

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Five dollars cash for announcements under this head, except in case of Commissioners, which announcements are made for three dollars, cash.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. MARTIN as a candidate for Representative of Calhoun County.

FOR STATE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce L. W. GIANT as a candidate for State Senator for the 7th senatorial district, composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne.

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent the people of the 7th Senatorial District—composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne, in the next State Senate of Alabama.

We are authorized to announce JAMES M. SHELD as a candidate for State Senator for the 7th Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne.

FOR PROBATE JUDGE.

To the people of Calhoun County: I take this method of announcing to the people that I shall be a candidate at the next election for Probate Judge in this county. I do not enter into this election as the representative of any political party, Democratic or Republican, but stand upon the platform of Independence, and in asking for the suffrages of the people, pledge myself that if elected, I will faithfully, honestly and zealously discharge the duties incumbent upon me to my official capacity.

J. W. A. DE ARMAN.

We are authorized to announce L. W. CANNON as a candidate for Probate Judge of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce John Y. HENDERSON as a candidate for Probate Judge of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce A. WOODS as a candidate for Judge of Probate of Calhoun County.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce A. O. STEWART as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce W. J. SCOTT as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce B. J. MATTHEWS as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce GEO. L. BROWN as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce ALFRED M. MORGAN as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County, if elected, I will serve the people promptly.

C. T. READ.

We are authorized to announce P. J. CLARK as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

the arts of the mechanic. This is not right, nor just. The laws were made to punish the guilty and not the innocent, but under the present system it is the honest laboring man who suffers by reason of the competition as well as the convict himself. We are opposed to the present system on another distinct ground, and that is its inhumanity. Any body who has read the expose before the Georgia Legislature of the convict labor system of that State, cannot but recoil at the bare recital of the facts. How much more terrible must have been the actual experience of the unfortunate men who had to endure it. If the curtain were raised and the system exposed in this State, we doubt not the details would sicken the heart.

Well what shall we do with them? In the iron mines they come in competition with honest labor. In the Penitentiary they come in competition with the handiwork of honest labor. What must we do with them? Put them on the public highways of the State, and with their labor construct permanent and enduring roads and other works of public benefit. In this they do not come in contact with honest labor, but they relieve honest labor of a burden and are a benefaction. If the public has suffered by their crime, the public is benefited by the expiation of that crime. These crude suggestions we merely throw out now. We may at some future time discuss the subject more elaborately.

The Liberal Republicans of the North are organizing clubs to defeat the election of Grant in event he is nominated for a third term, and invite the Democrats to meet them in the choice of a man. We have received a circular letter embodying their plans. The Democrats tried these Liberal Republicans before when we took up Greely, but they did not pan out worth a cent. We hope the Democracy will not be drawn into any more alliances with that wing of the Republican party. Let us nominate a sound, Constitutional Democrat, and these Liberal Republicans can vote for him if they desire, and will vote for him if they are sincere in the fears they express that Grant's election means the Empire.

FROM TABERN CREEK.

Ed. Republican. Well Lon, being that this is a year for elections generally, and we the people of Calhoun (as well as every other county in the State) need a revision of the laws, and a reduction in taxes, I think it would be proper and right for us to commence looking around for some one to represent us in the House of Representatives. As for my part and the honorable wishes of all who I have talked to on the subject, we need a man of good sound practical judgment, (politics or no politics.) Therefore there are but very few men of this status, but I think we have a man that will fill the bill, and I further more say that this end of the county is entitled to the next Representative. Therefore we select William A. Wilson, knowing him to be a man of all the qualifications desired, and one that will ever fight for the rights of his constituents. Let us elect him.

KNAUF SIRRAH.

A CALL. Numerous friends are solicitors for Mr. Horace Stevenson to represent Calhoun County in the next General Assembly.

- W. H. DEMOCRATS: G. E. Cunningham, Sulphur Springs. H. W. Gault, Oxford. F. M. McCullers, Oxford. M. T. Clements, Oxford. A. H. Humphries, Oxford. W. F. Bush, Alexandria. M. T. Humphries, Oxford. Jas. T. Barton, Oxford. G. T. McCluskey, Weavers' Station. H. L. Jeffries, Aniston. T. H. Renfro, June Bug. I. G. Rice, Aniston. J. B. Clark, Alexandria. W. F. Jordan, DeArmanville. E. C. Ercek, Aniston. Monroe Eastes, Aniston. D. P. Williams, Oxford. N. S. Grant, Oxford. T. H. Clements, Alexandria. W. Adams, Aniston. W. W. Browning, Oxford. Buck Wright, Oxford. E. B. Hays, Oxford. S. W. Douglas, Oxford. W. J. Johnson, Beat 4. S. D. Harrison, Beat 4. Wm. Kiker, Beat 4. E. W. Loyd, Alexandria. D. D. McCann, Aniston. V. Mayfield, Alexandria. W. B. Castleberry, Aniston. A. L. Hinds, Beat 4. John Loyd, Aniston. A. B. Truss, Aniston. and others.

The following is the list of Grand and Petit Jurors for the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, which begins the first Monday in April.

GRAND JURORS.—1st week. Joshua Draper, Sr., J. J. Skelton, William Landers, S. W. Crook, S. S. Love, J. K. Douglass, B. P. Byrum, H. T. Francis, W. R. Arkride, Robt. McCain, Jos. N. Hood, D. S. Black, J. J. Young, G. B. Skelton, J. R. Graham.

PETIT JURORS.—1st week. I. L. Johnson, John C. Craig, John P. Mann, J. O. McPherson, W. C. W. Whiteside, C. W. Brewton, J. M. Hagler, L. Ferguson, S. J. Stevenson, M. G. Chaffy, H. S. Parker, J. V. E. M. Clark, Calvin Woodruff, J. T. Pearce, B. M. Clark, Robt. Bradley, Geo. D. B. M. Clark, Abner Farmer, John F. Coe, Wm. B. Garver, T. H. Arnet, S. L. Mays, W. M. Cochran, J. P. Whitelock.

PETIT JURORS.—2nd week. William Yowell, D. J. Clark, J. F. Davis, E. C. Dickson, W. E. Mellon, Geo. A. Brittain, B. H. Demman, Thos. I. Weaver, Charles Martin, J. L. Hendrick, R. M. Hanna, D. D. Nabors, J. Stephens, A. J. Kerr, W. M. Neal, J. W. Whitehead, G. W. Roundtree, J. M. Yeatman, Harvey Bawterwood, O. Hester, W. B. Downing, J. B. Smith, R. K. Brothers, Joseph Borden.

"Sir," she said, and the music of her voice thrilled the ear; "sir, is this seat engaged?" He looked up at the ceiling of glowing and clustering curls, eyes, marble and clustering curls, and he answered: even the master's heart warred toward the lovely girl, the latest victim of his manly charms. "Oh, certainly not," he said, and his brow was a study of grace for the steam man; "oh, certainly not, you are entirely welcome, I shall only be too happy."

lines. On the Death of Major John Pelham. Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori. He is gone—the gallant, the noble, the true. With the tribute of worth, from his enemies drew. From the first Manasses, every thought, every breath. Was devoted to country till glorious in death. He is gone—on this day as the sun sinks to rest, With the skies all brightens in the gold-tinted west— Flow on, Rappahannock, thy billows shall pour, The hero's requiem to Chesapeake shore. He is gone—from the first post of honor, From the field of his glory—the foe he defied, Ere his spirit was wafted to realms of delight. His face with the proud flush of victory was bright. He is gone—the fond youth so honored and beloved. By his comrades, to whom ever faithful he proved, By the Boy, whose smiles of approval he had won. The Generals, the nation, her chivalrous son. He is gone—dear Virginia on thy noble soil. With soul bent on this mission, thy foe man to foil— That life as if charmed, so many dangers and in the hey-day of promise, was yielded at last. He is gone—as the patriot most had desired "On the battle field of victory," thus he expired. "To the charge, boys!" he said, and with eye beaming bright, At the missile of death in its swift winged flight. He is gone—let's avenge him! let's avenge our chief! The life-blood of our foe man must assuage our grief. Let us imitate virtue which showed so in him, And cherish the fame which time cannot dim. Note.—In his purse was found folded away a little slip, to which he had never made allusion, on which was written by a U. S. Officer, once his companion and friend, these words: God bless you dear Pelham, I am proud of your success.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Precinct No. 8. To J. D. Miller: The Tax Collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and upon which taxes are due; and the following lands are reported as delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: N. W. q. of S. E. q. of Sec. 7, T. 13, R. 9, 40 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said land should not be made for the amount of \$5.41 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6, 1880, 3t.

COTTON PLANTERS.—The undersigned has on hand a large lot of the celebrated Jeter Cotton planter and Masure distributors, and is now ready to supply orders. CHAS. MARTIN.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Precinct 8. To Owner unknown: The Tax Collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: Cherokee boundary line, being North part of said N. W. q. of Sec. 5, T. 13, R. 9, 65 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$16.75 and charges thereon, due for the State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6, 1880, 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Probate Court Special Term March 1st, 1880. Elizabeth Brown dec'd Estate of, Final Settlement. This day came S. D. McClellan administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Brown dec'd, and filed his statement and accounts for a final settlement of his administration. It is ordered that the 31st day of March 1880 be appointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest said settlement if they think proper.

J. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6, 1880, 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Probate Court Nov. 3rd 1879. Wylee Woodall dec'd Estate. Letters of administration upon the Estate of said decedent: having been granted to the undersigned on the 3rd day of Nov. 1879, by the Hon. J. W. Cannon, Judge of 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 allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

J. J. WOODALL, Administrator. March 6, 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Loving Martin Dec'd Estate of, Final Settlement. This day came Charles Martin as administrator of the estate of said decedent, and filed his statement and accounts for a final settlement of his administration. It is ordered that the 31st day of March 1880, 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.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6, 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Precinct No. 6. To owner unknown: The Tax Collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: N. E. corner of N. E. q. of Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 9, 270 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$9.40 and charges thereon due for State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6, 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Precinct No. 12. To owner unknown: The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: N. E. corner of N. E. q. of Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 9, 270 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$9.40 and charges thereon due for State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6, 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Precinct No. 5. To the heirs and Representatives of the estate of Salina Veitch dec'd. The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: N. E. corner of N. E. q. of Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 9, 270 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$5.30 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

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L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 7th, 1880, 3t.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Precinct No. 4. To Owner unknown: The Tax Collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: Part of the S. E. q. of S. E. q. of Sec. 32, T. 16, R. 7—5 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said land should not be made for the amount of \$5.72 and charges thereon, due from you and county taxes.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate.

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L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6th 3t.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Prec. No. 16. To the heirs and representatives of the estate of James B. Alexander dec'd. The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: James B. Alexander to wit: Prec. 22, Sec. 36, T. 12, R. 10, 54.33 acres. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$11.50 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6th 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Prec. No. 13. To J. F. Timberlake. The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: 3 lots in Oxford. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$6.72 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Prec. No. 8. T. A. J. West. The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: 3 lots in Oxford. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$6.72 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Prec. No. 12. T. A. J. West. The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: 3 lots in Oxford. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$6.72 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6th 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Prec. No. 12. To owner unknown. The tax collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers, and of real estate upon which taxes are due, you are reported as a delinquent, and the following lands are reported as assessed to you, to wit: 3 lots in Oxford. This is to notify you to appear before me on Monday the 12th day of April, 1880, then and there to show cause why a decree for the sale of said lands should not be made for the amount of \$6.72 and charges thereon, due for State and county taxes and costs.

L. W. CANNON, Judge of Probate. March 6th 3t.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County, Prec. No. 12. To owner unknown. The tax collector has filed in my

In Journey has been elected. A girl. My candidates are called, but my chosen.

Thank Mr. Pilgrim, Jackson, first-class baker, for an ent cake.

hop Quintard did not preach in the pulpit last Sunday, owing to the fact that he was sick of a sore throat.

very brief visit to Weaver's in some ten days ago revealed us an astonishing amount of movement going on in that live

J. A. Callahan has moved down and established a harness and saddle business. His family occupy the house next to the one known as the Stevenson prop-

were pleased to meet in our Wednesday Mr. T. S. Gray, Wm. Gray of this county, who has been living for some years in Mississippi, but returned in January to his father's and expects to call on his future home.

the Spring comes the meetings and Grange Picnics would be a very pleasant to have a soldier's re-union at Calhoun again. What say you who loved their country, and shared a common danger? There is nothing like be-coming a candidate or his starts out with the idea he will run into office on the sed defects of his opponents than on his own inherent ability and competency, he is a man for voters to defeat. The and honest thing for a can- didate to do is to stand on his' re- sults if he has any.

Willis Lankford, an old and tried citizen of this county, the misfortune to have his horse burned down a few nights ago. His wife was awakened by a light and arose to see what had happened, when she found the horse had burned almost to the bone, and the dwelling was on fire. She awoke too late to save

A meeting of Alexander Grange will be held on Saturday, March 27th, at 10 o'clock, at their hall in Alexandria. Members are expected to be present, as business of great importance will be transacted. The final disposition of the property is to be considered. A basket dinner will be served. By Order of the Grange, EMMETT F. CROOK, Secretary.

The following item has been secured for publication and is well for the colored man. Martin McCain (colored) aged 65 years, has been with Robt. McEwen, ever since he (Martin) was eight years old. He has ten children, owns two good horses, a buggy, household and garden furniture, plenty of produce and some corn to sell.

the foundation for the new cot- tage at Anniston is complete. We hope soon to see the walls up. This will be one of the best factories in the South when completed, and Messrs Noble and McEwen deserve great credit for their enterprise in this direction.

It will be a direct blessing to this city, giving as it will work- ing wages to hundreds of women who with difficulty find any- thing to do by which to earn a livelihood.

Mr. Porter preached for the people of Jacksonville Sunday morning, and Monday and Friday. He made a fine impression on all who heard him. He is highly cultivated, and has a full voice that is very pleas- ing to the ear. His style of oratory is easy, his language is chaste and often in the pursuit of his subject he rises to the height of grandeur. He was the guest of relative, Dr. C. C. Porter, here. We were pleased to see him more than once during

erased our expenses on this head just one third. We now pay out three dollars to where we paid out two before the rise, and as we pay cash as we go, we will necessarily need more money than formerly. To get this we must depend on those who owe us, and we hope not to be forgotten.

The Jeter Cotton Planter and Manure Distributor is one of the best labor-saving agricultural im- plements we know of, from all reports we have of it. It does the work of four hands and two horses and saves its cost very soon in cotton seed. Those who have bought territory are making money out of it. As the planting season is now approaching, this is a good time to buy.

A little child, some fourteen or fifteen months old, of Mr. J. W. A. Dees, near Abernathy, came very near being drowned recently. Its mother having missed it at once began to search when, to her horror, she found the little one in a mud-hole lying motionless on its face. Its head was almost entirely covered with mud and water. The mother picked it up and carried it to the house, a distance of about fifty yards, during which time she could not discover any sign of life. Thinking of the way she had heard her mother tell how she knew a drowned person brought to life she laid her little child on a lull side with its head down the same and commenced to turn it to and fro when it emitted water through its mouth and nostrils and at once, to its mother's great joy, began to struggle for breath. We are en- titled to say that the child has en- tirely recovered and is now as port as ever.—[Clatskanie County Clarion

Thomasville Enterprise: An old negro was killed by an alligator on the river in Worth county, one day last week. His name was Martin, and he was so old that he was quite deaf. Our informant states that he had been out some time, looking for a cow that he had lost, and coming to the river bank sat down upon a stone to rest. The al- ligator was a few feet off and made a rush upon the defenseless old man, struck him with its tail, knocking him down, seized him by the head in its powerful jaws and bore him into the water.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The jury in the case of Babe Bedford, Sandy Binn and Edward Quean, charged with the murder of George P. Hirth, on the evening of the 7th of January last, by hitting him on the head with a stone tied in a handkerchief and kicking him after he had fallen, also with robbing him of a gold watch, a ring and a small sum of money, came into Court this morning, and rendered a verdict of guilty as indicted.

On Friday evening, Miss Leina, residing on Capital Hill, while on her way to St. Joseph's Catholic Church, was accosted by a man, stammered and carried her to an open lot by a negro, who outraged her, robbed her of a satchel and prayer book. It was nearly two hours before she reached home. Her throat was black with the choking, and her body was covered with bruises. She lies in a critical condition. A negro named Thomas Smither was arrested yesterday and was recognized as her assailant. At midnight about one hundred men went to the Seventh District Station House and demanded the prisoner, but he had been removed to another station and was guarded during the night by the entire reserve police force.

The old soldiers of both causes are about equally represented in Congress, there being 38 Union men and 61 Con- federates. The high scores 12 G. no. 1s, 13 Colonels and 37 of other grades; the 22d, 17 Generals, 22 Colonels, and 22 of other grades—the honors being thus singularly even.

Calhoun College, MALE AND FEMALE, JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

THE SIXTH SESSION of this Institution will commence on the second Monday in Jan., 1880, and continue five months. EXPENSES PER SESSION. Primary—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Primary Arithmetic, &c. \$10 00 Intermediate—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Ele. Gram., Primary Arith- metic, Mental Arithmetic, Ele. Geo- graphy, Ele. History, &c. 15 00 Academic—Practical and Commer- cial Arithmetic, Practical Eng. Gram., Philosophy, Rhetoric, History, Geo- graphy, &c. &c. 20 00 Scientific—The Sciences, Latin and Greek Languages, the Higher Mathematics, and all the branches usually taught in our colleges, 25 00 Music—Instrumental—Piano or Or- gan, 25 00 Dictionnary—Reading and Declamation by the pupils, on their own essays. No shows, exhibitions nor concerts tolerated in connection with the school. B. Thorough and rigid examination at the close of each term. Those pupils, and those only, are wanted who are fully determined to comply cheer- fully with the regulations of this Insti- tution and who are willing to work earnestly and zealously as they are directed. Board in good families at from \$8 to \$10 per month. For further particulars address W. J. BORDEN, Principal.

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NOTICE. The Board of Education will meet in Jacksonville the fourth Saturday in this month. All persons expecting to teach during this year, are expected to be present, for examination; except those who have unlimited license. Township Superintendents are earnestly requested to be present. G. BRYANT RUSSELL.

SPRINGVALE STOCK FARM. JAMES CROOK, BREEDER OF Thorough-bred Merino Sheep, Angora Goats, Herd Registered Jersey Cattle, Berkshire and Essex Hogs, JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

NOTICE NO. 188. U. S. LAND OFFICE AT MONTGOMERY, ALA. Jan 17th, 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: William Soovorn, Homestead Entry No 8364 for Fraction of Section 22 and Northeast q. of Northwest q. of Northwest q. of Northeast q. of Section 27, Township 13 South, Range 11 East and names of the following witnesses, viz: Wilson P. Howell and Eabeh F. Davidson of Cleburne County, Ala.

PELHAM J. ANDERSON, Register. Jan. 17 5w.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE. Joseph A. Jones vs Henry Clews. Whereas Joseph A. Jones having applied to the undersigned as Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Calhoun and State of Alabama, after having made the affidavit and given the bond prescribed by the laws of Alabama, for the recovery of the property of Henry Clews and having obtained the attachment against the property of Henry Clews to the next term of the Circuit Court of said County and State, and whereas it is made to appear that the said Joseph A. Jones is a resident of said County and State, and the said Henry Clews is a resident of the City and State of New York.

Now therefore this is to notify the said Henry Clews that said attachment has been issued, and levied on the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 12, the West half of the Northwest quarter of Section 13 and the East half of the Northeast quarter of Section 14 all in Township 13 of Range 11 East in the Coosa Band Dis- trict of said State of Alabama, is now pending before said Circuit Court, and that if the said Henry Clews does not appear at the next term of said Circuit Court at the time and place of holding Court at the time and place of holding Court, to wit: on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1880 in the town of Jack- sonville, Alabama, then and there to answer to the complaint of the said Joseph A. Jones, Plaintiff in said at- tachment, judgment will be rendered on said attachment, and he is conclusive against the said Henry Clews as if he were present to answer and defend the same; and that upon said judgment ex- ception will issue, order of sale be made and other and further process in relation thereto, be had as the law in such case made and provided, may direct author- ize or require.

Witness my hand this 13th day of January, A. D. 1880. G. B. DOUGLASS, Clerk. Jan. 17th 4t.

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SYMPTOMS OF WORMS. THE countenance is pale and leaden- colored, with occasional flushes; or a circumscribed spot on one or both cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupils dilate, an azure semicircle runs along the lower eyelid; the nose is ir- ritated, swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swelling of the upper lip; occasional headache, with humming or throbbing of the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva; fony or furred tongue; breath very foul, particularly in the morning; appetite variable, sometimes voracious; with a gnawing sensation of the stom- ach, at others, entirely gone; feeting pains in the stomach; occasional nausea and vomiting; violent pains throughout the abdomen; bowels reg- ular, at times costive; stools slimy; not unfrequently tinged with blood; belly swollen and hard; urine turbid; respiration occasionally difficult, and accompanied by hicough; cough sometimes dry and convulsive; uneasy and disturbed sleep, with grinding of the teeth; temper variable, but gener- ally irritable, &c.

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Undertakers Notice. Mr. Jno. H. Crawford having re- moved from Jacksonville, the un- dersigned, at his request, will in the future keep on hand Coffins, Metallic cases and burial Caskets, and will assist on burial occasions as Mr. Crawford did while in the undertaking business here. J. A. WEAVER. Jan 4-3m

REMOVAL. A. M. LANDERS. Has recently removed his Family Grocery, Bar and Billiard Saloon to the store rooms formerly occupied by Whiteman and Christ- kill. In the front room he has a choice line of

Family Groceries of all kinds, both staple and fancy, cigars, tobacco, &c. In the rear room is the bar, which has been fitted up and furnished with the best liquors in market. The billiard table has been placed up stairs in a large and comfortable room where gentlemen can enjoy a game free from interruption. Respectfully, A. M. LANDERS. Jan 2nd 1t.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL. FEMALE ACADEMY BUILDING. Mrs. Ida Woodward will open at the Female Academy, Monday, January 12th her school for chil- dren, and will continue the session five months. TERMS.—Spelling Reading and Mental Arithmetic, \$1.00 per month. Higher classes, \$1.50 per month, payable at the end of each month.

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This is to certify that Dr. A. J. Kerr has been treating my eyes for one year, and they are much better—infact they will get entirely well. Cheerfully recommended his treatment to the public. J. F. DAVIS.

This is to certify that Lucinda McDowell's eye became affected by loss of sight four or five years ago, and remained so, till three or four weeks since, when she went under the treatment of Mr. Andrew Kerr, and in six or eight days afterwards she could see with that eye as well as ever. WASHINGTON WILLIAMS. I certify that this is a true statement with regard to my daughter. JNO. W. McDOWELL. Dec. 26th, 1877.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Etowah County, Feb. 7th, 1879. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This is to certify that my grand-daughter, Nancy Griffin, was afflicted with sore eyes for three years, to such an extent that she could scarcely see to go about. Six months ago Mr. A. J. Kerr came and took her un- der treatment, and to our astonishment, she could soon see to thread the finest needle or do any kind of eye sewing. I heartily recommend Mr. Kerr's medicine to any per- son similarly afflicted. Given under my hand, day and date men- tioned. W. W. HARRISON.

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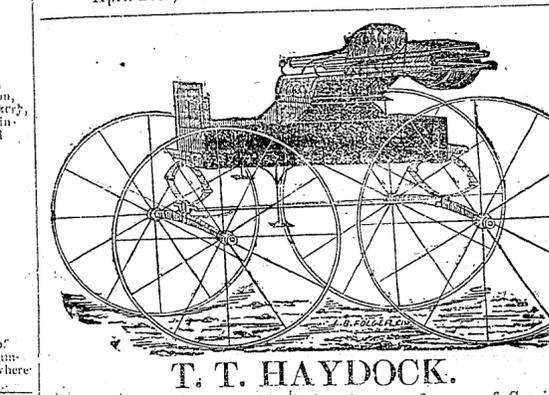
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AT REST.

Once more the ripened year unfolds Her pennons, gold embossed; And where the grand oaks, tempest tossed Lift up bare arms, communion holds With Him who thus a bound has set For human longing and regret.

While blessed Rest, in slumber deep, On drooping eyelids lays a hand, And spreading white wings o'er the land, Bids stars eternal vigil keep 'Till sleep's sweet influence shall restore The earth to fruitfulness once more!

Thus the full year so lightly rounds Her finished need of work, and stands Eminent, though her folded hands Assures us that all peace abounds, And past all longing and regret Is the fair goal her soul has set.

How different we! We tremble and stand On our grave's brink and cringing cling To all the transient hope which fling Their awful lights along the strand, And 'till our star of life has set, Cheat us with longing and regret!

Oh! of everything Divine— Dear Nature—draw us closer yet, And us where no vain regret Can enter, till we find our bliss, And when we shall meet Death face to face!

The Widow's Wiles.

Paul Carroll was one afternoon sitting listlessly on the porch of the "Farmers' Inn," when his friend Harry Coleman, there was a hearty greeting; each had surprised the other by his selection of this rustic retreat.

"Come!" said Coleman, "tell me who she is. Some rustic beauty? I'll venture, with cheeks like blush-roses." "Ha, ha!" laughed Paul. "Did the greasy-eyed monster inform you that I was trespassing on your rights?"

Harry, with a mischievous twinkle in his eyes, answered: "I have run down to the solicitation of a little cousin of mine. Come, get off that hunting regalia and I will present you to the sweetest little cousin in the world."

Paul drawled listlessly: "Well, anything for a change!" Good-natured Coleman was used to his friend's manner, and only quickened his pace when once they had started. They approached the farm-house as the twilight deepened.

"Good evening, gipsy!" said Harry, raising his hat. "You see I have kept my word." He hastened towards the old swing gate to receive the merry greeting awaiting him, then said, gaily, "I found my dearest friend at the inn, and have brought him with me. Miss Jardine—Mr. Carroll."

Paul opened his keen gray eyes a trifle wider to discern the young girl in the "swallow-tail" and the young man in the "faded blue," who had so harmoniously and musically chattered to her as he had said. This much he did hear, as she tripped ahead, leaning on her cousin's arm, and talking in an undertone: "I detest that dearest friend of yours! He has shot all my pet squirrels."

"Ha, ha!" laughed Coleman. "Yes, he is a cruel fellow; look out for him." Well did Anna Jardine remember those warning words! The family and visitors formed a pleasant group. Paul tried his best to define the peculiar charm of the girl. She avoided him; that he knew, and there was a novelty in the fact. She was young and cultivated, not beautiful, but with a presence bewitching and piquant. She seems abstracted, not entering into the general conversation; but as she raised the shy brown eyes there was a language in them that entered his heart.

One by one the rest strolled out. Paul walked to the piano and, turning over the music, found the popular songs of the day. "Will you sing, Miss Jardine?" he said, almost impudently. Without a moment's hesitation she complied with his request. The sweet contralto, with its soul stirring pathos, was too grand for common-place thanks.

remained inscrutable. He murmured, "Her coldness is worth a legion of smiles." Glendening thought it singular that any woman could receive Carroll so coolly, and took renewed interest in thinking what the result of this spur to the mettle of the man would be.

The grand ball of the season had reached its height. It grew more, particularly to Mrs. Carroll, who had recognized the rival of her girlhood. Now Paul was bending over this bewitching woman, and she sang to him once again. She threw off the icy exterior, for "vengeance is sweet." She had not forgotten that one dinner-party, when the shy, brown-eyed woman came between them.

It was all so like a dream to him—the white hand resting on his arm, and the cool, well-handled hand, which she fluttered so prettily. They had wandered from the house. He led her to the shady nook in the vine-wreathed corner, where the moon's rays lay like silver bars.

In her seeming embarrassment she tore the rose leaves from their snowy-resting place; he did not note the glance and the scorn that swept her features as the white teeth bit the red lips. He was enchanted again.

Paul took the remnant of the mutilated rose, thanking her for this relic. Her silence was broken by sobs, and if a mighty power in smiles, which danger in her tears! She said, with averted face, "Too late for relics! You are another's, and this interview must end."

She turned to go. Paul, with pallid face and luminous eyes, besought her not to leave him without a word of hope that she could love him still. "I will answer you to-morrow at the park," she replied.

A silent figure, which seemed like statuary among the odoriferous evergreens, the dead whiteness only relieved by the lace scarf, glided away, and Anna Carroll clasped her hands in agony.

The weak man and wicked woman kept their engagement. He said, in significant tones, "I have come to hear your answer." Her eyes kindled in triumph, and, with an uplifted glance, she replied, "If you possessed my love two years ago, you have it now intensified a hundred times! But, ah! you are beyond love's reach."

A single horseman just then approached with a dangerous light in her usually shy eyes. Paul's wife. "May I have a word with you, Paul?" she asked.

He walked slowly by her horse's side. Quietly she drew from her finger the golden circlet, saying, "Take it back for ever and ever!"

He thought of the anger of the previous evening and, in order to avoid a scene, replied: "We will talk about this hereafter." Without uttering a word Anna dashed from his side.

Paul returned to a deserted room, and as he read his wife's farewell missive his heart was touched; and he started to follow her, meeting on his way the woman who had come between them.

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His First Drunk.

I am sixty years old, and never got drunk till day before yesterday," remarked old Uncle Jesse White, as he sat on a salt barrel in front of a grocery store. "I have lived in Arkansas for forty years—cum here from East Tennessee—and the thought that I got drunk in the evening of my life, when I can just see my gray hairs shining in twilight, is enough to make me throw myself into the river."

"But how it occurred, Uncle Jesse," asked a bystander. "Well, some time ago, up in my neighborhood," and he stopped talking—and drew his pipe vigorously to see if the fire was out. "All the Good Templars' lodges was organized. 'A young' people in the community joined, and pretty soon they came after me. My son Ike was the 'leadin' man, and he says to me, 'Pap, I want you to jine this thing.' 'Ike,' says I, 'I don't know the taste of liquor, and I don't see the use of jinin'.' 'Pap,' says he, 'we want your influence. We are going to vote on the local option law pretty soon, and we want you publicly identified with the work.' Then my daughter Susan, she come around and begged me to jine. 'Susan,' says I, 'you never seed your old father take a drink.' 'No, pap,' said she, 'but we want you to help us to frown down the curse of intemperance.' Next our parson come around and sot my wife on me, and when they all got to drummin' I had to jine. 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TEACHERS.
Teachers, who have limited time, and who expect to teach the school year, are requested to meet the first Saturday in the month for the purpose of being

G. B. RUSSELL,
County Superintendent.
Montgomery Advertiser
The trial of Dick Richards, comes on in city court

This is one of the most interesting cases to be tried at this time of the court, and as there is a number of witnesses to be called, no doubt the court will be kept some time on the case.

An ill wind that blows no good. It is said in this country that several millions of more or less were drowned in the river, by the overflow of the water, and he saw hundreds of these pestiferous animals in one of the large crosses the river on Monday

at 9 o'clock, yesterday morning, Mr. Bramlow, an old man of this city, accompanied by a little boy, went up the river

guard in the rotunda of the House in Maine declares he saw the full length portrait of Washington wink one of its eyes. The guard then gathered

western man, having lost his horse, was accosted by a sympathizing friend, who remarked upon his woe-begone appearance.

Neill, one of the original body-shirers, who hung several years of Missouri during the war without cause or warrant, was most unanimously rejected by the Senate as Marshal for the Western District of Missouri.

SELLOH.
A Sermon.
The Lord appeared again, in Shiloh. 1 Sam., III, 21.
Shiloh is henceforth to be one of the names in the history of the Confederate States. With it will be associated with those other names, "dedicated from the Holy Scriptures, Bethel, Manassah, the idea of victory—God

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that led to it, and anticipate henceforth and rest, and peace. We said, it is Manassah, and now we will forget our toils and the wrongs we have suffered in what we were accustomed to call the loss of our fathers. And alas for us! Manassah did cause us to forget, too guiltily, that our strength and dependence were in God. In our exultation we forgot our trust, in our pride we forgot the humility which God loveth. Too much like the fourteenth king of Judah, who was named Manasseh we set up idols in the temple of the Lord and worshipped in our own making. Like him too, we have been scourged of the Lord by the hands of our enemies and driven for a season out of at least a portion of our rightful territories. And like him too, I trust many of us in our calamities, have renounced our false dependencies, repented of our wanderings, renewed our allegiance and covenant with Him, and regained His protecting favor. May we never again cause us to forget as he so graciously repudiated our God.

And now we have Shiloh. There are two prominent philological meanings which the learned have given to this name. We will dwell for a little upon both, hoping that we may find in either a good omen for our cause. One meaning insisted upon by many critical authorities is, "The Desired." "The Asked for or Longed for." The other is, "The Beautifully appropriate." This meaning of the word "Shiloh" to us. It is the desired, the longed for. This victory we have been praying for earnestly, devoutly, tearfully, in the closet, at the family altar, in the church and in our daily prayer meetings. He who heareth the cry of His children, hath listened in pity to our importunities and hath given us Shiloh—war, peace and a connection between the prayers of God's people and the victory we have gained. Why do we pray if we do not believe it? We may not be able to trace the cord which prayer casts up to encircle the arm of Jehovah, and then draw down its might on the head of our oppressors. Its end may fly beyond the scope of vision, be lost in the distance which big game pierces. We are content with the effort and we see the results, and we will be contented to remain in ignorance of the intervening processes and agencies. There are arachnid insects which are said to be capable of spinning a long slender thread out upon a curved limb of a tree, thus forming a ladder upon which they creep. We have like power our desired position. The burdened heart throws out its cords, which wafted upward by the Spirit's breath, fasten themselves upon the hand of God, and draw us up to Him or draw that hand down to us. All over this land, Christians have prayed in penitence earnestness, have gotten hold of the arm of Jehovah, and brought it down upon our enemies heads. What we longed for has been granted. We prayed for it and God has given us Shiloh—the desired, the asked for. What an encouragement to beg for still greater favors. We need more interpositions of God's hand. He is trying our faith and perseverance. Will our humility and profound sense of dependence stand the test of victory? Oh! I shall not be encouraged, faith-strengthened by attaining the longer for, implore larger mercies to us. Let us not fail to acknowledge his interposition and give Him the glory—but the more faithfully walking in His commandments and, clinging to His strength, press on to the great end desired and longed for.

But the study of learned expositors has discovered another meaning of the name. They call Shiloh, "The Tranquilizer." "The Calmer." "The Great Author of Peace." May we not hope that in this sense, Shiloh may be the beginning of a series of successes, which shall bring peace to us. It is a sad illustration of the ruin wrought by sin that man never attains peace but through strife. Even the innocent child must have its struggle with death, before entering upon the rest of life. The convicted sinner must pass through a desperate warfare for himself before he can know the peace of God. The Nation has gained peace only through battles. Though this may not be the battle that shall result in peace to this convulsed Nation, yet there must come a battle which will decide the great contest. With or without Shiloh—the precursor of peace. I cannot require many such battles to convince our enemies that their ambitious and tyrannical purposes are impracticable; that they must settle these controversies as prudence and wisdom would have settled them at first without violence and murder. We are fighting for peace. We want peace for ourselves and we are anxious to live in peace with our neighbors and the world. Oh! what joy it would bring to our suffering and distressed land, if this etymological significance of the name Shiloh, could be answered, and that bloody battlefield prove the Pacificator from which should issue the negotiations which sooner or later must come, that shall result in the recognition of our inalienable right to self government, in the cessation of hostilities and the restoration of peace. We hail with joy the auspicious which this name suggests, and will pray that they may be fulfilled.

With these remarks suggested by such auspicious names, let us pass to a more particular discussion of the text. The Lord appeared again, in Shiloh. It is first implied that the Lord had appeared before. "Again" involves the idea of a previous revelation of Himself. This was true as it related to the history of Israel, and again had Jehovah manifested Himself to them His favor, so often forfeited by their rebellion and guilt. So has it been with this Nation. Infinitely beyond our deservings has the Lord revealed to us His favoring mercies. Our remorseless enemies, confident and boastful of greater numbers and superior resources, have been reluctantly compelled to admit over again the divine-miraculous. "The battle is not always to the strong." God has appeared for us; and our marshalled forces, contemned and ridiculed as too few and weak for effective resistance to such numbers and might—as dissolute and ragged and ignorant and miserably armed—more held the brazen fog at bay for more than a year. Through God's favor, we have driven His effeminate and quipped armies from many a battle field, and at this hour, had they in check at all their selected points of assault. We cannot attribute these mercies to greater numbers, to ampler resources, to more effective implements of war, to superior drill and discipline, for in all we have been inferior. To what then shall we attribute the victory? The text is the answer—"The Lord hath appeared" for us.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.
Joseph A. Jones vs Henry Clews.

Whereas Joseph A. Jones having applied to the undersigned as Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Calhoun and State of Alabama, after having made the affidavit and given the bond prescribed by the laws of Alabama, for an attachment against the property of Henry Clews and having obtained the same returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court of said County and State, and whereas it is made to appear that the said Joseph A. Jones is a resident of said County and State, and the said Henry Clews is a resident of the City and State of New York.

Now therefore this is to notify the said Henry Clews that said attachment has been issued, and levied on the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 12, the West half of quarter of Section 12, the West half of the Northwest quarter of Section 13 the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 14 all in Township 11 S. Range 3 East in the Coosa Land District of said State of Alabama, is now pending before said Circuit Court, and that if the said Henry Clews does not appear at the next term of said Circuit Court at the time and place of holding of the same, to wit: on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1880, on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1880, then and there to answer to the complaint of the said Joseph A. Jones, Plaintiff in said attachment, judgment will be rendered on said attachment, and be as conclusive against the said Henry Clews as if he were present to answer and defend the same; and that upon said judgment execution will issue, order of sale be made and other and further process in relation thereto, be had as the law in such case made and provided, may direct authorities or require.
Given under my hand this 15th day of January A. D. 1880.
G. B. DOUGHTY, Clerk.

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L. A. WEAVER.
Jan 4—8m

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Has recently removed his Family Grocery, and Billiard Saloon to the store rooms formerly occupied by Whitehead and Driskill. In the front room he has a choice line of
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Respectfully,
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This is to certify that Dr. A. J. Kerr has been treating my eyes for one, and they are much better—think they will get entirely well. Cheerfully recommend him to the public.
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This is to certify that Louinda McDowell's eye became affected by loss of sight four or five years ago, and remained so till three or four weeks since, when she went under the treatment of Mr. Andrew Kerr, and in six or eight days afterward she could see with that eye as well as ever.
WASHINGTON WILLIAMS.
—certify that this is a true statement with regard to my daughter.
JNO. W. McDOWELL.
Dec. 26th, 1877.
STATE OF ALABAMA, TROYAUX COUNTY, Feb. 7th, 1879.
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JUST ONE LITTLE SONG, LOVE.

JOAQUIN MILLER.

Come, sing that song I loved, love,
When all life seemed one song;
For I am stricken now, love,
My strong arm is not strong.

These are the days I loved, love,
You know that one sweet song.
Aye, sing that one sweet song, love;
Love, just one little song.

Love, just one little song, love;
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Love, just one little song, love;
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A Sarcasm of Fate.

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A very elegant looking letter lay in little
Minnie Velsor's hands—a letter that bore a
delicious perfume of violets—a letter ad-
dressed in a fine flowing hand and the en-
velope of which was stamped with an in-
tricate monogram, that, unless Minnie had
known, she could never have deciphered as
Mrs. Paul St. Eustace Carriscourt's initials.

The girl's small, pretty hands grew just
a trifle cold and trembling as she took up
the letter to open it, because so much, oh,
so much, depended upon what was in the
letter; because it either meant a new, in-
dependent life, in which she would not only
earn her own living, but very materially
assist in taking care of the dear boys of five
and seven, or it denoted her to the old tire-
some routine, out of which Minnie felt at
times she must fly.

Mrs. Velsor looked up from a stocking
she was darning, and said nothing, seeing
the nervous glow in Minnie's eyes. Then
with a little, half-desperate laugh, the girl
took over the thick satin envelope.

"It's almost like an ice-cold plunge bath,
but here goes, mamma!"

She hurriedly read the short, friendly
note, and from the quick tears that gathered
in her eyes, and the smiles that bloomed
upon her cheeks, it was quite plain that
the news was good news.

Then she dashed the letter on the floor
and rushed over to her mother, and kissed
her, laughing and crying at the same time.

"Oh! mamma! Mrs. Carriscourt has
given me the position, and she wants me to
come immediately—five hundred dollars a year,
and she assures me I must make myself per-
fectly at home in her house; and she says I am
to have a room to myself, and to eat with
Pauline and Pauletta, in the nursery. Oh,
mamma, it will be just glorious! Aren't
you glad, delighted?"

Her blue eyes were dancing, and her
cheeks glowing like a rose leaf.

Mrs. Velsor's sweet, sad voice was in
such odd contrast to her child's eager, ani-
mated tones.

"How can I be delighted to have you go
away from me, dear? Besides, I am so
afraid you will not realize your vivid anti-
cipations. The outside world, which seems
to you so rose colored and golden, will not
be what you think."

"Oh, mamma, what a Job's comforter
you would be! But how can I help being
happy—perfectly happy, except being away
from you—in New York, in a magnificent
house, among people of wealth and distinc-
tion, among people of whom I have heard
my only cure? Mamma, I will ride with them,
I can't make myself perfectly at home,
the letter says, and you remember what a
charming lady was thought Mrs. Carriscourt
was, when she was visiting Doctor Mans-
field last summer?"

Mrs. Velsor sighed softly. It seemed so
cruel to pour the chill water of disappoint-
ment on Minnie's bright hopes.

"Well, dear, perhaps you are growing
eager as I grow older, and now, to descend to
deserve a fair fate, and now, to descend to
see if you can't make yourself perfectly at
home in her house, and you remember what a
charming lady was thought Mrs. Carriscourt
was, when she was visiting Doctor Mans-
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The third day thereafter—a day fragrant
with the smell of frost in the air—a day
when the leaves sailed slowly, stately down
through the tender, golden atmosphere, and
the lush of mid October was over, and the
earth and sky, Minnie went away from
the little cottage where she was born
and lived, into the world waiting to
receive her—all her girlish hopes on gas-
tated wings, all her rosiest dreams burst-
ing in fondest realization.

It was a splendid place, Mrs. Paul St.
Eustace Carriscourt's palatial residence on
Fifth avenue—a house that seemed to Min-
nie's fancy like a translation of a fairy
story, with its profusion of flowers and lace
draperies, its luxuries and elegance, of
which she had never dreamed, and of whose
uses she was equally ignorant.

Mrs. Carriscourt received her with a
charming graciousness and patted her on
the shoulder, and told her she hoped she
would not let herself get homesick and in-
stalled her in her beautiful little room, with
its pink and drag-in carpet and chest-
nut suit, and dainty curtains at the win-
dows.

Then Minnie made some trifling little
alterations in her toilet, and proceeded to
take literal advantage of Mrs. Carriscourt's
invitation to make herself at home in the
great, beautiful parlor below, where she
found a charmingly sweet, quaint little pic-
ture, as she sat nestled in a large silk
chair, the color of the roses on her cheeks,
and at which, Mrs. Carriscourt looked
on in astonishment, imperious disdain,
and Mr. Geoffrey Fletcher in undisguised
admiration, as the two entered the room at
the farthest entrance.

"By Jove, what a lovely girl! Who is
she, Miss Carriscourt?" he asked in a tone
of unusual interest.

Cleona's black eyes looked unutterable
ange: from Minnie to Mrs. Carriscourt.

"What on earth is she doing here,
mamma? Is she crazy?"

Her sharp, cutting tone was distinctly
heard, as she intended it should be, by
Minnie, who flushed painfully as she rose,
venturing just one glance at the haughty

Concentration of Mind.

JOAQUIN MILLER.

Dr. Potter, a few days ago, before the
Sanitary Reform Association, of New York,
explaining the difficulties which he had
in concentrating his mind on his studies,
when surrounded by the noise and confusion
of a badly built or ill-ventilated schoolroom,
made use of a singularly happy expression.
He spoke of those physical "adjustments,"
the exact meaning of which most people
who work with their brains and pens can
not thoroughly understand. It is quite
certain that the surroundings of a literary
man, when he is at his work, have some-
thing to do with the facility or difficulty
with which his labor is accomplished. A
spluttering pen, viscid ink, greasy paper,
a rickety table, an uncomfortable chair, are
often obstructions to successful composition.
They are mechanical "obstructions," physical
derangements, which, constantly recurring,
check the free flow of thought. The ab-
solute work to be done, even when success-
fully accomplished, is at the expense of a
certain amount of extra labor. It has of-
ten been told, what are the peculiar sur-
roundings under which some distinguished
men have accomplished their literary work.
One author would write in a study, a
candlestick, the candle in which never was
lit was on his table; another had to have a
dish of water, though he never was known
to use any; a third never could pen a line
unless a pot with geraniums was placed on
or near his writing desk. As to the material
to be used, it is said that one of the
most famous modern French novelists
never would have written a romance if a
maker of a peculiar paper with blue lines
had stopped manufacturing. These are,
of course, mental idiosyncrasies to be
laughed at, and might be called special ad-
justments. Taking, however, Dr. Potter's
broader view, and applying it to the lower
classes, we all know the method employed
in training convicts to give a stroke of
muscle. They are enclosed in a dark cage
and piped to. All outside disturbing in-
fluences are withheld. It is absolutely cer-
tain that in teaching children, in drawing
to a point the focal powers of their brains,
all extraneous disturbances, as far as possi-
ble, should be removed. With the adult,
however, it is a mistake to suppose that
physical adjustments are such necessities
that no serious continued work can be ac-
complished when he is not in harmony with
his surroundings. No one is idiotic en-
ough to despise the quiet library, the
baize-covered table, the morocco-covered
chair, the silver standish, the pet pen, the
handkerchief, the glass, the pencil, the
candle, the lamp, and the carefully ad-
justed light. But such delightful adjuncts
we do not all enjoy. Perhaps the news-
paper office, with its thousands of inter-
ruptions, its usual disconcerting surround-
ings, would be the best place in the world
to teach a man that these physical adjust-
ments can be at times entirely dispensed
with.

The menhaden fishery of this country is
the largest of its kind in the world, and is
only exceeded in importance by the cod
fisheries. The herring family is represented
on the Atlantic coast by ten species, all of
which swim in immense schools, and several,
such as the sea herring and the shad, are of
great economical importance. In abun-
dant and native to the coast of New England,
Connecticut by long fish. In western Con-
necticut the species is commonly known as
the white fish, while in New York the
familiar name is mossbucker, a relic of the
Dutch colony of New Amsterdam. The
other names are alewife, bay alewife, pilcher
and green tail. Virginia gives it the name
of the big fish, but shad and blue fish are
the names used in the Chesapeake Bay, and
the Chesapeake contains parasitic crustaceans in
their mouths. The parasites do not live on
the fish, but taking possession of every
open mouth, devour the food as it passes
through the fish's gills. In North Carolina
the name is fat back, which prevails as far
south as Florida, and where it is also heard
under the name of yellow tail and yellow
shad, while in southern Florida the fish is
called shiner and herring. It is deemed im-
possible to indicate the movements of the
menhaden with certainty. With settled
weather they make their appearance in the
inshore water, usually preceding the
shad and blue fish a week or so. The
first schools usually appear in Chesapeake
Bay in March or April; on the coast of
New Jersey, in April or early May; on
the south coast of New England, in late
April and May; off Cape Ann, about the
middle of May, and in the Gulf of Maine,
the latter part of May and the first of June.
Returning, they leave Maine late in Sep-
tember and October, Massachusetts in De-
cember, and November and December, Long Island
Sound and vicinity, in November and De-
cember; Chesapeake Bay, in December and
Cape Hatteras, in January. Further to the
south they remain more or less constantly
throughout the year. Their northern range
has become restricted within twenty years.
Forty years ago they were caught in Im-
portant schools in St. John's Bay, N. B., and
sometimes in great numbers in the Bay of
Fundy. They are now seldom seen there.
In 1879 there was a great change in the
limits of their northern range. In July
more than forty steamers resorted to the
usual fishing grounds north of Cape Cod,
where the catch for the season was ex-
ceeded one hundred barrels. The capture of
this amount from the fish from this old haunt
is the first instance of the fish resorting there
since the latter, as no one advances the theory
that the menhaden are being exterminated,
and they are vastly more abundant on this
coast. The absence of food, the presence
of an enemy in their old haunts, or the dis-
turbance of the atmosphere of the water, would
drive them to new ones. It has been sug-
gested that the presence of considerable
numbers of blue fish north of Cape Cod may
be the cause of the menhaden's absence, but
Professor Goode disputes it, on the ground
that the presence of great schools of blue
fish among menhaden does not have the ef-
fect of driving them away. At the time
that blue fish were most abundant, there
was no perceptible diminution in the num-
ber of menhaden. The change of tempera-
ture is accepted as the most plausible
theory, and the Professor is of the opinion
that they go off into the sea, under the Gulf

Down Hill in a Stage Coach.

JOAQUIN MILLER.

A woman's halt on the summit and the
downward trip begins. The horses relieved
of the weight which has dragged so heavily
from the beginning set into a strong gallop,
evincing a confidence in the brake block
which occasions do not always justify.
The road is frightfully steep, and so sinu-
ous that oftentimes the way in front seems
barred beyond passage. The coach dips
and careens from side to side and a strong
grasp upon the seat is necessary to prevent
being dislodged into the depths below.
The dropping of the brake block lends an
additional interest to the ride. Thence-
forth wheelers and leaders are launched
into a terrific race for life. With dilated
nostrils and ears well back, the frightened
beasts know that flight is their only safety,
and strongly they plant their feet into the
hard and often icy road. Jehu keeps them
well in hand, holds the reins close up to
their work and plies the vigorous lash to
the leaders. So long as his steeds keep
their feet, he knows he can control the
movements of his stage, but if one goes
down, a frightful disaster is almost certain.

Down the rugged road the coach plunges—
now grazing the solid wall of the
mountain, and now plunging on the very verge
of the brink—that appalling evidence of
the narrow line between life with all its
hopes and aspirations and death with its
cheerless uncertainty. A few moments
and the studded growth of hardy ever-
greens struggling for life amid the chaos of
loosened rock appears, announcing the
approach to farther and the road grad-
ually loses its perpendicularity, corduroy
bridges threaten to demolish the quaking
vehicle; the horses slacken their pace;
the way widens; vegetation assumes a
larger growth; birds of broader wing,
more varied plumage and wider range of
song dart from tree to tree; stunted grass
and yellow and late autumn flowers
grew the happier faces to the landscape;
the driver slowly and carefully draws rein,
and one passenger, at least, indulges in
silent thanksgiving. But it is a grand, ex-
citing, magnificent ride any way, and every-
body should take it once, at least, in a life
time.

An Inseparable Pair.

A Duke of Savoy, who made some pre-
tensions to the city of Geneva, sought to
gain it by surprise; he sealed the walls in
the night, but his success was not equal to
his wishes. The alarm being given that a
great number of besiegers had mounted the
walls, the citizens ran to arms and repulsed
the enemies, who were too weak to resist
them. Those who fell into their hands
were led to an ignominious death. Among
the number of the prisoners was an officer
who had particularly distinguished himself
for his valor. The news of his misfortune
being carried to his wife, she flew to the
place where her husband was to perish,
and demanded to embrace him for the last
time. They refused this favor, and the
officer was hung without her being per-
mitted to approach him. She, nevertheless,
followed the body of her husband to the
place where it was exposed. She there
seated herself by the melancholy spectacle,
and remained without taking any nourish-
ment or suffering her eyes to be abstracted
from the object of her affection.
Death, which she had waited for
with impatience, came at last, and closed
her eyes while she was stretched over the
dead body of her husband.

The proof of the pudding is in the
eating; says an old proverb, but it
almost takes away our appetite when
we see a "proof" of the waiter's
thumb on the edge of the dish.

Duty is the little blue sky over every
heart and soul—over every life—large
enough for a star to look down on the
clouds, and for the skyward Happiness
to rise heavenward through and sing in.

Beautiful things are suggestive of a
purer and higher life, and all us with
mingled love and fear. They have a
graciousness that wins us, and an ex-
cellence to which we involuntarily do
reverence.

A Big Mustard Plaster.

JOAQUIN MILLER.

Dr. Henry C. Chapman, Coroner's Phy-
sician in Philadelphia, Pa., whose genial
nature age has not withered, and whose lu-
dicrous variety of cheerful speech custom, has
anything but staid, rushed excitedly into
the drug store at the northwest corner of
Twelfth and Chestnut streets and cried in
peremptory tones:

"Give me three feet of mustard plaster;
and give it to me right away!"

The apothecary "with overwhelming
leaves" looked up from amidst his "green
carthen pots, bladders and musy seeds" and
said in a chafed sort of way:

"Sir?"

In this single word was expressed both
interrogation and surprise.

"I say," replied Dr. Chapman, "I want
three yards of mustard plaster, and I want
it just as quick as you can make it. Patient
is in imminent danger. Delay may mean
death."

"Three feet of mustard plaster? Good
heavens, Doctor, what are—"

"I said three yards, not three feet; at
least, when I said three feet I meant to say
three yards and I immediately corrected
myself. I think I mentioned the fact
that this was a case in which there was
no time to be lost." The Doctor was grow-
ing testy.

"But three yards of mustard plaster;
why, bless my soul! You wouldn't want
much if your patient was a hippopotamus
with the stomach-ache; surely, Doctor,
you don't really mean to say yards;
you must mean inches."

Dr. Chapman assumed an air of severity
becoming his professional dignity and
municipal office. He seethed on the verge
of expressing a forcible opinion forcibly.
There was a significant pause. Then his
severity faded away, his dignity relaxed
and he chuckled:

"The fact of the matter is," he said,
"one of the giraffes out at the Zoo has an
acute attack of bronchitis. His throat's
sore all the way down. That's what the
plaster's for. Now then, let's have it."
And then the puzzled apothecary saw
day-light and set about manufacturing the
largest mustard plaster that the world has
ever known.

A Spanish Dinner.

We returned to our hotel for another ex-
perience—that of a genuine Spanish dinner.
This harrowing theme is not to be avoided,
since life cannot be supported on catenads
and curiosities. To describe one is to de-
scribe all. The dining room has a bare floor,
seldom visited by spot of Castle or of any
other region, but the walls try to attract
your attention by hideous oil paintings and
photographs, and occasionally dingy gilded
columns support the ceiling. The table
linen is very coarse and rough and the nap-
kins are put in rings for further service.
The soup is generally good, because thick-
ened by a sort of pea, which some writers
says arises from a bean and very
nearly succeeds. This vegetable is sure
to appear three or four times in some form,
either in the dignity of a separate dish or
in comradeship with another. There are
seven or eight courses, the fish loitering in
at the third or fourth, and some of them
might be good but for the revolting pres-
ence of some untranslatable flavor and espe-
cially of garlic. This ill-timed plant does not
pervasively mix itself with all the viands it
can at least boast that it breathes upon
them. The young lady of our party ven-
tured to say that she did not really dislike
it, whereupon she was assailed with such
a storm of scornful incredulity that she
went straight over to the enemy's camp for-
ever, much to the disgust of her admirer,
cavalier. The *vino ordinario* of Spain
are agreeable and pure; the sweet dishes
were to us insoluble mysteries, usually to
be avoided; the fruits excellent, especially
grapes, which in October are abundant,
enormous clusters selling for two or three
sous. This is the land of chocolate, which
nearly usurps the throne of coffee; and
are served long frothy morsels of a mixture
of sugar and white of eggs of deadly sweet-
ness. The bread is always good; as to
butter, bid it a fond good-bye when you
leave France, for here no one eats it, and
if you make the attempt once, surely you
will never make it again.

Mrs. Oakley's Advice.

A woman chafes for her profession the
head of a household. Let her not enter on
it lightly. Properly viewed, it is the most
elevated of all professions. She has in her
hands the welfare and direction of a few
other people, but it is a work which cannot
be neglected. It is her duty to see that
her

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Five dollars cash for announcements under this head, except in case of Commissioners, which announcements are made for three dollars, cash.

FOR STATE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce L. W. GRANT as a candidate for State Senator for the 7th senatorial district, composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne.

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent the people of the 7th Senatorial District—composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne, in the next State Senate of Alabama.

We are authorized to announce JAMES M. SHED as a candidate for State Senator for the 7th Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce DUDLEY WILLIAMS as a candidate for Representative of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce J. D. HAMMON as a candidate for Representative of Calhoun county in the General Assembly.

FOR PROBATE JUDGE.

To the people of Calhoun County: I take this method of announcing to the people that I shall be a candidate at the next election for Probate Judge in this county. I do not enter into this election as the representative of any political party, Democratic or Republican, but stand upon the platform of Independence, and in asking for the suffrages of the people, pledge myself that if elected, I will faithfully, honestly and zealously discharge the duties incumbent upon me in my official capacity.

We are authorized to announce L. W. CANNON as a candidate for Probate Judge of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce John Y. HENDERSON as a candidate for Probate Judge of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce A. WOODS as a candidate for Judge of Probate of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce W. J. BORDEN as a candidate for Probate Judge of Calhoun County.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce A. O. STEWART as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce W. J. SCOTT as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce H. J. MATTHEWS as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce GEO. L. BROWN as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce ALFRED J. MORGAN as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county. If elected, I will serve the people promptly.

We are authorized to announce D. J. CLARK as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce J. H. FAIR as a candidate for Sheriff of Calhoun county.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce D. Z. GOODETT as a candidate for Tax Collector of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce WASHINGTON DICKIE as a candidate for Tax Collector of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce J. M. WEBSTER as a candidate for Tax Collector of Calhoun county.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce A. B. LEIBETTER as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. HENDERICK as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce LON FERGUSON as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce M. G. MAHAFFEY as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Calhoun county.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce P. D. ROSS as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce SPARTAN ALLEN as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce J. S. A. JONES as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Calhoun county.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce I. L. SWAN as a candidate for Treasurer of Calhoun county.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

The friends of J. DICKINSON announce him as a candidate for Commissioner of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce M. H. FOLBER as a candidate for Commissioner of Calhoun County.

The friends of H. GRIFFIN announce him as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce J. M. PATTERSON as a candidate for Commissioner of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce A. J. BROWN as a candidate for County Commissioner of Calhoun county.

We are authorized to announce J. P. WHITLOCK as a candidate for County Commissioner of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce W. J. (JONES) ADDRIOLT as a candidate for County Commissioner.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

I announce myself as a candidate for the honor of Justice of the Peace of the 1st Precinct, which I have no doubt of, I will discharge my duty to the best of my knowledge. GUSS HARLOW.

Hon. James A. Savage.

The Coosa River News has brought forward the name of this estimable and patriotic gentleman for Auditor of State, and the Cleburne Clarion has most heartily endorsed the suggestion.

It is an open secret that Auditor Brewer will not be a candidate for re-election, and we know of no man in the State, who has been mentioned in connection with the place, who would be a more fit successor to the accomplished Brewer than Capt. Savage. Of rare business qualifications, an unbounded personal popularity, unshaken name and stern integrity, he would adorn the place, if elected; and these very qualifications would operate to make his election a matter of State faction to the masses.

We most heartily support him for the position, and ardently desire his nomination. Calhoun will certainly start him off with her thirteen votes, and all this section of the State, where he is best known, will rally as a man to his support.

The Cleburne Clarion of the 10th gave Oxford and Anniston a first class notice, after the return of the local editor from a visit to those points. We intended to re-copy it in the Republican, but have mislaid the paper. We shall do so yet if Mr. Embury sends us a copy of the paper containing it, which we have written for.

A Card.

To the citizens of Alexandria, and vicinity, both white and colored: I tender my most heartfelt and sincere thanks for preventing my residence from being burned, and saving the contents of my kitchen on the 23rd inst.

But for their untiring and persistent efforts, my home would now be in ashes, and while there are some to whom I feel specially grateful for their bravery, I forbear personalities, for fear I should seem unappreciative of anyone's labor and kindness, for all did what they could, and to all I feel more grateful than I have words to express. E. J. DEAN.

Meeting of Co. Dem. Ex. Committee.

The Executive Committee of the Democratic party for Calhoun County, is requested to meet at my office in Jacksonville, on the 5th day of April at 12 m, for the purpose of calling a County Convention to elect delegates to attend the State Convention to be held at Montgomery in the 2nd day of June next, also to appoint delegates to the Senatorial Convention, to be held at White Plains, Ala., on the 22nd day of May and to discuss and agree upon such other business as may legitimately come before the Committee.

It is earnestly hoped that every member of the Committee will be in attendance. March 25th 1880.

Wm. M. HAMES, Chairman.

The Times that Tried Men's Souls.

The Cherokee Advertiser is publishing from its old files of 1861 reminiscences of the war. In its last issue we find the following letter from Manassas, written by a brave boy who believed that "One of our men whin ten Yankees," and that "We will conquer them," but at a great cost of life. What simple heroism! What sublime fealty to a cause! "It will cost a great many lives," perhaps mine, "but we will whip them." Bold boy, if you outlived the war, you were entitled to your country's gratitude, if the cause for which you fought was lost.

MANASSAS, Va., July 23, 1861.

Dear Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters: I embrace a few leisure moments this evening to write you a few lines to let you know how I am and how I am getting on. As for my part, I have no room to grumble; my health is good and has been ever since I left home. The last letter I wrote to you all, I told you that I would write to you again after we had a fight with the Yankees.

We left Richmond the 19th of July, for this place, landed here on Sunday morning and halted about one hour. We then started to the field of battle. We marched 5 miles, to a place called Bull Run where we met about 10,000 Yankees. We had a hard fight, the battle lasted seven hours and men fell on both sides. As for myself, I never got hurt. A musket ball struck me on the knee, it never hurt me. Two of our men were killed on the field—Tom May and Jesse Hunt—Jesse Stone wounded. We were shot in the head, and I was hit in the arm by a cannon ball. I was hit in the arm by a cannon ball, never hurt much; M. Kocell was shot in the abdomen, he was not hurt much; Lut. Johnson was killed dead; was shot through the head. I helped to carry him about one hundred yards. We had to throw him down. Col. Hampton was wounded slightly, and many others I will not mention.

The whole country is laid waste here, the people have left their homes, the fences torn down, free around the corn. Some places you would see hogs in pens fattening, the people all gone and fine gardens of cabbage and Irish potatoes all laid waste. I thought I knew something about the destruction of war but I never knew anything about it. I can't say any more to you all. Tell Mr. Sedberry, Logan has landed here. H. G. Johnson stayed all night with me a few nights ago. I expect Hegon Sedberry was in a fight last Saturday. I have not heard from them yet. We will start up to Alexandria to-morrow morning. I will get a chance to see all the boys from Cherokee county. Kid Johnson was glad to see me as if I had been his father, no wonder that I was to see them. I felt rejoiced when I met them. I get plenty to eat, having good coffee and sugar, and have been feeling well before we came on here. I can't say how we will fare on here, since we have not got among the Yankees. One of our men can whip ten Yankees. We will conquer them, I believe, but it will

cost a great deal of trouble and a great many lives. As for my part I never expect to get back home, but I intend to kill all the Yankees I can. We have taken a great many prisoners, they are fine looking men. You hear a great many say that the Yankees cannot fight, but you need not believe it, they have braved me down. Give my love to all the folks, and receive the same yourselves. Direct your letters to Manassas Junction, Va., care of Capt. Jay, Hampton's Legion.

THADEUS FREEMAN.

We are glad to see that the Hon. L. W. Grant, of Calhoun, is a candidate for the State Senate from the 7th District, composed of the counties of Calhoun and Cleburne. He was a member of the House of Representatives from 1874 to 1876. While there he was conspicuous for his ability, and the people of Dallas owe him a debt of gratitude for the many services rendered them by him. At that time the intelligence of our county was shut off from the legislative halls of our State. The manly stand which L. W. Grant took in our behalf will long be remembered. He would make an able and efficient Senator. The 7th District can do itself no greater honor than by sending him to the Senate.

Selma Times, March 21st.

THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.

The next General Assembly of Alabama, will have one of the most important and intricate questions before it that has ever been considered by an Alabama Legislature: We mean the relation of the railroad corporations to the State and people, together with the consolidation of the several railroads under one management. It is no use to disguise the fact or attempt in any manner to obscure the truth that the time has come when the exactions made upon the people by the railroads as to tariffs, and the privileges enjoyed by them must be regulated by positive law. If this thing is not done at once the titanic grasp that several railroad corporations have now upon the State will stifle all efforts for an independent prosperity. The influence and power that these corporations can wield upon the destinies of the State and prosperity of the people are such as to generate alarm in the mind of every thinking man. It is not our purpose to discuss in this article the evils threatening us from this source. We reserve this for some future time. Our purpose in writing this article is to call the attention of the people to the necessity of sending men of ability, integrity and courage as members to the next Legislature. Don't send a man there simply because he is a good, clever citizen. There never was any force in such a man in an emergency that demanded prompt, intelligent and decisive action. You must send a man who understands the needs of the people, who has intelligence to devise means to meet and satisfy those needs, and who has the moral courage, integrity and ability to advocate them under any circumstances. It is not the time to gratify the ambition of good, easy, clever and honest gentlemen. Such are good qualities, but not enough to make a legislator for the times.

Let our people consider this matter properly—in a business like manner, and select only competent men as their legislators. Every sensible man, when he has intricate and particular work to have performed selects the most competent, wise and able workman. Will our citizens exercise this right and faculty in electing their officials this year, and thus secure men who are able to protect them?

Gadsden Times.

To the Democratic and Conservative Party of Alabama.

A State Convention of the Democratic and Conservative party has been called to meet, at the city of Montgomery, on Wednesday, June 2nd, next, for the purpose of nominating a State ticket, selecting delegates to the National Convention and nominating Presidential electors. We have fixed the ratio of representation at one delegate for each two hundred votes; and one for each fraction over one hundred votes; cast for Governor at the last general election. Under this apportionment the convention will be composed of four hundred and forty eight delegates distributed amongst the several counties as shown by the table below.

We recommend the several counties to send delegates at the same time and place to nominate candidates for county officers and circuit judges. The conventions can exercise their discretion in either entrusting this authority to the delegates chosen by them to attend the State convention, or in selecting other delegates. In the matter of nominating candidates for judges the conventions will be held at Montgomery, as above stated, unless the District Committees for their respective Congressional Districts shall call conventions for other times and places, in which case the call of such committee will supersede the call we have made for this purpose. In the matter of nominating chancellors, as there are no committees whose authority is coextensive with the several chancery divisions, the nominations will be made as suggested by us.

In view of the important elections, State and Federal, that are to take place this year we feel it our duty to earnestly recommend that great care be taken in the selection of delegates and nomination of candidates, so that the nominees of our party shall not only be honest and capable, but that they shall be the real choice of the party. We know that there are honest differences of opinion amongst the members of our party in respect to the manner of choosing delegates and candidates; the adoption of any plan will give some dissatisfaction, but as it is necessary to select candidates in order that our strength may not be wasted, we hope that

member of our party, after a long and arduous campaign, by proposing it, had adopted, instead of laws and do what yield his personal plan or opinion to the will of the party. In some counties of the State, complaint is frequently made that the nomination of candidates is dictated by some combination or clique; we do not understand whether this complaint is well founded or not, but we do affirm that if the bases of our party, composed of intelligence, virtue and manliness, be true to themselves and their duty, they can neither be overthrown or controlled by any combination or clique, no matter how considerable its numbers nor how cunning its management. Every elector who casts his vote for our ticket, is entitled to participate in primary meetings of the party, and it must be manifest to every one that if the members of our party attend its primary meetings and party attended its primary meetings and select good and true men to represent them in all cases be given of these primary meetings. If any members of the party do not attend the meetings and take part in them, then they have no just cause to complain that others do attend and act for them.

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March 6th 31.

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