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## SHORT TALKS

ON VARIOUS TOPICS OF CURRENT INTEREST.

The country has reason to congratulate itself over the improvement made, by the present administration, in the character of men selected as marshals deputy marshals, United States Court officers and officers in the internal revenue service of the Goverment, who are brought in close contrast with the people. Capt. Savage wrote us a letter for publication from Huntsville two weeks ago, on this subject, pointing out striking differences between the present and former officials of this class; but owing to press of other matter it was crowded out. We give an incident mentioned by him. He said that on the Sunday before he had attended Sunday school, a meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association and noon and night services at the churches, and at all these places he had met our government officials. He spoke of the very high esteem in which Capt. Stewart, an appointee from this county, was held by his brother officials. Everybody in Calhoun knows him to be an honest and God fearing man. If it be true that "when the wicked rule the people mourn" the contrary ought also be true, and it may be said, happy are that people whose rulers fear God and are men of clean hands.

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It said that the gentlemen at Oxford who recently "passed Cæsar over the Rubicon and unsettled all things" have about concluded to pass the old man back and give him a rest.

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It is quite pleasant to a resident of Jacksonville to contemplate the bright prospects of the town for the future. It is indeed cheering, and compensates for the depression caused by the selfish agitation of a local question never designed for anything more than a catch advertisement of real estate at another point in the county. First, it may now be accepted as a settled fact that work will commence on the road from Gadsden to Jacksonville within 60 to 90 days. It may be also accepted as a fact that a ten thousand dollar hotel will be built here and furnished elegantly. It may also be accepted as a fact that Jacksonville will have a bank with large capital to supply money to the farmers of Calhoun at low rates of interest. Meantime the spirit of private enterprise is rife and much improvement and building is going on and being contracted for. The growth of the town is healthy and constant. We have nearly twice as many people here as the census of 1880 shows.

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It is said that one of the signers of the Oxford indignation resolutions took a friend off to one side the day after their adoption and whispered:

"What does them thar things in thar about Cæsar passing the Rubicon mean?"

Being assured that it was only a historical allusion to give finish, as it were, to what was supposed to be a masterly piece of English composition, he next enquired:

"Is Cæsar living about here or has he any kin folks living in Anniston?"

His friend assured him that Cæsar had been dead several hundred years and that his kinsfolk were pretty well scattered. Upon this the indignator looked much relieved and said:

"Well, now I am glad to hear that. I didn't want to hurt nobody's feelings but Judge Woods' and them Commissioners and them ring fellers about Jacksonville. I haint never had nothing agin Cæsar nor any of his folks."

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Counterfeit money swindlers in New York are sending out their circulars to business men and other parties throughout this county. Parties who receive these letters should enclose them to the "Chief of Police," New York City, N. Y. They may lead to the detection and arrest of the rascals. Of course nobody in the county will be green enough to bite at their bait.

Times change and men change with them. Strange to say, we have here in Calhoun county—a county that sent more soldiers to the Confederate army, according to population, than any county in the state—one newspaper and one so-called newspaper that approve the bitter and contemptuous expressions of the Birmingham *Age* concerning the Confederate Government. Both are published in the southern end of the county, but they lack a great deal of reflecting the sentiment of that part of the county on that matter.

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[George W. Cable welcomes the last young lady addition to his family in the following exquisitely pretty little song:]

There came to port last Monday night,
The queerest little craft,
Without an inch of rigging on;
I looked, and looked and laughed.

It seemed so curious that she
Should cross the unknown water,
And moor herself right in my room—
My daughter, oh, my daughter.

She has no manifest but this,
No flag floats o'er the water;
She's too new for the British Lloyds
My daughter, oh, my daughter.

Ring out, wild bells, and tame ones, too!
Ring out the lovers' moon!
Ring in the little worsted socks!
Ring in the bib and spoon!

Ring out the muse! ring in the nurse!
Ring in the milk and water!
Away with paper, pen and ink!
My daughter, oh, my daughter!

We find the above floating through the press, and print it to say, that if Mr. Cable claims it as a recent production, he has in all probability attempted to impose upon the public. We have a clear recollection that this same little poem went the rounds of the press some time ago.

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Two gentlemen, Orr and Given, had a fight with pistols in Birmingham, a few nights ago about a lady to whom both were paying attentions. Both men were badly shot. Orr is dead and Given is thought to be mortally wounded. Orr was a son of Ex-State Senator Orr, of Morgan county, and Given is a former resident of Anniston.

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### A Correction.

Some one from the White Plains, in a letter to the Watchman expresses his belief that the majority of the citizens of Cross Plains are opposed to the new court house. It is a bare assertion with only a shadow of foundation. The majority are in favor of it. We have a few who grumble, but these have not as yet had an "indignation" meeting.—*Cross Plains Post*

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### The Growth of the South.

Philadelphia Times.

The increase of manufacturing enterprise in the South is remarkable. The new enterprises organized during the first nine months of the present year, taken together with the enlargement of old plants, will employ an aggregate capital of $52,386,300. In this list Kentucky leads off, with a capital of $14,005,000. West Virginia comes second, with $9,644,000; Maryland third, with $6,107,800, and Alabama fourth, with $5,864,000.

The growth of the South has been marvelous for the past five years. The increase in railroad mileage since 1879 is 11,000 miles. The assessed value of the property of the South, not including the large capital invested in manufacturing enterprises, which is chiefly exempt from taxation, has increased $900,000,000. The production of corn has increased fifty per cent. in that time, and that of oats seventy. In cotton mills the gain been a hundred per cent., and in cotton seed oil mills two hundred and fifty per cent. A like increase has been made in the production of coal and pig iron.

These specimen facts, illustrative of the industrial activity of the South during the last five years, which activity is greater at the present time than ever, shows that the war is over in that section, whatever Northern politicians may claim to the contrary. The South has quit fighting and gone to work, and at the rate it has been making progress during the last five years it promises to become as prosperous as its great natural resources will allow, which will be very prosperous indeed. Every genuine friend of the Union will rejoice at these unmistakable evidences that the South is at last on the high road to the development of its great possibilities.

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Of 1,000 medical students graduated from an English institution fifteen years ago 128 have died and ninety-six have left the profession. Twenty-three have achieved distinguished success and sixty-six consideralbe success; 507 have made a living, 124 have not made a fair practice and fifty-five have failed utterly.

## COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

News from Surrounding Counties.

CLEBURNE COUNTY.

The subscribers of the Edwardsville *Standard* are paying up promptly for that excellent local paper. The people of Cleburne have always been noted for their good debt-paying qualities.

R. E. Merrell, of Edwardsville has sold his Pinetucky gold mine to M. Goldman, of Nevada and C. F. Erwin of Mississippi.

The depot at Edwardsville has been moved into the town and the *Standard* wants the street leading to it improved.

The Messrs. Howle of Edwardsville are having their store house improved.

Heflin it is said will control as much as eight thousand bales of cotton this year from the counties of Cleburne, Clay and Randolph. Most of this cotton formerly came into Calhoun towns.

The *Standard* claims that Edwardsville and Heflin are among the best cotton markets in the State.

Since the frost cotton is opening in Cleburne very fast.

Few men are paying taxes in Cleburne on the collector's first round.

R. E. Merrill, a lawyer of Edwardsville, will move to Birmingham in a few days.

A mad dog bit two other dogs of Mr. James Swope near Chulafinnee and then tried to bite him, but Mr. Swope, being on his mule, escaped him. The dog bit several animals of different kinds at various points, but had not been killed at last accounts.

TALLADEGA COUNTY.

The bar rooms have opened in Talladega again. We suppose this is to get the matter before the supreme court.

Rev. Sam Henderson is now associate editor of the *Alabama Baptist*.

Adjourned term of Circuit court for Talladega county meets Nov. 9th.

Cotton has sold in Talladega this season from five counties.

Talladega has repealed her tax on venders of beef and fresh meats and on cotton buyers.

Ullman Bros., of Talladega employ nine men in their establishment.

Mr. Kilpatrick of Talladega sold fifty tons of bone dust to one man recently.

Mr. D. S. Kyser of Talladega is building a handsome residence.

The sausage factory of Talladega runs day and night.

Mr. J. W. Hubbard of Talladega is up again after a serious spell of sickness.

Mr. Joe Savery of Talladega thinks of going west to invest in the mining business. Talladega affords more possibilities for money making than any of the mining districts of the West.

All of the whiskey houses of this city opened doors yesterday morning and are now engaged in carrying on business the same as before the election. It will be remembered that about two months ago all of the whiskey houses of the county closed doors under a proclamation from the Probate Judge, and that a case was carried before the Probate and Circuit Judges by the whiskey men in which they failed, and then another case was carried before the Circuit Judge and shared the same fate as the first, the decision being made last Friday. We do not know what will now be the course of the proceedings, but suppose that the opening up of the saloons means that the case will be carried to the Supreme Court as the last resort. —*Talladega Home.*

Jabe Knox, after an absence of several years has returned to Talladega on a visit to his old friends.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY

"Dora's Device" passed through the fire of the Philadelphia critics unscathed. Many very pretty things were said for it, while only one or two negative comments were made.—*Ashville Aegis.*

Mr. Giles McCluney, of Ashville who has been sick, is recovering.

Jeff Hood, of Canoe Creek, while out hunting recently, killed five wild turkeys at one shot.

Farmers of Canoe Creek are preparing pasturage for cattle. They are getting on the right track now.

Rev. H. E. Harris, of St. Clair has been quite sick, but is getting well.

Rev. J. A. Glenn has been called to take charge of Hopewell church for the incoming year.

Married, on the 8th, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Spradley, Mr. Henry Sharpton and Miss Minnie Spradley. Also Mr. Henry Sheffield and Miss Jennie Franklin were married on the 15th ult.

The report of the county Supt. of St. Clair, shows the employment fot the year ending Sept. 30th, of 51 male and 20 female white teachers; an enrollment of 2820 pupils, average length of school days 79; average amount paid each teacher per term $67.83; total amount paid white teachers $5,087.57; number of white schools, 75.

Number of colored schools, 18; 13 male and 2 female teachers; total enrolement of colored pupils, 647; average length of school days, 66⅔; average amount paid each teacher per term, $63,90; total amount paid colored teachers $1151.22.

Total amount paid out $6238.79. Balance on hand $100.22.

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

A woman was carried from Ball Play to Centre a faw days ago and incarcerated in jail on the charge of selling whiskey.

Miss Jennie Lawrance of Gaylesville died recently.

The merchants of Centre are buying cotton freely this season.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

The Gadsden *Times* says that cotton rolls into that live town every day by the hundreds of bales.

The *Times* says that Gadsden is the best cotton market in North Alabama. We must beg to have Jacksonville excepted. Jacksonville may not pay more than Gadsden, but certainly as much as any town in North Alabama. We have seven cotton-buyers here and they go to the very top of the market on every bale that comes in.

On with the railroad to Jacksonville is Gadsden's watchword.—*Times.*

Chancery Court convenes in Gadsden November 9th.

The Coosa Furnace, at Gadsden is in blast again.

Lookout! It is coming! Don't you hear it? The train, we mean, coming in from Jacksonville.—*Times.*

The city marshal of Gadsden is enforcing the cow law and taking up loose cattle.

Gadsden has her pegs set for 20,000 bales of cotton this season.

Gadsden has put the steamer Crawford on the river to haul cotton to and from that place and buck against the White Star Line of Rome. Gadsden is plucky.

Col Kyle recently lost by fire his gin house, engine and some cotton on the M. L. Foster place. The entire loss is estimated at $9,000. No insurance.

Mrs. S. B. Lowry died in Gadsden the 23rd of last month.

Mrs. Sarah Bryant of Etowah county died the 23rd of last month.

Several years ago Mr. P. A. Holley, now of Birmingham, borrowed five dollars from Capt. Rufus B. Rhea, at Attalla. Recently he sent Capt. Rhea a letter, enclosing ten dollars, and thanked him for his generosity.—*News.*

The capture of Richard Pemberton, near Attalla last Saturday night, by Sheriff Wilson adds another plume to that gentleman's already handsome display of feathers. Pemberton is wanted in Marshall county where he jumped his bondsmen. He was brought to Gadsden and incarcerated in jail. —*News.*

Mr. LaFayette Sharpe, who lives beyond Sutton's bridge, caught a trap full of fish last Saturday morning. Several gentlemen from Gadsden were invited to his house Saturday night, and they enjoyed a big fish fry—*News.*

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### A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unabe to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. Kings New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children was similarly effected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. Kings New Discovery is now standard remedy in the Coalman household and on board the schooner.

Free Trial Bottle of this Standard Remedy at W. M. Nisbets Drug Store.

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All baneful infection of the blood are promptly removed by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Sold by all druggists.

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Ex-Congressman C. M. Shelley is now mentioned as a candidate for Governor.

### JACKSONVILLE COLORED SCHOOL.

ED. REPUBLICAN:—Will you be kind enough to allow a small space, in your highly appreciated paper, in behalf of the colored board of school trustees, for the public school of Jacksonville. The great want and need of our race is education. Education only, can prepare our people for the many and varied duties of life. Believing this to be true our board is earnest in the endeavor to build up for our neighbors and our own children a good school, to be taught for at least nine if not ten months during the year. We know the first and most important duty to discharge, is to secure good and competent teachers. Hence, our board called a meeting at the M. E. Church Oct. 16th, 7 o'clock p. m., and invited Hon. J. D. Hammond, township superintendent to meet with us, and advise with us as to our duties, and explain the operations of the school law. He kindly accepted our invitation. In meeting with us, he said, he did not do so for the purpose of making a speech nor for any political effect, but only to discharge a public trust, and if possible, make to us suggestions, which he trusted would materially aid us in the proper discharge of our duties. He explained our duties first to be the proper care to be taken of our school building, the comforts and conveniences of the children, the protection of the interest of all the patrons; and, secondly the selection of competent and worthy teachers. This duty, under the law, he could discharge himself, without our consent, but he preferred us take action first and leave to him the approval of our choice. He urged upon us the importance of selecting teachers, not only competent under the law, but teachers of experience and whose moral habits were such as to elevate and refine our children. Thirdly, he urged upon the board the great importance of harmonious action, and the unity of support on the part of the people, and beautifully explained the principle of majority rule, and the submission of minorities. He then, at some length, explained the great need of education, saying that in this great rebublic in which we live, that our right before the law were equal to his, and that all the various pursuits in life were opened to our race. Agriculture, the grandest and most noble calling of man was a vast field in which labor and science could work profitably together. The many and varied mechanical pursuits were open and ready to receive our educated minds. The professions of law, and medicine also were within our grasp, as you now have men in the practice of both. Your various church organizations call for many educated laborers, and even the mercantile fields are open and inviting. He also advised us, if we did not enter the political field to keep posted and exercise our franchise so as to preserve our liberties, the preservation of society, as best becomes freemen. And cited the recognition of our race, by the present democratic administration by the appointment of one of our race from North Caroiina, as minister to the republic of Liberia, and many other civil appointments. He explained the present school system of our own State toward our race, the advantage we receive in the distribution of public funds, and the working of the colored Normal schools of the State, and especially the wonderful growth and accomplishments of the one at Tuskegee. He warned us against teachers who take more interest in securing the pubic money than the trainining of our children, and illustrated by explaining the action of Prof. L. L. Wilson who contracted for our school last year and left his wife in charge and returned to Gadsden and taught, thus securing the money in both towns and proposes to teach our school himself, and has secured a school for his wife in Oxford, again reaping the public money in two towns. He wished us to get teachers, who would become citizens and work for the building up of a permanent school which would soon begin to turn out teachers for our people and promised to aid us in every way possible.

We feel his talk will do us much good, and we take this method to tender him our sincere and profound thanks, as well as to inform our people what is being done and said in behalf of the education of our children.

Very respectfully,
A. J. LOGAN, Ch'n.

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A sallow complexion is indicative of worms. A few doses of Shriner's Indian Vermifuge will destroy them and give a bright and hearty complexion.

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Few like gray hairs, except on other persons. If your hair is turning gray, restore it to the hue of youth by using Ayer's Hair Vigor.

### The Court House Again.

There appears to be a great deal of unnecessary grumbling over the new Court House question. Those who oppose the building of a new court house claim that the appropriation was made through undue influence. Commissioners Watson and Stewart were certainly the legal representatives of Calhoun County in this matter of appropriation, if you count the other two Commissioners such. Examine the returns of the last election and see if Commissioners Watson and Stewart received as many votes as the other two. Judge Woods had a perfect right to cast his vote just as he pleased. These officers in favor of a new court house were elected by the people of Calhoun county and gloriously represented the wishes of their constituents when they voted for the appropriation. This grumbling is unnecessary, yet these officers doubtless expected that a new court house in Jacksonville would cause smiles of displeasure to mark the countenances of a great many in the county. Notwithstand they have faced the lion in his den, done their duty and done it well and fearlessly; for which they will receive the lasting gratitude of Calhoun county.—*Cross Plains Post.*

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### PERSONS AND THINGS.

No less than 18,661 young women are at colleges in this country.

Father's teeth is stopped with zinc," is the title of a popular song now sung in London.

Ex-President Arthur says he did not save a cent of the $200,000 he received as salary while president.

Justice Bradley, sometimes called "Old Allunde," sleeps unblushingly in court after listening a few minutes.

Justice Miller sometimes closes his eyes while on the bench of the supreme court; his friends deny that he dozes, though.

It is said that the King of Bavaria owes $7,500,000, but the name of the newspaper he attempted unsuccessfully to run is not known.

An elephant from India, said to be almost as large as the late-lamented Jumbo, is to be sent to the London "Zoo," so as to arrive there about the holiday times.

General Grant's height, as given by Colonel Frederick D. Grant, in a letter to an inquirer in Scranton, was 5 feet 8 inches; chest measure about 38 inches; weight in April, 1861, 135 pounds; in June, 1865, 142 pounds.

Mrs. Langtry, not satisfied with the natural color of her hair, which was beautiful, and of which she took incessant care, has painted it a kind of reddish color, which, it appears, is becoming the fashion in Paris, and has much injured her appearance.

The Chicago News says: "The line between propriety and too great familiarity might be drawn at three kisses—one to make the young man appreciate what he is leaving, one to encourage him to take another, and the third to carry away with him to be returned at their next meeting."

An Ohio democrat of some local prominence who has been in Washington off and on since the 4th of March looking for an office has several times been at the point of success, but never quite reached it. Last week he concluded to go home and wait for the office to come to him. On reckoning his expenditures he found that his stay here had cost him nearly $2,700.

The eldest son of the shah of Persia was not born of a princess, and there is not the heir apparent. He is popular and capable, and his father is said to desire to confer upon him that dignity. But the mother of the younger son, now heir apparent, threatened to kill herself if the measure was carried through, and in deference to her wishes, no change will be made.

When Judge Kelley, "the Father of the House," was last re-elected, "Sunset" Cox said to him: "Well, judge, you will probably be kept in congress all your life." "I told my people," answered Kelley, "I was a candidate for life—barring lunacy or paralysis." "You made your exception too broad," replied Cox; "lunacy does not disqualify a man to a seat in congress."

The Portland Oregonian says that the unprecedented snow storm which blocked the railroad for a month last winter laid the foundation for the greatest wheat harvest ever raised in Oregon—600,000 acres averaging more than 30 bushels per acre. Enough wheat is now in sight, it says (October 12), to furnish the Oregon railway and navigation company 100 carloads a day till spring.

### CAPITOL HILL MONUMENT.

We confess our inability to appreciate that patriotism which would build a towering monument to the memory of our confederate dead and yet condemn and despise the confederacy. It was a confederation of states for the defense of slavery. In other words for the defense of private rights vested in slave property: and this is what Mr. Stephens meant when he said "The corner stone was human slavery." A confederation for such purposes in its last analysis is one for defense. The war was almost without exception one of defense. The question as to whether or not it was wise to perpetuate the institution of slavery is quite another question. The only question with which we have to do is, was it not our duty as citizens of the south and as patriots thus to organize for the purpose of defending and maintaining our rights, if so, and we believe it it was, let us honor the cause as well as its heroes?

We want a monument on Capitol Hill at Montgomery to our Confederate Dead because that was the cradle of our confederacy. Do our people seek thus to perpetuate their memory irrespective of the cause in which they fell? By no means. It is because they gave up their lives in defense of southern rights, that their memory is dear and we seek to perpetuate it. If there is a tender place in a southerner's heart it is where the "Lost Cause" is enshrined. No men were ever actuated from more patriotic impulses, and no men ever fell upon the fields of battle that were more deserving of a monument that should sweep the clouds.

We are not of those who feel like begging the world's pardon for having been confederate soldiers; because in being so we acted under the inspiration of a sense of duty that was as pure and lofty as it was patriotic. The man, who in those dark days, whether north or south, did not respond to the call of his country is not worthy of the liberty he enjoys nor of a grave in a free land. We are not ashamed of the confederacy nor of her hisrory. There is not a line of it, when fairly written, that will not challenge the world's admiration; and as for her sons that fell upon the field fighting for southern rights, we say green, ever green be their memory!

While we prefer the union to confederate independence, emancipation to slavery, yet we would have preferred victory first and these after. But it was not so appointed and we have accepted results. The issues are dead, forever dead; but the rights vested in them, which the confederacy was organized to maintain and in defense of which our heroes fell, though trampled under foot, are indestructable. While we proclaim undying devotion to the "lost cause," and to the men who fell in its defense, we do propose to stir up those sectional feelings which it fostered, neither do our people propose to stultify themselves by speaking reproachfully of the Confederacy; nor to allow others to do it. We will resent it with the same spirit with which we fought its battles.

When we propose to build a monument to our Confederate dead it is not to stir up unkind sectional feelings, but to perpetuate their monory and to commend the example of their patriotic virtues to unborn generations. We would do them honor, not because perchance they fell upon a field of battle, but because they were Confederate soldiers and fell in defense of the Confederacy. It is this that enshrines them in our hearts' tenderest affections and will keep them in eternal remembrance.—*Gadsdon Times.*

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The following is warranted to be a sure and certain receipt for killing a town: always growl; resist taxation; kick against improvements; exercise the virtue of enviousness; don't patronize your county paper, and send to the city to have job printing done, and start another paper; talk against your neighbors and business rivals; stay away from church and society and criticise those who are social and enterprising; buy your goods out of town and let your merchants live the best way they can; send your children off to school and let the schools of your town take care of themselves; this remedy has never been known to fail.—*Tuskegee News.*

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### Just as we Thought.

A gentleman was met on the streets this morning with a number of copies of the *Daily Age*, with the article on the Confederate Monument marked, which he was going to send north for the purpose of showing northern capitalists that there was no rebel feeling here and thus induce them to move down with their money.—*Birmingham Chronicle.*

# The Republican.

NOVEMBER 7, 1885.

It appears that the "Staff" of the *Hot Blast* is not entirely consistent with itself.

There is a "painful" rumor afloat that fifteen or twenty people near DeArmanville have given premature birth to an echo of the Oxford wail. It is stated that Dr. Buckalew officiated as midwife and that the DeArmanville Indignators are doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

It is said that some of the Indignators of Oxford grouped around a reader to hear what the REPUBLICAN had to say of their performance, the day the paper reached that village. When the reader came to a little paragraph to the effect that the Anniston merchants were too busy handling cotton from Choccolocco valley to find time to hold an indignation meeting, one of the Indignators, who had grown very restive under the reading and was masticating his tobacco at a fearful rate, could restrain himself no longer and burst out with the remark: "*Another fling at Oxford.*"

About the only man in Anniston whose business does not demand all his time, approached a citizen of that town the other day and said:

"Can't you help me get up an indignation meeting here on that court house matter?"

"Oh, d—n it, no," was the reply, "I am too busy for any such foolishness as that." That was probably "another fling at Oxford."

The *Hot Blast* is exercised because the REPUBLICAN has "presumed" to speak for "Messrs. Tyler & Noble, our largest tax payers and property-holders."

We beg pardon of the *Hot Blast* for having "poached on its preserves," and willingly accord it the position of organ grinder and chief fugleman for "our largest tax payers and property-holders." Meanwhile the REPUBLICAN will have to worry along as the organ and exponent of the poor folks of Calhoun.

"And as David and his men went by the way, Shimei went along on the hill's side over against him, and cursed as he went, and threw stones at him, and cast dust."—2nd Samuel, ch. xvii, v. 13.

REFLECTIONS.—Shimei was evidently very mad about something; but it will be observed that he kept along on the hill's side, at a discreet distance, and vented his spite by cursing and throwing dust. It does not appear that he hurt David or his men, or that they paid much attention to any of Shimei's ridiculous capers.

PRACTICAL OBSERVATION.—We have some few Shimeis at Oxford and the country round about.

If the *Hot Blast* will permit us to "presume" to use his name, we would like to remark that Mr. Samuel Noble went to Heflin a few days ago with a bag full of money wherewith to pay for cotton; that he said the demand of that market for flour, coffee and other groceries was wonderful and that Heflin was on a boom and would handle a very large amount of cotton this year. The *Hot Blast* "staff" heard these remarks and will pardon us for "scooping" them on the item. But what we started out to say was that this is probably "another fling at Oxford."

The *Hot Blast* makes one of its characteristic "mistakes" when it says the REPUBLICAN has attacked any one of the Commissioners. In answer to the charge of crooked dealing on the part of the court the REPUBLICAN has defended its side of the question and said that whatever of deceit and double-dealing have been practiced in connection with the matter, none of it could be charged to our side of the house. Whether this sort of talk pinches any of the friends of the *Hot Blast* it knows best. The REPUBLICAN has no desire to attack any member of the Court in connection with the matter, or even to question the motives of any one of them; but the paper will always stand up to its friends and tell the truth in their vindication, let it hurt whom it may. We repeat that the Commissioners who voted for the new court house have nothing to conceal and invite the very fullest investigation. Suppose the *Hot Blast* and the Indignators stop howling long enough to trot out some proof of their charges. This is what the people just now are most interested in hearing.

## THE ELECTION.

### The Democrats Come out Handsomely Everywhere and Gain Great Victories in New York and Virginia.

The telegrams of Wednesday morning on the election in several States Tuesday may be summarized as follows:

New York and Virginia have presented the country glorious Democratic victories. Hill, the Democratic candidate for Governor, has been elected in New York by fifteen thousand majority and the Democrats have made gains in the Legislature. Virginia elects Fitzhugh Lee, Democratic nominee for Governor over Wise, Republican candidate, by a handsome majority, and the Democrats have made large gains in the Legislature, insuring the defeat of Mahone for United States Senate as his own successor.

In Connecticutt the Democrats have made marvellous gains in the Legislature but the Republicans will still control it.

In Mississippi the Democrats swept the field.

In Maryland the Democrats secured a victory.

In New Jersey the election resulted in a substantial victory for the Republicans.

Pensylvania went Republican as a matter of course.

Massachusetts has gone largely Republican.

Nebraska elects the Republican State ticket by about the same majority of last year.

The chief contest in Illinois was over the adoption or rejection of a new election law, the Republicans and Independents favoring it and the Democrats opposing. It appears that the law has been adopted by the people.

In Iowa there were four state tickets in the field to-wit: Republican, Fusion, Greenback and Prohibition. The Fusionists demanded a repeal of the prohibition law and the Republicans wanted to give it further trial. It appeared that the Republican ticket won by about 18,000 majority.

The main interest centered in New York and Virginia, the only two States in which the contest was regarded as of national interest. Up almost to the hour of election in New York bets were offered and taken sixty to one that the Republican ticket would be elected, but the result showed a united Democratic party and largely discounted Mugwump influence in the State. The retirement of the pestiferous Mahone to private life by the result in Virginia makes the victory in that State peculiarly gratifying.

On the whole Tuesday's elections leave the Democratic party in fine position for the great contest of 1888 and go to show that President Cleveland's administration is acceptable to the country.

Will the *Hot Blast* kindly point out wherein the action of the Commissioners' Court was "illegal" in what it did in regard to the new court house? The Commissioners' Court is the County Legislature and had clearly the power to build a new court house, repair the old one, or leave the matter alone just as it pleased. The members of the Court were elected to decide for the people just such questions as this. All this fanfaronade about leaving the matter to the people at the ballot box is the merest bosh. One might as well talk of leaving the construction of every bridge to the decision of the ballot box. By the way, speaking of ballot-boxes, we would like to ask the *Hot Blast* why the court house matter was not submitted to the people, according to promise made in the canvass, after the representative of that town took his seat in the Legislature? The *Hot Blast* pretended to be very anxious to get the matter before the people during the canvass. Why was it not done when the opportunity was given? Was the *Hot Blast* and co-laborers at Anniston afraid to submit the matter to the arbitrament of the Democrats of Calhoun after the November election brought about an exposure of hands in its town? If so, how long would they have the Commissioners delay the construction of necessary buildings in order to give them an opportunity to purge themselves of their political sin? Let us have something explicit on this head. How long, for instance, does the *Hot Blast* think it will take its town to get back in line with the Democratic party? Will the *Hot Blast* kindly bring "all the ability and force that its staff of writers can command" upon these questions and give us categorical answers next week?

The Fort Payne Journal thinks that Hon. Thomas Seay is the best selection for Governor.

The *Hot Blast* must harmonize its "staff of writers" on a line of policy touching Jacksonville, if it wishes to be thought consistent. As it is the "staff" are shooting off in too many erratic directions. One of the "staff" says, "we shall never write a word that would injure Jacksonville or her good people." Another one of the "staff" speaks flippantly of the Jacksonville ring. Another one of the "staff" calls us teat suckers. Another one of the "staff" says we will go to "any unscrupulous length" &c. Another one of the "staff" sneers at the town and says its only industry is caring for strangers who come here to court.

Now this won't do for a consistent attitude. It leaves the "staff's" legs sticking out toward too many points of the compass. It is an ungraceful attitude. We call attention to the matter, not that Jacksonville can be injured in the least by any attitude the "staff" may assume, but for the sake of the "staff" itself.

### Gadsden and Jacksonville Railroad.

Owing to the very inclement weather, Jacksonville did not send a large delagation to the Gadsden railroad meeting. Judge Walker, Mr. Wm. H. Dean and Mr. R. W. Whisenant represented Jacksonville in the meeting. Judge Walker made a speech, pointing out the advantages of the connection to Gadsden and presenting Jacksonville's proposition, which was accepted by the Gadsden people. Speeches were made by Col. Denson and other citizens of Gadsden. Col. Denson read a letter from Mr. Fawcett, stating that he had organized a company in Boston to build the road and asking 60 or 90 days to get to work in. The Gadsden projectors of the road agreed to this, but a resolution was unanimously adopted to begin work at the end of that time whether Mr. Fawcett came to time or not. If he can build the road it is preferred that he do so; but the Gadsden people will go forward getting ready for the work just as if he had not made a proposition atall. No time will be lost, as it will take from 60 to 90 days to get fully ready for the work. When the work is commenced it will be pushed to a very rapid conclusion. The road may now be regarded as a certainty, so far as anything human in the future can be.

It will be a great day for Gadsden when this road is built and will also help Jacksonville very much. The E. & W. Road can be brought down here at any time, it being only a short distance away, when our people care to spend a little on it. It will certainly come when the Gadsden road comes. With these railroads, Jacksonville will get through rates and be able to compete with any point in this part of Alabama. She has already a very fine and large agricultural territory tributary to her. When we get these railroads we will build a magnificent highway across the mountain to the Choc colocco valley and extend this territory considerably.

### A BAD ALLY.

Editor Stead has gotton himself into trouble. In his war on London vice he went so far as to procure a girl and have her transported in order to illustrate the truth of his charges. He took pains that no harm should come to her, but he was unfortunate in the woman he chose to carry out his scheme. This was one Mrs. Jarrett, who made Editor Stead to believe that she was acting with the consent of the girl's parents. Now Mrs. Jarrett confesses on the stand that she is a keeper of brothels and a procuress. This is hard on Mr. Stead who should have been more careful in the selection of his agents. Conviction in the Eliza Armstrong abduction case stares him in the face. Thus a pitiful conclusion to the most exciting reform movement of the century is in prospect.—*Montgomery Advertiser.*

### Suit of an Alabama Lady.

GALVESTON, Nov. 2.—In the United States circuit court Mrs. Fannie E. Gibbs has brought suit against Eugene Brooks, of Wharton, Texas, for $100,000 damages for killing Wm. Stewart Gibbs, the husband of the plaintiff. Gibbs had killed Clarence Brooks, the sheriff of Wharton county, and a brother of Clarence, and the latter in turn killed Gibbs on the 24th of last April. Both families are prominent and wealthy.

While out hunting near Selma, recently, Tommie Cunningham was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun. This is the second sad occurrence of this kind that has happened in Selma in the last three weeks.

The Gadsden *Times* is sanguine of the early building of the railroad between that place and Jacksonville.

### From Gadsden to Jacksonville.

GADSDEN, ALA., Oct. 30.—The railroad meeting last night was a decided success. It was attended by a large crowd of our most influential citizens. Jacksonville was represented by Judge Walker, and in a telling and eloquent speech the charter and grade were tendered by him to the new incorporation, which, upon motion of R. B. Kyle, was accepted. A forcible speech was made by Col. Denson. Short speeches were made by other citizens.

There is no doubt now that the road will be completed from here to Jacksonville as soon as the weather will permit. The meeting was presided over by Maj. Herzberg.

### Ward's First Day in Prison.

SING SING, November 2.—Ferdinand Ward's first day in Sing Sing prison was a very dreary and quiet one for him, it being Sunday and nothing to do but eat his meals and meditate in his cell after early morning hours. He was awakened after a good night's sleep at 6:30, and told to dress. At 9:30 he was marched out to breakfast and ate his hash, bread and coffee, the same as the other convicts. He was then marched to the chapel and listened to a sermon by the chaplain, Mr. Edgerton. At 10:30 he was marched back to his cell, having his bucket on one arm and his pan of apples and bread on the other. This was to serve as dinner and supper combined. He spent the afternoon alone in his cell. He was allowed to have some reading matter, but his keeper states that he did not read very much but seemed to be in deep meditation most of the time.


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Sept26-tf G. S. KLEIN.

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sept12tf President Faculty.


## Attachment Notice.

W. T. Rowland,
vs.
Geo. C. Morgan,

Whereas W. T. Rowland having applied to the undersigned, H. F. Montgomery a Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P., in due form of law for an attachment against the property of Geo. C. Morgan and having obtained the same and whereas it appears to me that the said Geo. C. Morgan is not a resident of this state and that he resides at Tallahasse, Florida. Now the said Geo. C. Morgan is hereby notified of the pendency of the said attachment; that the same has been served by garnishment on J. H. Glenn and John T. Rowland and that if the said Geo. C. Morgan do not appear before me at my office in the town of Jacksonville, county of Calhoun and State of Alabama, before the 14th day of November 1885, I will proceed to give judgment on the said attachment, in the same manner as if the said Geo. C. Morgan were present to answer and defend the same, and I will as the law directs, award execution, order of sale or other process, as the case may require. Given under my hand at office on the 26th day of October 1885.

H. F. MONTGOMERY,
Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P.
oct31-4t

## Application to Sell Land.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said county, October 24th, 1885.

This day came Robert L. Arnold, Administrator of the estate of D. A. Cary deceased, and, as such Administrator, filed in court his application in due form and under oath, praying for an order of sale of certain lands described therein, and belonging to said estate, for the purpose of paying debts of said estate, upon the ground that the personal property belonging to said estate is insufficient therefor. It is ordered that the 10th day of December 1885, be appointed a day for hearing such application, at which time all parties in interest can appear before me in said court and contest the same if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
oct31-3t Judge of Probate.

## Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed of Trust executed by L. McAdory and wife, to me as Trustee for use of J. D. Hammond and by him transferred to Simpson and Ledbetter, and filed in the Office of the Probate Judge of Calhoun County, Ala., for Record on 23rd day of Nov. 1883 the day of its execution, and Recorded on the 10th day of Dec. 1883, in Book T of Deeds of Trust, on page 23, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry for cash, before the Court House door in Jacksonville, Ala., on the 30th day of Nov. 1885, the following described real estate, viz: One lot lying North of Depot street in said town of Jacksonville, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the R. C. Lester lot and running West along the street 50 feet, thence North 75 feet, thence East to Lesters' line, thence along Lesters' line to the beginning point, in Sec. 11, T. 14, and R. 8.

J. L. SWAN,
oct24-30d Trustee.

## Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a certain Trust Deed executed to me as Trustee on the 5th day of March, 1883, by A. G. Foster and his wife, Margaret Foster, to secure two promissory notes, one dated 5th day of March 1883, and due 25th day of December 1883 for $317.60 and the other dated 5th day of March 1883 and due on the 25th day of December 1884 for $317.60, together with interest and costs, said notes being payable to B. M. Stewart, I will as such Trustee, on the 23rd day of November 1885, during the legal hours of sale, at the court house door, in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: The SE forty of the tract of land known as the Foster place on Nancy's creek and bounded as follows, to-wit: On the East by Scot Neighbors' land, on the South by the widow Bridges' land and on the west by the A. G. Foster land. Also the SW forty of the tract of land known as the Foster place, on Nancy's creek and bounded as follows: On the South by the widow Bridge's land, on the west by the widow Betsy Wilson's land, on the north by the widow Hughes' land and on the east by A. G. Foster's land. This land all in Calhoun county, Alabama, township 12, range 10. This Oct. 20, 1885.

oct24-30d J. D. STEWART, Trustee.

### NOTICE NO. 4320.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA., Oct. 12, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 28, 1885, viz: James E. Norris Homestead 8662, for the N half of SW quarter section 12, Township 15 South, Range 8 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: White, Thos. J. Ford, Ed Kilgon, W. T. Wells, all of Weavers Station, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
oct17-6t Register

## Insolvent Notice.

STATE OF ALABAMA, CALHOUN COUNTY.

In Probate Court, special Term Oct. 22nd 1885.

This day came Mrs. M. E. Williams Admr'x of the estate of Richard D. Williams deceased, and filed in Court her report in writing and under oath, setting forth that said estate to the best of her knowledge is insolvent, and asking the Court to so declare. It is therefore ordered, that the 22rd day of Nov. 1885, be and is hereby appointed the day to hear and determine said report, and that notice thereof be given the creditors and all othea interested in said estate, by publication for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published at Jacksonville in said county, to be and appear at my office in the Court House of said County on said 23rd day of Nov. 1885 and contest said report if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
oct24-3i Judge of Probate.

## Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of D. A. Cary deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. A. Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala., on the 21st day of October, 1885, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

oct31-3t R. L. ARNOLD Adm'r.


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### NOTICE NO 4295.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA., Oct., 5, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court, or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 26, 1885, viz: Solomon W. Poe, Homestead 8122 for the SE¼ Section 29 Township 15 south, Range 8 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: William Lenlow, William Sarrisett, Richard Stones, T. B. Martin, all of Banner, Ala.

oct10-6t THOMAS J. SCOTT, Register


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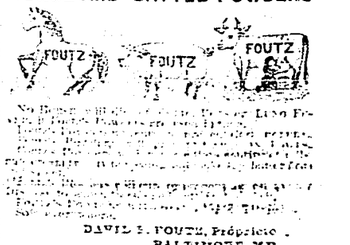


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The foundation of the new court house has been laid and the walls are going up rapidly. Between fifty and sixty thousand brick were placed in the foundation.

The compositor makes us say "contrast" for "contact" in a short talk on the outside when speaking of the relation of Government officials to the people now. But why grumble! The compositor makes the editor say whatsoever he pleases, despite the proof reader. "We all have a cross to bear."

### PERSONAL.

Mr. R. W. Hubbard was in our office Monday and paid his thirty-fifth year's subscription to the REPUBLICAN. He reports people about his section as well satisfied on the court house matter.

Rev. D. B. Turner, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Calhoun, assisted in laying the corner stone of the new court house.

Mr. S. K. Cunningham of Choccolocco Valley called on us Tuesday and reported his section as well satisfied at the prospect of a new court house.

Messrs. D. F. Shuford and Tom Draper of Oxford were in town Sunday.

Jno. M. Caldwell, Esq., of Anniston, was in town Monday.

N. B. Feagin, Esq., and Mr. Wm. Downing of Anniston were in town Tuesday on legal business.

Miss May Cunningham is visiting friends in Jacksonville and is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Mattison.

Mayor H. L. Stevenson went to Anniston Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Alexander, of Gadsden, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank, the past two weeks.

### Real Estate Notes.

Messrs. Rowan, Dean & Co., bought the cottage on the corner of North Main and Depot Streets, formerly belonging the Real Estate and Building Association, and sold it again this week to Stewart Bros., for $1,350. Messrs. Stewart are having it painted and otherwise improved.

Mr. Chas. Martin has bought the house on west side of North Main Street near Capt. Hames' residence from the Association and is also having that painted and improved.

Messrs. Wm. H. Forney, Wm. M. Hames and L. W. Grant have bought the cottage near Col. Ellis' residence on South Main Street and will paint and improve that.

The Association has disposed of every house built by it, at good figures to private parties, and can now build other houses as the necessities of the town demand.

Mr. Patton has been instructed to get up a plan for a twenty-five or thirty room hotel of pretty design. It will be supplied with all modern conveniences attainable in a town of the size of Jacksonville.

# COUNTY AFFAIRS.

### PEEKS HILL.

**Peeks Hill all Right on the Court House—The sick—An Accident.**

PEEKS HILL, ALA., Nov. 2.—We are moving along all right down here. Not "indignant" over the new Court House worth a cent. We are proud of it and hope the completion of it will add to our pride in that direction. We have had but very few objections in our Beat to the new Court House.

Mr. Thos. Palmer who was shot for a turkey a few weeks ago was in town Monday looking well. He has about entirely recovered.

Tommie Gilleland is recovering slowly. Esqrs. Williams and Little and Constable Gault are kept busy now. The longest pole knocks the persimmon.

The health of our community is improving. Mr. J. D. Pruitt has been suffering a week or so from a kick with a plow. The Dr. says some of his ribs are injured.

Mrs. Lester has gone on a visit to her people at Columbiana.

### OTTERY.

**Corn Shucking—Wheat Sowing—Another Good Citizen for Calhoun—&c.**

OTTERY, ALA., Nov. 3.—Health in this burg better than any time before this year.

Farmers seem to be getting along very well gathering crops. Corn all about housed. A very good yield.

Mr. W. M. Cochran gave an old-faihioned corn shucking a few nights ago. The boys enjoyed it very much.

Wheat sowing is here

A. B. Walker of St. Clair has bought land in this settlement and will soon move in. We welcome him heartily.

P. S. Phillips is repairing his mill on Ottery creek and will soon be ready for business.

The boys stay out late on Sunday night. One young man's horse went home with a limb to the bridle Sunday night.

### WEAVERS STATION.

**Crops—Improvements—Court House.**

WEAVERS, Oct. 31.—Great deal of corn gathered and I think it will be one-sixth rotten. Cotton is badly damaged by heavy frost. Nearly all open that will. Low lands not half open and bolls soft. Pea crop one-sixth rotten. Small branch sorghum made in our community.

The Green Skelton place will be laid off in small farms and lots next week by the Woodstock Iron Company, and neat houses built on them, open to purchasers to be sold on time. Good opening for a nice home three miles from one of the best markets in the State—Anniston.

It seems that DeArmanville is kicking its heels high in the atmosphere over the new court house. Let it be where it is. I never was summoned to attend circuit court in my life; but would as soon attend in Jacksonville as in Anniston or any other place. There is but little difference as to the place for a court house. It is built to transact legal business and keep the county money and records, and why not have a good and comfortable one. It is a credit to the county and a pleasure to the people who have their difficulties and law suits. It is natural to suppose Judge Woods would vote as he did making the court house a fixture in Jacksonville. It is not wise nor human nature for a man to vote prejudicial to his interest. It is just as much to the interest of the people of Calhoun to have it in Jacksonville as anywhere else and about as convenient. As to the $14,000 we will pay it and grumble and not pay it and grumble. So let her roll up in her majestic splendor and be an ornament to the banner county. Next build an iron jail to incarcerate the disreputable. Make one that will be sure to keep them, and to lessen crime and punish them to the fullest extent of the law. There is nothing wrong about a new court house unless it be built wrong.

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### MORRISVILLE.

**Small Yield of Cotton—Births—Shady Glenn School.**

MORRISVILLE, ALA., Nov. 4.—Cotton is opening very slowly and the opinion of some is that a great deal of it will never open at all. According to that we will make about half a crop, which we are now selling at about half what it cost to produce it, to pay for meat and bread bought on time at about one hundred per cent. over cash price. Stop brother farmers and think what we are doing.

Mr. John Story,
In all of his glory
Got his head into a whirl,
They tried to stop his laugh
But they could'nt by half,
Because it is a bouncing baby girl.

Mr. C. P. Nunnelly wears a smile beginning at the end of his nose and going round and illuminates all the back of his head. It is a girl.

The people in the settlement of Shady Glenn have secured the service of Pro. Jno. M. Watson to teach them a school. The session will begin the 16th of Nov., and continues ten months. The Professer is also a farmer.

### PEACEBURG.

**The Court House--A New Jail--Anniston and Jimmy Blaine--But Don't go Back on the Democrats of Anniston.**

PEACEBURG, Nov. 3.—It does seem that our court house question ought to be considered as already settled, but it seems that the Anniston papers, or some man through them, keeps trying to pick up a quarrel. Our good citizens of Perceburg are proud of our Commissioners and Grand Jurors. I am glad that Calhoun county and Jacksonville, the father of Calhoun, is to have a new court house. Let us also have a new jail. We are proud that the good people of Jacksonville are able to furnish the county money to build the new court house. Our county needs a new court house and jail.

We wish Anniston and all of her good people well and hope that she may grow to be three times as big as she is now; but I don't think some of her good men ought to be so hard down on our Commissioners and Grand Jurors. Let us all work together for the good of our county and country. All we have against Anniston has grown out of the last election, but I hope she will out-grow James Blaine yet. Anniston has a heap of good Democrats in her limits. We don't go back on them. So let us all work to get right, and let us have the new court house and jail, and get out our cotton as soon as we can, and get all we can for it, and pay our debts as far as it will go, and beg time on the balance that we can't pay.

### CROSS PLAINS.

**Farmers Busy—Business—Revival Services—Personals—Improvements—A Circus.**

CROSS PLAINS, ALA., Nov. 4.—Weather is charming and healthy. Farmers are busy getting out cotton, a great deal of which is still in the fields.

Business rather dull for the season, but it is attributable to the the late fall and low price of cotton.

The services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church closed Wednesday night. We learn that there were about twenty professions, and eleven accessions to the C. P. church. Others will join the other churches in town. The meeting resulted in much good to the community. Rev. Mr. Hall will be remembered affectionately by our people for the good work done here.

Rev. Mr. Jones of Cave Springs, Ga., editor of the Congregational Methodist, was in town last Wednesday.

Rev. W. A. Montgomery, pastor of the Methodist church here, preached his farewell sermon to a large congregation last Sunday. We don't know whether we will be so fortunate as to have him for our pastor another year, but if he is changed, we hope he may receive a pleasant work, for he is a good man and an able preacher.

Rev. Geo. D. Harris was here last Sunday and greatly aided the services at the Methodist church in the morning and at the C. P. church at night by his zeal and enthusiasm in the cuase of religion. This eloquent and fervent minister is greatly admired and beloved here by all our people of every name and order. God is blessing his labors among us.

Col. E. F. Browning, President of the East & West Railroad, was in town last Monday.

Hon. J. W. Inzer of Ashville, Ala., and Maj. P. Rowan of Jacksonville, were in town last Monday.

Mr. B. G. McClelen, County Surveyor, was in town last Tuesday.

Mr. C. A. Mattison who was agent and operator at the East & West Junction, is now filling the same position at the transfer yard below town.

The Township Trustees met here last Saturday and located the public schools of the township for the ensuing scholastic year.

Major J. F. Dailey is erecting a handsome cottage on West Broad Street on one of the prettiest and most convenient lots in town.

Giles' Circus and Menagerie will exhibit at Cross Plains on the fourteenth of this month. What a pity!

### A Bad Collision.

The North bound passenger train and the South bound freight train of the E. T. V. & G. Road collided three miles below Childersburg last night. Six people were very badly injured and one train hand killed. Conductor Hill was badly injured, and it is feared that he will die from his injuries. Conductor John Ham is also badly injured. We have not learned the cause of the accident.—*Talladega Home Nov. 4th.*

We have read "Dora's Device" by Mr. Cather, of Ashville. It is far above the current literature of like kind and should find a place on every Southern table. The book is beautifully bound and is an ornament to the library. We hope that our people will buy the book liberally. It is of absorbing interest from first to last and full of startling situations. The fact that it is the work of an Alabama gentlemen and a citizen of a neighboring county ought to commend it to our people.

Near Blountsville, a daughter of Mr. Daniel Bullard, while preparing dinner, had the misfortune to have her clothes catch fire, and the rest of the family being absent in the field, she was burned almost to a crisp before her cries were heard. She lived about two hours, when death put an end to her suffering.


## FOR RENT.

The Crow farm 2½ miles west of Jacksonville. A four or six horse crop, good houses and out-buildings, two tenent houses, good water in thirty steps of the house, fire-wood convenient, splendid range for stock. Farm well watered by a running stream. Land in a splendid state of cultivation. We desire to rent or lease to some one who has stock. Any one desiring to rent can get further particulars by calling on

CROW BROS.,
Jacksonville, Ala.

## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama at the April term 1885, of said court, in the cause of Albina Cameron vs. Joseph P. Burns, I will as Register of said Court sell to the highest bidder for cash on Monday the 7th day of Dec., next within the usual hours of sale before the Court House door of said county the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of the NW¼ and part of the NW¼ of SE¼ being all of said last forty acre tract lying east of the branch and being thirty acres more or less, and ten acres more or less lying east of said branch being part of SW¼ of SE¼ and ten acres more or less lying east of the branch being part of the NE¼ of NW¼ all in Section 4, Township 15, Range 6. Containing ninety acres more or less in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land will be sold to satisfy said decree in favor of the said Albina Cameron and against the said Joseph P. Burns. This 6th day Nov. 1885.

W. M. HAMES,
nov7-4 Register.

**PORTER, MARTIN & CO.–Jacksonville.**

We have just received a fresh supply of groceries from New York. Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have the finest cod fish in town.

All who have canary birds can get bird seed at Porter, Martin & Co.

You can buy an elegant new buggy very cheap from Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., sell bacon and flour at rock bottom prices.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a very handsome line of pocket knives, scissors and in fact most everything in the Hardware line.

If you want fine fresh candy go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a fine lot of oranges and nuts.

If you want to buy anything call on us and get our prices as it will save you money. Porter, Martin & Co.

Our terms are cash or thirty days with those with whom we run accounts. All those whose accounts are due will please come and settle at once as we do not propose to do a credit business. Porter, Martin & Co.

**ULLMAN & CO.--Jacksonville.**

25 yards of Calico for $1.00 at Ullman & Co. Jacksonville.

Flannels, Jeans and Worsted goods at Ullman & Co. Jacksonville.

Jersey Jackets for children at Ullman & Co. Jacksonville.

Go and see the cheap goods which Ullman & Co. offers for sale in Jacksonville.

Ladies go to Ullman & Co. for your Jersey Jackets if you want them at low prices.

Ullman & Co. from Gadsden have opened a store in Sallers old stand in this town but will remove to Dr. Nesbits Brick Store in a few days.

**ULLMAN BROS.—Anniston.**

Ladies, call and examine our beautiful stock of Milinery which excells any stock in this country in variety and style. Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Beautiful line of Plaid silk striped plushes, silk velvets at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Full line of carpeting, blankets cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Don't fail to examine our business suits for five dollars; worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Double width cashmeres all colors at 25cts yd., at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Special bargains in corsets, hoop-skirts and bustles, Ullman Bros., Anniston.

The beautiful straight cut sack suits are all the style. Full line cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Ladies underwear at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Children suits from two dollars up, worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Russian circulars silk and fur-lined. A beautiful line of Ladies', Miss's and Children's cloaks and dolmans cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Elegant line of cutaway, and dress suits at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

**ROWAN, DEAN & CO.—Jacksonville.**

Cheapest line of hose (from 10 cents up) ever brought to this market at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Bedroom and dining sets of beautiful designs cheap at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Very latest styles of gentlemens' hats at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Remarkable bargains in all wool blankets (from $1.00 to $5.00 per pair) at Rowan Dean & Co's.

The latest thing in Cloaks and walking Jackets—Newmarkets &c at Rowan Dean & Co's,

Ready made clothing of very latest styles, from finest suits to ordinary—largest stock to select from ever offered in Jacksonville at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Genuine Congress Knives and fine pocket cutlery of other makes at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Elegant lot of carpeting and rugs, cheap, at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Excellent bargains in ladies and gents shoes. Very large stock. At Rowan Dean & Co's.

Nine pounds of coffee for one dollar at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Prettiest line of prints we have ever handled. 5 cents and upwards. Rowan Dean & Co.

Ladies dress goods, flannel suitings, cashmeres &c. with trimmings to match—a lovely selection—at Rowan Dean & Co's.

If you don't believe that you can get as good bargains in Jacksonville as at Rome, Atlanta or elsewhere, bring the cash and be convinced. Rowan Dean & Co.

**CROW BROS.—Jacksonville.**

Go to Crow Bros. if you want to buy your groceries cheap.

Best markrt price paid for country produce at Crow Bros.

Our dry goods are of the best quality. No one can undersell us. Call and see for yourself.

Crow Bros.

If you want something strong to stimulate you these cold mornings, buy your coffee from Crow Bros.

## Wake Up! Wake Up!!

Don't send to Rome, Atlanta or elsewhere, when you need anything to furnish your house with, when your wants can be supplied by

## Wm. M. LINDSAY,

Proprietor of the Oldest

## Furniture House

IN

## ANNISTON,

and second to none in size in North East Alabama.

THE HANDSOMEST

**$50 MARBLE TOP Bed Room Suit**

in the country.

**CROCKERY! CROCKERY!!**

Everything heart can wish for in this line from the

**Cheapest Set**

OF

PLATES OR CUPS

AND

SAUCERS

to the finest gilt band china Dinner or Chamber set.

## UNDERTAKING.

The largest stock of Coffins, Cases (Metalic and Wood Burial Robes and Shrouds in this section.

Being a practical Embalmer, can guarantee satisfaction in holding bodies until friends arrive, or for shipment to distant points.

Mail or telegraph orders receive prompt and personal attention.

WM. M. LINDSAY,
Anniston Ala.

## New Family Grocery.

The undersigned has opened, in the brick store room of Judge Walker on the south side of the public square, a full line of

**STAPLE**

AND

## Fancy Groceries,

consisting of Bacon, Flour, Bran, Sugar, Coffee, Mackerel, Canned goods, Confections, Queens-ware, and a hundred other articles of necessity and luxury, which he designs offering at such reasonable prices as to invite custom.

**Tobacco, Cigars and Snuff.**

T. M. Blacking.

A liberal share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

**Call and See Me.**
may2-tf F. M. DAVIS.

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**WIN**

for Ladies and Gents we come.

## WE INTE

and not be undersold by any hous, Calico for ONE DOLLAR, and ni cents per yard, and Boots and Shoes,

**TO SELL IS O. COME ONE, CO.**

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## ELGIN & LEG.

DEALERS IN

## DRY GOODS AND GROCEh. .o,

WEAVERS, ALABAMA.

We have received this season an extra large and cheap stock of all kinds of goods in their line, and prepared to give their customers this season

## More Goods for Less Money

than ever before since we went into business. We will continue as in the past to advance to farmers. We have also made arrangements to do a large

**CASH BUSINESS,**

and are prepared to offer cash customers as good bargains as any house in the county. Our goods have been bought on the most favorable market and our customers shall have the advantage of it

## WE KEEP EVERYTHING

demanded by this market, and solicit a fair share of the public patronage.

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## SPECIAL INVITATION.

FROM THE

## CHEAP CASH STORE.

OF

## Ullman Brothers

To call and examine the largest and best selected stock in the country which is now complete.

Our Clothing department consists of the latest novelties in Straight Cut Sack, Cut-away Frock Sack, and Prince Albert suits to suit and fit everybody.

## Mens' Boys' and Childrens' Overcoats.

The most elegant stock of Fine Dress Goods and Dry Goods.

Our stock of

## MILLINERY GOODS

Excell anything ever shown in styles and quality.

Ladies Russian Circulars, Silk Circulars, Dolmans, Cloaks Misses and Childrens Cloaks.

A Large Stock of

## Boots, Shoes, Carpets, Rugs, and Jeans.

Our Manager has spent several months in the market buying direct from manufactures, which enables us to sell cheaper than any other house.

## WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT,

**Which is Now Complete,**

And buying for cash enables us to sell goods to merchants cheap as they buy in any market. Call and examine yourself, and save money by purchasing from

## ULLMAN BROS.,

Feb14-1y. ANNISTON, ALA.

## NEW FALL STOCK

OF

## Staple and Fancy Goods

Daily arriving at the Store-room of

**A. L. STEWART & BRO.,**

East Side Public Square

**Jacksonville, Alabama.**

More attention has been given to the selection of our stock this season than ever before, and our effort shall be to please, both in quality and price. In connection with our stock of Dry Goods we keep a large and varied stock of

**Family Groceries**

Consisting of everything in this line, embracing both heavy and fancy Groceries, Bagging and Ties, etc., etc.

## COTTON SELLERS

Will find it to their interest to give us a call. For the first time, we are fitted up this season to handle cotton, and propose to give the top of the market.

**Remember the Place**

When you come to town. We are determined to sell goods, regardless of profits, and fine bargains can be had from us and no mistake about it.

oct3tf. A. L. STEWART & BRO.

## NEW FAMILY GROCERY.

East Side Public Square, Jacksonville, Ala.

## J. N. M. CARPENTER,

Has recently opened out at the old stand of B. F. Carpenter & Co., an entirely

## NEW AND FRESH STOCK OF FAMILY GROCERIES,

Consisting of everything, both staple and fancy, kept by any Family Grocery establishment in this section of Alabama.

## I Buy for Cash and Sell for Cash,

and consequently can afford to and will sell Groceries as cheap as they can be bought anywhere in any market of this part of Alabama. Give me a call and price my goods before buying.

**When You Bring Your Cotton to Market,**

let me make a bid on it, and give you an estimate of cost of whatever groceries you may want to take out with you.

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part our boats drift listless down the tide,
Our little boats that once went forth together;
Each sunset finds the distance still more wide,
We sail apart through clear or stormy weather.

Why did we part—why did we ever part?
I stretch my hands forth to thee, mine—my own;
Ah! no, not mine—no longer mine, sweetheart,
I must float sadly on life's stream alone.

Alone!—ever alone! Oh! bitter thought!
And we once met in love's sweet fellowship;
An idle doubt has all this mischief wrought,
And made the bonds once ours from off us slip.

And do you ever feel some wakening thrill,
When we look forth into each other's eyes;
Hast thou no memory of a time when will
Vassal to love, made earth a paradise?

My little white rose blossom, pale and pure,
Your home is ever here upon my breast;
Come to me then, for I cannot endure
This craving after thee, this wild unrest.

My lips are hungry for that rose, thy mouth,
My vision weary for those stars, thy eyes,
And for thyself, sweet as the sunny south,
My heart within me wakens, starts and cries.

## THE CONFEDERATE MONUMENT.

Ashville Aegis.

The Montgomery Advertiser and Hayneville Examiner need not lift up their hands with a feeling of horror at the recent utterances of the Birmingham Iron Age in regard to the proposed erection of the confederate monument at Montgomery.

The Examiner made (as it usually does in all matters it takes hold of) a strong point in criticising the article of the Age. But it seems to us that it and other papers which severely review the Age's utterances do not catch the inspiration of the times. The old element of the south is dying out or emigrating westward, and a new population is coming in to take its place.

The latter is building up the cities, towns and manufactories, and buying up the lands and wealth of the south. They are pouring capital into the south, and as the cry goes up for more, still it comes. The new population don't believe in confederate monuments nor in the pomp and parade of the old sentiment of this section of the country over the prominent figures of the late war when laid in the dust of the tomb. They do, however, believe in all this when applied to the memory of those who fought against the old regime of the south, and they find that the south takes part in their commemorations and memorials of the Union dead; as if to say that liberty and truth, heroism and patriotism were enshrined about them, thus contributing to exalt the north, and in the same sense to debase the idea embodied in the late confederacy. The Age has caught this sentiment from its surroundings and panders to it, believing it will be the dominant opinion of this section in the future. It finds of late enough to encourage this view, both in the newspapers in the south and in the action of the prominent leaders in the confederacy.

But the few who are yet left, out of the whole survivors of the idea of the confederacy should build the monument, even though if it should be torn down in the future by the new people who shall buy out the capital of the state.

### Interesting Experiences.

Hiram Cameron, Furniture Dealer of Columbus, Ga., tells his experience, thus: "For three years have tried every remedy on the market for Stomach and Kidney Disorders, but got no relief, until I used Electric bitters. Took five bottles and am now cured and think Electric Bitters the best Blood Purifier in the world—" Major A. B. Reid, of West Liberty Ky., used Electric Bitters for an old standing Kidney affection and says: "Nothing has ever done me so much good as Electric Bitters."

Sold at fifty cents a bottle by W. M. Nisbet. No 4

Mayor Lane of Birmingham, is announced as a candidate for Alabama's next Governor.


BROWN'S IRON BITTERS — THE BEST TONIC.

QUALITY P URITY NOT QUANTITY. On Every Bottle. Trade Mark

This medicine, combining iron with pure vegetable tonics, quickly and completely **Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weakness, Impure Blood, Malaria, Chills and Fevers, and Neuralgia.**

It is an unfailing remedy for Diseases of the **Kidneys and Liver.**

It is invaluable for Diseases peculiar to **Women,** and all who lead sedentary lives.

It does not injure the teeth, cause headache, or produce constipation—*other Iron medicines do.*

It enriches and purifies the blood, eliminates the poisons, aids the assimilation of food, relieves Heartburn and Belching, and strengthens the muscles and nerves.

For Intermittent Fevers, Lassitude, Lack of Energy, &c., it has no equal.

☞ The genuine has above trade-mark and crossed red lines on wrapper. Take no other. Made only by BROWN CHEMICAL CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

DR. SIGGERS' HUCKLEBERRY CORDIAL

FOR THE BOWELS & CHILDREN TEETHING

It is THE GREAT SOUTHERN REMEDY for the bowels. It is one of the most pleasant and effectual remedies for all summer complaints. At a season when violent attacks of the bowels are so frequent, some speedy relief should be at hand. The wearied mother, looking anxiously at the little one teething, should use the genuine. 25 cts. a bottle. Send 2c. stamp to Walter Taylor, Atlanta, Ga., for Riddle Book.

Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein will cure Coughs, Croup and Consumption. Price 25c. and $1 a bottle.



**From the Bloody Ground.**

TOLLESBORO, KY.

DR. S. B. HARTMAN & Co., Columbus, Ohio,—I keep the largest stock of medicines of any store in Lewis county, with the exception of a drug store at Vanceburg, our county seat, and am selling a great deal of your PERUNA and MANALIN It is giving the best satisfaction of any medicine that I ever handled. In one case the constable for the precinct, has been very sick and low spirited for a long time. For several years he has tried all the doctors here, and we have some good ones, and they did him no good. After much persuasion I sold him two bottles of PERUNA and MANALIN. He took half of the medicine. I could see a great change in him, and now he is as sound a man apparently as there is in this vicinity, and he says he is entirely well. He is a number one man and is highly respected He is satisfied that your medicine saved his life, after all the doctors and all medicines had failed. Being unacquainted with you, I refer you to John Shillito & Co., Aitor, Pinckard & Co., and other business houses of Cincinnati.

R. L. GILLESPIE, P. M.

Messrs. Adamson & Shipley, of Waynesburg, Pa., write: "Please send us some "Ills of Life" immediately. We are having a big run on your medicine, PERUNA. Instead of dying out, like most medicines, in course of time, it seems to be growing in favor. We sell lots of it. Please send the books soon."

Messrs. Wirthorn & Urban, of Allegheny City, Pa., write: "Having a large sale for your PERUNA and MANALIN, we have also many calls for your book, "Ills of Life." Please send us a supply of them, German and English, and oblige."

S. Wolf & Son, Wilmot, O, write: "Gentlemen: We handle your goods, and they give good satisfaction."

A. G. Sellards, Greenup, Ky., says: "Gentlemen: I am handling your medicines, and having a good trade on them."

J. C. Saunders, Martinsburg, W Va., writes: "Gentlemen: Your PERUNA sells fast and gives good satisfaction here. We sell more PERUNA than any other preparation we handle."

W. Bauer, St. Mary's, Pa., writes: "My son is still improving in health. Your PERUNA is just the thing for him."

H. L. Day & Co., New Vienna, Ohio, write: "S. B. HARTMAN & Co., Columbus, Ohio.—Gentlemen: Your PERUNA sells as well as any medicine with us. Quite a number have told us that PERUNA is the best thing they ever used."



Many a Lady

is beautiful in feature but her skin; and nobody has ever told her how easy it is to put beauty on the skin. Beauty on the skin is Magnolia Balm.



Did you Suppose Mustang Liniment only good for horses? It is for inflammation of all flesh.



Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

COLDS. "Orrville, Ohio, Sept. 10, 1882. "Having been subject to a bronchial affection, with frequent colds, for a number of years, I hereby certify that AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL gives me prompt relief, and is the most effective remedy I have ever tried. JAMES A. HAMILTON, Editor of *The Crescent*."

COUGHS. "Mt. Gilead, Ohio, June 26, 1882. "I have used AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL this spring for a severe cough and lung trouble with good effect, and I am pleased to recommend it to any one similarly affected. HARVEY BAUGHMAN, Proprietor Globe Hotel."

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Sold by all Druggists.


**NOTICE NO. 4385.**

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA., Oct 28th, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court, or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Dec. 5th, 1885, viz: Mc. A. Johnson, Homestead Entry for the S½ of SW¼ and W½ of SW¼, Section 30, Township 13 South, Range 8 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land viz: William C Cross, David Crim, A. J. Rhodes, M. A. Parker all of Jacksonville, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT, Register.

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*FINAL SETTLEMENT.*

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County.

In Probate Court, for said County, Special Term Oct. 27th, 1885.

This day came J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley deceased and filed in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 1st day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon said account and make said settlement; and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me, at my office in the court house of said county, on said 1st day of Dec. 1885 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

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**N. B. FEAGAN,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

ANNISTON, ALA.

☞ Office rear room over Hill, Hardy & Co.'s store, Noble street. my24-1y



**CALDWELL, HAMES & CALDWELL,**

Attorneys at Law.

JACKSONVILLE, ..... ALA.



**ELLIS & STEVENSON**

**Attorneys at Law,**

Jacksonville, Ala.



Hides and Rags.

Jake the Butcher will pay the highest market price in cash for hides and rags. Bring them to him at Jacksonville.

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**J. G. Hudson,**

**Notary Public & Ex-Officio Justice of THE PEACE.**

DeArmanville, Alabama.

Courts fourth Saturday in each month. Marriage license for sale. jan3tf.



**Jas. S. Kelly,**

**Notary Public and Ex-Officio**

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

At Oxford, Ala.

Courts 2nd Saturday in each month. sept13-6m



Blacksmith and Woodshop.

Depot St., Jacksonville, Ala.

The undersigned has recently opened up an excellent Blacksmith and Woodshop, supplied with the best of tools and appliances; and is now prepared to do all work in his line

Promptly, Cheaply and Well.

Stephen McLean is the Blacksmith. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. J. F. BEAL. dec15tf



**JAS. HUTCHISON,**

**HAIR DRESSER AND BARBER,**

(Jacksonville Hotel,)

JACKSONVILLE, ..... ALA.



JAMES CROOK, Jacksonville, Ala.

S. D. G. BROTHERS, Jacksonville, Ala. J. J. WILLETT, Anniston, Ala.

**CROOK, BROTHERS & WILLETT,**

**Attorneys at Law,**

Jacksonville and Anniston.



**W. C. LAND,**

WATCHMAKER,

**And Jeweler,**

Jacksonville, ..... Alabama.

Will resume the Watch and Jewelery repairing on all Good Watches. A Good Stock of materials on hand at all times. Agent for the Elgin Watch Co. and agent for the Merridian Cutlery Co.



**Dr. J. E. CROOK,**

OFFERS HIS

**Professional Services**

to the citizens of Alexandria Valley and surrounding country.

A full line of pure Drugs and Patent Medicines kept constantly on hand at my Drug Store in Alexandria. apr—82-tf



**H. F. Montgomery,**

**NOTARY PUBLIC & EX-OFFICIO**

**Justice of the Peace,**

Jacksonville, Ala.

Court second and fourth Mondays in each month. feb17tf



**BLACKSMITHING**

AND

Carriage Making.

The undersigned has leased for a term of years the blacksmith shop of the late Lawson Weaver, and will in future be prepared to do all work in the blacksmithing line or in wagon, carriage or buggy repairing or making at prices suitable to the stringency of the times.

JOSEPH NUNNELLY & SON.

July 27 6m.



WATCHES,

Diamonds,

ART GOODS,

J. P Stevens & Co.,

JEWELERS,

ATLANTA, GA.


**Register's Sale.**

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 8th District of the Eastern Chancery division of Alabama, at Jacksonville, rendered at the October term, 1885, of said court in the cause of J M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley, deceased, vs. B. W Turner, J. A. Kellar and A. J Cross: I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder, for cash before the court house door of Calhoun county, Ala., within the usual hours of sale, on Monday the 23rd day of Nov 1885 the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of section 6, township 14, range 8, (less 20 acres off of the west side of said land in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land sold to satisfy said decree herein mentioned. W. M. HAMES, Register.

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**Tax Collectors Appointments.**

FIRST ROUND.

The undersigned Tax Collector of Calhoun County will attend the appointments published below for the purpose of collecting the State and County tax for the year 1885. All tax is delinquent after the last day of December 1885, and all parties who have not paid their taxes by that time will be called on promptly by myself or deputy for their taxes and cost, allowed by law. There will be no exception made in the county. I will be in Jacksonville the last ten days of December.

FIRST ROUND.

Beat No. 10—Ladiga, Thursday, Oct. 1st, 1885.
Beat No. 9—Cross Plains, Friday Oct. 2nd.
Beat 8—Green's School House, Saturday, Oct. 3rd.
Beat 7—Hollingsworth's, Tuesday Oct. 6th.
Beat 6—Peeks Hill, Wednesday, Oct. 7th.
Beat 5—Griffin's Stoic, Thursday Oct. 8th.
Beat 5—Old Iron Works, Friday Oct. 9th.
Beat 14—Sulphur Springs, Saturday Oct. 10th.
Beat 4—Bynums, Monday Oct. 12th.
Beat 4—Ganaway's School House, Tuesday October 13th.
Beat 2—Alexandria, Wednesday October 14th.
Beat 3—Weavers Station, Thursday October 15th.
Beat 3—Four Mile Spring, Friday October 16th.
Beat 15—Anniston, Monday October 19th.
Beat 13—Oxford, Tuesday October 20th.
Beat 17—DeArmanville, Wednesday October 21st.
Beat 12—Choccoloco, Thursday October 22d.
Beat 12—Davisville, Friday October 23rd.
Beat 10—Cross Roads, Tuesday October 27th.
Beat 11—White Plains, Wednesday October 28th.
Beat 1—Jacksonville, Thursday October 29th.

SECOND ROUND.

Beat 10—Ladiga, Monday Nov. 9th.
Beat 9—Cross Plains, Tuesday and Wednesday Nov. 10th and 11th.
Beat 8—Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 12th.
Beat 7—Hollingsworth's, Monday Nov. 16th.
Beat 6—Peeks Hill, Tuesday Nov. 17th.
Beat 6—Griffin's Store, Wednesday Nov. 18th.
Beat 5—Polkville, Thursday Nov. 19th.
Beat 14—Sulphur Springs, Friday Nov. 20th.
Beat 4—Bynums, Monday Nov. 23.
Beat 4—Ganaway's Tuesday Nov 24th.
Beat 2—Alexandria, Wednesday and Thursday Nov. 25th and 26th.
Beat 3—Weavers Station, Friday Nov. 27th.
Beat 3—Four Mile Springs, Saturday Nov. 28th.
Beat 15—Anniston, Tuesday and Wednesday Dec. 1st and 2nd.
Beat 13—Oxford, Thursday and Friday Dec. 3rd and 4th.
Beat 17—DeArmanville, Tuesday Dec. 8th
Beat 12—Choccoloco, Wednesday, Dec. 9th.
Beat 12—Davisville, Thursday Dec. 10th.
Beat 10—Cross Roads, Tuesday Dec. 15th.
Beat 11—White Plains, Wednesday and Thursday Dec. 16th and 17th.
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|---|---|---|
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| Talladega | 10:55 a. m. | 11:22 a. m. |
| Anniston | 11:50 | 1:20 |
| Arr Rome | 5:20 | 7:50 |
| Lv Rome | 5:30 | 8:00 |
| Arr Dalton | 7:10 | 9:50 |
| Lv Dalton | 7:40 | 10:05 |
| Arr Cleveland | 8:30 | 10:55 |
| SOUTH BOUND | | |
| Lv Cleveland | 9:25 a. m. | 8:55 p. m. |
| Dalton | 10:20 | 10:02 |
| Rome | 11:05 | 11:05 |
| Anniston | 2:55 p. m. | 2:47 a. m. |
| Talladega | 3:50 | 3:47 |
| Calera | 4:30 | 4:30 |
| Arr Selma | 7:15 | 9:10 |

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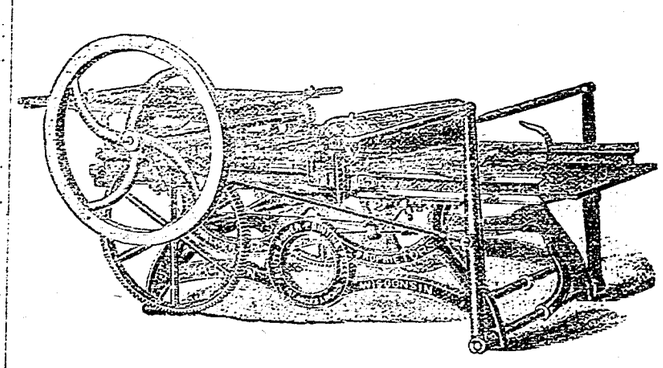

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## COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

**News from Surrounding Counties.**

CLEBURNE COUNTY.

The Editor of the Edwardsville *Standard* thus tells how he was robbed in Birmingham a few days ago:

"The publisher of the Standard had the misfortune to be relieved of his pocket-book by some one, on the platform of the car, just as the train was leaving Birmingham Sunday night.—It contained $60 in money, and valuable papers to the amount of $40 or $50. The way in which the book was taken is as follows: We had been seated near the end of the second car in the rear for some fifteen minutes, in company with Messrs. C. M. Coggin and J. J. Greer, when some one passed us, and said for those coming beyond the first station to get in the rear car, as the one we were in would be left at the first station. We, among others, started immediately for the rear car, reached the platform and finding we could not get into the other car tried to step back into the car we had just left, but we found we could not move, and had to hold on to the break to keep from being knocked off the train; and by time the train had got off about one hundred yards from the depot the conductor passed, and immediately the fellow that was crowding jumped off, and just then we felt our pocket-book leave our pocket. The alarm was given, but it was then to late, as the train was getting under good headway. We were burned out the 12th of November last, and then to get robbed of what little money we had in a little less time than a year seems that we are doomed to misfortune, but we still live, and we hope to be always "right side up with care."

Mr. P. D. R. Williamson had his right leg broken and Mr. Kirkley had his face badly torn a few days ago by the falling of a shed at Garrison's Saw mill in Cleburne.

The Standard says that Emanuel Hilderbrand, colored, near Edwardsville raised a sweet potato this year that measured two feet around.

Married in Edwardsville recently by Judge Burton, Mr. C. W. Golden and Mrs. J. M. Golden.

Prof. T. J. Dulin, who has been teaching school at Bell Town, is now selling sewing machines for the Singer Company.

A bale of cotton, last week, was cut in Heflin, and $ 65 bid on it, and brought to Edwardsville and sold for 9 cts.—*Edwardsville Standard.*

The baby boy of Mr. J. L. Roberts, near Oak Level, died on the 17th ult.

The Standard predicts several weddings in the near future.

Texas fever in Cleburne is dying out.

The Northern Methodists will hold an Annual Conference at Edwardsville Nov. 26th. Bishop Mallalieu will preside.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY

The Ashville Aegis is running an interesting serial story "Won at the Tomb," written by its editor, Mr. Cather, author of "Dora's Device." "Worlds Beyond." "Shall we know Each Other in Heaven" etc.

The blue haw crop in St. Clair is a good one.

The Sunday Schools of Ashville are well attended. Very creditable to that pretty little town.

Hon. Frank Dillon still improves; very slowly, however, much to the regret of his friends.

Cotton is going into Ashville very rapidly.

The new jail is going up at Ashville rapidly.

Much clearing of land about Ashville.

Judge Inzer has produced a potato weighing six and three-fourth pounds.

Brokenarrow mines are operating again. We learn that the coke manufactured out of the coal taken from these mines is of the very best quality. The sulphur washers proved a success.—*Ashville Aegis.*

TALLADEGA COUNTY.

Talladega Circuit Court opened Monday for a six weeks term.

Mr. J. A. Powe and family, of Alpine, will move into Talladega.

Mr. A. J. Brumit, of Opelika, has located in Talladega for the purpose of buying cotton.

Judge Groce, of Talladega county, died Oct. 28th.

Twe wagon loads of opossums were offered for sale in Talladega recently.

The new bank in Talladega will be opened about the 15th of this month.

The Eagle works in Talladega have been furnished with new engines and machinery and will start by the 1st of December.

Arrangements have been made to extend the Talladega & Coosa Valley railroad to the coal fields. The St. Clair coal men have promised to deliver coke in Talladega at $2 per ton over roads already running into that town. With the Talladega & Coosa Valley railroad finished it can be laid down in Talladega even cheaper than this.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

J. D. Young, who was shot in Gadsden recently by Maj. Wyly, is recovering.

Phillips Beat in Etowah paid more taxes on the collector's first round than all the balance of the beats in the county put together

Capt. N. H. McDuffie of Etowah died on the 2nd inst.

Miss Mollie Gray, of Etowah, aged 18 years, died on the 1st inst.

Abe DeArman has just returned from Pratt Mines where he went to see his father, John A. DeArman. He says his father is acting as turn-key and stands imprisonment very well.—*Gadsden News.*

Moore Milburne has gone from Gadsden to Texas with his family. He formerly lived in Texas.

Gadsden wants a cotton factory. The *Times* says Gadsden is on the verge of a first-class boom.

J. E. Gilliland had the misfortune of getting his left hand mangled in a cotton gin one day last week. One of his fingers had to be amputated.—*Times.*

The oyster supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society on Thursday night of last week at the Kitterell House was a decided success in every respect. The gross receipts were about $75.00.—*Times*

A negro stole a pair of pants Saturday night from the Trade Store, and after going out of the house, found that they were too small, came back and exchanged them with one of the clerks for a larger pair. Sharp negro.—*Times.*

Gadsden's Steamer is taking cotton from Rome territory along the Coosa River and carrying it to Gadsden and the Rome papers are calling upon their merchants to look sharp.

### To Prevent Giving Morphine by Mistake.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA., Nov. 4th.
ED. REPUBLICAN:

We often see where druggists and physicians administer morphine or strychnine by mistake for quinine, and yet no remedy is suggested. The Georgia Legislature has enacted a law "compelling druggists to keep such drugs in a scarlet wrapper." So far so good, but "wrappers" are liable to displacement, and so nothing safe is found yet.

It occurred to me, long ago, that were drug men and physicians compelled by law to keep all such drugs in the original package, as put up by the manufacturer, then such fatal mistakes would not occur. Morphine and strychnine are put into characteristic bottles. Even the laity are conversant with the contour of the morphine bottle, and a druggist, or physician, if drunk would detect an error if about to issue from such vial. It is customary for druggists to empty many drachm vials of these poisonous drugs into one large fancy jar, which, placed along side of other jars of its kind is easily mistaken, especially since the poisonous morphine and inocuous quinine are almost exactly alike. Unless the two are placed beside each other the one is readily taken for the other. So with the sulphate of strychnine of some makers. These three sulphates are so nearly alike that a chemical test is necessary to detect their identity.

Then, to be certainly exempt from mistakes, let there be a law "making it criminal for any one, drug man, physician, or morphine user, to remove from its original package for transfer to another, any poisonous drug," and we will never hear of deaths from the substitution of morphine or strychnine for quinine.

Respectfully,
M. D.

The defeat of Mahone will leave the Senate forty-one Republicans to thirty-five Democrats. This leaves us in need of three more Democrats to make a tie and give the casting vote to the Vice-President.

Gen. McClelen, the knightliest soldier on the Federal side in the late war, is dead. He did not wage war after the manner of Sherman or Sheridan, and hence was not so popular in the North as these celebrated barn-burners.

### LETTER FROM TEXAS.

SOMERSET, TEX., Nov. 2.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Though far away upon the frontier seeking to arrest the progress of a cruel and deadly disease, that has prevented the consummation of hopes which but a year ago were bright and promising, a late issue of your paper so completely captivated thought and imagination that I feel impelled, notwithstanding great physical weakness, to write you a letter of congratulation. Your paper made me happy amid loneliness and suffering. I do not write this in this in the usual strains of specious compliment correspondents are wont to fill the columns of "valuable journals;" but because I am proud of the advancement, commercial, educational and material which the grand old town is achieving. There is life in the old land yet. I am happy to note the extraordinary spirit of energy, activity and progress, which seems to animate every department of industry. Indeed, not figuratively, but practically your town has risen like a phoenix from the ashes and launched upon a new and ever-swelling tide of prosperity. Your paper which for fifty years has been a potential factor in moulding political opinion and promoting intellectual and material development in Calhoun comes changed in form and feature, brilliant, progressive, alert and wide-awake to every possibility which might affect the future interests of town or county. Unshaken by animadversion and harping criticism, unbiased by considerations of private policy, unterrified by jealousy or opposition, it is still the exponent of enlightened public opinion, the defender of right and the advocate of every line of policy calculated to promote the welfare of the people. In your attitude upon the disposition of county convicts, you subserved the noblest principles of justice and philanthrophy. It has always been a source of intense mortification to me that in the administration of so-called justice, human beings were condemned to excruciating physical torture for trivial violations of law, which involved no moral turpitude whatever. Thank heaven the legislature has arisen to a higher plane of humanity.

A new court house, new hotel, new jail! For the sake of your own reputation as christians build the jail. Those subterranean dungeons are relics of barbarism and a disgrace to civilization. Your jail is a foul excrescence upon the fair face of Calhoun. It is a monstrosity rising in its hideous deformity amid a community where the church bells awake each sabbath morn with the music of heaven. Tear it down and let the antiquated fossils howl until those infinitesimal microscopic pieces of flint in their bodies, called souls, break from exhaustion. I was filled with surprise and indignation by the cause which evoked your splendid defense of the justice of the Lost Cause. Is there any man so lost to honor, so destitute of patriotism, who would trample upon the graves of our martyred dead, repudiate the holiest principles that ever nerved men to deeds of high and holy daring and proclaim to the world that a crushed and conquered people, kneeling amid the ruins of a cause loved and lost, are a nation of traitors? This too as a stroke of financial policy! Sink to the deepest hell of degradation that apostate son of the south who would dare insult the memory of the immaculate Lee, the immortal Jackson, the venerable and spotless Davis. As a sacred heritage we should transmit to our remotest posterity the splendid record of that glorious galaxy of confederated stars, which for a time shown so brilliantly in the firmament of nations. Is it possible for one born beneath a southern sun, to be so utterly destitute of independence of character, so deveid of every inspiration of pride in country and country's honor as to cower like a belabored hound beneath the master's lash, and whine out his servile acknowledgements that the devastation of a beautiful land, the martyrdom of its sons, the widowhood of its daughters, was just retribution against a people who fell fighting for the preservation of constitutional liberty and the great right of popular self government.

Whenever sentiments of patriotism are made subservient to mercenary motives, whenever a nation substitutes the worship of mammon for love of country, it is the inevitable forerunner of national degradation and the prelude to her own destruction. Call it a sickly sentimentality, I care not, but I believe our very highest duty in the education of the children of the south, is to teach them to reverence the grand principles of liberty which formed the basis of secession: to repudiate with scorn unutterable the base insinuation that their fathers were traitors; to love the cold dead hand that bore the conquered banner through the wild storm of battle to a hundred victories, and ever remember that they are descendants of a line of warriors who could not be out-braved but were out numbered. Teach the boys of Calhoun as they stand beside the consecrated mounds, where repose the ashes of our martyred Pelham and Martin and Francis and Forney and Whatley and Earle, and a host of other heroic spirits who sealed with their life blood the justice of the Lost Cause, that though defeated, yet without a stain, they sleep proudly, peacefully in the bosom of that land they died to save. Let the apostate talk. The south needs neither eulogy nor defense. The record of her wonderful courage and fortitude, through four years of unparalleled suffering encircles her name with a glory which will grow brighter and brighter with circling ages, until it reaches upward beyond into the realms of immortality.

WALLACE.

### GET UP AN EXHIBIT.

Anniston Watchman.

The citizens of Anniston received an impromtu invitation to meet at the rooms of the Commercial and Manufacturers' Association to digest plans for making an exhibit of the mineral metalic, manufacturer's and agricultural resources of Calhoun county at the New Orleans Exposition. After a statement from Mr. F. M. Hight of his purpose in collecting them together.

On motion of John M. Caldwell, Mr. Hight was called to the chair.

On motion of N. B. Feagin, S. B. Brewer was requested to act as secretary.

Mr. Sam'l Noble stated that the Woodstock Iron Company had secured 2000 feet of space on the floors of the Exposition building, and were preparing a cabinet in which to exhibit ores, charcoal, lime and building stones, samples of iron, and the products of the manufactories of Anniston, Alabama Furnace and Ironaton.

Mr. Noble suggested that the citizens interest themselves in securing farm products, and everything that would show up our resources, and raise funds for the employment of a competent man to represent them at New Orleans.

On motion of Mr. Caldwell a committee of four was appointed on Finances.

The chair appointed J. M. Caldwell, Benj. Johnson, R. H. Cobb and J. J. Willett said committee.

Messrs. Caldwell and Cobb headed the contribution with $25.00 each.

A committee on correspondence having been suggested. Messrs. Sam'l Noble, S. B. Brewer, N. B. Feagin and F. M. Hight were duly appointed.

A committee consisting of Messrs. S. Noble, Wm. Noble, J. B. Goodwin and H. L. Stevenson was appointed to look after manufactures.

Messrs. S. Noble, G. B. Randolph and J. H. Moser were appointed a committee to procure an exhibit of minerals.

The committee on agricultural products consists of Messrs. W. H. Williams, T. H. Clements, S. Armentrout, James Crook, John Floyd Smith, Capt. W. F. Bush and J. N. Dobbins.

The farmers are invited to meet with the citizens at the Association rooms Saturday afternoon next, at three o'clock, to co-operate with them in procuring the materials for this exhibit.

The citizens are invited to meet at the same place on Friday night at 7:30 o'clock to report progress.

The committee on correspondence were instructed to get Talladega, Oxford, Jacksonville, Cross Plains, Weaver's and other places to unite in this effort that this portion of the State may be thoroughly represented, and not confine the effort to Calhoun county.

After which the meeting adjourned. S. B. BREWER, Sec'ty.

### An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well.

Electric Bitrers are sold at fifty cents abottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by Wm. M. Nisbet. No 5

$6,729.05 have been raised so far for the Confederate Monument in Montgomery. When will Calhoun send down the handsome donation expected of her.

### LETTER FROM TEXAS.

WAXAHACHIE, TEX., Nov. 4, 1885.
JACKSONVILLE REPUBLICAN:

As it has been some time since my last letter to the dear old home paper, I will this morning write you a short letter. I see in the REPUBLICAN that there is a measure on foot to erect a monument to the memory of the illustrious Pelham. I for one am proud to see such a thing on foot and think that every man in Calhoun county should contribute something to the same. 'Tis true I am away here in Texas but still claim Allegiance to and am proud of Calhoun county and will ever respect the memory of one so noble and true as was Pelham. I gave for the Lost Cause an arm while (he) Pelham gave his life. Yes, I lost my left arm while battling for the loved but lost cause and am willing to lend a mite in so noble a cause. When the time comes I will then contribute my mite. To the friends who yet remember me. I would say that I am yet in the land and among the living and would be pleased to have any who should visit Texas, to stop with me. I see that several families of late have left our dear Lone Star State and hied away back to Alabama. Well all I have to say is every one to his choice. I for one am willing to stay in Texas. I met yesterday a young Mr. Noah, who is of late from dear "old Calhoun." He came here and stayed two years and went back and stayed about three years or more, and now he says he will remain in Texas. I do not see what object one could have in going back to Alabama from here, for I know that there is no better country than this. 'Tis true there are some disadvantases here, but everything taken together this is in my opinion the best country I have seen. We have good schools and as good society as one will find any where, and as to protection. I am certain that no country offers more protection to life and property than does this country. Will say that crime is dedreasing with each succeeding year and our judicial powers are amply sufficient and the laws rigidly enforced as much so as any place I ever lived, Calhoun not excepted. Our county is prohibition. There will be another election on that question soon. It is thought by some that prohibition will still prevail.

We are now having a very interesting canvass in which to raise $30,000 as a subsidy to the Fort Worth New Orleans Railroad to get them to come to Waxahachie, and I learn that the amount is about subscribed. That will give our little city a boom.

We are this time enjoying a boom in the way of our roller mills, which are doing a fine business. Well, kind editor, I will quit before I tire your patience.

Respectfully,
J. P. COOPER.

The Birmingham *Age*, some time since, praised the Confederate soldiers, but abused the Confederacy, as the creation of ambitious, reckless, and vicious politicians; and now the *Age* is realizing how it feels to have the hide taken off. "The prudent man foreseeth the evil and hideth himself," but the *Age* man being young, went forth in the strength and pride of youth, fell into a hornets' nest, and may now devote a few weeks to medicating his eyes. The youth of the land may as well understand first as last, that their bald-headed Confederates will never allow themselves nor their cause abused with impunity while they have a hand to strike back.—*Southern Dale Co.) Star.*

### A Correction Requested.

Marion Standard.

Our first choice is Col. N. H. R. Dawson, of Selma, and we believe he is the choice of the people of Perry county. Our second choice is Hon. Thos. Seay of Greensboro. We have seen no necessity for haste in announcing our choice for Governor, but as we have been misrepresented in the matter, we hope our exchanges will do us the justice to make a correction as to how we stand.

### Pardons Refused.

The Governor has refused to grant pardons in the cases of J. A. DeArman, who killed Marshal Crook in Jacksonville, and one Jarman, who committed a murder in Talladega county.

Both cases weae pressed hard for pardon by friends of the prisoners. DeArman was sentenced to the penitentiary for four years and Jarman for three years.—*Montgomery Advertiser.*

For all purgative purposes, for constipation, indigeston, headache, and liver complaints, take Ayer's pills. By universal accord, they are the best purgatives for family use.

## STATE NEWS.

Mr. D. H. Trott, of the Camden *Home-Ruler*, died on the 2d inst.

Some capitalists are talking about starting a bank at Clayton.

The Eufaula Fair has been a success; ditto the Fair at Huntsville.

A fire in Selma recently destroyed about a million feet of lumber for A. P. Howison.

The grand jury of Cullman recommends the building of a new county jail.

H. G. McCall gracefully salutatories as an editorial adjunct of the Shelby Sentinel.

B. W. Barnett, a prominent citizen of Union Springs, died in that town last Wednesday.

There is an unusual amount of sickness in the vicinity of Pineapple, Wilcox county.

The number of gold prospectors about Sumerville grows rapidly, and so in many districts in Alabama.

The circuit court sitting in Moulton adjourned to attend the circus, which other wise would have busted.

The Society of United Charities of Selma has done great good among the poor and friendless of that city.

The Shelby Iron Company has a new passenger coach and runs regular trains between Columbina and the iron works.

Mr. Simpson Darden of Tuscaloosa county had his arm torn off by a gin the 7th from the effects of which he died in two hours.

According to the Herald, Union Springs merchants are having a hard time of it because the people will send off for their goods.

The Selma Times pronounced a deserved and tasteful eulogium upon Alex. H. Williams, late editor of the Greensboro Watchman.

S. P. West, of Talladega, begs everybody who can tell aught of the deeds and virtues of the late Rev. Joshua West, M. D., to write to him.

Two candidates, each for Probate Judge and Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marengo county, are regularly announced in the Linden *Reporter.*

The Wilcox Agricultural and Mechanical Association has decided to have a fair. It will begin on the 18th inst., and continue four days.

The Y. M. C. A. of Clanton will co-operate in prayer with other like associations, everwhere the world over, for one week beginning on the 8th inst.

Col. Stanley, President of the Alabama Press Association has been appointed a member of the Executive Committe of the International Press Association.

The Commissioner's court, of Chambers county, has hired the convicts of that county at nine dollars per month each—the hirer to "take them as they come."

The young lawyer Anderson, of Moulton, who is winning bright laurels and will rise high if he sticks to his trade, toiled on a farm to make money enough to go to the law school.

At Hardwicksburg, Henry county, Mrs. Sue Brown shot one Will Adams with a gun loaded with buckshot, and the Abbeville Times learns that Adams has since died from the wounds.

A terrible cyclone passed northeast of Selma some miles the 7th and demolished several houses and negro cabins and killed several people. It also made much havoc about Summerfield.

Eufaula *Times*: The opossums and squirrels now being brought to market are the finest and fattest seen here in years, owing to the abundant mast on the hickory, oak, beach and persimmon trees.

The Gadsden Times boasts of Gadsden's sober and industrious young men, and it also says: "Our citizens are making great preparations for the entertainment of the ministers of the North Alabama conference, which convenes here on the 18th inst."

A lady has sent the Eufaula *Times* a persimmon, which grew in her yard, and is as large as a medium-sized orange. The *Times* says that "it altogether beats anything in the way of a persimmon the writer ever saw or heard of, and would make a coon or a opossum fairly dance to behold."

The Birmingham Chronicle says that farmers in the neighborhood of Riverside are "pleased with a new pea they are now cultivating, called the "Dutch pea." A huntsman killed a duck and found in his craw three peas. He planted them, and the seed produced the wonderful pea that is now so much in demand."

The gin house of Mr. James Sykes, near Courtland, containing about eight bales of cotton and forty bushels of cotton seed, were consumed by fire Thursday. There was no insurance on the property.

Clayton came near having a big fire the 7th. A fire in a big block of business houses was discovered and put out about daylight. On examination the roofs of the buildings were found dripping with kerosene.

The 19 year old son of a man named Daniels, who kept a country store and saloon eight miles south of Birmingham, was found murdered the morning of the 6th. Five hundred dollars reward has been offered for the detection and arrest of the murderer.

The Carrolton West Alabamian says that the gin house of Messrs. Poag & Blake, and ten bales of cotton belonging to Mr. George H. Phillips were burned last Sunday night by an incendiary. It also records the misfortune of Mr. Raleigh Brewer in the loss of his gin house and a large lot of cotton and cotton seed, amounting to near $2,000, caused by incendiarism.

Mr. Hartsfield, a merchant of Orlando, not far from Troy, growing jealous of one Dudly, late of Covington, Georgia, attacked Dudly with a knife while the latter and the wife were talking. Dudly is perhaps fatally wounded. Hartsfield awaits the issue of life and death in jail. He said he regrets that he did not first kill the mother of his child.

While Frank Perry was engaged guiding the band to the 25 horse power steam engine of Messrs. J. M. & T. J. Langley, about 12 miles west of LaFayette, it broke, jerking him on the shaft, breaking his leg in five places. When his body struck the shaft it stopped the engine. He died four days afterward.

The Florence Banner warns its readers as follows: "Let out people look out for one H. E. Johnson, who is said to be a very pleasant, intelligent man, but who is a regular dead-beat and swindler, now traveling through the South, and practicing nefarious schemes to obtain money from the unsuspecting. He is about 35 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high."

The emperor of Austria presented a little girl of Montgomery with a gold clover leaflet with a diamond dew drop in its center. The child's birthday being the same with that of the emperor, she sent him a note with flowers reminding him of the fact, and that she loved the good Emperor Joseph. She was six and the emperor fifty-four years old. The emperor was well pleased that he was thus recognized even by an American child.

Mollie Rogers, a soiled dove of Birmingham sent a note to Sam Jones saying that she wished to lead a proper life, if any good family in town would give her employment. A christain family took her, and other women of the same bagnio professed a desire to follow her example. The world is not so charitable to fallen women as it should be and the gentleman in Birmingham who has consented to protect Mollie Rogers has set a fine christain example.

The new jury law is not working any more satisfactorily in Bullock than in Jefferson and other counties. A dispatch from Union Springs to the Montgomery Advertiser says:

The court of county commissioners concluded to day a long agony of four days in drawing juries for the coming February and August terms of the Circuit Court of this county. The commissioners are thoroughly disgusted with the vexations of the new jury law for Bullock county.

### Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Brandford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga Tenn., writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery.

Trial Bottles free at W. M. Nisbet's Drug Store. No 5

The mayor, with the aid of some of our merchants, is taking steps to have Anniston and Calhoun county properly represented at the World's Exposition in New Orleans. The W. I. Co. have already prepared an exhibit.—*Anniston Watchman.*

Rheumatism, neuralgia, and catarrh, caused by impoverished blood, are cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

# The Republican.

NOVEMBER 14, 1885.

The steamer Algoma on Lake Superior went down in a storm the morning of the 9th, drowning forty-eight persons.

The Civil Service Commission is now composed of two Democrats and one Republican, and for the first time Democrats will have a fair chance when they go before the commission for examination.

With the platform of both the Republican and Democratic parties declaring for a revision of the tariff, and such men as Mr. Randall declaring for a policy in the next Congress to meet the declarations of the Democratic party on that head, it looks rather like a hopeless undertaking for any one to start out now, at this late day, to convert the Democrats of Calhoun to the Radical doctrine of protection for the sake of protection. But there's nothing like trying.

The move made by the business men of Anniston to have that town and Calhoun county represented at the New Orleans Exposition is a good one and should meet the hearty co-operation of the people of the county. We see from the Anniston *Watchman* that any exhibit sent to Mr. S. B. Brewer at Anniston, will be forwarded without further charge to the exhibitor. The call comes late, but still the people have time to make a creditable exhibit for the county if they will move out at once. If you have anything in the shape of farm products, minerals or anything else that you deem worthy of exhibition, take it to Mr Brewer.

As usual at this season of the year the papers have accounts of the burning of many gin houses and much cotton, both from accident and by the hand of the incendiary. The owner of every gin house ought to carry a policy of insurance. No species of property is so much exposed or so easy to destroy by fire. And yet "no insurance" usually follows the announcement of the burning of a gin house. We urge upon the owners of gin houses in Calhoun to insure their gins and cotton in same during the season, with some good insurance company. It is better to pay something for protection than to run the risk of being ruined altogether by the careлessness of some stupid hand about the gin or through the malice of some discharged workman or bad neighbor.

The Courier *Journal* publishes letters from one hundred and sixty congressmen—fifty-nine Democrats and ninety-one Republicans in response to four question asked them. To the third question as follows: "To what extent in your opinion, will a revision of the tariff and internal revenue laws be desirable at the next session?" fifty-three Democrats answer that they favor agitation, three oppose and three are non-committal; of the Republicans seventy-five oppose tariff legislation, four favor it and twelve are non-committal. From this it is very plain that if the country is to have any revision of the tariff, it must come from the Democrats. Both parties are pledged to a revision of the tariff on an equitable basis, but the Republicans, as always, are prepared to break their pledges made before the election. Mr. Randall says the Democrats will keep faith with the people on this head and revise the tariff.

The position og the REPUBLICAN on the tariff is easily defined. This paper believes religiously in the greatest good to the greatest number, and therefore is opposed to a high protective tariff that robs the many to enrich the few and build up monopolies. A tariff for revenue, with the incidental protection such a tariff affords, is as far as this government should go in the imposition of import duties. A tariff for protection merely, and which tends to foster monopolies, at the expense of the great masses of the people, is unconstitutional and undemocratic. We want the Democrats of Calhoun to stand by us on this platform and resist the committal of the people of this county to the Radical doctrine of a high protective tariff. The promulgation of such doctrine in this county comes from an interested quarter. Those who preach it see money in it for themselves. It is "business" with them, but it means party debauchment and injury to their material interests to the great body of the people of the county.

# AN AWFUL STORM

## NEAR SELMA SCATTERS DEATH AND DESOLATION.

### A Cyclone Track Forty Miles Long—Dead and Injured Picked up all Along the Way.

SELMA, ALA., Nov. 9.—Friday night one of the most terrible and destructive storms ever known of in this State passed over the section of country just north of this city, washing away bridges, rail road beds, growing crops, and levelling forests and houses for miles. The cyclone was accompanied by torrents of rain and appalling electric discharges. It started on Cahaba river, passed through Dallas, Perry, and Bibb counties, leaving a dead waste of forests, plantations, houses and villages. Exploring relief parties say the track of the cyclone was half a mile wide. They have gone over forty miles, picking up dead and wounded, and do not know how much longer the track is. Thirteen persons have been killed outright and forty or fifty dangerously wounded. A number of persons cannot be accounted for. Bales of cotton were blown from gin-houses and burst and scattered everywhere. No two locks of lint were left together. A man driving with cotton to the city has been lost. The cotton and wagon were blown a quarter of a mile and the man and mules carried off and cannot be found. Growing crops of potatoes, etc., were torn up from the ground. Even trees and cotton stalks were banked. Relief parties are searching for the dead and dying, and everything is being done to relieve the destitution. The negroes are frightened nearly to death, and huddle about together or squat alone unclad in the bushes and under fallen trees, stupified and speechless with fear and superstition, unable to tell were any of their houshold are. The city is being canvassed for money subscriptions to bury the dead and relieve the wants of the destitute.

## A CYCLONE

### And Its Terrible Damage in Texas.

GALVESTON, Nov. 6.—A special from Dangerfield, Texas, to the News, says: Later accounts show that the cyclone in Cass county on Thursday evening last, was worse than at first reported. Its breadth was thirty yards and a spiral shaped cloud moved with awful velocity and a terrific roar, crushing dwellings and outbuilding, scattering their contents far and wide and carrying death and destruction in its pathway. Hardy Pitman and his three children, six, seven and eight years old, and also a nine year old boy named Richard Hawthorne, were killed by the destruction of their residence. The head of one child was twisted off and carried 200 yards from the body. Mrs. Bruce, a widow, aged eighty years, and her daughter, were badly injured by the wrecking of their residence. It is supposed the former will die from injuries. Reports from other casualties are expected. After the storm a turkey was found completely stripped of his feathers. The damage is not known.

The *Herald*, speaking of an evil system not confined to New York, says: "The whole idea of underrating the value of a female teacher's services in its relation to those of a male teacher is as absurd in theory as it is false in fact. A female teacher, when she enters the profession, is in nine cases out of ten better equipped than a man for teaching. She has greater patience, is more sympathetic, better qualified to train and instruct very young children—and these outnumber the old ones ten to one—and is, in fact, which a man is not, a natural teacher. Yet under the plan proposed by the board of education, the youngest male teacher employed would receive nine hundred dollars a year, while the youngest female teacher would have only five hundred dollars. This is a manifest injustice. The board of education will show little sense of right and less judgment if the fair claims of female teachers are not considered in regarding the salaries."

### The Rome and Carrollton Railroad.

Track-laying on the Rome and Carrollton Railroad, which had to be suspended on account of the recent bad weather, was resumed yesterday. There are now two hundred tons of steel in the yard, and the balance to complete the twenty miles, is on the way. All of the grading except a little piece at Cedartown will be finished by Saturday night. The rolling stock, which has been delayed so long at Cincinnati, is expected this week. —*Rome Courier.*

Oxana people will be glad to hear that Sam Jones said, in his Sunday night sermon, that it was not prohibition that had killed Anniston, but Oxanna.—*Birmingham Age.*


### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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## TARIFF REVISION.

### Mr. Randall Declares that Revision will be had.

Philadelphia Record.

The Republican platform declares that the tariff needs revision and the surplus should be reduced. The Democratic platform demands a reduction of the surplus and a revision of the tariff, with a proviso that it shall be done in such a manner that no harm shall come to invested capital, and so that there shall be no reduction of wages by reason of the cheap bought labor of Europe. This is the most intelligent, wisest and business like declaration that ever emenated from any convention. Now, let me say that the tariff will be revised, and I feel safe in saying that not only the spirit, but almost the letter of the declaration of the Chicago convention will be enacted into law by Congress.

Mr. Randall then referred to the fact that so far from the prediction being verified that a Democratic administration meant the ruin of business, less than nine months have passed since Mr. Cleveland's inauguration and there has been a decided revival of trade. "There is some feeling prevalent," said Mr. Randall, "and with which I may be in sympathy to a limited extent, that President Cleveland is going a little slow. Let me tell you, my friends, if he is going slow, he is going very safe. He is building for us a foundation surer than we think. He is commanding the confidence of the great body of the American people. Can we not then be a little patient? When the President comes to be weighed in the balance a second time, he will not be found wanting, and we may hope for another era of good feeling, under which, having found us faithful, the people will trust us in possession without limit."

## FRANCE AND THE SOUTH.

### Napoleon and His Ministry and the Confederacy—What Secretary Lamar Says.

From the New York Commercial Advertiser.

A Southern paper asserted recently that Mr. L. Q. C. Lamar returned from Europe in 1864, bearing assurances from Lord Palmerston and the Emperor Napoleon that if the Confederate Government would abolish slavery its recognition by England and France would be possible.

This story having been brought to Mr. Lamar's attention, he said that while in France he frequently saw Napoleon, but that the latter made no suggestion to him as to what the course of the Confederacy should be.

He was with the South in sympathy, however. So was Persigny, so was de Morny, the Prime Minister. The Count de Morny was the man who is really responsible, originally, for the appearance of this story about the abolition of slavery by the Southern Confederacy.

"De Morny," said Mr. Lamar, "was a bright man, and he understood France, the sentiments of nobles and common people, and the disposition toward the Confederacy of all political classes in the empire. He told me that the noblesse—emperor, princess, the Guizot faction, imperialists and bourbons alike were for us. If the desire of those classes—the wealthy, aristocratic and powerful—was alone to be consulted they would declare for the Confederacy at once. But the peasant f'eslavage—they were against the confederacy. If the confederacy, seeking independence not alone on the ground that its cause was one of resistance to oppression, could also appeal to a common France for its support in an effort to enlarge human liberty, then the emperor, who had great regard for l'eslavage as well as the nobles, could extend assistance with the assurance that he would be upheld.

Persigny was of the same opinion, and so were others about the emperor with whom I conversed.

DeMorny was confident that the populace of the French empire were more intensely opposed to us than the people of England, and that their repugnance was to be attributed to the fact that we were contending for the maintenance of slavery.

"While I was in England," said Mr. Lamar, "I did not meet Lord Palmerston to talk with him on the subject of recognition of the Confederacy. Dickens, Thackery, Carlyle were all with us.

"Did I speak to anybody in the matter about the abolition proposition? Yes, I did. I was younger than I am now, was more enthusiastic, and I was full of the force of deMorny's suggestion. I spoke to Mr. Judah P. Benjamin, to Mr. Memminger, to Mr. Clay and to others, but never to Mr. Davis. I knew that it would be useless. Slavery was the thing for which we were contending, and I knew that to propose to Mr. Davis to secure foreign succor by abolishing the institution would result adversely. Nothing ever came of it in the way of legislation. So the honor of having proposed that the South should abolish slavery in order that the Confederacy might live does not belong to me. Whatever of credit there is in the suggestion belongs to DeMorny, whose advice was not followed.


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I have been in the business in Jacksonville for forty-five years, and now comes in our village blacksmith and county treasurer and making an effort to wring that part of my trade from my hands, and neither of them know any more about the business than a hog knows about holiday. Get prices when you need any thing in my line and then come to me. I have no house rent to pay and no one to support but myself and wife and can consequently sell cheaper than any one else. Don't buy until you have priced my goods.
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## *FINAL SETTLEMENT.*

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }

In Probate Court for said county, Special Term Nov. 11th 1885.

This day came John E. Nisbet and Joseph W. Nisbet Executors of the Estate of James G. Nisbet deceased, and filed in Court their account and vouchers for a final settlement of their Administration of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 7th day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon account and make said settlement and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear *before me*, at my office in the court house of said county, on said 7th day of Dec. 1885, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
nov14-3t Judge of Probate.

## Register's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 8th District of the Eastern Chancery division of Alabama at Jacksonville, rendered at the October term, 1885, of said court in the cause of J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley, deceased, vs. B. W. Turner, J. A. Kellar and A. J. Cross: I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder, for cash before the court house door of Calhoun county, Ala., within the usual hours of sale, on Monday the 23rd day of Nov. 1885, the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of section 6, township 14, range 8, (less 20 acres off of the west side of said land in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land sold to satisfy said decree herein mentioned.

W. M. HAMES,
oct17-4t Register.

## Administrator's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, State of Alabama, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of John Starky deceased, will sell on the premises on the 18th day of November 1885, at public outcry to the highest bidder the real estate belonging to said estate lying in Calhoun county, State of Alabama, as follows: About 40 acres in the N½ of SE¼ and all of the NE¼ excepting a triangular piece in the south-west corner, and a strip on the north boundary which begins 15 chains from the north-east corner of said quarter section 29, township 14, range 6, which boundaries are defined by J. C. Archer and B. G. McClelen surveyors 175 acres more or less and also the following personal property to-wit: One black mule, one wagon and harness, some sheep, yearlings, and pork hogs, some corn and wheat, blacksmiths tools, shoe makers tools and mechanical tools, household and kitchen furniture and many other things of value and use.

TERMS OF SALE.—The land will be sold for one half cash and balance in 12 months with sureties and interest from date. All personal property will be sold for cash. Come everybody.

SARGEANT GRIFFIN, Adm'r.
ELLIS & STEVENSON Att'ys.
oct17-3t.

## NOTICE NO 4460.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA, Nov 10, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Probate Court at Jacksonville, Alabama, on Dec. 28th 188., viz: Edward D. Mathis Homestead 8470 for Fractions M. L. T and N. Sections 18 Township 13 south, Range 6 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Sharbett, Sergeant P. Howell, William Little, Berry Gray, all of Oxford, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
nov7-6t Register.

W. W. PARSONS, Talladega. W. J. PEARCE, Oxford. L. B. KELLY, Jacksonville.

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## Attorneys at Law,

Will practice in all the Courts of Calhoun and Cleburne counties and in the Supreme Court of Alabama.

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## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama at the April term 1885, of said court, in the cause of Albina Cameron vs. Joseph P. Burns, I will as Register of said Court sell to the highest bidder for cash on Monday the 7th day of Dec., next within the usual hours of sale before the Court House door of said county the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of the NW¼ and part of the NW¼ of SE¼ being all of said last forty acre tract lying east of the branch and being thirty acres more or less, and ten acres more or less lying east of said branch being part of SW¼ of SE¼ and ten acres more or less ying east of the branch being part of the NE¼ of NW¼ all in Section 4, Township 15, Range 6. Containing ninety acres more or less in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land will be sold to satisfy said decree in favor of the said Albina Cameron and against the said Joseph P. Burns This 6th day Nov. 1885.

W. M. HAMES,
nov7-4t Register.

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The Crow farm 2½ miles west of Jacksonville. A four or six horse crop, good houses and out-buildings, two tenent houses, good water in thirty steps of the house, fire-wood convenient, splendid range for stock. Farm well watered by a running stream. Land in a splendid state of cultivation. We desire to rent or lease to some one who has stock. Any one desiring to rent can get further particulars by calling on

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## Attachment Notice.

W. T. Rowland, }
vs. }
Geo. C. Morgan, }

Whereas W. T. Rowland having applied to the undersigned, H. F. Montgomery a Notary Public & Ex-office J. P., in due form of law, for an attachment against the property of Geo. C. Morgan and having obtained the same and whereas it appears to me that the said Geo. C. Morgan is not a resident of this state and that he resides at Tallahasse, Florida. Now the said Geo. C. Morgan is hereby notified of the pendency of the said attachment; that the same has been served by garnishment on J. H. Glenn and John T. Rowland and that if the said Geo. C. Morgan do not appear before me at my office in the town of Jacksonville, county of Calhoun and State of Alabama, before the 14th day of November 1885, I will proceed to give judgment on the said attachment, in the same manner as if the said Geo. C. Morgan were present to answer and defend the same, and I will as the law directs, award execution, order of sale or other process, as the case may require. Given under my hand at office on the 26th day of October 1885.

H. F. MONTGOMERY,
Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P.
oct31-1t

## Application to Sell Land.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }

In Probate Court for said county, October 24th, 1885.

This day came Robert L. Anold, Administrator of the estate of D. A. Cary deceased, and, as such Administrator, filed in court his application in due form and under oath, praying for an order of sale of certain lands described therein, and belonging to said estate, for the purpose of paying debts of said estate, upon the ground that the personal property belonging to said estate is insufficient therefor. It is ordered that the 10th day of December 1885, be appointed a day for hearing such application, at which time all parties in interest can appear before me in said court and contest the same if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
oct31-3t Judge of Probate.

## Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed of Trust executed by L. McAdory and wife, to me as Trustee for use of J. D. Hammond and by him transferred to Simpson and Ledbetter, and filed in the Office of the Probate Judge of Calhoun County, Ala., for Record on 23rd day of Nov. 1883 the day of its execution, and Recorded on the 10th day of Dec. 1883, in Book T of Deeds of Trust, on page 33. I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry for cash, before the Court House door in Jacksonville, Ala., on the 30th day of Nov. 1885, the following described real estate, viz: One lot lying North of Depot street in said town of Jacksonville, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the R. C. Lester lot and running West along the street 50 feet, thence North 75 feet, thence East to Lesters' line, thence along Lesters' line to the begining point, in Sec. 11, T. 14, and R. 8.

I. L. SWAN,
oct24-30d Trustee.

## Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a certain Trust Deed executed to me as Trustee on the 5th day of March, 1883, by A. G. Foster and his wife, Margaret Foster, to secure two promissory notes, one dated 5th day of March 1883, and due 25th day of December 1883 for $317.60 and the other dated 5th day of March 1883 and due on the 25th day of December 1884 for $317.60, together with interest and costs, said notes being payable to B. M. Stewart, I will as such Trustee, on the 23rd day of November 1885, during the legal hours of sale, at the court house door, in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: The SE forty of the tract of land known as the Foster place on Nancy's creek and bounded as follows, to-wit: On the East by Geo Neighbors' land, on the South by the widow Bridges' land and on the west by the A. G. Foster land. Also the SW forty of the tract of land known as the Foster place, on Nancy's creek and bounded as follows: On the South by the widow Bridge's land, on the west by the widow Betsy Wilson's land, on the north by the widow Hughes' land and on the east by A. G. Foster's land. This land all in Calhoun county, Alabama, township 13, range 10 This Oct. 20, 1885.

oct24-30d J. D. STEWART, Trustee.

## NOTICE NO. 4320.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA, Oct. 12, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court or in his absence Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 8, 1885, viz: James D. Morris Homestead 8581, for the N half of SW quarter Section 32, Township 15 South, Range 8 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Thos. White, Thos. J. Ford, Ed Kilgore, W. T. Wells, all of Weavers Station, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
oct17-6t Register

## Insolvent Notice.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
CALHOUN COUNTY. }

In Probate Court, special Term Oct. 22nd 1885.

This day came Mrs. M. E. Williams Admr's of the estate of Richard D. Williams deceased, and filed in Court her report in writing and under oath, setting forth that said estate to the best of her knowledge is insolvent, and asking the Court to so declare. It is therefore ordered, that the 23rd day of Nov. 1885, be and is hereby appointed the day to hear and determine said report, and that notice thereof be given the creditors and all othea interested in said estate, by publication for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published at Jacksonville in said county, to be and appear at my office in the Court House of said County on said 23rd day of Nov. 1885 and contest said report if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
oct24-3t Judge of Probate.

## Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of D. A. Cary deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. A. Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala., on the 21st day of October, 1885, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

oct31-3t R. L. ARNOLD, Adm'r.


J. T. NUNNELLY. J. J. SKELTON.

# NUNNELLY & SKELTON,

# UNDERTAKERS,

Will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of Coffins, Caskets and Burial Robes &c. Prompt attention will be given to all orders. Place of business East side of public square, Jacksonville, Ala.
sept19tf NUNNELLY & SKELTON.

# JUST RECEIVED.

The fullest, finest and cheapest stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY &c., we have handled.

# BARGAINS.

In every line of goods. Stock fresh and of the very latest styles in our Dry Goods department Highest market price paid for cotton. Don't fail to give us a bid on your cotton.

FINE LOT OF

## READY-MADE CLOTHING RECEIVED.

ORDERS TAKEN AND SUITS MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

## REMEMBER THE PLACE.

# CROW BROS,

**Brick Corner, N. E. Side Public Square.**

oct17-3m. JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

# ROWAN, DEAN & CO.,

Brick Corner, S. W. Side of Public Square,

## JACKSONVILLE, - - - - - ALABAMA.

Just received and coming by every day's freight the

## Largest, Completest and Handsomest

Stock of Goods in our line ever brought to this market. Our entire force have been for some days employed opening these goods and our store-rooms present a most

## Charming Appearance.

We keep everything this country needs or will call for. This is one store where you can always find what you want. Advances made to farmers, but we also

# SELL FOR CASH,

and, for the spot money, can give as good or better bargains than any house in North-east Alabama. If you don't believe it call and price our goods.

## SPECIAL TO THE LADIES.

The ladies of Calhoun are especially invited to call and examine our fresh stock of Ladies' Jerseys, New Market Cloaks, Walking Jackets, beautiful lines of prints and dress goods of every description. These goods were selected by our Mr. W. H. DEAN, in New York, specially for this market, and we are satisfied will please.

## WE OFFER BARGAINS.

oct17-tf

# A. M. LANDERS,

## Dry Goods & Grocery Store,

SOUTHWEST CORNER DEPOT STREET,

## Jacksonville, Ala.

Now in stock and constantly arriving a full line of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Family Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Hardware, Earthenware, Glassware, and everything else kept in a general variety store. Cotton, cotton seed and farm products generally taken in payment of debts to the store. Good line of goods sold at fair prices. Give me a call.
oct10tf.

## State Normal

# SCHOOL,

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

This school, established for the training of teachers, opened with enlarged faculty and increased facilities, on Monday August 31st 1885. In connection with the Normal Department, and as auxiliary to it, a thorough course of primary and academic instruction is open to all. Music, both Vocal and Instrumental, and Art, will be taught by first-class instructors. The Faculty is:

J. HARRIS CHAPPELL, A. M., President, Normal Studies, English Branches an I Natural Science.

PROF. CARLIE B. GIBSON, A. B., Mathematics, Latin, Greek, and German.

MISS SARA B. FOUCHE, Normal Studies and Free Hand Drawing.

MISS LETTIE R. DOWDELL, French, Elocution, and Grammar School Studies.

MRS. IDA J. WOODWARD, Principal Primary Department.

MISS JESSIE WOODS, Teacher of Music.

MRS. J. HARRIS CHAPPELL, Teacher of Art.

RATES OF TUITION

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| Normal Department | Free |
| High School Department: | |
| Junior Class | $2.00 per month |
| Senior Class | 3.50 " " |
| Intermediate Department | |
| Class No. 1 | 2.00 per month |
| Classes No. 2 and No. 3 | 1.00 " " |
| Primary Department | .75 " " |

Tuition to children of licensed ministers of the gospel, FREE.

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ATTENDANCE:—The attendance on the school during the past session was upwards of two hundred pupils. It is confidently expected that it will be much larger next session.

J. HARRIS CHAPPELL, A. M.,
sept12tf President Faculty.

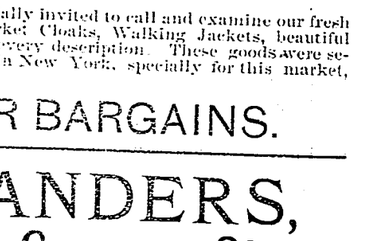

## NOTICE NO 4295.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA, Oct., 3, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court, or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov., 21, 1885, viz: Solomon W. Poe, Homestead 8822 for the SE¼ section 29 Township 15 south, Range 5 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: William Ledlow, William Sarrinett, Richard Stones, T. B. Martin, all of Bruner, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
oct10-6t Register.


# FORNEY'S MILL.

## Two Miles South OF JACKSONVILLE.

This property, know as the old Stevenson Mill, has recently been thoroughly overhauled and renewed, and is now prepared to serve the public. Good out-turn of excellent flour and corn meal.

In connection with the Mill a new gin house has been erected, furnished with new and excellent Improved Taylor Gin. Cotton ginned for the twentieth.

The undersigned has ten years experience as a miller in some of the best mills of the State and will guarantee satisfaction to patrons. Give the new mill and gin a trial.

A team will be run between Jacksonville and the Mill, and for every 56 lbs of corn 48 lbs of meal will be returned.

Sept26-tf G. S. KLEIN.

# B. G. McCLELEN,

County - - - Surveyor,

Alexandria, Ala.

# The Republican.

## OUR CHEAP COLUMN.

*Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent a word each insertion, payable cash in advance.*

**Wanted to Buy** A small farm of about 80 acres, with good cottage on it, off railroad, in a retired part of the county, for a price something like $1000, half cash, balance in 12 months. Apply to Stevenson & Grant.

I have at my farm, in Alexandria Valley, several thousand stalks of Louisiana sugar cane for sale. L. D. MILLER.

**Second** HAND PIANO cheap. Apply to Mrs. Annie Alexander, Jacksonville, Alabama.

**Wanted to Sell** at a bargain, a farm of several hundred acres near Sulphur Springs—rich in valuable minerals. STEVENSON & GRANT. Jacksonville, Ala.

**Cross Plains.** Wanted to sell at a bargain a good dwelling house, almost new, and a lot of five acres of land, in the growing town of Cross Plains. STEVENSON & GRANT. Jacksonville, Ala.

**Imported** Setter puppies to sell or exchange for yearlings. Apply to Ross Whisenant jr., Jacksonville, Ala. nov14

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To all subscribers who pay up past dues and to all new subscribers we will send the

## Jacksonville Republican

from now until January 1st 1887, a period of fourteen months for

## ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF.

The paper will continue to improve as its patronage justifies improvement. We want to largely increase its circulation this Fall, and ask each one of our subscribers to say a good word for the paper to some neighbor who may not be taking it. The REPUBLICAN advocates only such measures as will, in the judgment of its editor, conduce to the welfare of the

## Masses of the People.

For half a century it has drawn its support from them and it is in sympathy with them. The people have never failed it and it has never failed them, as their long and faithful support of it attest.

## ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF,

is as cheap a price as any good country weekly paper can be published for to make any money for its owners. It is less than

## Three Cents a Week

to each subscriber. Surely every man in Calhoun can afford to spend this much weekly to keep himself posted on the news of the day and afford his children the advantage that the constant reading of a clean newspaper is to them. The newspaper is an invaluable educator, and no family should be without one—

## Subscribe for the Republican

### New Advertisements.

Homestead Notice—Thos. J. Scott Register.
Administrators Sale—Sargeant Origia Adm'r.
T. Fitzpatrick, Register Sale—W. M. Haines Register.
Porter Martin & Co.
Crow Bros.
John H. Crawford, Undertaker.
Imported Dogs.

A few more loads of rich pine will be taken for subscription to the REPUBLICAN; likewise corn or fodder.

Change will be made in the advertisement of Dr. J. E. Crook next week.

Mrs. John H. Crawford, who has been quite sick with pneumonia, is better at this writing. (Thursday.)

Subscriptions to the REPUBLICAN are coming in rapidly under the reduction of price. We thank those of our subscribers who have said and are saying a good word for the paper. Tell your neighbor of the reduction and ask him to take it.

### Episcopal Convocation.

The next Convocation of the Tuskaloosa District will convene in St. Luke's church, Jacksonville, on Wednesday the 18th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m. The meeting will open with a Sermon and Holy Communion. Papers will be read and discussed as usual. By order of the Dean of Convocation.

We have received assurances from the postal authorities that the service on the E. T. Va. & Ga. R. R. mail route will be improved, and our subscribers along the line will probably get their papers on time hereafter. Supt. Terrell and Mr. Joe Frank, Chief Clerk Railway Mail service, have our thanks for prompt attention in this matter.

### Death of Mr. D. C. Turner.

Mr. D. C. Turner, a member of the mercantile firm of W. C. Land & Co., of this place, died at his home on Depot Street, of pneumonia, Thursday morning the 12th inst. He had been sick but a few days and the announcement of his death was a surprise to this community.

Mr Turner had been a resident of Jacksonville more than thirty years at the time of his death. He was a man of strict business habits, and by close attention to business had built up for himself a very snug property since the war. During the war he was a member of the Fifth Alabama Battallion, and, as a Lieutenant in that command, won for himself distinction as a brave and true soldier. For many years prior to his death he was a member of the Methodist church at this place, and walked an humble consistent christian life. At the time of his death he was in the vigor of his manhood, and, in the ordinary course of life, had many years of usefulness before him. His untimely death is deeply regretted by this community, and his wife and little children have the heartfelt sympathies of all.

## PERSONAL.

Attorney-Gen'l. McClellen came up Sunday evening from Montgomery to argue the case of the State *vs.* the Woodstock Iron Company for escaped taxes, (which arose from the repeal of the statute extending exemptions to manufactures,) but returned on Monday when he found the case had been postponed for two weeks by agreement of counsel, owing to the illness of Judge Woods.

Mr. Isaac Frank came up Saturday from Mr. John Floyd Smith's place near Oxford, and brought four sweet potatoes which had been raised in one hill on the place by Mr. John Hall. The four weighed 28 pounds.

Mrs. Ona Frank of Atlanta, a most accomplished and cultivated lady, returned to her home Tuesday. She spent the summer in Jacksonville and on her return was accompanied by Miss Carrie Frank her sister-in-law.

Mr. Asbile, of South Carolina, was here this week, looking for a home. He wants to move to this section of Alabama and was much pleased with Jacksonville and surrounding country. He will doubtless return in a few weeks, where we hope he may find a place that will suit him, and become a citizen in our midst.

Mrs. Linnie Mitchell, of Rome, Ga., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Francis.

Mr. Wm. Hayden is quite sick. He has been in bad health for years. A few days ago he had a second stoke of paralysis from which he has little chance of recovery. His case is one demanding the attention of our people.

Judge Woods is able to be out in his buggy again after a very serious spell of sickness; but he is still too weak to attend to any kind of business.

Mr. Joe B. Patton, of Rome, Ga., contractor for the court house now under construction, was down Tuesday and went to Atlanta Wednesday. The brick work of the building he has placed in charge of Mr T. Fitzpatrick a very competent gentleman.

Mr. Walter Dean left for Atlanta Thursday to attend a stockholders meeting of the Furman Fertilizer Co.

Won't some public spirited man start a movement to set out more shade trees on the public square before the season has passed. Some of the trees on the east side of the square were so injured by fire that they will die in a few years. Other trees should be planted beside them to take their places when when they have to be cut away. On the west-side of the square several trees are missing and their places should be supplied. One year is lost by passing over the present season. We learn that steps will be taken to set out one hundred or more trees on the college campus. This is also something that should not by any means be neglected. Now is also a favorable time for private parties to place shade trees in front of their premises. No ornamentation of a town is so cheap and yet so beautiful as shade trees. The white elms grow rapidly and make a beautiful shade tree. Let us have plenty of shade trees if we want a charming and beautiful town.

Commissioners Court was in session here Monday evening, Tuesday and Wednesday. Thursday the members of the court met as jury commissioners, to draw the grand and petit jurors for the January term of Circuit court. The regular term of Commissioners Court adjourned to meet again two weeks hence to hear the argument of the Attorney-General and Mr. Robt. Arnold on behalf of the State and county and Mr. Jno. M. Caldwell for the Woodstock Iron Company, in the case of the State and county vs. the Woodstock Iron Company for escaped taxes claimed under the repeal of the Act exempting manufacturing establishments from taxation for ten years. This law was repealed in 1876 and the State claims that manufacturing enterprises, before exempt, became at once subject to taxation upon the repeal of the law exempting them. The State will claim of the Woodstock Iron Company taxes from and including 1877 to the year 1883, or for six years. We do not know what ground will be taken by the attorney for the Woodstock Iron Company. The case will likely go to the Supreme Court, let the decision of the Commissioners Court be what it may.

## COUNTY AFFAIRS.

### JENKINS.

**One Indignator—Iron Jail—Gathering Corn—Wheat sowing—Going to Texas Births—New Methodist Church—&c.**

JENKINS, ALA., Nov. 9th, 1885.—We have heard but one indignator, and that one said he thought the Commissioners ought to have added $10,000 more and built a court house more in keeping with Calhoun's growing wealth. Some say if Calhoun can't pay $14,000 for a court house she ought not to claim to be the banner county.

We agree with your Weaver's correspondent as to the iron jail. Hope our Commissioners will attend to that next.

Corn is being gathered and we hear a great deal of complaint of rotten corn. Cotton badly damaged by frost and rains. Wheat sowing has commenced and we think there will be more sown than for a few years past.

T. H. Arnett got his hand badly torn up in his gin last week, and we are glad to learn is doing well. He is also building an extensive and commodious dwelling.

We learn Mrs. D. A. Cary is selling out preparatory to going to Texas.

Jas. Willimon is the only farmer in our vicinity that can wear a smile. Its a girl.

Subscriptions have been taken to build a Methodist church at Jenkins. Hope the friends will be successful in their enterprise.

We hope to have the pleasure of voting for a Calhoun man for our next Governor. She has as good men as there are in the State and why not trot some of them out.

## CHOCCOLOCCO.

**Freshet and Damage to Crops—Pastor of Harmony Church—Death of an Aged Citizen—Let Commissioners be Judged Fairly and without Prejudice.**

CHOCCOLOCCO, Nov. 10th.—We had quite a rain last week and the creek (Choccolocco) overflowed some of the bottom lands and damaged good deal of corn; cotton also damaged by the excessive rains.

Eld. J. A Scott, was re-elected by acclamation to the pastoral care of Harmony church for ensuing year 1886.

Edward Parnell, aged 82 years, died Nov. 9th. One by one the old land marks drop out. He has been a resident of the county, I learn, over 50 years.

It is impossible that every one should be satisfied with the action of our County Commissioners in reference to the court house question. They deserve a fair trial and to have their conduct judged impartially and not in the light of prejudice. The mud that has been flying around lately should not be flung on those whom the votes of the people have placed in positions of honor and responsibility.

## AMBERSON.

**Gin House Burned—Loss $1650—No Insurance.**

AMBERSON, Cherokee Co., Nov. 11th 1885.—The Gin owned by Graham & Davis and being run by Graham Bros. & Burns, caught fire this morning about 10 o'clock from a match igniting in the Gin. The entire property, with about 11 bales of cotton and four hundred bushels of seed, was burned. The gin site is at the northern extremity of the village, and owing to a brisk wind toward the north no other property was lost. "It is an ill wind that blows good to nobody."

Loss about $1600. No insurance.
C.

## CROSS PLAINS.

**Personals—Painful Accident—Heavy Rains—Hard Times.**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woolf of Knoxville, have been visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. J. M. Bradshaw of Selma, is visiting her parents in town.

Mr. E. F. Crook, of Alexandria, was in town last Monday.

Mr. A. F. Tomlin's little son Robert, happened to a very painful accident last Friday. He had gone up into the belfry of the C. P. church to adjust the bell cord which had become tangled. In preparing to let himself down through the small entrance to the belfry, he lost his footing and fell about eighteen feet to the floor. His injuries are painful but we are glad to know that he is improving.

This section was visited by tremendous rains last Friday and Saturday causing great damage to the cotton crop and giving all our people the blues. We trust, however, that under the influence of the beautiful weather we are now having, the crop may develop much better than was expected a few days ago. But it did seem last Saturday, that our worst fears in regard to the crop would be realized. It would be well to keep in mind the old saying: "It is never so bad but it might have been worse."

Our clever tax collector, Mr. D. Z. Goodlett, is in town collecting taxes on his last round. He tells us that there is a universal complaint of hard times and want of money. Strange to say, we have the anomaly of hard times in the midst of plenty and with everything cheaper than ever known before. A nice question for our wise men is to account for this anomalous condition of things, and to suggest some way out of the tangle our affairs seem to have gotten into of late years. Some of our knowing ones charge it up to the account of over production by which a large number from every trade and profession, are thrown out of employment. But there must be other causes.

Mr. J. W. Harris, our enterprising hotel proprietor, has provided a large electric street lamp in front of his house, which sends its cheering rays in every direction these dark nights. Maj. Dailey also has one in front of his store, and we hope all of our business men may do likewise, and then those of us who are compelled to be out after dark will not have to carry lanterns.

On account of high water, Rev. George D. Harris could not meet his appointment here last Sunday morning but arrived in time for night services. He preached a very able sermon from the text Rev. Sam Jones preached from last Sunday night. So these two devoted ministers may have thought that their congregations needed the same shaking up, and no doubt they did.


**PORTER, MARTIN & CO.—Jacksonville.**

Just received a shipment of old-fashioned New Orleans syrup, guaranteed to please, at Porter, Martin & Co.

Come and see our toys, candies, oranges, nuts and goodies, even if you don't want to buy, as we like to show them. Porter, Martin & Co.

If you want anything good to eat go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Cabbage, Hog Sausage at Porter, Martin & Co.

If you want a nice lamp or lamp fixtures go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., keep constantly on hand Pure Leaf Lard.

Honey at Porter, Martin & Co.

We have just received a fresh supply of groceries from New York. Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have the finest cod fish in town.

All who have canary birds can get bird seed at Porter, Martin & Co.

You can buy an elegant new buggy very cheap from Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., sell bacon and flour at rock bottom prices.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a very handsome line of pocket knives, scissors and in fact most everything in the Hardware line.

If you want fine fresh candy go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a fine lot of oranges and nuts.

If you want to buy anything call on us and get our prices as it will save you money. Porter, Martin & Co.

Our terms are cash or thirty days with those with whom we run accounts. All those whose accounts are due will please come and settle at once as we do not propose to do a credit business. Porter, Martin & Co.

**ULLMAN & CO.—Jacksonville.**

25 yards of Calico for $1.00 at Ullman & Co. Jacksonville.

Flannels, Jeans and Worsted goods at Ullman & Co. Jacksonville.

Jersey Jackets for children at Ullman & Co. Jacksonville.

Go and see the cheap goods which Ullman & Co. offers for sale in Jacksonville.

Ladies go to Ullman & Co. for your Jersey Jackets if you want them at low prices.

Ullman & Co. from Gadsden have opened a store in Sallers old stand in this town but will remove to Dr. Nesbits Brick Store in a few days.

**ULLMAN BROS.—Anniston.**

Ladies, call and examine our beautiful stock of Milinery which excells any stock in this country in variety and style. Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Beautiful line of Plaid silk striped plushes, silk velvets at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Full line of carpeting, blankets cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Don't fail to examine our business suits for five dollars; worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Double width cashmeres all colors at 25cts yd., at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Special bargains in corsets, hoop-skirts and bustles, Ullman Bros., Anniston.

The beautiful straight cut sack suits are all the style. Full line cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Ladies underwear at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Children suits from two dollars up, worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Russian circulars silk and furlined. A beautiful line of Ladies', Miss's and Children's cloaks and dolmans cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Elegant line of cutaway, and dress suits at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

**CROW BROS.—Jacksonville.**

Go to Crow Bros. if you want to buy your groceries cheap.

Best markrt price paid for country produce at Crow Bros.

Our dry goods are of the best quality. No one can undersell us. Call and see for yourself.
CROW BROS.

If you want something strong to stimulate you these cold mornings, buy your coffee from Crow Bros.

Crow Bros., come this week with a large lot of ready-made clothing, cheaper than ever before offered to the trade.

Beautiful worsted for 12½ cents at Crow Bros.

Mens' suits at $5 and up at Crow Bros.

Mens' overcoats at $4.50 to $12 at Crow Bros.

We have splendid line of Trunks very cheap. Call and see before buying. Crow Bros.

Crow Bros. have a large stock of groceries just received which you will find at rock-bottom prices.

Boys' suits at $4 and up at Crow Bros.

Boys' overcoats at $2.50 at Crow Bros.

**ROWAN, DEAN & CO.—Jacksonville.**

Cheapest line of hose (from 10 cents up) ever brought to this market at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Bedroom and dining sets of beautiful designs cheap at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Very latest styles of gentlemens' hats at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Remarkable bargains in all wool blankets (from $1.00 to $5.00 per pair) at Rowan Dean & Co's.

The latest thing in Cloaks and walking Jackets—Newmarkets &c at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Ready made clothing of very latest styles, from finest suits to ordinary—largest stock to select from ever offered in Jacksonville at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Genuine Congress Knives and fine pocket cutlery of other makes at Rowan Dean & Co's.

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may2-tf F. M. DAVIS.

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## WE INTEND TO SELL,

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We have received this season an extra large and cheap stock of all kinds of goods in their line, and prepared to give their customers this season

## More Goods for Less Money

than ever before since we went into business. We will continue as in the past to advance to farmers. We have also made arrangements to do a large

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and are prepared to offer cash customers as good bargains as any house in the county. Our goods have been bought on the most favorable market and our customers shall have the *advantage of it*

## WE KEEP EVERYTHING

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A Large Stock of

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Our Manager has spent several months in the market buying direct from manufactures, which enables us to sell cheaper than any other house.

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**Which is Now Complete,**

And buying for cash enables us to sell goods to merchants cheap as they buy in any market. Call and examine yourself, and save money by purchasing from

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Feb14-1y. ANNISTON, ALA.

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Consisting of everything in this line, embracing both heavy and fancy Groceries, Bagging and Ties, etc., etc.

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Will find it to their interest to give us a call. For the first time, we are fitted up this season to handle cotton, and propose to give the top of the market.

**Remember the Place**

When you come to town. We are determined to sell goods, regardless of profits, and fine bargains can be had from us and no mistake about it.

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East Side Public Square, Jacksonville, Ala.

## J. N. M. CARPENTER,

Has recently opened out at the old stand of B. F. Carpenter & Co., an entirely

## NEW AND FRESH STOCK OF FAMILY GROCERIES,

Consisting of everything, both staple and fancy, kept by any Family Grocery establishment in this section of Alabama.

## I Buy for Cash and Sell for Cash,

and consequently can afford to and will sell Groceries as cheap as they can be bought anywhere in any market of this part of Alabama. Give me a call and price my goods before buying.

**When You Bring Your Cotton to Market,**

let me make a bid on it, and give you an estimate of cost of whatever groceries you may want to take out with you.

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## GOVERNOR-ELECT HILL.

### He Congratulates the Party on Its Victory.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 4.—In his speech to his fellow-townsmen tonight, Gov. Hill said:

"Even those who differ from me in their views of national politics will pardon me for speaking briefly at this time a few words of congratulation to the Democratic party of the State and nation for the decisive victory which it has won. That victory means that the great Empire State of New York is a Democratic State under any and all circumstances. It means that the independent voters of our State are not controlled by self-appointed leaders or hypocritical newspapers. It means that these voters have abandoned the party of hypocrisy and sham, and have effected a permanent alliance with the Democratic party in the interest of reform and good government. It means that the people are weary of sectional strife and have no sympathy with a party that seek to obtain power by keeping alive the dying embers of civil war. It means that capital and labor shall receive equal protection under the law, and that the efforts of the workingmen of the State to better their condition shall be aided by the necessary legislation.

"In closing, I desire once again to thank the people of Elmira, without distinction of party, who so frequently honored me in the past, for this renewed evidence of their confidence and esteem."

### Congressman Oates on the Confederate Monument.

Some distinction has been attempted between the cause and the men who fought for it. Had the Confederacy succeeded it might have been short-lived. As it was foundered on the the principle of compact and voluntary union with right of secession, disintegration within a few years might have followed. But that objection that goes only against the wisdom, not the righteousness, of the cause. Of the latter I never had a doubt and have none now. But that does not militate against my loyalty now to the government of the United States. If the cause was damnable, the soldiers who fought for and maintained it for four years were fools and are not entitled to any honor, and ought only to be pitied for having no better sense. I do not propose, however, to discuss the question of right. The argument is exhausted. I came out of the war without a dollar and with but one arm, and that my left arm, to labor with. Through my own exertions and the liberal patronage of friends I have raised and educated four of the orphan children of a deceased Confederate soldier and still I am not weary of well doing for my old comrades in arms. I want to see the monument's summit up among the clouds and constructed with such artistic taste that it will indeed be "a thing of beauty and a joy forever," and that a century hence the child in the streets may point to the stately column and say to his comrades that "my great grandfathers were among the men whose gallant deeds that was erected to commemorate."

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I am very truly yours.
WM. C. OATES.

### The Confederate Monument.

Florence Banner.

The Birmingham *Age* is a kind of an Ishmalite, on the monument question—and ought to be—as it is against everybody and everybody is against it, or should be. Its strictures on the Southern Confederacy, in a recent issue, were wholly uncalled for in every respect and were in bad taste, and expressed in language that we least expected from the leaders of a paper we have entertained such a high regard for as we have always done for the *Age*. We are wholly at a loss to know or imagine what motives prompted the editor to write, let alone publish such an article. We very much regret that the *Age* has so far forgotton its high position among the journals of the State, and elsewhere, as to give utterance to such sentiment therein contained.


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### NOTICE NO. 4385.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA., Oct 28th, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court, or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Dec. 5th, 1885, viz: Mc. A. Johnson, Homestead 6662 for the S½ of SW¼ and W½ of SW¼, Section 20, Township 13 South, Range 8 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land viz: William C. Cross, David Crim, A. J. Rhodes, M. A. Parker all of Jacksonville, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
oct28-5t Register.

### *FINAL SETTLEMENT.*

STATE OF ALABEMA, } Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, Special Term Oct 27th, 1885.

This day came J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley deceased and filed in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 1st day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon said account and make said settlement; and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me at my office in the court house of said county, on said 1st day of Dec. 1885 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.
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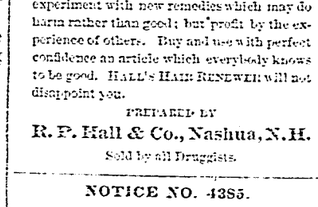

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July 26 6m.

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### Register's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 8th District of the Eastern Chancery division of Alabama, at Jacksonville, rendered at the October term, 1885, of said court in the cause of J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley, deceased, vs. B. W. Turner, J. A. Kellar and A. J. Cross; I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder, for cash before the court house door of Calhoun county, Ala., within the usual hours of sale, on Monday the 23rd day of Nov. 1885 the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of section 6, township 14, range 8, (less 20 acres off of the west side of said land in Calhoun county, Alabama. said land sold to satisfy said decree herein mentioned. W. M. HAMES, Register.
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### Tax Collectors Appointments.

FIRST ROUND.

The undersigned Tax Collector of Calhoun County will attend the appointments published below for the purpose of collecting the State and County tax for the year 1885. All tax is delinquent after the last day of December 1885, and all parties who have not paid their taxes by that time will be called on promptly by myself or deputy for their taxes and cost, allowed by law. There will be no exception made in the county. I will be in Jacksonville the last ten days of December.

FIRST ROUND.

Beat No. 1—Ladiga, Thursday, Oct. 1st, 1885.
Beat No. 9—Cross Plains, Friday Oct. 2nd.
Beat 8—Green's School House, Saturday, Oct. 3rd.
Beat 7—Hollingsworth's, Tuesday Oct. 6th.
Beat 6—Peeks Hill, Wednesday, Oct. 7th.
Beat 6—Griffin's Stole, Thursday Oct. 8th.
Beat 5—Old Iron Works, Friday Oct. 9th.
Beat 14—Sulphur Springs, Saturday Oct. 10th.
Beat 4—Bynums, Monday Oct. 12th.
Beat 4—Ganaway's School House, Tuesday October 13th.
Beat 2—Alexandria, Wednesday October 14th.
Beat 3—Weavers Station, Thursday October 15th.
Beat 3—Four Mile Spring, Friday October 16th.
Beat 15—Anniston, Monday October 19th.
Beat 13—Oxford, Tuesday October 20th.
Beat 17—DeArmanville, Wednesday October 21st.
Beat 12—Choccoloco, Thursday October 22d.
Beat 12—Davisville, Friday October 23rd.
Beat 10—Cross Roads, Tuesday October 27th.
Beat 11—White Plains, Wednesday October 28th.
Beat 1—Jacksonville, Thursday October 29th

SECOND ROUND.

Beat 16—Ladiga, Monday Nov. 9th.
Beat 9—Cross Plains, Tuesday and Wednesday Nov. 10th and 11th.
Beat 8—Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 12th.
Beat 7—Hollingsworth's, Monday Nov. 16th.
Beat 6—Peeks Hill, Tuesday Nov. 17th.
Beat 6—Griffin's Store, Wednesday Nov. 18th.
Beat 5—Polkville, Thursday Nov. 19th.
Beat 14—Sulphur Springs, Friday Nov. 20th.
Beat 4—Bynums, Monday Nov. 23.
Beat 4—Ganaway's Tuesday Nov. 24th.
Beat 2—Alexandria, Wednesday and Thursday Nov. 25th and 26th.
Beat 3—Weavers Station, Friday Nov. 27th.
Beat 3—Four Mile Springs, Saturday Nov. 28th.
Beat 15—Anniston, Tuesday and Wednesday Dec. 1st and 2nd.
Beat 13—Oxford, Thursday and Friday Dec. 3rd and 4th.
Beat 17—DeArmanville, Tuesday Dec. 8th
Beat 12—Choccoloco, Wednesday, Dec. 9th.
Beat 12—Davisville, Thursday Dec. 10th.
Beat 10—Cross Roads, Tuesday Dec. 15th.
Beat 11—White Plains, Wednesday and Thursday Dec. 16th and 17th.
Beat 1—Jacksonville, Friday and Saturday Dec. 19th and 20th.

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| Cahera | 10:15 a. m. | 10:15 |
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| Anniston | 12:50 | 1:50 |
| Arr Rome | 5:20 | 5:30 |
| Lv Rome | 5:30 | 5:40 |
| Arr Dalton | 7:10 | 7:20 |
| Lv Dalton | 7:15 | 7:25 |
| Arr Cleveland | 8:40 | 10:55 |
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| Lv Cleveland | 9:15 a. m. | 8:55 p. m. |
| Dalton | 10:30 | 10:05 |
| Rome | 11:45 | 11:25 |
| Anniston | 2:15 p. m. | 1:51 a. m. |
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## COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

**News from Surrounding Counties.**

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

Great deal of damage to crops by rains near Kirk's Grove. On McGoogan place the loss by floods was 400 bushels of corn and one bale of cotton.

About Howell's there has been a great deal of rain, which has damaged corn much.

A dispatch from Stirling says the corn has been greatly damaged in the Coosa and Chattooga river bottoms. Cotton has also been greatly damaged.

At a large and enthusiastic meeting of citizens in centre a full delegation was appointed to attend the Tuscaloosa Convention.

Giles Circus visited Centre and hangers on of the circus beat several citizens out of various sums of money.

A great deal of corn and cotton has been destroyed about Cedar Bluff by the recent overflow.

The News says that Centre wants a first-class boot and shoe maker.

The *News* says:

A great many farmers were busy with canoes last Sunday, trying to save their corn from the overflow.

Centre had bought about 300 bales of cotton up to the 13th, and hopes to go to 100 bales during the season.

The News says:

The recent high waters on Tarrepin creek has overflowed, and damaged all the ungathered crops both of corn and cotton, on the bottom land.

Mrs. Sallie Chisolm died near Cedar Bluff the first of this month.

Mr. J. R. Ward and Miss Prudy Roe, of Cherokee county were mrrried on the 11th.

Centre certainly has a clever postmaster. The *Advertiser* says of him.

Centre's Post Master, J. J. B. McElrath, is permeated through and through with the knowledge that he will pass through this world but once and he is doing all the good that he can. Three o'clock in the morning is as good a time with him to accommodate a friend as any other, and his cleverness sits so naturally upon him that one is almost persuaded that he does him a favor by calling him out of a warm bed to stand on the frosty steps in his nether garments. The key note of our P. M.'s character was struck in Leigh Hunt's little poem, *Abou Ben Adhem*.

CLEBURNE COUNTY.

Mr. J. S. Buttram boards the county paupers of Cleburne next year for $4.24 apiece. It looks as if Mr. Buttram could not afford to feed them very highly at such a price as this. The system that obtains of letting the board of the conty paupers to the lowest bidder is altogether wrong. The court of county Commissioners ought to agree upon a sum that would keep them in comfort and then look out for a kind hearted man to take them at that figure.

Mr. R. R. Cheatwood of Cleburne is now 87 years of age and his wife is 92 years of age. Both are hale and hearty.

Capt. J. M. Q. Guinn of Edwardsville has been appointed a store-keeper and guager in the revenue service of the Government.

Edwardsville is becoming noted as a cotton market.

The sweet potato crop of Cleburne is better than for years.

The distillery at Edwardsville started operations again a few days ago.

Prof. Mulloy of Edwardsville, goes to Erath, Texas, to take charge of a school there.

The Standard finds it hard to keep its exchages staright on local happenings in Cleburne.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY

Mr. Will Cather of the Ashville *Aegis* has recently been through the Ragland coal mine and writes an interesting account of it. The miners get 40 cents per ton for mining the coal, and as some of them can raise from 12 to 14 tons per day, it is quite a profitable occupation. The *Aegis* says:

"In ante bellum days and about 1860-65, the coal seam at Ragland was worked by Messrs. Raglan & Co., by horse power alone. Both water and coal were raised through a shallow shaft near the outcrop of the seam by horse power. Not only was the mining conducted in the most primitive and costly manner, but the coal had to be hauled over the muddiest flat-woods roads to the railroad at Talladega, twenty miles distant, or to the Coosa, and then floated, in small boats or arks, down the river to the foundries in Montgomery, about 160 miles. Of these arks generally about two out of every three arrived safely at their destination, and upon this scanty supply the foundries of the capital had to depend, because the Montevallo coal contained much sulphur and ash and was entirely unfit for smelting purposes. This was the mode of operation until a few years ago."

The mines are now worked by steam, a railroad runs to them and things are very different.

Several business houses in Ashville are undergoing repairs.

A good deal of corn has rotted in the field in St. Clair this fall.

The Ashville *Aegis* wishes that Sam Jones could preach everywhere and would touch up newspaper delinquents as he went along.

The new jail in Ashville is rapidly approaching completion.

The price of "Dora's Device" by Mr. Cather, editor of the Ashville *Aegis*, is, in Morrocco cloth $1.25; in paper cover 75 cents. Address T. B. Peterson & Brothers, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., enclosing the price and the book will be mailed to you post-paid.

TALLADEGA COUNTY.

After the present two weeks called term of Circuit court in Talladega is out, the regular Fall term will begin and continue four weeks, making a six weeks term of court in all.

J. A. Malion of Talladega county raised 100 bushels of sweet potatoes this year on an eighth of an acre.

Dr. J. Mc. D. Whitson of Talladega died on the 7th.

Mr. Joel Rice, of Florida and Miss Ellen H. Towers, of Talladega were recently married.

A soap factory is talked of for Talladega.

Mr. Collins, of Mississippi and Miss Sallie Curry of Talladega were recently married.

A child of Mr. Jim McMillan was poisoned in Talladega by putting in its mouth some of the fluid contents of a galvanic battery which the cook had emptied into a vessel in the yard. A physician was promptly summoned and the life of the child was saved.

Gath, in a recent letter from Pittsburg, Pa., says: "I understand that a firm here which makes iron is about to go Alabama with all its machinery, and will require five hundred cars to transport the stock; the vicinity of Talladega, Ala., is the site.

The water works men have begun work on the water works of Talladega.

E. B. Harmon, a farmer of Talladega recently disappeared and there is suspicion of foul play in connection with his disapearance. Some believe that he was killed by negroes for some money he had got from sale of cotton in Lincoln the day of his disappearance. Others believe he was drowned in Choccolocco creek.

A Cincinnati prospecting party have been in Talladega hunting up clay for pottery and fire brick.

It is thought that the two blast furnaces coming to Talladega from England will be situated on the Isbell property in the northwestern limits of Talladega town.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

The gin house of Mr Massingale of Etowah was blown down recently by high winds.

Gadsden wants a wagon factory bad She can have anything she wants when the Jacksonville and Gadsden Railroad is completed.

The Coosa has been higher than ever before known at this season.

Recent high waters moved the timbers on the Tennessee and Coosa railroad bridge over Will's Creek, but the timbers were saved.

A two story house of W. P. Shahan in Attalla, in course of construction, was blown down by a high wind a few days ago.

Sam Roberts, of Cherokee county, carried an eleven pound sweet potato into Gadsden a few days ago just to show the Gadsden people what old Cherokee dirt could do when it tried.

The Gadsden post-office has been out of postal cards the last three months.

The mail route from Jacksonville to Gadsden has been changed so as to embrace Duke's post-office on the E. & W. R. R.

The *Times* says:

The family of Mr. Allen Gray, of Little Wills' valley, has been terribly afflicted with sickness and death. Three of the family, two sons and one daughter, have died within the last month. Other members of the family are sick, but we are glad to learn that they are improving. The bereaved family have our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction.

The vital statistics for September show 18 deaths of whites and 3 deaths of blacks; births of whites 42, blacks none, in the county of Etowah.

The North Alabama Conference of the M. E. Church South met in Gadsden Wednesday. Bishop A. Wilson, of Baltimore, will preside. The eminent Dr. Kilbey, Treasurer of the Foreign Missionary Board, will be in attendance. Between fifteen and twenty applications for admission will be made to this conference.

The Gadsden Iron Company is now making a larger and better output of charcoal iron than it has ever made before.

### Experiment With Louisiana Sugar Cane in Calhoun County.

ED. REPUBLICAN:—According to promise I give you results of my experiment with sugar cane. I started two years ago with one hundred stalks and had sufficient seed cane last Spring to plant one fourth of an acre. It was planted on the 10th of April, in shovel furrows forty-two inches apart and covered lightly by running a furrow on each side with scooter plows. As soon as a pretty fair stand was up the young cane was barred off with a large twister plow to hasten the early suckers in making their appearance. It was subsequently cultivated like cotton, with hoes and sweeps, except that it was not thinned at all. I dug up and buried for seed early in October all except eighteen rows, twenty-two yards long, making an exact square left standing 22x22 yards, just one-tenth of an acre. This was made into syrup on the 10th of November by Mr. Thomas Pelham and made forty-four gallons of excellent syrup. Rev. Geo. Harris measured the land on which the cane was left standing for syrup after the seed cane was buried. Just think of 440 gallons per acre! That doubles the best yield of sorghum I have heard of in this neighborhood. The average maturity of my cane was four and one-half feet, which I believe I can raise to five feet by planting a month earlier and using a larger amount of fertilizers. I send you several stalks matured more than six feet and also send a sample of the syrup. I think the reasons why some inexperienced in cane raising have poor success is: that they do not plant as early as they should, the soil they select does not hold moisture well, or they do not use sufficient fertilizers, and for fear of frost, cut their cane too early in the fall. Had it not been for advice of Mr. Rogers, of Alexandria, who is an old Louisiana cane grower, I would have cut my cane for syrup early in October and thereby caused a loss of about half a yield He says the cold frosty weather since that time is just what it needs to hasten up and mature faster. My cane has matured more than a foot since the 1st frost and the upper matured joints are now deliciously sweet which a month since were almost tasteless. I have withdrawn my seed cane from sale, as I wish to plant all I have.

L. D. MILLER.

Nov. 15th, 1885.

### Miraculous Escape.

W. W. Reed, druggist, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "One of my customers, Mrs. Louisa Pike, Bartonia, Randolph Co., Ind., was a long sufferer with Consumption, and was given up to die by her physicians. She heard of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and began lying it of me. In six months' time she walked to this city, a distance of six miles, and is now so much improved she has quit using it. She feels she owes her life to it. Free trial bottles at W. M. Nisbet's Drug Store. No9

In answer to the question: "To what extent, in your opinion, would a revision of the tariff and internal revenue laws be desirable at the next session?" Congressman Oates, of the third Alabama district, says: "I am in favor of carrying out in good faith the pledges made to the people in the National Democratic platform. I am in favor of a revision, but not a radical one, of the tariff."

According to a World correspondent, President Cleveland will, in his message, recommend a modification of existing laws and the reorganization of the tariff upon a revenue basis, with incidental protection. We trust that this correspondent has hit it exactly right. That would carry out "to a t" the declarations of the Chicago platform, according to our understanding of them.—*Rome Courier.*

### A THIRST FOR BLOOD.

**A War Reminiscence.**

Atlanta Constitution.

Some men are born with a thirst for blood. This explains many of the murders apparently committed without a motive.

During the siege of Atlanta the militia frequently did guard duty on streets. In one of the companies thus engaged was a handsome manly boy of sixteen. Young Norton enjoyed the novelty of military life. He had been a clerk in a store until the siege, and it was a recreation to him to patrol the streets with a musket on his shoulder, halting every passer by with the stereotyped demand. "Show your pass!"

Norton was not a typical good boy, but he was as good as the average. He was bright, quick, moral and had the making of a good man of busines in him. Everybody liked him. There was one bad streak in his composition, and it led to his ruin. From childhood he took a delight in torturing helpless beasts and birds. As he grew older he would listen by the hour with an eager face to the tales of butchery and blood-shed told by his soldier friends. He developed a fondness for pistols and bowie knives, and soon became a walking arsenal. He frequently lamented his youth, and expressed the hope that the war would last long enough to enable him to kill a few Yankees. This wish was not gratified, but he found what he thirsted for—human blood.

One bright night, when a full moon rode high in the heavens, Norton was ordered to carry a confederate teamster to the guard tent. The boy seized his prisoner with alacrity and told him to walk in front of him down the railroad track. The teamster, a fine looking young man, obeyed with a cheerful laugh, and on the way fell into conversation with his guard. He told him that he was a Tennesseean. He fought through the war, and was then for the first time under arrest. His offence was trifling. His mules were starving, and he had stolen a sack of government corn to feed them. Then he said seriously:

"I wouldn't see my mules starve you know, but I can't stand being arrested for stealing. If my wife and children hear of it their hearts would break. If you will let me give you the slip I will get back to my company and the trouble will be over. The fellows who arrested me don't know my name, and they wouldn't know my face again. If I make a run for it don't shoot."

To his appeals Norton turned a deaf ear.

"If you run I'll kill you," was all he said.

"That's the right talk," replied the prisoner pleastantly, "shoot if you want to, but take care to miss your mark."

"I'll kill you," muttered Norton.

If the teamster had turned to look at his guard in the moonlight he would have seen that his face was that of a demon. The dominant craze for blood had taken complete possession of the boy. Slyly he cocked his musket and held it with both hands in front of him. At last he was to have a chance to kill a man. He watched his victim with the eyes of a hawk.

The two came to a lonely spot. The opportunity was favorable and the teamster suddenly made a spring forward and ran off at a rapid pace. Norton instantly leveled his musket, took deliberate aim at the fugitive's back and fired.

The boy knelt down by the dead body. He turned the corpse over and convinced himself that his bullet had done its work thoroughly. When he rose there was blood on his hands and on his garments. He made no effort to wipe it off, but with a flush on his cheek and an exultant gleam in his eyes, hurried back to headquarters.

"Killed him, you say," said the militia captain with a dazed look. "I don't believe it."

"But," said the boy eagerly, "I know he is dead. I turned him over. He's as dead as a door nail. He tried to run and I shot him."

"Well," said the captain, "you'd better git."

"Do what?"

"Git. This ain't any place for you. When boys kill good soldiers because they take a little truck for their mules, it's time for them to hide out."

"Martial law made it my duty," said Norton with a flourish.

"Martial law be blanked," growled the captain.

By this time others had crowded around, and the captain's opinion seemed to be general. Norton began to feel seriously alarmed, and yet he felt indignant at being reproved for doing his duty. He quietly made his home. It was not considered safe for him to remain there, and he was provided with other quarters.

He was not a moment too soon in secreting himself. The next day hundreds of Tennesseeans scoured the city for him. Some of the men carried ropes. They swore they would hang the boy like a dog. These men justified their comrade in taking government corn to feed his mules. It seemed to them a cold-blooded crime for a good soldier to bekilled for such a trifle by a mere boy who had done nothing for his country. Norton remained securely concealed until the siege wasover.

After Sherman entered the city Norton ventured out. He had a hangdog look. His eyes were wild, and he had a way of stopping with a jerk every few minutes and looking behind him. Every time he met an old acquaintance he would refer to the shooting of the teamster, and ask for an opinion. Generally, the verdict was against him, and he gradually gave himself up to gloom and remorse.

Several years after the war Norton reappeared in Atlanta. He was the shadow of his former self, and his pallid face was recognized by only a few. There was one peculiarity about him. He seemed to regulate his pace by that of some invisible person in front of him. Sometimes he held both hands in front after the fashion of a hunter holding a gun and creeping upon his prey. Again, he would cast frightened glances over his shoulder and walk with all his speed.

The fellow became a complete wreck. He went to the bad. Later he was heard from in a distant part of the state, and then in North Carolina. He never attempted to regain his old position among business men. He went downward in the scale until he lived with outlaws and moonshiners. Finally he died with his boots on. The miserable wretch probably never enjoyed a moment's pleasure after firing that fatal shot. Remorse gnawed at his vitals from first to last. He came very near being a first-class murderer, but there was something wanting. Even as a criminal he must be put down as a failure.

### GADSDEN.

This beautiful little city is justly entitled to the name she bears, of Queen of the Upper Coosa. In the last five years the population has been doubled, and her business has increased in a still greater propotion. Her natural advantages are great, and there is no reason why her progress should not continue with each recurring year. The business men are wide awake, aggressive and progressive. The road to run from Gadsden to Guntersville, already in operation five miles, connecting Gadsden and Attala with the Alabama Great Southern road, is sure to be built at an early date. Maj. Hugh Carlisle has a good force at work, and much of the grading and superstructure is already done. The business men of Gad-den, however, are determined on a connection with the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia system at Jacksonville, thereby having choice of rail routes. The men who have the matter in hand know no such word as fail, and it may be safely calculated that the road will be built within the coming year. The lumber interest of Gad-den is very large. The iron furnace there can make charcoal pig cheaper, it is claimed, than any other point in the United States. Vast quantities of iron, coal and limestone are right at hand to make it one of the largest iron making places in the State. It has many industries that give employment to a large number of mechanics and laborers. The Coosa river is navigable from Rome all the year round, and boats run a considerable distance south of Gadsden, making it the trading point for a large section of country. The people of all Alabama will be greatly benefitted when Gadsden can be reached by boats from Montgomery or Mobile. The opening of the Coosa will bring about this desirable end, and our citizens are vitally interested. A large and able delegation of Gadsden's representative men will attend the convention at Tuskaloosa.—*Montgomery Advertiser.*

Alabama has no truer son in all her borders than the veteran and patriotic J. Withers Clay. For more than a third of a century, as editor of the Huntsville Democrat, he has devoted his time and talent to every measure tending to add to the honor and prosperity of the State and people. In his present illness he and his family have the deepest sympathy of the people he has so long and faithfully served and they hope for him a speedy recovery and many years of prosperity and usefulness.—*Montgomery Advertiser.*


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## STATE NEWS.

A good deal of building is going on in Demopolis.

The Gazette, of Tuscaloosa, threatens to "tackle a daily" onto its weekly.

The Southern Signal, of Prattville, would have Hon. Neil S. Graham, of Tuskegee made president of the University.

The Standard man, of Marion, is delighted to learn that Rev. Mr. Tabb, stricken with paralysis, is much improved.

Times are so hard up in High Jackson that a citizen of that county exclaimed, the other day, "It looks to me like judgment day has come!

The Huntsville oil mills use about 8,000 barrels annually. They are made in Memphis and are purchased at the price of $1.35 a piece, less freight.

William L. Clay, Esq., gives notice of the temporary suspension of the publication of the Huntsville Democrat, on account of the illness of the editor, his father.

The Talladega Mountain Home thinks there is nothing impossible for that city. It says Talladega will have a railroad running through Clay county inside of the next twelve months.

The most destructive rain storm that ever washed the face of Marion, deluged that country last Friday and Saturday. The rainfall was seven inches.

The most fasteful and earnest and generous valedictory that has graced the columns of an Alabama newspaper for many a year, is that of F. J. Cowart, of the Troy Messenger, when he tells the people good-bye.

The Huntsville Independent says "Mr. Woodrow most assured ly made a very favorable impression during his recent visit to our city. In the vote in the synod on what are known as the Woodrow resolutions, our information is that the clerical members were evenly divided."

We have stirred Pensacola to its profoundest depths. The board of trade of the city will proceed to memoralize congress in behalf of the restoration and use of the navy yard and then the board authorized Messrs. Dennis, Wolfe, Sellars and Yonge to represent Pensacola at Tuscaloosa.

Gen. Burke, of Mobile, [Jacksonville,] is visiting Jasper this week looking after his company's coal interests. There is strong propability of the company opening up large operations so soon as transportation facilities are afforded. We expect it to be a strong spoke in the wheel of Walker's progress and prosperity.—Jasper Eagle.

As to the city of Sheffield, Mr. Moses, director of the land company at that place, says that "in eighteen months of its existence it has accomplished as much as Birmingham in the first seven years of its existence, and there are today in Sheffield twenty-five new buildings in course of construction, the majority of them being built of brick and iron."

The Prattville Signal tells that a terrible tornado swept over Plantersville Friday evening. Mrs. Alexander's house was utterly destroyed. Miss Violette A., was blown into fragments. Her body was picked up in one place and limbs in another. A Mr. Tate's son, six years old, was killed, and a brother blown against a tree, who is still unconscious. Mr. Sharp's gin house, with two bales of cotton, was blown away. Lassiter's mill was demolished.

That was a sad statement telegraphed to us Wednesday night—that coal miners in Pennsylvania get only 60 cents a day in the summer, with no work in the winter, and that it is now proposed to reduce their wages ten per cent. But they have the grim satisfaction of knowing that a prohibitory tariff "protects" the mine owners from competition with the "pauper labor of Europe."—*Rome Courier.*

### Gadsden and Jacksonville Railroad.

A scheme is on foot to build a railroad from Gadsden to Jacksonville, or more correctly speaking to put the old road in running order.

We confidently expect to have the pleasure of noting in these columns of the laying of the first rail of the Gadsden and Jacksonville railroad at an early date.—*Southern Mining and Manufacturing Journal*

You can not expect your children to thrive when they are being destroyed by worms. Give them a few doses of Shriner's Indian Vermifuge and they will be restored to health.

### What "Protection" Costs the Farmer.

The American farmer "feeds the world." It is to him that other nations look to supply what is lacking in their crops. What he sells cannot be "protected." He can get no higher prices than the farmers of other countries. Prices are fixed by the world's production in the world's market, except for speculative "corners" and such temporary or local fluctuations, the quotations of wheat and pork and cotton are from Liverpool: What the farmer gets is, in the long run, Liverpool price less the the cost of handling and transportation. But of this he must pay what his crops cost to raise. The rest is profit, and little enough it is.

It is so little because "protection," which cannot increase the price of what he sells, increases the cost of nearly everything he buys. It increases also the cost of transportation. The tax of steel rails was for years $28 per ton. The Michigan Central and Canada Southern railroads, separated only half a mile, in 1872 both laid tracks of steel rails: they cost the American road $97 per ton gold, the Canadian only $70. This adds about $3,000 per mile to the cost of the road, and the earnings must cover as much more for renewals. The rolling stock, tools, etc., are largely iron. To make a profit the railroads must charge more, and to charge more they must charge the American farmer. This leaves him so much the less. From what is left he must pay more for nearly all he buys. The duty on agricultural machinery is 45 per cent. The duty on steel wire has been equal to 3 cents per pound: to fence Iowa into 40 acre lots would cost $5,000,000 more. it has been stated, for each wire in the fence. On the average, the farmer pays $150 for what he should get for $100. "The $50 of dead loss will buy a thousand feet of 5 inch drain tiles, or drain five acres of flat land, or buy the material for 75 to 100 rod of barb wire fence," or be so much laid up for a rainy day.

Thus the farmers carry the most burdens, though it is they who make the prosperity of the country. Of the $733,000,000 exports of 1881-82, only $103,000,000 (14 per cent.) were of manufactured commodities, while the direct products of the land were $617,000,000—breadstuffs $182,000,000; raw cotton, $190,000,000; provisions, $120,000,000. Nor can protection make a "home market" for the farmer. Of the 400,000,000 bushels of wheat grown in the United States in 1880, $158,000,000 or 40 per cent. were exported. Even where it has succeeded, by taking him and his fellows, in building a mill or starting a town and bringing a railroad close to his door, it has presently driven him away to seeker cheaper land. Moreover, if government is for "the greatest good of the greatest number," the farmers should not be the least well-treated class. In 1880, 7,670,493 men, women and children are stated to have been concerned in agriculture, and but 3,837,112 in all the manufacturing and mining industries. One-half the community is directly supported by agriculture. In 1880 the value of farms was given at $10,197,096,776, and of farm implements $400,520,055, while the capital invested in manufactures was reported at $2,790,272,606.

The farmer is the strong horse who must carry the tariff load. He foots the bills for "protection," and of its supposed benefits he gets none.

### Death of D. C. Turner.

Yesterday morning Mr. Pink Turner, foreman of the *Bulletin* office received a telegram stating that his uncle Mr. D. C. Turner of Jacksonville had died at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Turner was well known to our wholesale men as a member of the firm of W. C. Land & Co. He was frequently in Rome and being a large fine looking man would attract attention anywhere. He had many friends in this community who join us in sympathy for the bereaved family. He will be buried at Jacksonville this morning.

Mr. Pink Turner went down yesterday to attend the funeral.—*Rome Bulletin.*

Mr. Sam W. Small publishes in the Atlanta papers a notice to his creditors to send in their accounts, and says that he will pay them all as speedily as possible. Some people may continue to doubt it, but we are fully convinced of Mr. Small's sincere and thorough conversion. He is giving the strongest testimony of it that could be given. Unfortunately, however, such testimony is rare, and the cause of religion suffers for the lack of it.—*Rome Courier.*

The President has issued a proclamation setting apart Thursday, Nov. 26th, as a day of Thanksgiving.

# The Republican.

NOVEMBER 21, 1885.

We welcome to our table the Springville *Mail*, and shall take the liberty of drawing largely from it in the make up of the St. Clair local news. It pays much attention to local matters.

Active war is going on between Servia and Bulgaria and the dispatches report almost daily engagements of more or less magnitude. This war may or may not involve Europe in a general war. It has had a very depressing effect upon the foreign stock markets.

Mr. Harmon of Talladega county, whose disappearance is noticed on the outside of this paper under head of Talladega news, was drowned. His body was recovered a few days ago. A coroner's jury report that he came to his death by no foul means.

### Jacksonville and Gadsden Railroad.

The Gadsden correspondent of the Birmingham *Age*, writing to that paper under date of the 16th of this month says:

"The railroad fever has struck our town and the work will begin on the first day of January to build a road from Gadsden to Jacksonville. This road connects the A. G. S. with the East Tenn., Va., & Ga., Georgia Pacific and the East and West, making it the second Pittsburg (?) of the south.

Capt. James Crook, of Jacksonville was made one of the Vice Presidents of the Tuscaloosa River and Harbor Improvement Convention. The proceedings report Gen. J. W. Burke, "of Mobile," a member of the Committee on Mineral Resources and Timber. Gen. Burke has been Collector of the Port of Mobile and spends much time there and is associated with Mobile gentlemen in the development of Walker coal mines, but he is a citizen of Jacksonville, and should properly have been credited to this place. Jacksonville hasn't enough people to spare any of them to Mobile yet awhile.

Galveston, Texas, was visited by an awful fire a few days ago. The burnt district comprises over one hundred acres in the heart of the city. Five hundred and sixty-eight residences and a large number of business houses were burned and a thousand families were left homeless. The loss was over two million of dollars. It was second only to the great Chicago fire of some years ago. Galveston for the next few months will present a rich field for brick masons and house carpenters. The vast amount of property destroyed by the fire will have to be replaced at once. As is always the case following a fire, a better class of buildings than those burned will go up, and fully three million of dollars will be spent in the work, fully half of which will go to the labor employed upon it.

The New York World publishes what it designates as an authentic theory of the administration of President Cleveland upon the tariff question. That paper avers that, as indicated by a high official of the administration, the policy thereof will be the reorganization of the tariff upon a revenue basis with incidental protection.—*Montgomery Advertiser.*

We do not see how President Cleveland can take any other ground and stand on the platform of the Democratic party that elected him. He was opposed by the high protective tariff men of the country on the ground that the platform of his party bound him to this course. He was elected by the Democratic party to do among other things this specific thing. If he should go over to the protectionists he would be a traitor to his party.

It may be that the party of Jacksonville gentlemen who own the road-bed from here to Gadsden will let Mr. Fawcett or somebody else have it to build a railroad from Gadsden to Anniston, flanking this place, and our Anniston neighbors may believe that way; but we venture the assertion that neither Mr. Fawcett nor anybody else believes it. Gadsden does not so believe, and all her arrangements look to a connection with this place. If the road is ever built atall, and it looks now as if it will be, it will first connect Jacksonville and Gadsden, and then if Mr. Fawcett or anybody else wishes, by branch or extension, to take in Anniston, nobody here has any objection.

We want Anniston to have all the railroads and other aids to her upbuilding that she can legitimately get, but we want her to have none of them at our expense.

## MEETING OF THE CONVENTION AT TUSKALOOSA.

### The Attendance Large and Representative---Capt. Eads' Ship Railway Presented--Senator Pugh Makes a Speech --Real Work Begins To-Day.

Special to the Advertiser.

TUSKALOOSA, Nov. 17.—About two hundred delegates are present from many points in the State and some from Mississippi, Florida and Tennessee. The convention was called to order at 12 m. by Mayor Jemison. He referred to the importance of the meeting and was glad to welcome so many. He introduced as temporary president, A. O. Lane, Mayor of Birmingham.

Mr. Lane dwelt on the interests involved in the meeting, Alabama's great resources, the need for cheaper transportation by improving her water-ways and the great future of Mobile and the entire State when the contemplated improvements were carried out. His remarks were greatly enjoyed and applauded.

On motion of T. G. Bush, of Mobile, a committee of ten were appointed to re-report permanent officers and committees, and an order of business. The chair appointed Bush, of Mobile; Wiley, of Montgomery; Herron, of Birmingham; Fitts, of Tuskaloosa; John, of Selma; Lyons, of Marengo; Shorter, of Eufaula; Wood, of Florence; Davidson, of Bibb, and Stansell of Pickens.

During their retirement, in answer to calls Senator Pugh took the platform and made a plain but powerful presentation of the facts connected with the water ways of Alabama.

The committee on organization reported H. Toulmin, Mobile, president; James Taylor Jones, W. S. Thorington, J. A. Foster, Wm. Brooks, T. J. Smitherman, A. C. Hargrove, James Crook, Z. P. Zimmerman, Vice Presidents; W. W. Screws, L. S. Dupree, H. H. Brown, Thomas Hudson, secretaries; committee on Mobile harbor, P. A. Hamilton, H. Austell, J. A. Jones, J. T. Jones, J. M. Martin and Judge David Clopton; waterways committee, S. A. M. Wood, J. C. Webb, J. O. Banks, J. N. Suttle, T. H. Carr, H. Harding, J. D. Weeden, J. L. Tanner, W. H. Gardner and A. H. Moses; mineral resources and timber, J. W. Burke, C. Cable, E. A. Smith, J. T. Pearce, A. O. Love, D. A. Vaughan, W. H. Skaggs, T. H. Watts, Jr.; agricultural resources, W. H. Gardner, W. A. Walker, J. C. Jones, F. G. Lyon, T. J. Rutledge, A. C. Hargrove, G. M. Everhart, T. G. Fowler.

By invitation Mr. Cothrell chief engineer of Capt. Eads in his great work, delivered a very interesting speech showing the routes of commerce and how they could be shortened by crossing the Isthmus of Panama. The Eads Ship Railway was pronounced feasible. The convention then adjourned to 7 p. m. The convention is a splendid body of delegates from nearly every town in the State on the Tennessee, Coosa, Warrior and Bigbee rivers. The places represented are Huntsville, Decatur, Florence, Tuscumbia, Sheffield, Centre, Gadsden, Jacksonville, Talladega, Marion, Uniontown, Livingston, Eutaw, Montgomery, Eufaula, Tuskaloosa, Selma, Mobile, Demopolis, Columbus, Mississippi, Carrolton, Pensacola, Greensboro and Birmingham.

NIGHT SESSION.

The committee on mineral resources made a report setting forth the immense coal deposits of the State and the absolute cheapness with which it could be shipped to the world, if the problem of cheap transportation is solved. The report emphasized the fact that Pittsburg had never been able to export coal out of New Orleans, while Alabama could compete with England or any other country, if the heavy charges from the mine to the ship be reduced. The report was adopted. Gen. Burke, of Mobile, made an interesting speech in presenting the report.

Judge Austill, of Mobile, addressed the convention on Mobile harbor, its present and its future possibilities.

SECOND DAY.

An executive committee of two from each Congressional District was appointed and the Association was declared permanent.

A strong committee was appointed to memorialize Congress for aid to our rivers and the harbor of Mobile.

Five thousand copies of the proceedings of the Convention will be printed.

The convention refused to act upon the reports of committees in favor of restoration Pensacola Navy Yard and Eads' Ship canal.

A great many interesting speeches were made as well as able reports from various committees.

The Convention was a grand success.

### Sudden Death.

Mr. John S. Hughes, deputy marshal of Gadsden, died suddenly Monday evening last. Last Sunday he left the city in company with John A. Holley and Marshal Smith for a camp hunt on Wisner mountain, Cherokee county. About 4 o'clock Monday he was missed from the camp, and the huntsmen turned out to look for him. When found he was lying on his face in the road near the camp. It is supposed he died of heart disease. His remains reached Gadsden Tuesday evening and will be buried in the Hughes graveyard. The bereaved have our sympathies.—*Gadsden News.*

## A PICTURESQUE OUTLAW.

Atlanta Constitution.

Since the days when Robin Hood and his bold followers terrorized the rural Britons, there has not been a more daring desperado than Martin Mitchell, the Arkansas outlaw.

It would be impossible to give a list of Mitchell's crimes. For years he has roamed the St. Francis bottoms, and the river counties opposite Memphis. The courts have piled up stacks of indictments against him as a moonshiner. He has figured as a highway robber and as a red-handed murderer. He is known far and wide as the "Swamp Angel," and the story of his deeds and miraculous escapes would fill a volume.

A short time ago the "Swamp Angel" was lodged in jail in Cross county, Ark., under a thirty days sentence for some small offense. His term of imprisonment was so brief that the good people of the vicinity expected him to serve it out, but at this he has grievously disappointed them. After remaining in jail ten days he mysteriously effected his escape and is again on the rampage, armed with a repeating rifle, a couple of revolvers and a bowie knife. As he knows every inch in the tangled canebrakes of St. Francis, the authorities do not feel inclined to pursue him.

Now comes the strange part of the story. Although Mitchell is known to be a bad and dangerous man, hundreds of people in the river counties are attached to him because they think he is persecuted, and because he is a kind, considerate neighbor, open-handed and generous to a fault. Some of his most active enemies belong to a high-toned sporting club in Memphis. During his imprisonment he learned these amateur hunters had caused his wife and children to be turned out of their little cabin before the lease had expired. This intelligence aroused all the mischief in him, and he at once broke jail with intention of protecting his family and securing revenge. Under the circumstances it is useless to expect any assistance from the country people of Arkansas in capturing Mitchel. They regard him as the victim of the Memphis Gun club, and sympathize with him.

The situation excites great interest all along the river. The Memphis sportsmen have been in the habit of hunting in the St. Francis bottoms, but they are not likely to disturb the game in that region this season. The prospect of being picked off by a bullet from the unerring rifle of the "Swamp Angel," is enough to chill the ardor of the most reckless hunter. It seems almost incredible that one determined man should be literally monarch of all he surveys in a tract of perhaps a hundred miles square, but it is even so. The indications are that this terrible moonshiner will enjoy the sweets of liberty for a long time to come. In the meantime the memphis Gun club will look out for another hunting ground.

### A Card of Acknowledgment.

From the Anniston Watchman.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.,
Nov 17th 1885.

ED. WATCHMAN:—I see from the last Hot Blast that the Editor, speaking of the county officers of Calhoun county, concedes that "at least one—perhaps more—is a gentleman of honor and worthiness." We thank the Hot Blast for the implied compliment to the people of Calhoun. That they should succeed in electing *one* gentleman of "honor and worthiness," in the eyes of the Editor of the Hot Blast, is indeed cause for congratulation. The Hot Blast does not tell us who that favored party is, but I take it for granted that it refers to me, and I beg leave to state that the compliment is the more generous on the part of that paper, seeing that I beat a distinguished and popular gentleman of Anniston for the position I now hold. People these times are so provincial and narrow, and can see so little of excellence in anybody outside their own baliwicks, that when I see an exhibition of breadth and liberality such as the Hot Blast displayed in its reference to the chosen and trusted servants of the intelligent and worthy people of Calhoun, I feel like publicly acknowledging obligation to the writer. Very Respectfully,

P. J. HINES,
County Coroner.

### Death of an Aged Lady.

Died, at the residence of Col. N. B. Feagin, Friday night, Mrs. A. Martin, grandmother of Mrs. Feagin, in her 93rd year. The deceased was for many years a resident of Montgomery and her remains were taken there yesterday for interment. The adage that calamities seldom come single is often true. It has only been a short time since Mrs. Feagin lost her beloved father and to-day she will follow her aged grandmother to its last resting place in the city where only a short time since she was happy in the society of her sire and the loved one whose loss she mourns to-day. Thus, in a few short moths, two of the sweetest names to her, father and grandmother, become mementoes of the past, for they are names that dwell fresh and sweet in the memory of all who have been bereft of these the most dear in life.—*Anniston Watchman.*

War between Burmah and the Indian Government has been formally declared.


### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Wm. M. Nisbet.
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**Scotch Terriers,**

KING OF RAT DOGS.

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### Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of W. P. Crook deceased having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. A. Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala., on the 10th day of October, 1885, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

nov21-3t SAMUEL BROTHERS, Adm'r.


## J. H. Crawford,

## UNDERTAKER,

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

Has on hand a fine assortment of

**Coffins and Caskets,**

AND

**Gloss White Small Coffins.**

I have been in the business in Jacksonville for forty-five years, and now comes in our village blacksmith and county treasurer and making an effort to wring that part of my trade from my hands, and neither of them know any more about the business than a hog knows about holiday. Get prices when you need any thing in my line and then come to me. I have no house rent to pay and no one to support but myself and wife and can consequently sell cheaper than any one else. Don't buy until you have priced my goods.

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### Register's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 8th District of the Eastern Chancery division of Alabama at Jacksonville, rendered at the October term, 1885, of said court in the cause of J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley, deceased, vs. B. W. Turner, J. A. Kellar and A. J. Cross: I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder, for cash before the court house door of Calhoun county, Ala., within the usual hours of sale, on Monday the 23rd day of Nov. 1885, the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of section 6, township 14, range 8, (less 20 acres off of the west side of said land in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land sold to satisfy said decree herein mentioned.

oct17-4t W. M. HAMES, Register.

### Administrator's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, State of Alabama, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of John Starky deceased, will sell on the premises on the 18th day of November 1885, at public outcry to the highest bidder the real estate belonging to said estate lying in Calhoun county, State of Alabama, as follows: About 40 acres in the N½ of SE¼ and all of the NE¼ excepting a triangular piece in the south-west corner, and a strip on the north boundary which begins 15 chains from the north-east corner of said quarter section 29, township 14, range 6, which boundaries are defined by J. C. Archer and B. G. McClelen surveyors 175 acres more or less and also the following personal property to-wit: One black mule, one wagon and harness, some sheep, yearlings, and pork hogs, some corn and wheat, blacksmiths tools, shoe makers tools and mechanical tools, household and kitchen furniture and many other things of value and use.

TERMS OF SALE.—The land will be sold for one half cash and balance in 12 months with sureties and interest from date. All personal property will be sold for cash. Come everybody.

SARGEANT GRIFFIN, Adm'r.
ELLIS & STEVENSON Att'ys.
oct17-3t.

### NOTICE NO 4460.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
Nov 10, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Probate Court at Jacksonville, Alabama, on Dec. 28th 188., viz: Edward D. Mathis Homestead 3660 for Fractions M. E. T and N, Sections 19 Township 11 south, Range 6 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Sharbett, Lieutenant P. Howell, William Little, Berry Gray, all of Ottery, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT, Register.
nov14-6t

### Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama at the April term 1885, of said court, in the cause of Albina Cameron vs. Joseph P. Burns, I will as Register of said Court sell to the highest bidder for cash on Monday the 7th day of Dec., next within the usual hours of sale before the Court House door of said county the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of the NW¼ and part of the NW¼ of SE¼ being all of said last forty acre tract lying east of the branch and being thirty acres more or less, and ten acres more or less lying east of said branch being part of SW¼ of SE¼ and ten acres more or less lying east of the branch being part of the NE¼ of NW¼ all in Section 4, Township 15, Range 6. Containing ninety acres more or less in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land will be sold to satisfy said decree in favor of the said Albina Cameron and against the said Joseph P. Burns This 6th day Nov. 1885.

W. M. HAMES,
nov7-4t Register.

### Attachment Notice.

W. T. Rowland,
vs.
Geo. C. Morgan,

Whereas, W. T. Rowland having applied to the undersigned, H. F. Montgomery a Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P., in due form of law for an attachment against the property of Geo. C. Morgan and having obtained the same and whereas it appears to me that the said Geo. C. Morgan is not a resident of this state and that he resides at Tallahasse, Florida. Now the said Geo. C. Morgan is hereby notified of the pendency of the said attachment; that the same has been served by garnishment on J. H. Glenn and John T. Rowland and that if the said Geo. C. Morgan do not appear before me at my office in the town of Jacksonville, county of Calhoun and State of Alabama, before the 14th day of December 1885, I will proceed to give judgment on the said attachment, in the same manner as if the said Geo. C. Morgan were present to answer and defend the same, and I will as the law directs, award execution, order of sale or other process, as the case may require. Given under my hand at office on the 26th day of October 1885.

H. F. MONTGOMERY,
Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P.
oct31-4t

### Application to Sell Land.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }

In Probate Court for said county, October 24th, 1885.

This day came Robert L. Arnold, Administrator of the estate of D. A. Cary deceased, and, as such Administrator, filed in court his application in due form and under oath, praying for an order of sale of certain lands described therein, and belonging to said estate, for the purpose of paying debts of said estate, upon the ground that the personal property belonging to said estate is insufficient therefor. It is ordered that the 15th day of December 1885, be appointed a day for hearing such application, at which time all parties in interest can appear before me in said court and contest the same if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
oct31-3t Judge of Probate.

### Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed of Trust executed by L. McAdory and wife, to me as Trustee for use of J. D. Hammond and by him transferred to Simpson and Ledbetter, and filed in the Office of the Probate Judge of Calhoun County, Ala., for Record on 23rd day of Nov. 1883 the day of its execution, and Recorded on the 10th day of Dec. 1883, in Book T of Deeds of Trust, on page 33. I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry for cash, before the Court House door in Jacksonville, Ala., on the 30th day of Nov. 1885, the following described real estate, viz: One lot lying North of Depot street in said town of Jacksonville, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the R. C. Lester lot and running West along the street 50 feet, thence North 75 feet, thence East to Lesters' line, thence along Lesters' line to the begining point, in Sec. 11, T. 14, and R. 8.

I. L. SWAN,
oct24-30d Trustee.

### Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a certain Trust Deed executed to me as Trustee on the 5th day of March, 1883, by A. G. Foster and his wife, Margaret Foster, to secure two promissory notes, one dated 5th day of March 1883, and due 25th day of December 1883 for $317.50 and the other dated 5th day of March 1883 and due on the 25th day of December 1884 for $317.50, together with interest and costs, said notes being payable to B. M. Stewart, I will as such Trustee, on the 23rd day of November 1885, during the legal hours of sale, at the court house door, in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: The SE forty of the tract of land known as the Foster place on Nancy's creek and bounded as follows, to-wit: On the East by Scot Neighbors' land, on the south by the widow Bridges' land and on the west by the A. G. Foster land. Also the SW forty of the tract of land known as the Foster place, on Nancy's creek and bounded as follows: On the South by the widow Bridge's land, on the west by the widow Betsy Wilson's land, on the north by the widow Hughes' land and on the east by A. G. Foster's land. This land all in Calhoun county, Alabama, township 15, range 10 This Oct. 20, 1885.

oct24-29d J. D. STEWART, Trustee.

### NOTICE NO. 4320.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
Oct. 12, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court or in his absence Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 28, 1885, viz: James E. Norris Homestead 3648, for the N half of SW quarter section 12, Township 15 South, Range 6 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Jas. White, Thos. L. Ford, Ed Kilgore, W. F. Wells, all of Weavers Station, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT, Register.
oct17-6t

### Insolvent Notice.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
CALHOUN COUNTY. }

In Probate Court, special Term Oct. 22nd 1885.

This day came Mrs. M. E. Williams Admr'x of the estate of Richard D. Williams deceased, and filed in Court her report in writing and under oath, setting forth that said estate to the best of her knowledge is insolvent, and asking the Court to so declare. It is therefore ordered, that the 23rd day of Nov. 1885, be and is hereby appointed the day to hear and determine said report, and that notice thereof be given the creditors, and all other interested in said estate, by publication for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published at Jacksonville in said county, to be and appear at my office in the Court House of said County on said 23rd day of Nov. 1885 and contest said report if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
oct24-3t Judge of Probate.

### FOR RENT.

The Crow farm 2½ miles west of Jacksonville. A four or six horse crop, good houses and out-buildings, two tenent houses, good water in thirty steps of the house, fire-wood convenient, splendid range for stock. Farm well watered by a running stream. Land in a splendid state of cultivation. We desire to rent or lease to some one who has stock. Any one desiring to rent can get further particulars by calling on

CROW BROS.,
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## UNDERTAKERS,

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JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

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SPECIAL TO THE LADIES.

The ladies of Calhoun are especially invited to call and examine our fresh stock of Ladies' Jerseys, New Market Cloaks, Walking Jackets, beautiful lines of prints and dress goods of every description. These goods were selected by our Mr. W. H. DEAN, in New York, specially for this market, and we are satisfied will please.

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oct17-tf

## A. M. LANDERS,

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JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

This school, established for the training of teachers, opened with enlarged faculty and increased facilities, on Monday August 31st 1885. In connection with the Normal Department, and as auxiliary to it, a thorough course of primary and academic instruction is open to all. Music, both Vocal and Instrumental, and Art, will be taught by first-class instructors. The Faculty is:

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MISS SARA B. FOUCHE, Normal Studies and Free Hand Drawing.

MISS LETTIE R. DOWDELL, French, Elocution, and Grammar School Studies.

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MISS JESSIE WOODS, Teacher of Music.

MRS. J. HARRIS CHAPPELL, Teacher of Art.

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J. HARRIS CHAPPELL, A. M.,
sept12tf President Faculty.


### NOTICE NO 4295.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
Oct., 5, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court, or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov., 21, 1885, viz: Solomon W. Poe, Homestead 3822 for the SE¼ Section 29 Township 15 south, Range 5 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: William Ledlow, William Sarchett, Richard Stones, T. B. Martin, all of Bruner, Ala.

THOMAS J SCOTT, Register.
oct16-6t


## FORNEY'S MILL.

**Two Miles South**

OF

**JACKSONVILLE.**

This property, know as the old Stevenson Mill, has recently been thoroughly overhauled and renewed, and is now prepared to serve the public. Good out-turn of excellent flour and corn meal.

In connection with the Mill a new gin house has been erected, furnished with new and excellent Improved Favior Gin. Cotton ginned for the twentieth.

The undersigned has ten years experience as a miller in some of the best mills of the State and will guarantee satisfaction to patrons. Give the new mill and gin a trial.

A team will be run between Jacksonville and the Mill, and for every 56 lbs of corn 48 lbs of meal will be returned.

Sept26-tf G. S. KLEIN.


### FINAL SETTLEMENT.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, }
Calhoun County. }

In Probate Court for said county, Special Term Nov. 11th 1885.

This day came John E. Nisbet and Joseph W. Nisbet Executors of the Estate of James G. Nisbet deceased, and filed in Court their account and vouchers for a final settlement of their Administration of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 7th day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon account and make said settlement; and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me, at my office in the court house of said county, on said 7th day of Dec. 1885, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
nov14-3t Judge of Probate.

# The Republican.

## OUR CHEAP COLUMN.

*Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent a word each insertion, payable cash in advance.*

**Wanted to Buy** A small farm of about 80 acres, with good cottage on it, off railroad, in a retired part of the county, for a price something like $1000, half cash, balance in 12 months. Apply to Stevenson & Grant.

**Second** HAND PIANO cheap. Apply to Mrs. Annie Alexander, Jacksonville, Alabama.

**Wanted to Sell** at a bargain, a farm of several hundred acres near Sulphur Springs—rich in valuable minerals. STEVENSON & GRANT, Jacksonville, Ala.

**Cross Plain** Wanted to sell at a bargain a good dwelling house, almost new, and a lot of five acres of land, in the growing town of Cross Plains. STEVENSON & GRANT, Jacksonville, Ala.

**Imported** Setter puppies to sell or exchange for yearlings. Apply to Ross Whisenant jr., Jacksonville, Ala. nov14

ONE nice lot for sale. Cheap for cash. Has on it a comfortable dwelling, two rooms, a hall and veranda fronting house, chimney in each room. A good orchard and stable. Three-quarters of a mile from college, and fronting E. T. Va. and Ga. R. R. Enquire of Stevenson & Grant.

Thorough-bred Irish Setter Pups. I have a few more for sale at $5 00. I have some fine Essex Pigs for sale, also Poland Chickens. ROSS WHISENANT Jr. nov21 Jacksonville, Ala.

**Notice.** I have two good horses that I would sell for corn. R. L. ARNOLD, nov21 Jacksonville Ala.

# Reduction in Price!

## Subscribe Now!

To all subscribers who pay up past dues and to all new subscribers we will send the

## Jacksonville Republican

from now until January 1st 1887, a period of fourteen months for

## ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF.

The paper will continue to improve as its patronage justifies improvement. We want to largely increase its circulation this Fall, and ask each one of our subscribers to say a good word for the paper to some neighbor who may not be taking it. The Republican advocates only such measures as will, in the judgment of its editor, conduce to the welfare of the

## Masses of the People.

For half a century it has drawn its support from them and it is in sympathy with them. The people have never failed it and it has never failed them, as their long and faithful support of it attest.

## ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF,

is as cheap a price as any good country weekly paper can be published for to make any money for its owners. It is less than

## Three Cents a Week

to each subscriber. Surely every man in Calhoun can afford to spend this much weekly to keep himself posted on the news of the day and afford his children the advantage that the constant reading of a clean newspaper is to them. The newspaper is an invaluable educator, and no family should be without one—

## Subscribe for the Republican

### New Advertisements.

W C Land & C D Harper, Closing out sale.
Notice—Horse to exchange for corn.
House and Lot for sale.
Thorough-bred Irish Setters for sale.
Ullman & Co.—Jacksonville.
Register's Sale—Wm. M. Haines, Register.
Creditors Notice.—W P Crook's Estate.
Crow Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott, living near Jacksonville, lost an infant child by death Monday.

### Thanksgiving.

The Governor of Alabama has appointed Nov. 26th as a day of thanksgiving and praise to God.

"Uncle Ned" Wyly, a very aged negro man of this place, died a few days ago suddenly. He was a preacher and has ever exerted an influence for good upon his race.

We have just received a large lot of fancy and stick candies, oranges, apples, cocoanuts, desicated cocoanut, figs, raisins, codfish, herring, pearl grits, navy beans, dried apples and peaches, and will receive in a few days the largest and best selected stock of toys and fancy goods we ever brought to Jacksonville. We hope all who desire to buy Christmas goods will call and examine our stock before purchasing. Crow Bros.

We regret to learn by a private letter from Mr. R. B. Kelley to a friend in this place that he and wife lost their infant child by death at the home of Mrs. Kelly's mother at Mountain Spring, near Sylacauga, Talladega county, the 11th inst. The child was born Oct. 24th and died the 11th of the month following. The death of the sweet little infant forms the first link in the golden chain that will bind the parents to heaven, whither it has gone.

There has been more expression of satisfaction with the Jacksonville market this season than we have ever before heard expressed. This arises from the fact that our merchants are competing this season for the cash trade of the country. Heretofore the largest business of this market has been in advancing supplies on crop lien mortgage, at necessarily higher rates than where cash sales are made. The stores of Jacksonville are stocked full of goods fresh from market which are going low for the cash. The goods sold here are just what they are represented to be, and this is an important point to buyers.

### Death of Mr. Hayden.

Mr. Wm. Hayden died at the residence of his sisters in this place Wednesday of paralysis.

He came here some months ago from Talladega county an invalid and has been since then almost continuously confined to his room or bed.

He realized that his disease was incurable and looked forward to his final release from pain with calm fortitude and christain resignation.

His death was hastend by a third stroke of paralysis and his last moments were free from pain. To him death was a welcome release from suffering. He was a good man and has gone to his reward.

We respectfully request parties who visit this office not to take the exchanges off with them. It is very annoying to find a paper gone that has been laid aside for future use, perhaps, by the editor. Any thoughtful person should know that the papers found on an editor's table had either not been examined or were laid by for use. Frequently we glance over our papers hurriedly after the arrival of the mails, see several things we wish to glance over at a more leisure time and lay the papers carefully aside, only to find one or more of them gone when we pick them up to find what we want. When the papers are disposed of in the editorial room they are turned over to one of the apprentices in the composing room. Parties who may want exchanges should go to that room and never lay hands on a paper in the editorial room. We like to be accommodating, but our exchanges are essential to us in the make up of a newspaper each week, and we cannot spare any of them until we are entirely through with them. When through with them, they are swept out of our room altogether. All parties may therefore reasonably conclude that every paper in the editorial room should be left there by visitors.

Mr Crouch, a citizen of this county, living near Rabbit Town, died last Monday or Tuesday.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Whit Scarbrough at Davisville, had his residence burned a few nights ago.

### PERSONAL.

Quite a number of gentlemen from Oxford and vicinity were up here Monday attending the Sheriff's sales.

Mr. R. O. Randall, of Decatur, Ga., was in Jacksonville a few days of last week and paid the REPUBLICAN a pleasant call. The writer has passed many pleasant days with him, when both were citizens of Gadsden, in the years following the war.

### IMPROVEMENTS.

The architect has almost completed the plan for a new hotel for Jacksonville and Mr. Chas. Martin will have it in a few days. If that part of the Forney corner square lying next to South Main Street and fronting the public square can be bought for a reasonable price it will be put there.

The Vernon house, soon to be occupied by Mr. Vernon and family and Mr. L. D. Miller and family will have another story added to it and the lumber is now on the ground.

Ex-Confederates who were conscripted during the late war are receiving circulars from a band of sharpers in Washington city, offering for a small fee to secure legislation from congress remunerating them for their time spent in the army and their injuries received as soldiers. Five dollars down is demanded and a per cent of the whole amount secured. The argument upon which the proposition is based is to the effect that the supreme court having held that the union was never dissolved but had its peace disturbed by an uprising in certain states, it remained the duty of the government to protect its citizens from the conscripting officers of public enemies. Very few people will be caught by such a transparent fraud but if a few hundred respond the swindlers will be amply repaid for their trouble.

### Some of Josh Billings' Philosophy.

"Ignorance is the wet-nurse of prejudice."

"It is a great art to be superior to others without letting them know it."

"It may be a little vexatious, but I don't consider it any disgrace to be bit by a dog."

"To be thoroughly good-natured, and yet avoid being imposed upon, shows great strength of character."

"I consider a weak man more dangerous than a malicious one. Malicious men have some character, but weak ones have none."

"The horse that stops to kick does not get along so fast as one who does not. The same with men.

"The only thing to be afraid of is the person who is better than others."

# COUNTY AFFAIRS.

### CROSS PLAINS.

**The Circus--Swindlers--Personals--Accident to a Foot Peddler--The Sunday Schools.**

CROSS PLAINS, Ala., Nov. 18th—According to announcement, the circus came along last Saturday and the people poured into town from every quarter. There was an immense crowd of well behaved people. Evidently they all came "just to see the animals," of course, but some how, nearly all got into the circus proper. The gamblers and sharpers were on hand in full force, and, O my! how they did fleece the poor fellows who had no better sense than to bite at their baits. Some men lost enough on these gambling tricks to pay up a goodly part of what they owe their merchants. And so the world goes and our people will not learn wisdom from experience. Seriously, to a looker on, these itinerant showns are about the greatest curse our country is affected with. Besides encouraging the worst species of gambling, they take away much money that is needed at home.

But why discourse on the follies of the people? No amount of moralizing will do any good, for "it was ever thus." The people always would go to shows and bite at these gambler's tricks and "get bit." Of course we all know that it would be better not to patronize such things. But we are told that the people must have diversion; that it is natural and they cannot help it, and our own observation teaches us that one generation is no wiser than another in this respect. All which we may admit, provided the diversions are of that kind that are not harmful to the morals of the people, nor hurtful to their temporal interests.

Rev. W. A. Montgomery started for conference at Gadsden, last Tuesday.

Miss Ella Phillips, who manipulates the wires at the E. T. V. & G. office, is visiting relatives in Sugar Valley, Ga.

Capt. S. D. McClelen went down to his plantation in Alexandria last Monday.

A foot peddler was knocked off of a trestle above this place, on the E. T. V. & G. railroad last Monday, and seriously hurt.

The cotton crop is pretty well open in this section. About four fifths of a crop will be made. A good deal of it is being held back on account of the low price ruling. We hope to see the market react soon, for our farmers need all the money they can get this fall.

Our Sunday schools are prospering. The Methodist school has received over twenty additions within the last month, and we learn the other schools are also getting new pupils each Sabbath. We consider this a good sign.


**PORTER, MARTIN & CO.—Jacksonville.**

Just received a shipment of old-fashioned New Orleans syrup, guaranteed to please, at Porter, Martin & Co.

Come and see our toys, candies, oranges, nuts and goodies, even if you don't want to buy, as we like to show them. Porter, Martin & Co.

If you want anything good to eat go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Cabbage, Hog Sausage at Porter, Martin & Co.

If you want a nice lamp or lamp fixtures go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., keep constantly on hand Pure Leaf Lard.

Honey at Porter, Martin & Co.

We have just received a fresh supply of groceries from New York. Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have the finest cod fish in town.

All who have canary birds can get bird seed at Porter, Martin & Co.

You can buy an elegant new buggy very cheap from Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., sell bacon and flour at rock bottom prices.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a very handsome line of pocket knives, scissors and in fact most everything in the Hardware line.

If you want fine fresh candy go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a fine lot of oranges and nuts.

If you want to buy anything call on us and get our prices as it will save you money. Porter, Martin & Co.

Our terms are cash or thirty days with those with whom we run accounts. All those whose accounts are due will please come and settle at once as we do not propose to do a credit business. Porter, Martin & Co.

**JOE B. PATTON, Rome, Ga.**

**Sash, Doors and Blinds.**

Build up your own section by patronizing home industry.

Joe. B. Patton has the only Sash, Door and Blind Factery in North Ga.

Headquarters for Paints, Oil, Glass, and general Builders supplies. Rome, Ga. Send for prices before purchasing.

**ULLMAN & CO.--Jacksonville.**

The cheapest line of Russian circulars, dolmans, new-markets and children cloaks at Ullman & Co.

We have on hand a full line of trunks and valises which we will sell cheap.

Special bargains in ready made clothing at Ullman & Co.

Jersey jackes for ladies and children at lowprices at Ullman & Co.

Calico by the pound at Ullman & Co.

If you want to buy a pair of blankets to keep you warm, go to Ullman & Co.

You will find Ullman & Co. of Gadsden, in Dr. Nisbets Brick Store Jacksonville, Ala.

**ULLMAN BROS.—Anniston.**

Ladies, call and examine our beautiful stock of Milinery which excells any stock in this country in variety and style, Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Beautiful line of Plaid silk striped plushes, silk velvets at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Full line of carpeting, blankets cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Don't fail to examine our business suits for five dollars: worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Double width cashmeres all colors at 25cts yd., at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Special bargains in corsets, hoop-skirts and bustles, Ullman Bros., Anniston.

The beautiful straight cut sack suits are all the style. Full line cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Ladies underwear at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Children suits from two dollars up, worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Russian circulars silk and fur lined. A beautiful line of Ladies', Miss's and Children's cloaks and dolmans cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Elegant line of cutaway, and dress suits at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

**CROW BROS.—Jacksonville.**

Go to Crow Bros. if you want to buy your groceries cheap.

Best markri price paid for country produce at Crow Bros.

Our dry goods are of the best quality. No one can undersell us. Call and see for yourself. Crow Bros.

If you want something strong to stimulate you these cold mornings, buy your coffee from Crow Bros.

Crow Bros., come this week with a large lot of ready-made clothing, cheaper than ever before offered to the trade.

Beautiful worsted for 12½ cents at Crow Bros.

Mens' suits at $5 and up at Crow Bros.

Mens' overcoats at $4.50 to $12 at Crow Bros.

We have splendid line of Trunks very cheap. Call and see before buying. Crow Bros.

Crow Bros. have a large stock of groceries just received which you will find at rock-bottom prices.

Boys' suits at $4 and up at Crow Bros.

Boys' overcoats at $2.50 at Crow Bros.

**ROWAN, DEAN & CO.—Jacksonville.**

Cheapest line of hose (from 10 cents up) ever brought to this market at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Bedroom and dining sets of beautiful designs cheap at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Very latest styles of gentlemens' hats at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Remarkable bargains in all wool blankets (from $1.00 to $5.00 per pair) at Rowan Dean & Co's.

The latest thing in Cloaks and walking Jackets—Newmarkets &c at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Ready made clothing of very latest styles, from finest suits to ordinary—largest stock to select from ever offered in Jacksonville at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Genuine Congress Knives and fine pocket cutlery of other makes at Rowan Dean & Co's.

If you don't believe that you can get as good bargains in Jacksonville as at Rome, Atlanta or elsewhere, bring the cash and be convinced. Rowan Dean & Co.

Elegant lot of carpeting and rugs, cheap, at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Excellent bargains in ladies and gents shoes. Very large stock. At Rowan Dean & Co's.

Nine pounds of coffee for one dollar at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Prettiest line of prints we have ever handled. 5 cents and upwards. Rowan Dean & Co.

Ladies dress goods, flannel suitings, cashmeres &c. with trimmings to match—a lovely selection—at Rowan Dean & Co's.


## Register's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the county of Calhoun, State of Alabama rendered at the October term 1884, of said court, in the cause of Thomas H. Martin as the adm'r. of the estate of R. C. Hanna dec'd. vs. M. M. Hanna, et als., I will as Register and Master in said Chancery Court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house door of said county of Calhoun, on Monday the 21st day of December next within the usual hours of sale the following described real estate to-wit. The W½ of the SE¼ and the SE¼ of the SW¼ of Sec. 19, T. 14, R. 7, and six acres more or less being a part of the SW¼ of the NE¼ and lying in the SW part of the said SW¼ of NE¼ in Sec. 19, T. 14, R. 7. Also one and one-fourth acres lying around and on which is situated gin house, being a part of the E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 19, T. 14, R. 7. Also twenty acres being the W½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼ of Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 7, in all one hundred and fifty one acres, more or less. East in the Coosa Land District, Calhoun county, Ala. Said land will be sold as the property of M. M. Hanna, to satisfy said decree.

W. M. HAMES,
nov21-6t Register & Master.


## Wake Up! Wake Up!!

Don't send to Rome, Atlanta or elsewhere, when you need anything to furnish your house with, when your wants can be supplied by

## Wm. M. LINDSAY,

Proprietor of the Oldest

## Furniture House

IN

## ANNISTON,

and second to none in size in North East Alabama.

THE HANDSOMEST

**$50 MARBLE TOP**

## Bed Room Suit

in the country.

**CROCKERY! CROCKERY!!**

Everything heart can wish for in this line from the

**Cheapest Set**

OF

## PLATES OR CUPS

AND

## SAUCERS

to the finest gilt band china Dinner or Chamber set.

## UNDERTAKING.

The largest stock of Coffins, Cases (Metallic and Wood) Burial Robes and Shrouds in this section.

Being a practical Embalmer, can guarantee satisfaction in holding bodies until friends arrive, or for shipment to distant points.

☞ Mail or telegraph orders receive prompt and personal attention.

WM. M. LINDSAY,
Anniston Ala.

## New Family Grocery.

The undersigned has opened, in the brick store room of Judge Walker on the south side of the public square, a full line of

**STAPLE**

AND

## Fancy Groceries,

consisting of Bacon, Flour, Bran, Sugar, Coffee, Mackerel, Canned goods, Confections, Queensware, and a hundred other articles of necessity and luxury, which he designs offering at such reasonable prices as to invite custom.

**Tobacco, Cigars and Snuff.**

**T. M. Blacking.**

A liberal share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

**Call and See Me.**

may2-1f F. M. DAVIS.


*FINAL SETTLEMENT.*

STATE OF ALABBMA,
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, Special Term Oct 20th, 1885.

This day came J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley deceased and filed in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the 1st day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon said account and make said settlement; and that notice of the same be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, in order to call persons concerned, to be and appear before me at my office in the court house of said county, on said 1st day of Dec. 1885 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOOTEN, Judge of Probate.

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# CLOSING OUT SALE!

**FOR CASH ONLY.**

The death of D. C. Turner causes the surviving partners to offer the fine selection of

# DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES

at and below wholesale cost. Jersey Jackets at 90 cents and upwards, Shoes 50 cents and upwards, Boots at and below cost from this date. Large lot of

## Ladies' Dress Goods

AT LOWEST PRICES.

All who are indebted to the firm of W. C. Land & Co., must pay their dues at once or they will have to settle with an attorney.

W. C. LAND,
nov21tf C. D. HARPER.

# ELGIN & LEGRAND,

DEALERS IN

## DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,

WEAVERS, ALABAMA.

We have received this season an extra large and cheap stock of all kinds of goods in their line, and prepared to give their customers this season

## More Goods for Less Money

than ever before since we went into business. We will continue as in the past to advance to farmers. We have also made arrangements to do a large

**CASH BUSINESS,**

and are prepared to offer cash customers as good bargains as any house in the county. Our goods have been bought on the most favorable market and our customers shall have the advantage of it

## WE KEEP EVERYTHING

demanded by this market, and solicit a fair share of the public patronage.

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# SPECIAL INVITATION.

FROM THE

# CHEAP CASH STORE.

OF

## Ullman Brothers

To call and examine the largest and best selected stock in the country which is now complete.

Our Clothing department consists of the latest novelties in Straight Cut Sack, Cut-away Frock Sack, and Prince Albert suits to suit and fit everybody.

## Mens' Boys' and Childrens' Overcoats.

The most elegant stock of Fine Dress Goods and Dry Goods.

Our stock of

## MILLINERY GOODS

Excell anything ever shown in styles and quality.

Ladies Russian Circulars, Silk Circulars, Dolmans, Cloaks Misses and Childrens Cloaks.

A large Stock of

## Boots, Shoes, Carpets, Rugs, and Jeans.

Our Manager has spent several months in the market buying direct from manufactures, which enables us to sell cheaper than any other house.

## WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT,

**Which is Now Complete,**

And buying for cash enables us to sell goods to merchants cheap as they buy in any market. Call and examine yourself, and save money by purchasing from

## ULLMAN BROS.,

Feb14-1y. ANNISTON, ALA.

# NEW FALL STOCK

OF

## Staple and Fancy Goods

Daily arriving at the Store-room of

**A. J. STEWART & BRO.,**

East Side Public Square

**Jacksonville, Alabama.**

More attention has been given to the selection of our stock this season than ever before, and our effort shall be to please, both in quality and price. In connection with our stock of Dry Goods we keep a large and varied stock of

**Family Groceries**

Consisting of everything in this line, embracing both heavy and fancy Groceries, Bagging and Ties, etc., etc.

## COTTON SELLERS

Will find it to their interest to give us a call. For the first time, we are fitted up this season to handle cotton, and propose to give the top of the market.

**Remember the Place**

When you come to town. We are determined to sell goods, regardless of profits, and fine bargains can be had from us and no mistake about it.

oct3tf A. J. STEWART & BRO.

# NEW FAMILY GROCERY.

East Side Public Square, Jacksonville, Ala.

## J. N. M. CARPENTER,

Has recently opened out at the old stand of B. F. Carpenter & Co., an entirely

## NEW AND FRESH STOCK OF FAMILY GROCERIES,

Consisting of everything, both staple and fancy, kept by any Family Grocery establishment in this section of Alabama.

## I Buy for Cash and Sell for Cash,

and consequently can afford to and will sell Groceries as cheap as they can be bought anywhere in any market of this part of Alabama. Give me a call and price my goods before buying.

**When You Bring Your Cotton to Market,**

let me make a bid on it, and give you an estimate of cost of whatever groceries you may want to take out with you.

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## ALIVE IN HIS GRAVE.

**How a Young Man of Portland Was Restored to Life by a Grave Robber.**

New York World.

PORTLAND, ME., Nov. 10.—An evening paper publishes a sensational story based on the alleged return to life of a young man after he was laid in his grave. Fourteen years ago Joseph Dyer, twenty years old, was thrown from a wagon and received injuries from which he died, as was supposed. He was buried in Evergreen cemetery. Young Dyer left a mother and father, and was engaged to be married to a girl who is now employed in a family in that city. Some weeks ago young Dyer's mother and the young lady received a mysterious hint that it would be well to discard mourning dresses and bonnets, for Joseph was probably not dead after all and might be expected to come back any day. Acting on this advice the woman gave up wearing black.

Some days ago suspicion concerning Joseph's death became so strong that the grave in Evergreen Cemetery was opened. There was the identical coffin in which Joseph had been buried, but there were no signs of the body in it.

The corpse had been removed but in what manner it was impossible to tell. There being no necessity for keeping the empty coffin buried, young Dyer's parents took the coffin home with them. A day or two ago Mrs. Dyer stood by the coffin relating the circumstances, as far as she knew them, to a neighbor, when the door opened and Joseph appeared alive and well, saying: "Don't open the coffin, mother, for here I am." There ensued a remarkable scene. The mother threw herself into the arms of her resurrected son and the joy of the family knew no bounds. The young lady to whom Dyer was engaged was summoned and the couple renewed their promises of love.

Naturally enough the first question asked after the first joyful exclamations were over, was: "How did you come to life?" Young Dyer remembers nothing of being put in a coffin and being buried alive. The first he recollects since the accident happened on Portland bridge is being with friends who treated him well. It is related that some young doctors, said to belong in Brooklyn, dug up the body for the purpose of dissection. The fact that young Dyer was the victim of an accident, made his body more desirable for medical uses than if he had been diseased. When the doctors came to operate on the body they discovered signs of life. They immediately set to work to bring the young man to his senses, and after a time succeeded. It was long before he began to give evidence of complete recovery, and the students were afraid he might die in earnest on their hands. Gradually he got well, and the circumstances of his strange burial and resurrection were told him. It is understood that the young man is reticent as to where he has been and what he has been doing since his recovery. This is not considered strange, as the medical men who got possession of his body in so questionable a manner would hardly care to have their names known. Young Dyer is now about his ordinary farm business, and is apparently undisturbed by having gone through the forms of death and burial and having had so narrow an escape from being smothered in the grave.

### Saved His Life.

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Hor Cave, Ky., says he was, for many years, badly afflicted with Phthisic also Diabetes; the pains were a most unendurable and would sometimes almost throw him into convulsions. He tried Electric Bitters and got relief from first bottle and after taking six bottles was entirely cured and had gained in flesh eighteen pounds. Says he positively believes he would have died, had it not been for the relief afforded by Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by W. A. Nisbet. Nov6.

Mr. T. J. Scott, register of the land office, says that colored men, amounting to scores, are entering homesteads in Geneva and Coffee counties. A regular rush. In fact has been going on in that line of business for some weeks, and does not abate. The entries are made principally from the population of Pike county, closely followed by Bullock, Barbour, Henry and Montgomery in the order named—*Montgomery Advertiser.*


BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

Trade Mark — QUALITY NOT QUANTITY — PURITY — On Every Bottle

THE BEST TONIC.

This medicine, combining Iron with pure vegetable tonics, quickly and completely Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weakness, Impure Blood, Malaria, Chills and Fever, and Neuralgia.

It is an unfailing remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys and Liver.

It is invaluable for Diseases peculiar to Women, and all who lead sedentary lives.

It does not injure the teeth, cause headache or produce constipation—*other Iron medicines do.*

It enriches and purifies the blood, stimulates the appetite, aids the assimilation of food, relieves Heartburn and Belching, and strengthens the muscles and nerves.

For Intermittent Fevers, Lassitude, Lack of Energy, &c., it has no equal.

☞ The genuine has above trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper. Take no other.

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### NOTICE NO. 4385.

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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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court, or in his absence, Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Dec. 5th, 1885, viz: Mc. A. Johnson, Homestead No. 2 for the E½ of SW¼ and W½ of SW¼, Section 20, Township 15 South, Range 8 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: William C. Cross, of Ohio, A. J. Rhodes, M. A. Parker all of Jacksonville, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT, Register.

### *FINAL SETTLEMENT.*

STATE OF ALABAMA, } Calhoun County. }

In Probate court for said County, Special term Oct 23rd, 1885.

Ex parte, J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley deceased filed in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate. It is therefore ordered by the court that the 1 day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon said account and make said settlement; and that notice thereof be given for four successive weeks in the Jacksonville republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me, my office in the court house of said county, a said 1st day of Dec. 1885 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

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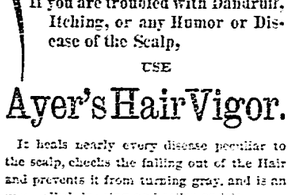
Dr. BIGGERS



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### Register's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 8th District of the Eastern Chancery division of Alabama, at Jacksonville, rendered at the October term, 1885, of said court in the cause of J. M. Woodley, Administrator of the estate of W. G. Woodley, deceased, vs. B. W. Turner, J. A. Kellar and A. J. Cross; I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder, for cash before the court house door of Calhoun county, Ala., within the usual hours of sale, on Monday the 23rd day of Nov 1885 the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of section 6, township 11, range 8, less 20 acres off of the west side of said land in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land sold to satisfy said decree herein mentioned. W. M. HAMES, Register.

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### Tax Collectors Appointments.

SECOND ROUND.

The undersigned Tax Collector of Calhoun County will attend the appointments published below for the purpose of collecting the State and County tax for the year 1885. All tax is delinquent after the last day of December 1885, and all parties who have not paid their taxes by that time will be called on promptly by myself or deputy for their taxes and cost, allowed by law. There will be no exception made in the county. I will be in Jacksonville the last ten days of December.

Beat 16—Ladiga, Monday Nov. 9th.
Beat 9—Cross Plains, Tuesday and Wednesday Nov. 10th and 11th.
Beat 8—Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 12th.
Beat 7—Hollingsworth's, Monday Nov. 16th.
Beat 6—Peeks Hill, Tuesday Nov. 17th.
Beat 6—Griffin's Store, Wednesday Nov. 18th.
Beat 5—Polkville, Thursday Nov. 19th.
Beat 14—Sulphur Springs, Friday Nov. 20th.
Beat 4—Bynums, Monday Nov. 23.
Beat 4—Gamaway's Tuesday Nov 24th.
Beat 2—Alexandria, Wednesday and Thursday Nov. 25th and 26th.
Beat 3—Weavers Station, Friday Nov. 27th.
Beat 3—Four Mile Springs, Saturday Nov. 28th.
Beat 15—Anniston, Tuesday and Wednesday Dec. 1st and 2nd.
Beat 13—Oxford, Thursday and Friday Dec. 3rd and 4th.
Beat 17—DeArmanville, Tuesday Dec. 8th
Beat 12—Choccoloco, Wednesday, Dec. 9th.
Beat 12—Davisville, Thursday Dec. 10th.
Beat 10—Cross Roads, Tuesday Dec. 15th.
Beat 11—White Plains, Wednesday and Thursday Dec. 16th and 17th.
Beat 1—Jacksonville, Friday and Saturday Dec. 18th and 20th.

D. Z. GOODLETT, Tax Collector.

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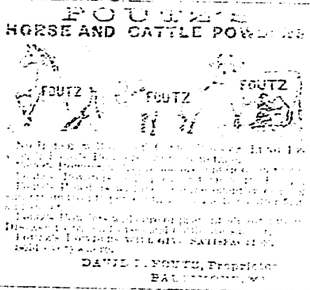

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### Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of D. A. Cary deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. A. Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala., on the 21st day of October, 1885, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

oct31-3 R. L. ARNOLD Adm'r.


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### Schedule E. T., Va. & Ga. R. R.

ALABAMA DIVISION.

Taking effect June 14, 1885.

| | NORTH BOUND | Mail | Passenger. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv. | Selma | 7:30 a. m. | 5:05 p. m. |
| | Cahera | 10:15 a. m. | 10:15 |
| | Talladega | 11:05 a. m. | 12:05 a. m. |
| | Anniston | 12:22 p. m. | 12:22 a. m. |
| Arr | Rome | 5:20 | 1:20 |
| Lv | Rome | 5:30 | 1:30 |
| Arr | Dalton | 7:10 | 3:05 |
| Lv | Dalton | 7:20 | 3:05 |
| Arr | Cleveland | 9:10 | 5:05 |
| | SOUTH BOUND | | |
| Lv | Cleveland | 9:55 a. m. | 5:55 p. m. |
| | Dalton | 10:03 | 6:02 |
| | Rome | 11:53 | 11:05 |
| | Anniston | 2:15 p. m. | 1:51 a. m. |
| | Talladega | 3:01 | 2:37 |
| | Cahera | 3:50 | 3:25 |
| Arr | Selma | 5:30 | 9:10 |

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At Rome with Atlanta Division for Atlanta, Macon, Augusta and Ga. points.

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## SHORT TALKS

ON VARIOUS TOPICS OF CURRENT INTEREST.

Not one working man in ten, who has thought upon the subject atall, but will be found in violent opposition to the system by which convict labor is brought in contact with the honest labor of the country.

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Speaking to a mechanic on the subject one day lately, he said, that he had rather see them kept in the penitentiaries.

"That" said we "would not relieve the difficulty. In the penitentiaries they engage in manufacturing and thus the product of their labor is brought into direct competition with the product of honest labor. In Tennessee for instance, the business of wagon manufacturing has about been surrendered to the Tennessee penitentiary lessees."

"Then keep them in idleness" he replied.

"That, wont do," was the answer, "for then the honest labor of the country will have to work to maintain them."

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It is a knoty problem any way you take it. Send them to the coal mines of Jefferson county, and the free miners are up in arms. Keep them in the penitentiary turning out any of the products of mechanical labor and the lessees of the penitentiary can destroy competition by the very cheapness of their labor, and drive all men of any given mechanical pursuit out of the state. On the farmes they come less in competition with free labor than elsewhere mentioned, owing to the ever growing field for labor in that direction, still there, to a degree, they come in conflict with free labor,

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There is but one place in which they will not come in conflict with free labor, but will, in reality, relieve free labor of a burden now imposed upon it by the State; and that place is the public roads. Let the counties work their convicts on their own county roads, and let the State hire her convicts to such of the counties as are able and willing to take them at a sum that will pay the cost of conviction.

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The State should not want to make any profit out of convict labor. If the counties will take them at a price that will render the convict system self-sustaining, that ought to satisfy the State. The State would be recompensed, even if she hired them to the counties at a loss, in the enhanced values of property in localities utilizing convict labor in the making of good roads.

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The objection we have heard to the employment of county convicts on the roads is, that the supply of convicts is at no time large and the cost of guarding them &c would make their labor dearer than free labor to the county. If a county could depend upon the State for a given number of convicts for a given time, this objection would lose its force, and the county convicts could be turned over to the contractor controling State convicts, as they might be sentenced from time to time by the inferior courts.

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Calhoun could take a force of twenty-five convicts from the State the year round for much less than it costs her to work her roads under the present system, and these, with her own convicts, would work the roads of the county out better by far than under any other system that has prevailed. The present law, with some amendments that are apparent to all, would supply the means for the employment of such a force and the purchase of all necessary working tools, carts, stock etc. The roads once in good condition, the cost of keeping them up would decrease from year to year until the burden would become so light as scarcely to be felt.

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If one would grasp the idea of how much work a convict force of from thirty to fifty men would do with all the appliances for labor at hand, let him reflect how long it would take such a force to put the three miles of road between Oxford and Anniston in tip top order, or the five miles of road between Oxford and DeArmanville, or the ten miles of road between Jacksonville and Anniston, or an equal length of road between Jacksonville and Cross Plains, or the seven miles of road between Jacksonville and Alexandria. Any one of these roads could be graded excellently and placed in first-class condition in a remarkably short time, and the roads of the whole county could be well worked over in a much shorter time than one would suppose.

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The convict question and the question of good public roads are two of the most important questions that confront our lawmakers If they can blend them and make each satisfactorily solve the other, a very desirable end will have been met.

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Will some able-bodied and clear-headed gentlemen, who can see beyond a statute and calculate its effects, sacrifice himself on the alter of his country and go to the Legislature to ask, among other good things for the county, that Calhoun may have the privilege of hiring twenty-five or fifty State convicts "at cost," in event the legislature does not adopt such a statute applicable to every county in the State?

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We trust that the *Post, Watchman* and *Hot Blast* can "shake" with us on the general ideas embodied above.

### A PREACHER.

And the Joke He Tells on Himself.

Huntsville Mercury.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne, of Atlanta, tells a practical joke on himself, and just now, under all the circumstances, it is meet that the little bit of fun should be given to the public.

The ammusing incident, in which it seems that the laugh was all on one side, occurred in Montgomery just before Dr. Hawthorne left there to accept a charge in Richmond. During his residence and pastoral service in this city the great preacher 'fought a good fight' against the use and sale of intoxicating liquors. He says from force of habit he always spoke of the fiery poison as "mean liquor," whether denouncing it on the street or hurling hot shot at it from the pulpit. He had noticed a certain Montgomerian who was very prompt and regular in his attendance at church, and always sat near the speaker, where he could catch every word of every sermon. Dr. Hawthorne says, however, that he often saw the same man, who went to hear him so regularly, frequenting bar rooms and other places, and there was something in his conduct that seemed to be constantly saying "consistency, surely thou art a jewel."

Finally the time came for the good man to leave his charge here, and he was bidding his friends around town goodbye. One morning he was approached by the man who went to church every Sunday and to the barrooms during the week, and the following conversation ensued:

"Doctor Hawthorne, it makes me sad to know that you are soon to leave Montgomery. You have done a great work here, and I especially admire the fight you have made against 'mean liquor.' Now, I want to thank you for the good you have done me personally; yes, sir, personally."

"It gives me real pleasure to know or think that I have been the instrument of good done, and, my friend, I would be glad to hear you say how I have benefitted you."

"Well, the truth is this," said the church-goer and barroom lounger, "I have determined to let 'mean liquor' alone and drink a better grade of whisky."

And the strange combination had the laugh on the preacher.

### Gadsden & Jacksonville Rail Road.

The Gadsden correspondent of the Birmingham *Age*, writing under date of Nov. 21, says:

"A company is being formed in Boston for the purpose of building a railroad from Gadsden to Jacksonville. We are glad to hear of this, but if that company fails to give us the railroad the merchants of Gadsden and Jacksonville will certainly "come up to the scratch."

## COOSA VALLEY DISTRICT.

News from Surrounding Counties.

CLEBURNE COUNTY.

The Edwardsville *Standard* has reached the fourth year of its existance and has never missed an issue.

Messrs. F. M. and W. H. Rainwater of Polk county, Ga., have located in Edwardsville.

The editor of the Standard visited Villa Rica, Ga., recently and reports the town in a flourishing condition. It is 40 miles above Edwardsville, on the Ga. Pacific R. R.

Mr. H. M. Martenn speaks of putting up a machine shop in Edwardsville.

When Miss A. Alvina, the 9th and youngest daughter of Mr. Denson, of this county married, there were present at the marriage 34 grand children of Mr. Denson, 17 boys and 17 girls, and all of them except one, lived within one and a half miles of the place.—*Standard.*

Another horse swapping convention is talked of for Edwardsville.

Mr. Jos. J. Greer and Miss. Emma Edwards were married in Edwardsville, by Judge Burton lately.

Mr. R. E. Merrill, an attorney of Edwardsville, has moved with his family to Birmingham.

Mr. J. W. Vansant of Rosewood, in Cleburne county, has moved to Sand Mountain in Decalb county.

Mr. Thos. C. Housby of Cleburne, near Chulafinnee, had his house burned recently.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY

The Aegis says that the boys about Ashville are developing a wonderful love for the study of geology. It should be encouraged in the youngsters.

Exploring parties are engaged in unfolding the wonders of a cave near Ashville,

Brother Cather thus pays his respects to church people. He has preached in his time and ought to know what he is talking about. He says:

"Four-fifths of church people are humbugs in religon, yet they don't like to be told so, although they know it. True religion sifts them out and the world, which pretenhs to nothing in Christianity, sees the immense pile of dross and laugds at it."

A "tiller of the soil," writing to the Ashville Aegis says the people want "tariff reform and plenty of silver dollars." That tiller is a Democrat of the right stripe.

Springville is handling a great deal of cotton this season.

Springville has three licensed drays. It takes that many to do the hauling for the merchants of the town.

Springville is speaking of buying a fire engine.

A. G. Nunnelly, living at Caldwell, has raised pumpkins this year six feet in circumference.

Wm. Woodall and Mattie Woodall of St. Clair county were divorced at the recent term of Chancery Court for that county. Also Artela M. Coker and Berry L. Coker. Also Saml. L. Haithcock and Catherine Haithcock.

A large amount of business was disposed of at the recent term of Chancery Court in Ashville. The Aegis praises the Chancellor highly.

TALLADEGA COUNTY.

Mr. B. E. Ogletree and Miss Ola Spence, of Talladega county, were married recently.

Sells circus disbanded at Talladega for the season the 28th.

May & Son of Talladega have opened a fancy dry goods and millinery store in the Street Block.

In the month of September there were six vacant business houses on the public square of Talladega. Now every house is occupied and there is a demand for more.

The Cincinnatti fire brick company will have their machinery ready for operation near Talladega by the 1st of January.

Dwelling houses in Talladega are in great demand both for rent and purchase,

Miss Lillian Rhodes, of Montgomery, has accepted the position of mailing clerk and book-keeper of the Talladega *Mountain Home.*

Venable Bros. have opened a confectionery in Talladega, and Col. Miles has opened out a stock of family groceries.

The physicians of Talladega county will organized a County Medical Board the 12th of December.

The Fire Brick Co., of Talladega, will make all kinds of plain and fancy brick, terra cotta work, sewer pipe and pottery ware and will also burn lime and contract for all kind of work. The Company will employ from 100 to 150 hands.

Mr. Geo. W. Chambers, of Talladega is a live man. He has spent over two thousand dollars in advertising and working up enterprises for Talladega.

Mr. Franklyn T. Murkl and Miss Tabitha T. Franklyn of Talladega were married recently.

Mr. H. A. Stewart and Miss Mary Hanson of Mumford were recently married.

Rev. Danl. Duncan and wife will celebrate their golden wedding in a few days.

The oil mill at Talladega turns out about sixteen barrels of oil a day.

Savannah Cruikshanks and Lewis Jacobs (negroes) have patented a blood medicine.

ETOWAH COUNTY.

The show that recently visited Gadsden was a big humbug. The *Times* says the men were honorable enough, however, not to swindle people any more than they did in the admission fee.

The *Times* says that the part of of Gadsden known as Pull Tite is the worst place in the county, and the attention of the grand jury is directed to it.

Gadsden wants a steam ferry. She ought to have it.

James Talor of Brock's beat cut his left knee with a drawing knife three years ago. Lately he cut his right knee with a hand ax and his life is despaired of.

Duck Springs neighborhood lost several thousand bushels of corn by the freshet.

Mr. W. D. Reed of Collinsville, St. Clair county, and Miss Dettie Walker, of Greenwood, Etowah county, were recently married.

Mr. Zolly Jordan of Collinsville and Miss Lou Keener of Greenwood were recently married.

Mr. Wm. Craft, of Cross Plains and Miss Julia Bradley of Coal-Bend were recently married.

Farmers of Etowah are preparing to sow wheat.

Corn sells in Gadsden at 50 cents a bushel.

The *Times* calls on the people of Gadsden to set out shade trees. Something in this line has been done in Jacksonville this season, but not near all they ought to be done.

A huge thomas cat disturbs the editor of the *Times* nightly.

Hamp Green, a negro lunatic was committed to jail in Gadsden a few days ago.

The water works of Gadsden are progressing rapidly, notwithstanding the bad weather.

Col. Kyle is meeting with fine success in raising funds to build the Gadsden and Jacksonville railroad. He has subscribed six thousand dollars himself.

It is thought that Ex-Congressman Jere Williams will settle in Gadsden to practice law.

The roads in Little Wills' Valley are in pretty good condition.

Gadsden post-office has at last got a supply of postal cards,

Lawson L. Melton & Co., have opened a new store in Gadsden.

Geo. Bedford (negro) was drowned in Big Wills creek recently. He was crossing in a boat, when it capsized and threw him into the water.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coats, of Etowah, died recently.

Hon. L. E. Hamlin, Probate Judge of Etowah, has appointed a committee of three from each beat to solicit subscriptions to the Confederate monument in Montgomery.

Maj. W. W. Screws, editor of the Montgomery *Advertiser* paid a recent visit to the live town of Gadsden.

Gen. Ira W. Foster, State Senator for the District composed of the counties of Marshal, DeKalb and Jackson, died in Gadsden the 20th inst.

The North Alabama Conference, recently held at Gadsden, raised seven hundred dollars to purchase ground for the erection of a negro college in Georgia.

A great many improvements are going on in Gadsden. Cotton is going in rapidly and collections are reported good. Few towns can make so good a report.

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

Maddox & Gunter dealers in general merchandise at Rock Run are report as having failed and absconded. Too much credit and lack of judgment did the business for them

The Rock Run furnaces will soon be in operation again, as repairs are being rapidly pushed forward.

### SPIRIT STATE PRESS.

AN UNFORTUNATE MAIL RIDER.

That solemn newspaper the Banner at Florence, is in a peck of trouble. It's so sorry for the Rodgers who carries the mail bags in those parts. It says an "ugly accident befel him, resulting almost in the loss of his bags." He was almost drowned, holding on to the bags, when crossing a flooded stream. The government should establish life saving stations along Rodger's route. — *Birmingham Age.*

GETTING IT DOWN FINE.

An exchange says there is a woman in China whose sole is so small that she can stand on a silver dollar. Such are masculine. We have heard of men in America whose souls were so small that you might put a dozen in the shell of a tobacco seed and they would wander around there to all eternity and never meet each other.—*Gadsden Times.*

STRONG WHERE HE IS KNOWN BEST.

In the counties of Hale, Greene and Sumter, where Mr. Seay is generally known personally, he is not only the choice for that office of a very large proportion of the voters of those counties, but he enjoys, in a very high degree, public respect and confidence No other of the distinguished gentlemen named for that office approximates to Mr. Seay in political strength in those counties.—*Greensboro Beacon.*

OUGHT TO READ THE BIBLE.

The Age ought really to read its Bible. It was not Samuel to whom the children said "Go up, thou bald head," and there is no Biblical authority for saying that Samuel was a bald head.—*Chambers Tribune.*

### "THE FALSE PRETENSE OF THE TARIFF."

The Washington Post attacks the New York Tribune tariff "screed," heretofore referred to in the columns as follows:

If wheat go up it is the "Chicago speculator," or the "unspeakable Turk" who does it, and not the "ineffable virtues of a reform President." When, at the same time, eggs decline a cent a dozen, turkeys a cent a pound and tomatoes five cents a box, as the Tribune shows, it is all the fault of a Democratic President, who proposes to do something to remove the enormous burdens of the present protective tariff.

The tariff, said the Democratic platform of 1876, "is a masterpiece of injustice, inequality and false pretense." This is true, and could not be other than true in respect to any tariff that requires such a defense as herein commented on.

The false pretense of the tariff is nothing to the false pretense and humbuggery of those who defend it after the fashion of the Tribune.

The attention of the newspapers in regard to the recent elections has been so much absorbed by the results in New York and Virginia that the contest in Iowa has been overlooked. The exact majority for Larabee, the Republican candidate, is hard to find out, but from the various figures given, the deduction is safely made that Iowa is ceasing to be reliable as a republican state. It gave Hayes a majority of nearly 90,000; Garfield, 45,299; Blain, 19,796, and now, according to republican estimates, gives Larabee 6,232. A chance has been created by the results of the recent election for the democrats to win a United States Senator in Iowa, when the successor of Senator James F. Wilson comes to be chosen. Of the State Senators elected on the 3d inst., ten are democrats and but four are republicans. Should the growth of the democratic vote continue, an increase of democratic congressmen from Iowa is not unlikely, and a legislature that will send from Iowa her first democratic United States Senator in thirty years.—*Montgomery Dispatch.*

### An Enterprising, Reliable House.

Wm. M. Nisbet can always be relied upon, not only to carry in stock the best of everything, but to secure the Agencey for such articles as have well known merit, and are popular with the people, thereby sustaining the reputation of being always enterprising, and ever reliable. Having secured the Agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It will surely cure any and every affection of Throat, Lungs, and Chest, and to show our confidence, we invite you to call and get a Trial Bottle Free. No1

### REVENUE REFORM.

The Huntsville *Mercury* loses its temper as well as its candor in commenting upon the late convention in the interest of revenue reform held at Chicago. It quotes a portion of the resolutions adopted by the convention, which we unhesitatingly say is sound democratic doctrine and has been for the last hundred years, and then places in opposition a whig platform promulgated in 1834, and seems to think the latter is the true faith today. If the *Mercury* is whig or if it is republican, there can be no objection to its standing on the platform of its party which ever it may be; but as long as it professes to be democratic would it not be more consistent for it to stand by the party as it is, rather than pin its faith to an old antediluvian confession of the whigs? From the love and admiration with which this old whig platform is resurrected and paraded as expounding the true principles of democracy, one might suppose that the editor was a remnant of an old line whig, in whose bosom the animosities of former days still rankle; but this cannot be so, or he would know better than to class Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson, Polk, Clay and Webster all together as protectionists. Does the *Mercury* really know how the five first named really stood upon that question, or did it only select them at haphazzard from the list of Presidents? In Jefferson's prime, political economy was a new science, and the world still under the thraldom of the old mercantile system; but he had read Adam Smith, and was in fact a free trader, as is abundantly evident from his writings; we have searched them diligently to see if there was any evidence of the assertion sometimes recklessly made that he was a protectionist and there is none there, but much to the contrary. Such an idea is absurd upon its face. He was certainly the father of "strict construction," and forerunner of Calhoun, and the Supreme Court has decided that the constitution gives no right to levy any duty except for the purpose of revenue, so that protection must be effected by a false pretense, and aside from the material evils which it works is a cheat upon the great charter of American liberty.

We cannot see any "cheek" or "impudence" in the resolutions adopted at the Chicago convention, certainly if there is any it can not compare with that of the *Mercury*, which would impose upon its readers a decayed whig platform as good democratic timber. Nor is there anything to regret in the fact that some New England men were in the convention; the only regret is that there was not more of them. But, although there has always been a small leaven of righteousness "down East," protection is a New England product, and the mass of the voters of the North, led by manufacturing autocrats, are strongly arrayed on the side of a high tariff. There are some notable exceptions, like Abram S. Hewitt and Barnum, of Connecticut, but it is to the South and West that the democratic party must look for support in its struggle against monopoly. And it will not look in vain. Upon that issue Wisconsin is about to wheel into line, and even Iowa, lately the banner republican state, elects a majority of democratic congressmen.—*Montgomery Dispatch.*

### The Demure Little Widow.

New York Star.

"Just think of it," he growled with disgust written in every line of his face. "I was coming out of St. Louis the other day, and the car being crowded, I gave half my seat to a demure little widow."

"How do you know she was a widow?"

"She told me so. She said she was awfully afraid of being robbed, and knowing by my face that I was an honest man, she wanted me to take charge of her portmonnie until we reached Chicago."

"And you did?"

"Am I not a fool? Yes, I did, and as she passed it over she sweetly said:

"'There's exactly $80 in it.'

"We rode to Chicago without leaving our seats. As we ran into the city I handed her the purse. She opened it and counted the money.

"'Why, there isn't but $50 here!' said she, as she looked up at me.

"'But I haven't taken any.'

"'Well, I am $40 short as you see. Perhaps you can explain it to the police.'"

"And what did you do?"

"I gave her the $40, of course. Please kick me a few hundred times!"

Republican papers are calling the newly elected Senator for Oregon a "mugwump," because of his promise not to make factious opposition to the administration of President Cleveland.

## STATE NEWS.

Birmingham is to be lighted by electricity.

Burglars broke into seven houses in Florence in one night.

Mr. Isaiah H. Cole, long time Circuit Clerk of Clay county, has moved to Heflin.

Tuscaloosa is infected with burglars. A number of houses have been entered lately.

The Alabama University Cadets will erect a monument to President Lewis costing $850.

Thad. Mullins and Dick Thompson of Opelika got into a fight and Mullins was seriously cut.

The Clay County Watchman welcomes the proposed Railroad from Talladega to that county.

Merchants of Ashland, Clay county, report collections poorer this year than ever before at the same season.

The Citizen says: Five houses in course of construction is nothing extraordinarily rapid, but it shows that Scottsboro is steadily improving.

A man named Thomas Wilcox was drowned near Eufaula recently. He was on the steamer Ellis, coming up the river, in an intoxicated condition and stepped off the boat.

Frank Lawhorn, a negro of Birmingham, was arrested a few days ago while trying to get a forged check cashed at the Alabama State Bank.

Frank Berry, a negro near Orion, was struck across the forehead and nose in an altercation with Gus Williams on Saturday night, the 21st ult. He died from the blow five days afterward. Gus has been captured and is in jail at Troy.

On a farm near Selma during the cyclone last week a boy was blown into a well forty feet deep, with ten feet of water in it. He caught the well rope and was drawn out with no other injury than a scratch on his forehead.

Mobile refuses to buy her police new uniforms. It is said that when a policeman of Mobile arrests a tramp and carries him before the Recorder that officer has to be told which is the tramp and which is the policeman.

A Texas officer passed through town one day this week after a negro who was wanted in Texas for murder, and who is supposed to be somewhere in Cherokee county—*Fort Payne Journal 20th.*

Mr. Calloway, of Verbena, who married a young woman four months after his first wife died, tried to commit suicide a few days after his marriage. It is not known whether he wanted to die for sorrow over his old wife or joy over his young one.

Montgomery Advertiser, 11 Nov: Mrs. Martha Wilkerson, a widow age 40, and her son, age 18, were found dead at their home near Greensboro Saturday. It is supposed they agreed mutually to kill each other on account of the son's opposition to the mother's marriage.

Mr. Morrisette of Montgomery has been acquitted of the charge of assault upon Maj. Snodgrass, city clerk of Montgomery. This case attracted considerable attention some months ago.

The Troy Messenger says: Convicts sentenced at the last term of the Circuit Court for offences "not involving moral turpitude," are being hired in the county to work at hard labor on farms. Henderson & Knox hired three from the agents of the Commissioners Court on Tuesday last. The convicts seem to be delighted because they can not be sent to the coal mines.

The Prattville Signal gives the following particulars of the storm in Autauga county: "A terrible storm passed over the Northwestern portion of the county on last Friday evening. In the vicinity of Plantersville the wind was terrible. The dwelling house of Mrs. Alexander was blown to pieces—not even a pillar left to mark the old site. Miss Violet Alexander was blown into fragments. Her body was picked up in one place and her limbs in another. A Mr. Tate had a son about six years old killed, and a brother blown against a tree, who is still unconscious. Mr. Sharp's gin house was blown down, with two bales of cotton in it. Mr. H. G. Lassister's mill, on Mulberry creek, was demolished.

Arouse the faculties, stimulate the circulation, purify the blood, by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

"A slander is like a hornet. If you can't kill it dead the first blow, you had better not strike at it."

# The Republican.

NOVEMBER 28, 1885.

The *Hot Blast* thinks the REPUBLICAN "intensely irascible and painfully fretful."

Our amiable friend entirely misconceives us. We have been worrying with him only to get him started out on the right track, and our intentions have all the while been purely benevolent. His perverseness may have rendered us a little impatient at times, but we have never for a moment lost interest in him; neither have we at any time lost hope of getting him on the right track after awhile. He is very bright as well as very young, and has, consequently, the discernment necessary to the correction of errors of judgment and time in which to rectify mistakes in the conduct of the paper he edits.

As he grows older, for instance, he will see the error that lies in revamping James G. Blaine's demagogical plan for the disposal of the surplus revenue, and Jay Cooke's exploded argument that "a national debt is a national blessing." He will see, eventually, the injustice of robbing millions of consumers, by high import duties, to enrich a few thousand manufacturers, and then, perforce, he will abandon the Radical doctrine of a high protective tariff.

When he shall have turned from these errors and placed his paper in line with the great Democratic party of the country, he will think the REPUBLICAN one of the most amiable of his exchanges.

As matters stand now, in very kindness to him, we are compelled to criticise him now and then; but but whenever he is inclined to fret under our homely and honest counsel, we beg him to remember the proverb,

"Faithful are the wounds of a friend."

Lord Lytton says: "There is no man so friendless, but that he can find a friend sincere enough to tell him disagreeable truths." We do not mean to imply that our friend is anything like friendless. On the contrary he has hosts of them wherever he is known. But now he is "a stranger in a strange land" as it were. We might say that he has not yet "learned the ropes;" and again, at the risk of being called "irascible and fretful," we warn him that the people of Calhoun county, with whom he has cast his lot, are not ripe for the reception of some of the doctrine contained in the platform of his paper. Such doctrine, no doubt, comports with the interests of a few manufacturers of Anniston, but the masses of the people reject it as unwholesome politically.

Disraeli says: "Candour is the brightest gem of criticism;" but we do not expect our friend, now, to regard our criticisms of his editorial course in any such favorable light. It is the way of most youngsters, nowadays, to kick up their heels and "sass" their elders, when rebuked for their own good; but we have learned to look upon such exhibitions of the youngsters as only an incident of youth and to make loving allowance for them. We have "raised" several of them and know their humors.

### Prohibition in Atlanta.

A dispatch received here Thursday morning states that Atlanta went prohibition Wednesday by a majority of 226. Excitement ran very high prior to the election.

### Vice President Hendricks Dead.

A dispatch received here Wednesday night announced the death of Vice President Hendricks at Indianapolis, at 5 o'clock that evening.

### Death of the King of Spain.

King Alfonso died of consumption, hastened by dysentery at Madrid at 9 o'clock the 25th inst. Spanish bonds declined four per cent on the news of his death, but subsequently rose one per cent.

### The Little War.

The war between Servia and Bulgaria is thought to be over. The Bulgarians whipped the Servians and drove them from Bulgarian territory. At the outset of the war it looked as if Servia would run over Bulgaria without difficulty.

### Treasurer's Report.

We thank State Treasurer Smith for a copy of his Report for the fiscal year ending 30th Sept. 1885. In some respects it is an improvement on former Reports. It shows the State in satisfactory condition financially.

## COUNTY AFFAIRS.

### CROSS PLAINS.

**Business Improving--Off for Texas--Tremendous Storm--Improvements--New Preacher etc.**

CROSS PLAINS, Nov. 25.—Business is improving. The slight advance in cotton brought a large quantity to town and the streets have been crowded all the week with wagons loaded with the fleecy staple. We also notice wagon loads of corn but it does not sell readily.

Messrs. E. D. McClelen and W. C. Woodruff have formed a partnership in the general merchandise business. They are both clever fellows and we hope they will succeed.

Mr. John Pike, who lives seven miles below here, and twenty-five others, will start for Texas about the first of December. We dislike to part with such men as Mr. Pike.

Mr. Mose Maddox has bought the livery business of Mr. Lon Ferguson and will add new turnouts and do a general livery business.

There was a general change of schedule on the East Tenn., road last Sunday. We now have sixteen trains passing our depot every day. Our citizens can start on a trip almost at any hour in the day, which is a great convenience.

A tremendous storm of rain fell here last Sunday night flooding all the low lands.

In spite of the cry of hard times Cross Plains continues to improve. Some new houses are going up all the time. All improvements are solid, showing that our people have faith in the success of our town. We invite every body who wants a home in a healthy community with good society, school and church privileges, to come to Cross Plains. We have undoubtedly the healthiest town in the State.

The late session of the North Alabama Conference at Gadsden saw proper to make a change of preachers on this circuit. Rev. W. A. Montgomery, beloved pastor of this church for the past two years, is sent to the Centre circuit and the Rev. Mr. Parrish, of that circuit takes Mr. Montgomery's place here. The many friends of Mr. Montgomery hoped to have him returned to this work, and give him up with many regrets. We learn that Mr. Parrish is a very popular man and a good preacher. We trust he may be pleased with his appointment and that he will have a prosperous year. We commend Mr. Montgomery to the good people of Centre circuit as a man of deep piety and fine ministerial ability, deserving their full confidence and support.

### MORRISVILLE.

**Big Hog--Corn Crop--Cane Creek Bridge---Marriages---Court House Matter.**

MORRISVILLE, Nov. 24th.—Mr. E. G. Morris, Jr., killed a hog today that weighed 408 pounds net. Maj. Conrad fed and otherwise attended to the hog. Mr. Morris is one among the few that will fatten pork enough to supply the family with meat another year.

Nearly every body is done gathering corn, and most of the farmers have made enough to do them if they can keep it; but a great many will be obliged to sell their corn to pay their debts. That is the fruits of paying credit prices.

Mr. Dickinson is hammering any day on the bridge that he is building across Cane creek at Peckshill. If nothing happens to prevent, he will soon have it done but not before it is needed.

Married, November 18th, by E. M. Reid, J. P., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. C. Souther and Miss Sarah A. Ledbetter. Married, by E. M. Reid, J. P., at his residence, Nov. 22nd, Mr. R. H. Burton and Miss Sarah E. Burns, all of Calhoun county. Several other parties are speaking of going in matrimonial copartnership before long.

Some are still indignant over the new court house, some think that the Commissioners did right in building, while others are neutral. These last say that they have not examined the matter sufficiently to spend their opinion.

### OXFORD.

**Cotton--A Tough Question--Accident--Game--Church changes--Gypsies--Water packed cotton--Personal Mention.**

OXFORD, Nov. 25.—Our town has not been doing the amount of business the past few days that is usual at this season. A slight depression in cotton has kept it from our streets. What cotton has been sold has been disposed of principally for cash—very little trade.

Mr. Editor can you give us a lucid explanation as to the cause of the present financial panic? If so let us hear it. It is unfortunate for the Democrats that such a financial depression should follow their return to national power.

Mr. Geo. Eichleberger had his hand lacerated in a gin last week.

Mr. Austin Mathis, of Alexandria Valley brought a wagon load of fat O'possums to town last Monday. This "varmint" is said to be plentiful hereabouts.

Wild geese and ducks are daily seen passing over our place on their way to more genial climes. Choccolocco and the ponds and lakes adjacent to it abound with them and our Nimrods often succeed in bagging one or more of them.

Mesdames Drs. Williams & Acton of this place are experts with the pole and hook. When others fail they succeed in capturing large strings of the finny tribe.

Rev. W. E. Mabry, for two years pastor of the M. E. Church here goes to the Harpersville circuit. Rev. I. M. Blanton of Dadeville, comes here. Rev. J. T. Morris former Presiding Elder of this district goes to Anniston to take the place of Rev. F. T. J. Brandon who is appointed Presiding Elder of the Tuscaloosa Dist. Rev. Anson West, D. D. once more becomes the Presiding Elder of this, the Talladega Dist.

The goods of Mr. Ramsay, merchant at DeArmanville have been attached by creditors of this place and will be sold here at public outcry.

Several of our citizens have been attending court at Talladega this week where they have business.

A neat fire-proof building has been erected on Choccolocco Extension for the "Trucks" of Oxford's Fire Company.

A band of Gypsies having in charge a drove of about twenty-five horses passed through our place Tuesday last. Some of the stock was in "fine trading condition"—in fact almost transparent.

A bale of cotton came back on its purchaser a few days ago on account of its having been watered. The farmer came near having a difficulty with the merchant by insulting the latter for insisting on docking it. It is strange that such frauds will be perpetrated in this enlightened age of searching tests.

W. T. Dodd one of our best mechanics has returned with his family to Florida. There is not sufficient work here for the number of carpenters and mechanics.

Dr. Williams will attend the Masonic Grand Lodge which meets at masonic Temple in Montgomery on 1st Monday in next month. He will go as the representative of the Lodge at this place.

A large number of our people went to Anniston yesterday to see the circus parade, most of them to "see the animals" and a few—very few to attend the circus. It was a good day for the street car line.

Miss Delia Hingson of Heflin was down on a brief visit to friends here last Saturday and Sunday. She is one of our sister towns fairest flowers.

Hon. Wm. H. Forney is preeminently the choice of this town and section for congress. A profound scollar, a sober upright gentleman and as gallant and humane a general as any county ever furnished. The people of this district will be slow to supplant him with anyone.

### ANNISTON.

**Trade—Sold out—Manufacturing Establishments started—New Dwellings—Court House etc.**

ANNISTON, Nov. 25th.—Our town is gradually recovering from the panic. Most of our business men seem to be cheerful and satisfied with their trade.

B. B. Comer & Co., have sold their retail business to Cater & Johnson. Mr. Comer, we understand will give his attention to the wholesale business.

The manufacturing establishments at this place are all in operation. The cotton factory was started six or seven weeks ago and is running on full time.

The car shops, which suspended work several months ago, are again in operation. Mr. Ed. Whitaker an experienced car builder, has 12 cars to build for the East & West Rail Road.

Several new dwellings are in course of erection.

Our lumber men are getting in a large supply of lumber. We hope to see a building boom soon.

A number of carpenters, who went to Birmingham a few weeks ago to get work have returned to Anniston.

Rev. F. T. J. Brandon who has had charge of the Methodist church at this place the past year, we are informed, will go to the Tuscaloosa District as presiding elder next year. Mr. Brandon is a most excellent christain gentleman, and has many friends in Anniston who regret to part with him and his family. He has been successful in his work this year, has received a number in the church, and leaves the church in a prosperous condition. The best wishes of his people go with him to his new work.

Our people are quiet on the court house question, *not indignant* What we want is peace and prosperity all over the county. Give us good roads, and a telephone from Anniston to Jacksonville, and we are satisfied.

OLD PETE.

### CHOCCOLOCCO.

**Trustees Meeting—Personal—Unfortunate.**

CHOCCOLOCCO, Nov. 24th.—The Trustees of Township 16, Range 6, held a meeting last Saturday for the purpose of locating schools.

J. F. M. Thomas late of Marengo county, was in this place last week prospecting for a residence and school. Hope he may be successful.

Taylor Hewitt is making preparations to go to Arkansas to spend a year and longer if he is pleased.

Mrs. N. V. Cunningham returned Saturday from a visit to her daughter in Kentucky.

Mrs. F. E. Williams has so far recovered from recent illness that she has been visiting relatives and friends.

Alabama feels proud of her gifted pulpit orator son, Rev. Dr. Hawthorne, for the very prominent part he has borne in the canvass for prohibition in Atlanta.

Miss Mal Brown of Munford, Ala., is spending a few days with old friends.

Prof. Golden has a large class in Penmanship. Some thirty pupils.

John Christian of Oxford was quite unfortunate and fortunate also one day last week. He was traveling up the valley in company with J. R. Draper and met an apple wagon, bought a nickles worth of apples, dropped his pocket book and did not discover it until his return home. The good wife observed it would be hard to make, and return he did to the fatal spot, and sure enough found it intact, just as he droped it, with every cent in it.

We learn that John Craig of Texas, has arrived in DeArmanville with a drove of Texas ponies.


### Buckleu's Arnica Salve

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

For sale by Wm. M. Nisbet.

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### Register's Sale.

The State of Alabama, Etowah county. Under and by virtue of a decree of sale rendered at the November term of the Chancery Court of said county, in the cause of the American Mortgage Company against Jno. F. Walker and Laura K. Walker, I as Register and Master in Chancery, will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, county of Calhoun, in said state on Monday the 21st day of Dec. 1885, the following described real estate: The W½ of N W¼, and S W¼ of section 14; the S½ of S E¼ and W½ of N E¼, section 23, and 95 5-100 acres off south side of S½ of N W¼ and north side of N½ of S W¼ of section 2, all in township 14, range 7, and containing in all 402 5-100 acres in the county of Calhoun, State of Alabama. This Nov. 19th, 1885.

JAS. T. BROOKS,
Register.

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### Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one fi fa issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun county, Ala., and to me directed in favor of Adair Bro., and against J. H. Golden, J. E. Massey and T. W. Massey, I will sell on the premises of J. E. Massey, in Calhoun county, Ala., within the legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, on Tuesday the 8th day of December 1885, the following described personal property to-wit: 150 bushels corn, more or less; 200 bundles fodder, more or less; 60 bushels cotton seed, more or less; 50 bushels sweet potatoes, more or less; 4 bushels Irish potatoes, more or less; 4 shotes; 1 sow and eight pigs; 5 cows and three calves; 1 double footed plow stock; 1 turning plow stock; 1 single plow stock; 1 saddle and blanket and bridle; 1 pair harness and collar; 1 dark mare mule; 1 one-horse wagon; 400 lbs seed cotton, more or less; 2 bushels peas, more or less; 1 harrow; 1 pair cotton sidliards; 2 cloth backbands and one traise chain; 2 hamper baskets; 1 bureau; 1 cupboard; 1 table; 1 grind stone; 1 trunk; 1 baby crib; 1 lot of old Iron; 5 bedsteads; 1 sewing machine; 1 clock. Levied upon as the property of James H. Golden to satisfy said fifa. This Nov. 25th 1885.

M. W. WOODRUFF,
Sheriff.

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### Sheriff's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an attachment issued by J. W. Williams, J. P., made returnable to the next term of the Circuit court of Calhoun county, Ala., in favor of J. R. Loyd and against John Kirkpatrick and levied upon the following described personal property, pereshable in its nature, as the property of John Kirkpatrick to-wit: 2 mules; 1 two-horse wagon; 200 bushels corn, more or less; 4,500 lbs seed cotton; 1,000 bundles fodder. Said property will be sold to the highest bidder for cash within the legal hours of sale on Monday the 14th day of December next 1885. This Nov. 26, 1885.

M. W. WOODRUFF,
Sheriff.

Nov28-3t

### Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one fifa. issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 27th day of August 1885, in favor of Wilcox, Gibbs & Co., and against E. W. Teague and J. T. DeArman; I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door of said county on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, within the legal hours of sale the following described Real Estate to-wit: One track of land near Davis Town, known as commencing near the top of the ridge in the old Wedowee road beyond the branch, running south of the apple orchard, at a rock stake, thence in a westerly direction, straight to a stake in the meadow line at the branch, thence in a straight line from the beginning to a stake on the section line which divides section 14 and 15, thence south along said section line, to the south west corner of said section 14, thence east along said section line, to the Wedowee road, thence in a northerly direction along said road to the beginning all in section 14, T. 16, R. 9. East in the Coosa land district containing two hundred acres more or less. Levied upon as the property of E. W. Teague to satisfy said fifa.

M. W. WOODRUFF.
Sheriff.

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## AUCTION SALE!

I will sell at auction, at my store in Cross Plains, Ala., my entire stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, and Crockery. Commencing on Saturday the 12th day of December, 1885, and continuing, as announced at the close of each day until the entire stock is disposed of

A Rare Chance to Get Bargains.

N. M. STEWART.

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### Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of C. Martin & Son, Martin' X Roads, Calhoun county, Ala., has been dissolved by mutual consent. C. Martin will assume all liabilities of the firm and collect all the debts due the firm. All parties owing the firm of C. Martin & Son must come forward and pay up to save cost.

C. MARTIN & SON.

The undersigned will continue business at the old stand and solicits a continuance of the patronage of the public.

C. MARTIN.

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### SPECIAL Term Commissioner's Court.

Notice is hereby given that a special term of the Court of County Commissioners of Calhoun County, Ala., will be held at the court house of said county on the 15th day of December 1885, for the purpose of considering the assessments of Escaped Taxes made by J. V. Rhodes Tax Assesso against the Woodstock Iron Company and such other cases as may be presented, and for attending to any other business of interest to the county or its citizens.

A. WOODS,
Judge of Probate.

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### Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ALABAMA, }
CALHOUN COUNTY. }

In Justice Court, Cross Plains, Ala.

Notice is hereby given that J. R. Graham & Son have had four attachments issued on the 19th Nov. 1885, against the estate of C. C. Wright, which four attachments are made returnable before me at Cross Plains, Ala., on the 28th day, 4th Saturday of Dec. 1885. The said C. C. Wright is hereby notified that said four attachments have been levied upon one store house and dwelling house and lot, in Cross Plains, and that unless he appear and defend in said suits judgment will be rendered against him in said four attachment cases.

This Nov. 19th 1885.

J. P. WHITLOCK, J. P.

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### FOR RENT.

The Crow farm 2½ miles west of Jacksonville. A four or six horse crop, good houses and out-buildings, two tenent houses, good water in thirty steps of the house, fire-wood convenient, splendid range for stock. Farm well watered by a running stream. Land in a splendid state of cultivation. We desire to rent or lease to some one who has stock. Any one desiring to rent can get further particulars by calling on

CROW BROS.,
Jacksonville, Ala.


## T. FITZPATRICK,

BREEDER OF

PIT GAMES,

Abysinian and Common Guinea Pigs,

PRAIRIE DOGS, WHITE AND SPOTTED RATS, AND

Scotch Terriers,

KING OF RAT DOGS.

Send stamp for price. Box 22 Rome, Ga. or Jacksonville, Ala. nov11


### Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of W. P. Crook deceased having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. A. Woods, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Ala., on the 10th day of October, 1885, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

SAMUEL BROTHERS,
Adm'r.

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## J. H. Crawford,

UNDERTAKER,

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

Has on hand a fine assortment of

Coffins and Caskets,

AND

Gloss White Small Coffins.

I have been in the business in Jacksonville for forty-five years, and now comes in our village Black-smith and county treasurer and making an effort to wring that part of my trade from my hands, and neither of them know any more about the business than a hog knows about holiday. Get prices when you need any thing in my line and then come to me. I have no house rent to pay and no one to support but myself and wife and can consequently sell cheaper than any one else. Don't buy until you have priced my goods.

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### NOTICE NO 4360.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA. Nov. 10, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Probate Court at Jacksonville, Alabama, on Dec. 28th 18 , viz: Edward D. Mathis Homestead No 6979 for E fractions M. L T and S. Sections 19 Township 17 south Range 6 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, John Shurbett Lieutenant P. Howell, William Little, Berry Gray, all of Ottery, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
Register.

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### NOTICE NO 4295

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA Oct., 5, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before the Circuit Court or in his absence, Clerk of said Court at Jacksonville, on Nov 28, 1885, viz: John or W. Ford, Homestead No 6997 for the S½, Section 8 Township 15 south, Range 6 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: [illegible] Ledbetter, Willis Sarratt, Richard Stones, [illegible] Martin, all of Brasher Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
Register

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## Dr. J. E. CROOK,

Physician & Surgeon

OFFICE SECOND DOOR,
Alexandria, Ala.

## Dr. R. G. RAGAN,

Dentist.

OFFICE FIRST DOOR,
Alexandria, Ala.

## CROOK & RAGAN,

DRUGGISTS,

ALEXANDRIA, - - - - - - - - ALA.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Pure Drugs, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, and Brushes. A full stock of

Patent Medicines.

Toilet Soap, Cologne, Hair Oil, Ink, Stationery, Pens and Pencils in any quantity. We keep the best brands of Cigars and Tobacco. We have everything connected with a first-class Drug Store. We also keep a good stock of Family Groceries, which we will sell cheap for the cash.

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## JOHN RAMAGNANO

AT THE

OLD STAND,

Jacksonville, - - - Alabama,

DEALER IN

Fine Staple and Fancy Groceries,

Now in stock, canvassed hams, dried beef, breakfast bacon, mackerel, finest flour and meal, cigars, tobacco, smoking and chewing, snuff, canned goods of all kinds, fine fancy and stick candies, wood and willow ware, brooms, etc., oranges, lemons, apples, nuts of all kinds, birch beer, soda water, cider, ginger ale.

Country produce of all kinds bought at highest market price. Mr. J. O. Camp has charge of my store at present and will extend polite attention to all customers. Will sell close for cash. All parties owing the firm will settle up at once and save cost.

JOHN RAMAGNANO.

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J. T. NUNNELLY. J. J. SKELTON.

## NUNNELLY & SKELTON,

UNDERTAKERS,

Will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of Coffins, Caskets and Burial Robes &c. Prompt attention will be given to all orders. Place of business East side of public square, Jacksonville, Ala.

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## JUST RECEIVED.

The fullest, finest and cheapest stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY &c., we have handled.

## BARGAINS.

In every line of goods. Stock fresh and of the very latest styles in our Dry Goods department. Highest market price paid for cotton. Don't fail to give us a bid on your cotton.

FINE LOT OF

READY-MADE CLOTHING RECEIVED.

ORDERS TAKEN AND SUITS MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

## CROW BROS,

Brick Corner, N. E. Side Public Square.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

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## ROWAN, DEAN & CO.,

Brick Corner, S. W. Side of Public Square,

JACKSONVILLE, - - - - - ALABAMA.

Just received and coming by every day's freight the

Largest, Completest and Handsomest

Stock of Goods in our line ever brought to this market. Our entire force have been for some days employed opening these goods and our store-rooms present a most

Charming Appearance.

We keep everything this country needs or will call for. This is one store where you can always find what you want. Advances made to farmers, but we also

SELL FOR CASH,

and, for the spot money, can give as good or better bargains than any house in North-east Alabama. If you don't believe it call and price our goods.

SPECIAL TO THE LADIES.

The ladies of Calhoun are especially invited to call and examine our fresh stock of Ladies' Jerseys, New Market Cloaks, Walking Jackets, beautiful lines of prints and dress goods of every description. These goods were selected by our Mr. W. H. DEAN, in New York, specially for this market, and we are satisfied will please.

WE OFFER BARGAINS.

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## New Family Grocery.

The undersigned has opened, in the brick store room of Judge Walker on the south side of the public square, a full line of

STAPLE

AND

Fancy Groceries,

consisting of Bacon, Flour, Bran, Sugar, Coffee, Mackerel, Canned goods, Confections, Queensware, and a hundred other articles of necessity and luxury, which he designs offering at such reasonable prices as to invite custom.

Tobacco, Cigars and Snuff.

T. M. Blacking.

A liberal share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

Call and See Me.

may2-tf F. M. DAVIS.


### Attachment Notice.

W. T. Rowland, }
vs.
Geo. C. Morgan, }

Whereas W. T. Rowland having applied to the undersigned, H. F. Montgomery a Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P., in due form of law for an attachment against the property of Geo. C. Morgan and having obtained the same and whereas it appears to me that the said Geo. C. Morgan is not a resident of this state and that he resides at Tallahasse, Florida. Now the said Geo. C. Morgan is hereby notified of the pendency of the said attachment; that the same has been served by garnishment on J. H. Glenn and John T. Rowland and that of the said Geo. C. Morgan do not appear before me at my office in the town of Jacksonville, county of Calhoun and State of Alabama, before the 14th day of December 1885, I will proceed to give judgment on the said attachment, in the same manner as if the said Geo. C. Morgan were present to answer and defend the same, and I will as the law directs, award execution, order of sale or other process, as the case may require. Given under my hand at office on the 26th day of October 1885.

H. F. MONTGOMERY,
Notary Public & Ex-officio J. P.

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# The Republican.

## OUR CHEAP COLUMN.

*Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent a word each insertion, payable cash in advance.*

**Wanted to Buy** A small farm of about 80 acres, with good cottage on it, off railroad, in a retired part of the county, for a price something like $1000, half cash, balance in 12 months. Apply to Stevenson & Grant

**Second** HAND PIANO cheap. Apply to Mrs. Annie Alexander, Jacksonville, Alabama.

**Wanted to Sell** at a bargain, a farm of several hundred acres near Sulphur Springs—rich in valuable minerals. STEVENSON & GRANT. Jacksonville, Ala.

**Cross Plain** Wanted to sell at a bargain a good dwelling house, almost new, and a lot of five acres of land, in the growing town of Cross Plains. STEVENSON & GRANT. Jacksonville, Ala.

ONE acre lot for sale. Cheap for cash. Has on it a comfortable dwelling, two rooms, a hall and veranda fronting house, chimney in each room. A good orchard and stable. Three-quarters of a mile from college, and fronting E. T. Va. and Ga. R. R. Enquire of Stevenson & Grant.

**Notice.** I have two good horses that I would sell for corn. R. L. ARNOLD, Jacksonville Ala.
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# Reduction in Price!

## Subscribe Now!

To all subscribers who pay up past dues and to all new subscribers we will send the

## Jacksonville Republican

from now until January 1st 1887, a period of fourteen months for

## ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF.

The paper will continue to improve as its patronage justifies improvement. We want to largely increase its circulation this Fall, and ask each one of our subscribers to say a good word for the paper to some one of their who may not be taking it. The REPUBLICAN advocates only such measures as will, in the judgment of its editor, conduce to the welfare of the

## Masses of the People.

For half a century it has drawn its support from them and it is in sympathy with them. The people have never failed it and it has never failed them, as their long and faithful support of it attest.

## ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF,

is as cheap a price as any good country weekly paper can be published for to make any money for its owners. It is less than

## Three Cents a Week

to each subscriber. Surely every man in Calhoun can afford to spend this much weekly to keep himself posted on the news of the day and afford his children the advantage that the constant reading of a clean newspaper is to them. The newspaper is an invaluable educator, and no family should be without one—

## Subscribe for the Republican

### New Advertisements.

Drs. Crook & Ragan, Acxandra.
John Ramagnano, Groceries.
Renister's Sale—Jas. T Brooks Register.
Special Term Commissioners' Court
Auction sale A M Stewart.
Attachment notice.—J P Whitlock J P
Dissolution Notice—C N Martin & Son.
Three Sheriff Sales—M W Woodruff Sheriff.

We are requested to announce that Rev. M. H. Lane will preach at the Baptist church in this place, Sunday and Sunday night the 29th inst.

Commissioners court was in session two days of this week and transacted some routine business. The case of the State vs the Woodstock Iron Co., was again postponed by consent of all parties concerned.

Hon. J. D. Hammond, of Jacksonville, paid us a visit Tuesday evening. He was accompanied to Gadsden by his charming young daughter, Miss Addie, who had a pleasant time amongst her young friends here.—*Gadsden News.*

### Notice to Teachers.

There will be a meeting of the Institute held at Jacksonville, on Saturday, Dec. 5th, 1885, commencing at 9 o'clock, a. m. All teachers are earnestly requested to be present. By order of the Board of Education.
H. T. PERSONS, Sec'y.

### CHURCH SUPPER.

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church of this place, will have refreshments at the house formerly occupied by Lewis Sallers, on public square for the purpose of raising funds for the benefit of the church, Thursday night the 3rd of December. Everybody invited to attend.

We have just received a large lot of fancy and stick candies, oranges, apples, cocoanuts, desicated cocoanut, figs, raisins, codfish, herring, pearl grits, navy beans, dried apples and peaches, and will receive in a few days the largest and best selected stock of toys and fancy goods we ever brought to Jacksonville. We hope all who desire to buy Christmas goods will call and examine our stock before purchasing. CROW BROS.

By an oversight the advertisement of Dr. Crook was not changed as promised. We present it this week enlarged and in handsome form. As arranged it carries Dr. Crook's professional card, Dr. Ragan's professional card and an announcement of the drug firm of Crook & Ragan. These young men are eminently deserving of success in their line. Dr. Crook graduated with honors in his profession and was valedictorian of his class. He enjoys a large and lucrative practice and is untiring in his work. Dr. Ragan is also said to be very skilful in his profession. The firm of Crook & Ragan carry a large line of choice drugs.

### PERSONAL.

Messrs. E. F. Crook and C. N. Martin, of Alexandria Valley paid us a pleasant call Monday.

Rev. M. H. Lane of Cave Springs, Ga., pastor in charge of the Baptist church here, and a most eloquent preacher, called on us Monday. He expressed a willingness to deliver lectures in this and adjoining counties for the purpose of raising a monument to the memory of John Pelham whenever it may be thought the propitious time has arrived.

Mr. Green B. Skelton, formerly of this county, now of Cleburne, dropped in to see us Saturday. He expects to place a saw mill near the Nathan Clark place, four miles from here, in a few days. It may be that he will become a citizen of Jacksonville before long.

Mr. J. H. Francis, of New York, spent a few days of this week in Jacksonville with relatives and friends.

Mr. A. F. Allen, of DeArmanville was in Jacksonville Monday evening and promptly subscribed for the REPUBLICAN, as all do who want to keep thoroughly posted on county as well as general news.

Mr. G. B. Randolph of Anniston was in town Wednesday and paid the REPUBLICAN office a call.

Mr. Z. Henderson formerly of this county, now of St. Clair, was in Jacksonville a day or two of this week, and paid the REPUBLICAN office a pleasant call.

Miss Ida Smith, of Ohatchie, is visting friends in Jacksonville.

Mr. G. B. Hudson of Choccolocco valley was in to see us this week.

### To the Teachers of Calhoun.

The County Superintendent of schools has selected the REPUBLICAN as the medium of publication for all matters relating to the public schools. Through it he will answer all questions addressed to him officially by teachers, and in it will appear all the notices of the county Board of Examiners, the apportionment of the school fund, and all other official notices in relation to the public schools. One paper is thus selected for the convenience of teachers, in order that they may know exactly where to find all publications in which they may be interested. Every teacher in the county should take the paper. Through it he will learn much of interest to him as a teacher during the year. We are requested to make this notice for the benefit of teachers, by a member of the County Board of Examiners. The REPUBLICAN will be sent to teachers for $1.50 a year. When teachers cannot get postal orders for remittance, two cent postage stamps may be sent.
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### Bricklayers Opossum Hunt near Jacksonville.

BY ONE WHO PARTICIPATED.

"Well here we go to fetch him in alive" said Frank.

Frank is one of the bricklayers out of nine, who stayed at home to keep fire in the grate.

There started in the party eight bricklayers, two dogs, a darkey and the well known Brady. Of course he knew the woods. He made the bricklayers think so before he got home. After walking up a mountain three miles high, LaCroix said:

"Fellows let us build a fire and burn lime. We are out."

"Hold on, the dog has treed!"

McFarland said, "Fetch the tree here and I'll smoke him out."

Henry said, "Look out, fellows, there he goes!"

Mooney said, "What is it, a rabbit?"

So away went Brady, Henry, LaCroix and McGinnis after not a rabbit, but a skunk.

Brady left his coat and hat after him. Henry left his boots. McGinnis arrived home Sunday in time for dinner. On the way back LaCroix fell into a spring. Fitz run over a sow and nine young McFarland slipped off a footlog. LaCroix said if that was hunting in Alabama, he would prefer to take Brady to Canada and hunt maple sugar. Fitz said he would prefer hunting badgers in Ireland. Henry said he would prefer to take the darkey and dogs back to Tennessee and hunt moonshiners. Mooney said, if the crowd would sit down and wait, he would go to the hotel and get his fiddle and play the Opossum Hunters jig. The crowd came home and Big Frank, who had remained at the hotel, said, "Hold on boys. Put the Opossum in LaCroix's dog house, so he will be alive for dinner."

The bricklayers will go hunting in day light, twenty feet from the hotel after this.

SNAP SHOT.

### Conference Appointments.

TALLADEGA DISTRICT.

A West, Presiding Elder.
Talladega Station, Z A Parker.
Talladega Circuit, C L Dobbs.
Munford Circuit, J B Stevenson.
Oxford Station, I M Blanton.
Anniston Station, J T Morris.
White Plains Circuit, C C O'Neal.
Jacksonville, S R Emerson.
Edwardsville and Heflin, E Holmes.
Abernathy, J W Spencer.
Harpersville, W E Mabry.
Shelby Mission, to be supplied.
Columbiana, T P Roberts.
Fayetteville, J G Walker.
Plantersville, S P West.
Chandler Springs Mission, C L McGibony.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. W. W. Woodward, formerly associate editor of the *Telegram*, has not succeeded in recovering his health in San Antonio. Mr. Woodward is a young man of the highest order of ability and was rapidly making a splendid reputation as an orator and journalist until stricken down by disease, he was compelled to abandon his chosen fields of labor, where he would undoubtedly have reaped the most brilliant honors. Mr. W. has many strong friends in North Texas who sympathize with him in his misfortune, and hope he may yet be restored to health.—*Cleburne (Tex.) Telegram.*

We heartily concur in the above complimentary estimate of Mr. Woodward. His prospects were very brilliant, and the failure of his health is the cause of deep regret with his many friends here. We hope that the balmy clime of the region of Texas he is now in may restore him at once to health and a high and honorable career.

### YOU BET.

The Jacksonville *Republican* is a level-headed paper and works hard for the interests of its own town and the country adjacent.—*Gadsden News.*

### A Convenience for Jacksonville.

The undersigned has made arrangements with Antgnola of Rome, Ga., for frequent shipments of bakers bread, light bread and cakes of all descriptions. All kinds of cakes furnished for suppers and entertainments at short notice. Fresh bread can be had any day.
nov28-3t F. M. DAVIS.

### A Genuine Business Man.

Cor. Chattanooga Times.

MERRILTON, ALA., Nov. 24.—There is a man in Merrilton, Ala., known as W. D. Nixon, who is postmaster, Southern express agent, freight and ticket agent for the East & West railroad and for the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia railroad, all at the same place; also a grocer, merchant and a new married man, and has to fill all those places inside of 24 hours. He is a business man.


PORTER, MARTIN & CO.—Jacksonville.

Just received a shipment of old fashioned New Orleans syrup guaranteed to please, at Porter, Martin & Co.

Come and see our toys, candies, oranges, nuts and goodies, even if you don't want to buy, as we like to show them. Porter, Martin & Co.

If you want anything good to eat go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Cabbage, Hog Sausage at Porter, Martin & Co.

If you want a nice lamp or lamp fixtures go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., keep constantly on hand Pure Leaf Lard.

Honey at Porter, Martin & Co.

We have just received a fresh supply of groceries from New York. Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have the finest cod fish in town.

All who have canary birds can get bird seed at Porter, Martin & Co.

You can buy an elegant new buggy very cheap from Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., sell bacon and flour at rock bottom prices.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a very handsome line of pocket knives, scissors and in fact most everything in the Hardware line.

If you want fine fresh candy go to Porter, Martin & Co.

Porter, Martin & Co., have a fine lot of oranges and nuts.

If you want to buy anything call on us and get our prices as it will save you money. Porter, Martin & Co.

Our terms are cash or thirty days with those with whom we run accounts. All those whose accounts are due will please come and settle at once as we do not propose to do a credit business. Porter, Martin & Co.

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Cheapest line of hose (from 10 cents up) ever brought to this market at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Bedroom and dining sets of beautiful designs cheap at Rowan Dean & Co's.

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The latest thing in Cloaks and walking Jackets—Newmarkets &c at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Ready made clothing of very latest styles, from finest suits to ordinary—largest stock to select from ever offered in Jacksonville at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Genuine Congress Knives and fine pocket cutlery of other makes at Rowan Dean & Co's.

If you don't believe that you can get as good bargains in Jacksonville as at Rome, Atlanta or elsewhere, bring the cash and be convinced. Rowan Dean & Co.

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Sash, Doors and Blinds.

Build up your own section by patronizing home industry.

Joe. B. Patton has the only Sash, Door and Blind Factory in North Ga.

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The cheapest line of Russian circulars, dolmans, new-markets and children cloaks at Ullman & Co.

We have on hand a full line of trunks and valises which we will sell cheap.

Special bargains in ready made clothing at Ullman & Co.

Jersey jackes for ladies and children at lowprices at Ullman & Co.

Calico by the pound at Ullman & Co.

If you want to buy a pair of blankets to keep you warm, go to Ullman & Co.

You will find Ullman & Co. of Gadsden, in Dr. Nisbets Brick Store Jacksonville, Ala.

ULLMAN BROS.—Anniston.

Ladies, call and examine our beautiful stock of Milinery which excells any stock in this country in variety and style, Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Beautiful line of Plaid silk striped plushes, silk velvets at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Full line of carpeting, blankets cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Don't fail to examine our business suits for five dollars; worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Double width cashmeres all colors at 25cts yd., at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Special bargains in corsets, hoop-skirts and bustles, Ullman Bros., Anniston.

The beautiful straight cut sack suits are all the style. Full line cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Ladies underwear at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Children suits from two dollars up, worth double the money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Russian circulars silk and fur-lined. A beautiful line of Ladies', Miss's and Children's cloaks and dolmans cheap at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

Elegant line of cutaway, and dress suits at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

CROW BROS.—Jacksonville.

Go to Crow Bros. if you want to buy your groceries cheap.

Best markrt price paid for country produce at Crow Bros.

Our dry goods are of the best quality. No one can undersell us. Call and see for yourself.
Crow Bros.

If you want something strong to stimulate you these cold mornings, buy your coffee from Crow Bros.

Crow Bros., come this week with a large lot of ready-made clothing, cheaper than ever before offered to the trade.

Beautiful worsted for 12½ cents at Crow Bros.

Mens' suits at $5 and up at Crow Bros.

Mens' overcoats at $4.50 to $12 at Crow Bros.

We have splendid line of Trunks very cheap. Call and see before buying. Crow Bros.

Crow Bros. have a large stock of groceries just received which you will find at rock-bottom prices.

Boys' suits at $4 and up at Crow Bros.

Boys' overcoats at $2.50 at Crow Bros.

Elegant lot of carpeting and rugs, cheap, at Rowan Dean & Co's.

Excellent bargains in ladies and gents shoes. Very large stock. At Rowan Dean & Co's.

Nine pounds of coffee for one dollar at Rowan, Dean & Co's.

Prettiest line of prints we have ever handled. 5 cents and upwards. Rowan Dean & Co.

Ladies dress goods, flannel suitings, cashmeres &c. with trimmings to match—a lovely selection—at Rowan Dean & Co's.


### *FINAL SETTLEMENT.*

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } Calhoun County. }

In Probate Court for said county, Special Term Nov. 11th 1885.

This day came John E. Nisbet and Joseph W. Nisbet Executors of the Estate of James G Nisbet deceased, and filed in Court their account and vouchers for a final settlement of their Administration of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 7th day of Dec. 1885 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon account and make said settlement; and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me, at my office in the court house of said county, on said 7th day of Dec. 1885, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

A. WOODS,
nov14-3t Judge of Probate.

## Register's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the county of Calhoun, State of Alabama rendered at the October term 1884, of said court, in the cause of Thomas H. Martin as the adm'r. of the estate of R. C. Hanna dec'd. vs. M. M. Hanna, et als., I will as Register and Master in said Chancery Court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house door of said county of Calhoun, on Monday the 21st day of December next within the usual hours of sale the following described real estate to-wit. The W½ of the SE¼ and the SE¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 19, T. 14, R. 7, and six acres more or less being a part of the SW¼ of the NE¼ and lying in the SW part of the said SW¼ of NE¼ in Sec. 19, T. 14, R. 7. Also one and one-fourth acres lying around and on which is situated gin house, being a part of the E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 19, T. 14, R. 7. Also twenty acres being the W½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼ of Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 7., in all one hundred and fifty one acres, more or less. East in the Coosa Land District, Calhoun county, Ala. Said land will be sold as the property of M. M. Hanna, to satisfy said decree.

W. M. HAMES,
nov21-6t Register & Master.


## Wake Up! Wake Up!!

Don't send to Rome, Atlanta or elsewhere, when you need anything to furnish your house with, when your wants can be supplied by

## Wm. M. LINDSAY,

Proprietor of the Oldest

## Furniture House

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## PLATES OR CUPS

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The largest stock of Coffins, Cases Metalic and Wood Burial Robes and Shrouds in this section.

Being a practical Embalmer, can guarantee satisfaction in holding bodies until friends arrive, or for shipment to distant points.

☞ Mail or telegraph orders receive prompt and personal attention.
WM. M. LINDSAY,
Anniston Ala.


## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama at the April term 1885, of said court, in the cause of Albina Cameron vs. Joseph P. Burns, I will as Register of said Court sell to the highest bidder for cash on Monday the 7th day of Dec., next within the usual hours of sale before the Court House door of said county the following described real estate to-wit: The SW¼ of the NW¼ and part of the NW¼ of SE¼, being all of said last forty acre tract lying east of the branch and being thirty acres more or less, and ten acres more or less lying east of said branch being part of SW¼ of SE¼, and ten acres more or less lying east of the branch being part of the NE¼ of NW¼ all in Section 4, Township 15, Range 6. Containing ninety acres more or less in Calhoun county, Alabama. Said land will be sold to satisfy said decree in favor of the said Albina Cameron and against the said Joseph P. Burns This 6th day Nov, 1885.

W. M. HAMES,
nov7-4t Register.

## Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed of Trust executed by L. McAdory and wife, to me as Trustee for use of J. D. Hammond and by him transferred to Simpson and Ledbetter, and filed in the Office of the Probate Judge of Calhoun County, Ala., for record on 23rd day of Nov, 1883 the day of its execution, and Recorded on the 10th day of Dec. 1883, in Book T of Deeds of Trust, on page 33. I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry for cash, before the Court House door in Jacksonville, Ala., on the 30th day of Nov. 1885, the following described real estate, viz: One lot lying North of Depot street in said town of Jacksonville, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the R. C. Lester lot and running West along the street 50 feet, thence North 75 feet, thence East to Lesters' line, thence along Lesters' line to the begining point, in Sec. 11, T. 14, and R. 8.

I. L. SWAN,
oct24-30d Trustee.

### NOTICE NO. 4320.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
Oct. 12, 1885.

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 that said proof will be made before Judge Circuit Court or in his absence Clerk Circuit Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 28, 1885, viz: James E. Norris Homestead 3624, for the N half of SW quarter Sec. 32, Township 15 South, Range 8 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thos. White, Chas. J. Ford, Ed Kilson, W. F. Wells, all of Weavers Station, Ala.

THOMAS J. SCOTT,
oct17-6t Register


# CLOSING OUT SALE!

## FOR CASH ONLY.

The death of D. C. Turner causes the surviving partners to offer the fine selection of

# DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES

at and below wholesale cost. Jersey Jackets at 50 cents and upwards, Shoes 50 cents and upwards, Boots at and below cost from this date. Large lot of

## Ladies' Dress Goods

AT LOWEST PRICES.

All who are indebted to the firm of W. C. Land & Co., must pay their dues at once or they will have to settle with an attorney.
W. C. LAND,
nov21tf C. D. HARPER.

# ELGIN & LEGRAND,

DEALERS IN

## DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,

WEAVERS, ALABAMA.

We have received this season an extra large and cheap stock of all kinds of goods in their line, and prepared to give their customers this season

## More Goods for Less Money

than ever before since we went into business. We will continue as in the past to advance to farmers. We have also made arrangements to do a large

**CASH BUSINESS,**

and are prepared to offer cash customers as good bargains as any house in the county. Our goods have been bought on the most favorable market and our customers shall have the advantage of it

## WE KEEP EVERYTHING

demanded by this market, and solicit a fair share of the public patronage.
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# SPECIAL INVITATION.

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# CHEAP CASH STORE.

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To call and examine the largest and best selected stock in the country which is now complete.

Our Clothing department consists of the latest novelties in Straight Cut Sack, Cut-away Frock Sack, and Prince Albert suits to suit and fit everybody.

## Mens' Boys' and Childrens' Overcoats.

The most elegant stock of Fine Dress Goods and Dry Goods.

Our stock of

## MILLINERY GOODS

Excel anything ever shown in styles and quality.

Ladies Russian Circulars, Silk Circulars, Dolmans, Cloaks Misses and Childrens Cloaks.

A Large Stock of

## Boots, Shoes, Carpets, Rugs, and Jeans.

Our Manager has spent several months in the market buying direct from manufactures, which enables us to sell cheaper than any other house.

# WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT,

## Which is Now Complete,

And hoping for cash enables us to sell goods to merchants cheap as they buy in any market. Call and examine yourself, and save money by purchasing from

# ULLMAN BROS.,

Feb14-1y. ANNISTON, ALA.

# NEW FALL STOCK

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## Staple and Fancy Goods

Daily arriving at the Store-room of

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More attention has been given to the selection of our stock this season than ever before, and our effort shall be to please, both in quality and price. In connection with our stock of Dry Goods we keep a large and varied stock of

## Family Groceries

Consisting of everything in this line, embracing both heavy and fancy Groceries, Bagging and Ties, etc., etc.

## COTTON SELLERS

Will find it to their interest to give us a call. For the first time, we are fitted up this season to handle cotton, and propose to give the top of the market.

**Remember the Place**

When you come to town. We are determined to sell goods, regardless of profits, and fine bargains can be had from us and no mistake about it.
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# NEW FAMILY GROCERY.

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## J. N. M. CARPENTER,

Has recently opened out at the old stand of B. F. Carpenter & Co., an entirely

## NEW AND FRESH STOCK OF FAMILY GROCERIES,

Consisting of everything, both staple and fancy, kept by any Family Grocery establishment in this section of Alabama.

## I Buy for Cash and Sell for Cash,

and consequently can afford to and will sell Groceries as cheap as they can be bought anywhere in any market of this part of Alabama. Give me a call and price my goods before buying.

**When You Bring Your Cotton to Market,**

let me make a bid on it, and give you an estimate of cost of whatever groceries you may want to take out with you.
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### A Remarkable Case.

Mrs. Henry Ellis, 500 Scott street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, writes: "DR. S. B. HARTMAN & CO., COLUMBUS, O.: I am impelled by a sense of duty to the suffering to send a brief statement of your remarkable case. I was a most miserable victim from the various annoying and debilitating diseases of delicate persons, which caused me to be confined to my bed for a long time, being too weak to even bear my weight upon my feet. I was treated by the most reputable physicians in our city, each and all saying they could do nothing for me. I had given up all hopes of ever being well. In this condition I began to take your MANALIN and PERUNA, and I am most happy to say in three months I was perfectly well—entirely cured, without any appliances or support of any kind."

Rev. G. A. Frohli, New Portage, Summit County, Ohio, writes: "My wife has been sick for about five years. In the first place the doctor called it leucorrhœa, and treated it about one year, and she grew worse, and turned to ulceration of the womb, and was treated for that two years, but she grew worse and the doctor gave her up. Then I employed Dr. Underwood, one of the best doctors of Akron, but under his treatment she grew worse. She was paralyzed; she had lost all of the sense of feeling and her eyesight. She could not walk for nearly two years. About six months ago Underwood gave her up. She tried your PERUNA. She has taken three bottles, and it did more good than any other medicine. The paralysis has about left her; her eyesight is getting better. We will continue the use of PERUNA until she is well."

Mr. Isaac Nicodemus, Schellsburg, Bedford County, Pa., writes: "I am induced, by a sense of duty to the suffering, to make a brief statement of your remarkable help, as a sufferer of catarrh in my head and throat. I doctored with one of the best physicians in our place for that dreaded disease, catarrh, and found no relief. But in 1883 I lost my speech, and was not able to do any kind of work for near three months. I could neither eat nor sleep. PERUNA and MANALIN did wonders for me. I used three bottles of PERUNA and one of MANALIN, and now I am in better health than I have been for ten years, and I can heartily recommend your medicine to all suffering from that dread disease, catarrh."

Mr. I. W. Wood, Mt Sterling, Ohio says: "Your medicine gives good satisfaction. My customers speak highly of its curative properties."

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Many a Lady

is beautiful in feature but her skin; and nobody has ever told her how easy it is to put beauty on the skin. Beauty on the skin is Magnolia Balm.

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It is THE GREAT SOUTHERN REMEDY for the bowels. It came to the front in the sickly season of 1878, and gave such universal satisfaction that it has been kept at the front ever since. It is the best remedy for Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus, Sick Stomach, Sick Headache, Colic, Cramps, Pains in the Stomach, Nausea, Vomiting, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Flatulency, Fever, Chills, Ague, Bilious Fever, Bilious Attacks, Malaria, Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, Typhoid Fever, Typhus Fever, Yellow Fever, Scarlet Fever, Spotted Fever, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sick Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Hysterics, Nervous Prostration, Nervous Debility, Nervous Headache, Female Weakness, Female Irregularities, Female Obstructions, Female Suppressions, Female Troubles, Leucorrhœa, Whites, Kidney Complaints, Dropsy, Gravel, Inflammation of the Kidneys, Inflammation of the Bladder, Urinary Difficulties, Diabetes, Bloody Urine, Scalding Urine, Brick Dust Deposits, Mucous Discharges, Pain in the Back, Strains, Bruises, Weakness, Pain in the Chest, Pain in the Limbs, Pain in the Joints, Pain in the Side, Pain in the Head, Pain in the Face, Pain in the Bowels, Pain in the Stomach, Pain in the Kidneys, Pain in the Bladder, Pain in the Womb, Pain in the Back