyment of the happy evening.

An amusing case of petit larceny came before Justice Forney, Thursday. Bill Hudson (slightly colored) charged with Green (a little more colored) with stealing from him a pet rooster. The evidence was voluminous. A decision had not been rendered at this writing.

A young fellow in Jacksonville wanted to change his "gal" 20 cents for his picture, informing her at the time that it originally cost a quarter.

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1 do do do 5,000
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50 do do do 250
50 do do do 150
50 do do do 100
100 do do do 50
100 do do do 25
200 do do do 20
500 do do do 10
1,000 do do do 5
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4,250 do do do 1
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S. B. WHITE.
Dec. 12, 1874—4t.

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Nov. 21—3t.

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Faithfully Yours, DR. T. F. BURT, 67 Williams St., New York.

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The cut of A. H. Stephen on his crutches in next No. regular weekly issues of the Sunny South will begin the first week in January. The first number, as stated editorially, was sent out as a specimen, and no paper ever sent such a welcome from the press and people. The next issue will be far superior to the first. It will contain the most brilliant stories and robust variety of original contributions from distinguished men and women ever published. Send in your subscriptions immediately as the publishers cannot supply many back numbers. It is to be a grand success. The press and people everywhere say IT MUST and SHALL SUCCEED. Everybody intends taking it; send along at once and get the first issue.

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Jacksonville, Ala.

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Take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly. I am prepared to furnish GUANO and wait until next November for the money.

Will allow 15 cts. per LB. for Middling Cottons, in payment for Guano. Give your orders soon, or you may fail to get.

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The American Sardine Co's Boneless Sardines are much better and less than half the cost of imported Sardines.

For sale or Exchange.

I desire to sell my House and Lot on the Public Square in the town of Jacksonville, Ala., or to Exchange it for a Farm in this County. Parties desiring to exchange Land for Town property will do well to apply. The Store House is for Rent during the year 1875, unless otherwise disposed of.

Mrs. M. E. ROWLAND

Dec. 22, 1874-2c.

BRICKS—Persons desiring

Brick, of any kind, by calling on Marshall Pruitt can be accumulated at reasonable prices. The Bricks were burned at Capt. Peter Hines' Kiln. Dec. 31, 1874-4c.

TO EVERYBODY, AND EVERYBODY ELSE.

The year 1874 has passed away and now we expect EVERY ONE who is indebted to us to come forward and make a settlement. Not only do we NEED THE MONEY but it is necessary that our Books for the past year should be balanced. If your account is but a few cents come and pay it. We hope our friends will be prompt in making payments; and that no one who has not paid his account for 1874 must ask for CREDIT now, as we shall be compelled to refuse them. A word to the wise is sufficient.

W. T. ALEXANDER.

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A New Lot of Hosiery, and Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Gents Cravats, "PERFUMERY," &c., just received, and for sale "Cheap for Cash." AT ALEXANDER'S.

DON'T ALL COME "at Once." But if you can "SLIP" in and pay your account at ALEXANDER'S just do so.

It is useless to attempt to cleanse a stream while the fountain is impure. Dyspepsia, complaint of the liver or kidneys, eruptions of the skin, acrofia, headaches and all diseases arising from impure blood, are at once removed by Dr. Walker's CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS, purifier of the blood, and renovator of the system. It has never been known to fail.

Rev. Mr. Whitton preaches on Sunday at the Methodist church.

Calhoun Grange meets at the Court House to-day, Saturday, at 10 o'clock a. m. Let every member turn out.

Mansfield Scott and Berry Terman are the names of the colored men who voted the Democratic ticket in Rabbit Town Beat.

If you want a nice article of chewing Tobacco, call upon Col. Parr for the Bandy South brand.

Hammonds has opened the Jacksonville Hotel for the accommodation of the traveling public. His advertisement will appear soon.

Dick Walker engages in the theatrical art and dyes young men's mustaches in the Jacksonville Hotel.

The Post Office has been removed from the brick corral to the opposite side of the street.

Maj. Abernathy is wondering why the tails of his white tailed cows have all been shaved. The white bearded actors in the drama the blithely might "a tale unfold" on the subject.

A white Coon was caught by Messrs. Shelt Stevenson and George Rowland one night last week. This is the first one of this color ever caught in this county. He must have heard of the elections in this State and changed his color to suit the times.

LEE ALEXANDER is as POLITE as ever. May he live long and prosper, as he so richly deserves.

A deer was caught by a party of hunters, near Alexandria, after a race of over six hours. The deer started on its run near this place and ran over twelve miles before it was overtaken. The bounds in pursuit were so wearied that the hunters were at times compelled to lift them over high fences. The chase through the streets of Alexandria was particularly exciting.

TO MASTERS OF GRANGES.—The charters of the several Granges of this county have been forwarded to me for distribution. They will be delivered to Masters or their order upon application to this office, or to

J. H. FRANCIS.

The new commissioners court assembled here on Monday last. The new members wear their honors *otum cum dignitate*, and have gone to business with a will. The members of the court visited the Poor House on Tuesday and inspected that institution. The object of the meeting of the court at this session is to fix the boundaries of the different beats of the county.

A man in Jacksonville the other day dreamed that his aunt was dead and awoke to find that his dream had proven true. He immediately composed himself to rest and tried the same game on his mother-in-law, but the old thing didn't work worth a cent.

Marshall Pruitt did a good thing the other night at the entertainment at the College, when he announced that the bad boys who had heretofore disturbed assemblies by their cat calls and yells would be put out of the Hall if it was repeated on that evening. The boys were unusually quiet. Let the good work continue.

On Monday last not a single newspaper was received at this Post Office. This thing of irregularity in the mails to this place is becoming annoying. Frequently the Montgomery and Selma papers fail to come to land, while the Northern papers are returned from below after they have become several days old. Somebody is getting careless. Stop it.

Among the gentlemen who have paid amounts on subscription account within the past ten days, we have the honor to mention Messrs. A. M. Stewart, Jas. M. Amberson, Robert Nougher, D. L. Wolf, J. C. Boles, Irvin Martin, F. Crow, J. D. Privett, J. H. Gilleland, H. L. Stevenson, Gid. H. Barralson, Rev. E. T. Smyth, W. A. Driskill, L. J. Parr, W. T. Alexander, P. Rowan.

If by possibility any names have been omitted from this list that should have appeared in it, parties will please call our attention to the fact and their names will appear in the next list. We propose to continue this character of publication from week to week.

The Dramatic entertainment at the College on Monday night was attended by a large number of the good citizens of Jacksonville, although the weather was very unfavorable and the streets muddy. Those who ventured out however were fully repaid for their trouble. It has rarely been my good fortune to witness an entertainment where the legitimate drama was presented truer to the life.

The play was Maturin's "Bertram" and I have seen professional actors and actresses fall short of the presentation of this drama on last Monday night by the amateurs of this place. Mr. Crook as Bertram seemed often to forget that he was acting and threw so much feeling into his words that the real Bertram could have produced no more effect upon the audience.

In the scene where for the first time he discovers Imogene, in the halls of his mortal enemy, and it flashes across his mind that his love is the wife of Albrand, when he exclaims:

"What dost thou in the halls of Albrand? Interlight doth shoot about my mind, I swear thou art a dependant on his bounty. This chance or force or sorcery brought thee hither. Thou canst not be my rival in swiftness with me."

Miss Holke held the attention in breathless silence and attention—and in the closing scene, where Bertram is surrounded by his enemies who are ready to

slay him, and while over the corpse of Imogene piteously calling upon her to speak to him and finding that "she speaks no more!" the actor crosses his triumph of the evening by stabbing himself and with a burst of wild exultation he dies exclaiming:

"I died no felon's death! A warrior's wound fixed a warrior's soul!"

Miss Annie Courtney Hoke as Imogene displayed rare histrionic talent. She had one of the most difficult characters to personate—a woman wedded to one man when her heart belonged to another. The great weight of her affliction ever present in her mind, she finally meets the object of her love. The tragic scenes that follow prove too much for her to bear and like Ophelia in Hamlet she becomes a maniac, and in the fitful change of mood of the unfortunate she laughs and shrieks in seeming joy and grief. I warrant that Mrs. Sloman in the Park Theatre when Booth acted the part of Bertram, did not surpass Miss Hoke in her acting in many of the scenes.

Mr. Stevenson as Prior of St. Anielm was inimitable in every respect. If a convent were near this place you would have sworn that the old Prior himself had come to take the part. Clotilda and Teresa personated respectively, by Misses Crook and Abernathy were excellent. Mr. Grant, as St. Albrand, fully sustained the character.

Messrs. Parr and Woodward as Monks, and Messrs. Mittox and Stevenson as Robbers acted well their parts.

Mr. Hudson, as Pietro, fully understood and was excellent in his part.

Master Ed. Crook as the Page of Albrand spoke with spirit and distinctness unusual for his age and years and a better selection for this character could not have been made. Little Flournoy Crook as the child of Imogene was splendid.

The galaxy of beauty upon the stage when all the lady characters appeared was bewildering. The dresses were the perfection of taste and beauty, the movements of the ladies the embodiment of grace and the *ent ensemble* the height of charming loveliness.

The evening's entertainment at the conclusion of the drama, was enlivened by a character song "Old Black Joe" by Master Eubie Laird. Emmet's make up was perfect and his singing would have made Cal. Wagner ashamed of himself. Emmet was encoored and came back and sang a ridiculous song "saw my leg off-short!" which brought the house down.

The fit was continued by the acting of a lively farce entitled the Dutchman's Ghost, in which "Hans" the Dutchman personated by Mr. Will Stevenson, insisted on all occasions, "Dat it was all thright!"

Mr. Horace Stevenson as the hen-pecked husband, who had learned to let his better-half have her own way, though he tried at times to get in behind edgewise, showed that he had capacity for acting comedy as well as tragedy.

MISS MARY A. FORNEY as the wife of the family who wanted it distinctly understood that she run the machine in her house, was perfect in her acting. Miss MARY ABERNATHY as the daughter of the associating mother who wanted her to marry "Hans" because he had money and plenty of coffins, played the part of injured innocence to perfection. Mr. Woodward as the chivalrous lover and Mr. Parr as his friend to aid him in his matrimonial schemes was true to the life.

As the curtain fell on the last scene, all felt that a pleasant evening had been spent and many were surprised at the talent displayed by the amateurs who had consented to lend their aid in the advancement of the great and good cause to which the proceeds of the evening are to be appropriated. Mr. Crook announced that the entertainment would be repeated on the first fair evening after Tuesday night. I bespeak for the entertainment, when it does come off a full house.

The music of the young gentlemen afforded during the evening was excellent. J. H. F.

JOSEPH E. VEAL, No. 27, SMITH'S BLOCK, IS JUST RECEIVING A SPLENDID STOCK OF Gold Watches, Jewelry, Silver-Ware, SPECTACLES, ETC. Repairing in all its Branches. HOME, GA., Jan. 9, 1875-1y.

JOHN M. CROOK. EMMET F. CROOK. New Dry Goods & Grocery House AT ALEXANDRIA, ALA. CROOK & BROTHER have just opened at their Store Room on main street, a large and well selected stock of.

DRY GOODS, Embracing every variety of STAPLE GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, Hardware, Crockery, &c. ALSO, A FULL STOCK OF Family Groceries. We have bought our Goods for Cash, since the Great Decline, and are enabled to offer our patrons superior inducements. Our terms are STRICTLY CASH. Highest Prices paid for COUNTRY PRODUCE, in exchange for every description of Goods and Groceries. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. Alexandria, Ala., Nov. 21, 1874-1y.

BOOTS SHOES AND LEATHER. We have a large Stock of FRESH GOODS in our line, purchased direct of the Manufacturers which we offer as Low as the Lowest. We call particular attention to our fine line of HAND MADE BOOTS & GAITERS. Women's strong lined Shoes. Childrens fine GOAT SKIN TIPS. We pay the highest CASH PRICE FOR HIDES. M. F. GOVAN & Co.

New Books and Fancy Articles FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE. H. A. SMITH WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BOOKSELLER & STATIONER. 113 Broad Street, Rome, Ga. HAS JUST RECEIVED a splendid line of "Christmas and Holiday" GOODS, bought for CASH at PANIC PRICES, and will be sold for a very small Advance for Cash.

J. S. KELLY, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND Notary Public. O. FORD, ALABAMA. Courts hold the first Monday in each month, except December and June, in which two months the Court is held on the first Tuesdays. July 16, 1873.

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WYLY HOUSE, South-east Corner Public Square, Jacksonville, Ala. THIS House is located at the old Forney corner. It has recently been fitted up for a general Hotel. The traveling public are respectfully invited to give us a call. It is our pride and intention to make it one of the best Hotels in the up country, and we will use our best endeavors to make every one comfortable and their stay pleasant while with us. Feb. 14, 1874-4c.

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Constitutional Convention.

The question of holding a Constitutional Convention is exciting a good deal of interest at present, in the minds of the people as well as members of the Legislature. Our correspondent from Montgomery doubtless gives a fair synopsis of the arguments used both for and against the policy of providing for holding a Convention at this time. From this it is manifest that the arguments used against holding a convention are both weak and untenable. It is almost universally admitted that necessary reforms, and wise and just legislation is very much hampered and in some respects totally prevented by the present Constitution. This being the case, the first question to settle is whether it is cheaper and better to attempt amendment by the legislature or a convention. It is contended by some of our wisest Statesmen that the work could be accomplished more speedily and cheaply by a convention than by amending the time of the Legislature, and it is certain the work would be more thorough and perfect. To patch up a defective Constitution is like mending an old garment with new cloth, by which the rent may be made worse. We would advise those democratic members who are afraid to submit the question to the people, lest a majority might be against them in the next election, or their motives and purposes misconstrued at home or abroad, to adopt Crocker's motto, "Be sure you are right, then go ahead." We have never known an individual or body of men to gain anything by taking counsel of their fears, instead of being governed by principles of duty and justice. A farmer would not be contented with a wife who would fall to plant through fear of a future unfavorable season; and it would be useless for a party ever to elect a majority, if they fail to act through fear that their majority could not be retained. It is certainly not democratic to refuse to submit the question of a change in the organic law to the people. They can vote for or against at little cost or trouble. If they vote against, then it is all right; if they vote for, then they have a right to have their will carried out.

The committee sent by Congress to investigate the condition of affairs in Louisiana, have reported the exact opposite of what a Radical Congress wished and expected to hear. They report after the most full and fair investigation, public and private, no lawlessness on the part of White League or any other class of citizens. No irregularity, or frauds in the election, except on the part of the Returning Board, whose action in turning out Conservatives fairly elected and declaring in Radicals not elected, they declare to have been "arbitrary, unjust and illegal." They further say: "As a whole we are constrained to say that the intimidation charged is not borne out by the facts before us. No general establishment of Republican voters was established. No colored man was produced who had been threatened or assaulted by any Conservative because of political opinion, discharged from employment or refused employment."

In other respects the report is equally contrary to what they expected. It reminded us of Balak trying to get Balaam to curse the Israelites. But Congress has sent back another committee. They ought to tell them this time exactly what they must say. Sheridan calls the intelligent, decent and respectable conservative population banditti. He would have come nearer the truth if he had said the whole government was in the hands of a banditti, and that he wanted authority to try, condemn and execute all who would not bow the knee to the Radical Bawl.

FROM THE CAPITOL.

MONTEGOMERY, Jan. 18, 1875. The General Assembly has done but little this week. The death of Hon. R. H. Erwin, Senator from Wilcox County has produced a gloom that is felt by all. On Friday the House and Senate adjourned without transacting any business, out of respect to the deceased, and on Saturday but little else was done in either House, other than the pronouncing of eulogies. Dr. Erwin was the speaker pro tem. of the Senate, and was a universal favorite with all who knew him, and his death produces the most profound sorrow. During the time he was in the Senate the bills were made in the Senate the bills were solemn and impressive. Frequent tears were but dry eyes in the chamber. The white as well as the negro members bore testimony of the good qualities of the distinguished dead, and all seemed anxious to pay respect to his memory. A democrat, he was elected from one of the most radical districts in the State. A negro will in all probability fill his place. Our majority in the Senate however is so large, being now more than two-thirds, that this change will not affect the complexion of the body.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

The subject of calling a Constitutional Convention is at this time exciting the attention of all. The arguments pro and con are discussed in every circle, and great anxiety is felt upon the question. It is argued by those who favor calling a Convention, that the Constitution under which we now live is so framed that it prevents healthy legislation on any of the most vital interests of the State; that it prevents the abolition of many useless offices; that it prevents a change in the time of holding the State elections from the same time as the Federal elections. This last is considered the most potent argument, as it is claimed that Federal interference will always prevent a fair election by the people. Grant, it is asserted, intends to run for a third term, and he will use boycotts as his

used them in Louisiana, to further his aspirations, and gratify his ambition. It is also argued that the public schools consume too much of the revenue of the State, and that no change in the amount given to the schools can be had unless we are rid of the Constitution. To sum it all up, it is argued that the risks of the democrats in losing the State in 1875 is greater than the failure of the people to vote a new Constitution during this year.

Those opposed to calling a Convention all agree as to the necessity of a new Constitution, but say that it is impolitic and hazardous at this time to make the attempt, as a failure would prove disastrous to the party by reason of the expense incurred in the election, and the possible failure to ratify the Constitution, should the Convention carry. It is also argued that it is doubtful whether a majority of democratic delegates could be elected to the Convention. The people might not come to vote as they did in the last election, when so many interests were at stake, and the result might be similar to that of 1872. It is said a good election law can be passed by the present General Assembly, and the Federal election separated from the State by compelling electors to vote in their own beats. Alex White's bill before Congress, it is proper to say here, which will doubtless become a law, allows electors to vote for members of Congress in any County in the District in which they live.

The large fund paid by the State in support of public schools can be reduced by the payment of a lower rate of interest upon the trust fund of \$2,806,378 30 held by the State for the use of the public schools. There are those who say that many men will object to a Convention for fear that the present exemption laws may be changed, and that in the election the debtor class will be arrayed against the creditor.

It is said too that the calling of a Convention will put the argument in the mouths of our enemies north, that we are still rebellious, and intend to deprive the negro of his rights, while this charge would be untrue still the bare fact stands out that we want to change the present Constitution which gives him his rights. Altogether it is deemed extremely hazardous to call a Convention at this time. The advocates of a Convention propose to avoid many of the objections by declaring as a part of the democratic policy, their intention to make no change in the exemption and other laws that might cause a division of sentiment among the white people.

It can be safely set down however, that a majority of Democratic members at this time favor the calling of a Convention, and unless a change in the minds of members occurs, the question will be submitted to the people.

THE RESTRICTING BILL.

Is dividing interest somewhat with the Convention question. The committee appointed to consider and report a bill upon the subject fail to agree. Congressional aspirants it is asserted allow their wishes to override the people's interests. This charge may be untrue, but it seems impossible for the members of the committee to come to an understanding. It is likely we will be thrown in the same District with Talladega, and that we will lose Madison. Without any Gerrymandering, it is certain that by a judicious division of the Counties, the democrats can certainly carry six of the districts—leave the seventh to be fought for, and surrender the eighth without question to the negroes. It is a great mistake the Democratic party has made in this State in the past, that they have failed to exercise their power when they had an opportunity. If we were to give our opponents four out of the eight districts, they would claim that we had gerrymandered, and would fight just as hard if we gave them four as if we gave them but one. We have the power now, and ought to learn something from the enemy, who has never failed to freely apply the good when he has had us under the yoke, and come up to the full measure of our duty and the expectations of the people.

THE REVENUE BILL.

Comes up every day in the House, but I fear that it will take two or three months to pass it, if no greater progress is made than in the last week; up to this time, but two sections have been adopted, and there are about 150 sections more to be considered. Mr. Grant of Calhoun, while the bill was under consideration on Saturday, gave notice of his intention to move an amendment taxing Sleeping Car Companies in this State \$3,300.

FROM THE CAPITOL.

MONTEGOMERY, ALA. Jan. 19, 1875. The House has gone to work as if they intended to do something. A large number of Senate bills were considered today and passed. No bill of general importance has been passed since my last letter. Among other bills today passed by the House, which has already passed the Senate, was a bill to punish County Superintendents for embezzlement of funds. The Board of Education at its last session passed a law requiring county Treasurers to pay over to the county Superintendents the funds paid them by Tax Collectors. It was to protect these funds that the present bill was passed.

SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Another bill was passed, making the separate estates of married women liable for tuition of children, in the same way as for contracts for necessities for the support of the family.

COUNTY OFFICERS FEES.

The bill amending various sections of the Code, reducing the fees of County Officers, when it came up in the House, created considerable excitement. A number of members were on their feet in a moment, with motions to amend the provisions of the bill. It was suggested, that members were opposing a measure about which they knew nothing. The bill had not yet been read by the Clerk, except by its caption. The amendments were finally all withdrawn, the bill ordered to lie on the table and 150 copies ordered printed. It is evident the bill will not pass in its

present shape, should it pass at all. A number of members from poor counties, who were there as honest officers who have been driven from the more wealthy counties, where the Radicals are in the ascendency, stated that the fees received by their officers was largely sufficient to pay the balance of duties imposed upon them by law.

REVENUE BILL.

This bill has not been under consideration for two days; other matters thrusting it aside. It will come up to-morrow at 12 M., in the afternoon, or may be one more session, but will be adopted.

CAUSE OF DELAY.

Our friends must not become restive because legislation does not progress more rapidly. The constitutional title which requires a bill to be read three times, on three different days, cannot be suspended to allow the bill to pass from their stony seats. On Monday, Woodruff and Co. sent Charlie Street to the press office with \$500. Having the package he joined James Booth at Graham & Co's. about 10 o'clock. They arranged the plan for the day, and intended to go to New York via Savannah. They had no definite idea what they were going to do when they had exhausted their funds. The next day, we slipped out, but they reported that they were in New York. They had no definite idea what they were going to do when they had exhausted their funds. The next day, we slipped out, but they reported that they were in New York. They had no definite idea what they were going to do when they had exhausted their funds.

THE MAKE CASE.

The Supreme Court to-day decided that Mrs. Luke an alien, could bring suit in her own name against Calhoun County for the murder of her husband by disguised persons, although the Legislature has reserved to the State the right to sue for \$5,000 against the county, the Supreme Court decline to pass upon the effect such action of the General Assembly will have on the cause, as the Supreme Court's jurisdiction is not merely advisory and the case goes back for another trial.

Letter from Montgomery.

FROM REGULAR CORRESPONDENT OF MOBILE REGISTER.

MONTEGOMERY, ALA., Thursday, January 23, 1875.

On last night your correspondent called upon Governor Houston for the purpose of ascertaining his views relative to the recent action of Sheridan and his soldiers in electing from their seats legally elected members of the General Assembly of Louisiana. The Governor, always courteous in his manner, expressed a willingness to give his views on the subject, and said, in reply to the question: "The action of Grant in the recent Louisiana outrage." "No fair minded man can view the entrance of troops into the Legislative halls of any State, and the forcible expulsion of its members, as a legitimate right of conquest, or as a necessary consequence of a palpable outrage. The constitutions of the States generally—and it is so of the State of Louisiana—provide that each house of the General Assembly shall be the sole judge of its own qualifications of its own members. The interference by the military authorities of the United States in the organization of the General Assembly or in determining who constitute its members, is a violation of the very first principle of the Constitution of this government."

A GRAND RAFFLE.

On Friday the 5th day of February, Mr. C. A. Sprague will raffle off his valuable and very desirable place, which adjoins the corporate limits of the flourishing town of Anniston or Woodstock. The place is valued at, and is fully worth according to our best information \$3000. Six hundred tickets will be sold at \$5.00 each. Already two hundred of these tickets have been engaged in advance and the remainder will no doubt be taken long before the time set for the drawing. The scheme presents a hundred times better chance for a prize than the lotteries of the day. The raffle will be conducted perfectly fairly, under the management of a disinterested committee. The Raffle will be made by throwing dice, each person throwing for himself if present. Parties holding tickets who are not present may name some one to throw for them or in the absence of such arrangement their numbers will be thrown by some disinterested person selected by a committee appointed for that purpose. The throws will be made in regular order from 1 to 600 according to the number on tickets.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

OF REAL ESTATE.

UNDER and by virtue of an Order of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, State of Alabama, made on the 4th day of January, 1875, I will, as the administrator of the Estate of Samuel M. Williams, deceased, sell to the highest bidder, On Monday the 15th day of February, 1875,

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

OF REAL ESTATE.

UNDER and by virtue of the power vested in me, by the Probate Court of the County of Lawrence, Georgia, do hereby sell, as Administrator with the will annexed, said Lawrence Brooks, deceased, sell to the highest bidder, On Monday the 1st day of February, 1875,

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

OF REAL ESTATE.

BEFORE the Court House door, in the Town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, within the usual hours of sale, the following described real estate, to-wit: Town Lots 78, 79, 80, known as the McAllister Lot, good building and beautiful residence. Lot No. 86—Sunny South Office—good two story frame building, four rooms, Lots 79 and 80, known as Crawford Shop Lot—good two-story frame building, last two lots on Main street, and near the public square—both good locations for business. Lot No. 85, of the east side of Main street and only three blocks from the public square—unimproved, but has beautiful frontage, either for business or residence, with two unimproved lots lying north and adjoining the premises purchased at moderate price. Also lot No. 68, known as Stevenson lot, and 23 feet off of Lot No. 85 in rear of 68, except 11 feet off the west side of 68.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

Calhoun County Probate Court, Jan. 18, 1875.

This day called S. Nabors, Guar. of Lucy D. Nabors, and filed his statement, accounts, vouchers and evidences, for an audit settlement of said estate. It is ordered that the 13th day of February, 1875, be appointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

J. F. Walker, In Justice Court, vs. W. A. Glover, Plaintiff, J. P. T. W. Horton, J. W. Smith, J. P. W. A. Glover, Garnishee. IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that but was commenced by attachment, and levied by serving writ of attachment on W. A. Glover, it is further appearing to the Court, that the said Defendant is a non-resident of this State, and resides in the State of Georgia, Post Office at Memphis has surrendered to the State the endorsed bonds of 10,000 a mile, and having issued to him in lieu thereof straight State bonds \$4,000 for every \$10,000 surrendered. The time for filing a return to the writ of attachment has expired, and it is ordered that the writ of attachment be set aside, and that the writ of attachment be set aside, and that the writ of attachment be set aside.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

All persons indebted to J. M. Carroll & Co., to Carroll & McCain or to J. M. Carroll, are hereby notified, that if they do not come forward promptly and make settlement of their debts, their names and accounts in the hands of an officer for collection. J. M. CARROLL. Jan. 16, 1875—4t.

CHOICE SEED OATS FOR SALE.

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TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE Grand Jury that reported, request to all parties who claimed to be creditors of the late J. W. H. STEVENSON, to bring suit in the County Court. If by doing the duty would be speedily paid, and the County put to rest. If any creditor, please apply to H. L. STEVENSON, Sol. Jan. 16—4t.

RELIABLE TESTIMONY.

It cannot be reasonably supposed that a person testifies in the efficacy of a remedy whose benefits he has experienced, without solicitation, that he does so for the purpose of misleading the public, or from any other motive than that of gratitude. It is still more unreasonable to suppose that eminent physicians would corroborate the evidence thus given unless they were persuaded of its truth. The proprietors of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are constantly in receipt of voluntary testimonials acknowledging the curative and preventive efficacy of their tonic and cathartic, emphasizing not only from their own personal influence, but also from well known members of the medical profession, both here and abroad, who have witnessed its effects, and prescribed it in their private practice. In the face of such evidence as this, to which the widest publicity has repeatedly been given, it would be absurd to question the medicinal virtues of the Bitters. Skepticism upon this point was long ago banished, and they are today as much respected and far more widely known than many of the official remedies which figure conspicuously in the pharmacopoeia. They are universally recognized to be the supreme remedy for indigestion and remittent fevers, dyspepsia, liver complaints, general debility, disorders of the bowels and nervous system, as well as a means of fortifying the system against malarious influences and those which operate injuriously upon the sensitive organs. Whether used as a remedy for actual disease, as a means of building up the weaker down physique, or of hastening convalescence, they are never resorted to in vain, and they restore complete health when prescribed remedies cannot even initiate its recovery.

FOSTER'S SECOND TEXAS GRAND PRIZE CONCERT.

At Houston, Texas, March 8, 1875.

\$200,000 00 In Gold Coin, Choice Lands, Farms and city Residences. Among the Prizes there will be \$25,000 in GOLD. The Real Estate is put in at its actual value. Capital Prize, \$10,000 Gold. COMMENTARY—"Having, from our long acquaintance with J. E. Foster, every confidence in his integrity, and justified in saying we believe he will carry out his Distribution honestly and fairly. Signed by the Mayor, Hon J. T. Wilson, and the City Council. This old and reliable paper, the Houston Telegraph, which rarely condescends to notice individual enterprises, says of the first Drawing: "Not even the most captious and suspicious person could object to the manner of the drawing. It was fair, honorable and equitable. The committee and recorder were of our very best citizens, and rigidly gave their time and labor to the superintendence of the drawing, or rather did the actual labor of it." "Capt Foster has acted honorably and fairly throughout, and the management of this enterprise. While some money has been made by the venture in all probability, yet the property given as prizes has only netted a fair price, and the profit is only an exchange of the property for cash." That staunch democratic paper, the Houston Age, has the following: "THE COMMITTEE of gentlemen was one of the best that could have been selected by the audience. Hon D. H. Barziz, who supervised the drawing, is our present Representative, and one of the most popular men in the district."

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CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate, on the 11th, Mr. Clayton moved that the senate proceed to the consideration of his resolution calling upon the secretary of war for the report of Maj. Lewis Merrill, etc.

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In the Senate, on the 12th, the committee on finance reported favorably on a bill declaratory of the nineteenth section of the act of 1874, to amend the customs revenue laws...

In the Senate, on the 13th, Mr. Sherman presented a memorial of national banks in Tennessee for amending the law in relation to the tax on national banks...

In the House, on the 13th, the house went into committee on the Indian appropriation bill, which appropriates \$4,855,507.

Among the problems of geographical science still remaining unsolved is that regarding the sources of Irrawaddy, the great river of Burma...

INSIDE AND OUTSIDE.

They wear the finest falls in the rich man's home to-night. On the picture hanging against the wall, And the stiller light is bright.

I think as I listen along the street, Of the beautiful home above, Where the rich and the poor alike will meet, And share in the Father's love.

Compiegne. A writer on social life in Franco under Napoleon III, says: "Whatever the ulterior ideas of the guests, there were few pleasant country houses than Compiegne."

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SUMAC.—The Scientific American says: Sumac is largely used in tanning the finer kinds of leather, especially in the manufacture of harnesses.

The Barmid. The following is from Emily Faithfull's paper "Women and Work": "The stronger desire of smart, respectable young women to obtain the place of barmaid behind a counter is a fact which is not generally recognized."

WHAT IS MANURE?—Any thing which, when being applied to the soil, causes it to produce a more abundant crop, is called manure.

KEEP THE HOGS OUT OF THE WATER.—A correspondent of the Colonial Farmer, whom the editor declares to be a practical breeder, writes that he has tried the best advantage a pasture is needed of green grass—clover, blue grass and timothy—and it is best if there is no running water or stock ponds in the lot.

PAPER IMITATION OF LEATHER.—A most deceptive imitation of leather is made from paper, and is now being used for book covers and other purposes.

SULPHUR IN ICELAND.—Immense beds of sulphur have been discovered in Iceland. As the Italian mines have, according to the last accounts, become nearly exhausted, the new deposits will effect a material change in the sulphur trade.

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