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## Desirable Farm for Sale.

Messrs. Stevenson, Martin & Grant will sell at a bargain the S. G. Wright farm partly within the corporate limits of Jacksonville. It lies adjoining the property of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., on the south-side of town. The farm lies well, has red-clay foundation, and contains 85 acres. On it is a good framed cottage of 5 rooms and veranda; a good well of free-stone water, never-failing, good garden spot, good framed barn and crib, four stables, cotton house, smoke house &c. It is within easy reach of the State Normal school building and is just the place for a farmer who wants to move to town to educate his children. 75 acres are in cultivation, 10 in woodland. The buildings are comparatively new. In addition to this 40 acres of mountain-side woodland within one mile of the public square will be sold with the place. Address Stevenson, Martin & Grant, Jacksonville, Ala.

## Tax Collector's Appointments.

### Second Round.

The undersigned will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County taxes for the year 1889. Poll tax is delinquent the 1st day of December 1889. Other taxes delinquent the 1st day of January 1890. Those who wish to avoid being called on and paying the penalty fixed by law for failure to pay in time, may pay before the same becomes delinquent. It is my purpose to strictly adhere to the law governing collections, and no favors can, in justice to all, be shown any one.

- Beat 1 Jacksonville, Wednesday November 6.
  - Beat 2 Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 7.
  - Beat 3 Allsups Mill, Friday Nov. 8.
  - Beat 4 Four Mile Spring, Saturday Nov. 9.
  - Beat 5 Rabbit Town, Monday Nov. 11.
  - Beat 6 White Plains, Tuesday Nov. 12.
  - Beat 7 Davisville, Wednesday Nov. 13.
  - Beat 8 Choccolocco, Thursday Nov. 14.
  - Beat 9 DeArmanville, Friday Nov. 15.
  - Beat 10 Canaway's School House, Monday Nov. 18.
  - Beat 11 Bynum's, Tuesday Nov. 19.
  - Beat 12 Sulphur Springs, Wednesday Nov. 20.
  - Beat 13 Polkville, Thursday Nov. 21.
  - Beat 14 Alexandria, Friday and Saturday Nov. 22-23.
  - Beat 15 Otchatchie, Tuesday Nov. 26.
  - Beat 16 Peck's Mill, Wednesday Nov. 27.
  - Beat 17 Duke's Station, Thursday Nov. 28.
  - Beat 18 Hollingsworth's, Friday Nov. 29.
  - Beat 19 Weaver's Station, Saturday Nov. 30.
  - Beat 20 Ladiga, Wednesday Dec. 4.
  - Beat 21 Piedmont, Thursday and Friday Dec. 5-6.
  - Beat 22 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday Dec. 9-10.
  - Beat 23 Oxanna, Wednesday Dec. 11.
  - Beat 24 Anston, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13, 14 and 15.
- D. Z. GOODLETT,  
Tax Collector.

## Deed in Trust Sale.

Under and in virtue of a deed in trust executed to the undersigned by J. N. Martin and his wife, L. A. Martin, to secure Charles Martin, and recorded on page 290, book T, second vol., reg. of deeds, in the office of the Probate Judge for Calhoun county and State of Alabama, I will proceed to sell on the 10th day of December, 1889, at the corner Tenth and Noble streets, in the town of Anston, in said county, between the legal hours of day, the following described lots, to-wit: Lots Nos. 11, 12 and 13, lying in south-east corner of the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of section 11, township 16 and range 7, containing two acres more or less, commencing at said south-east corner and running due north 3/4 feet, thence west 27 1/2 feet, thence south 3/4 feet, thence east 27 1/2 feet to the said south east corner, including a frame dwelling, and a good well of water. Location high and healthy. Examine the property and attend the sale.

E. T. CLARK, Trustee.  
Ellis & Stevenson, Attorneys.  
Nov-7-89

## Cheap Money.

As correspondent of the Loan Co., of Alabama, I can offer money on improved farms at reduced rates.

H. L. STEVENSON.  
July 14th

## B. F. Wilson.

Attorney at Law  
TALLADEGA, ALA.  
Will practice in the counties of Talladega, Calhoun and all surrounding counties  
6-15-89

## PATENTS.

Carvats, Re-issues and Trade-Marks secured, and all other patent cases in the Patent Office and before the Courts promptly and carefully attended to.

Upon receipt of model or sketch of invention, I make careful examination, and advise as to patentability free of charge.

Fees Moderate, and I make no charge unless Patent is secured. Information, advice and special reference sent on application.

J. R. LITTELL,  
Washington, D. C.  
Opp. U. S. Patent Office.

## Jas. S. Kelly

Notary Public and Ex-Officio  
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.  
At Oxford, Ala.  
Courts 2nd Saturday in each month

## STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

### Honor Roll for November, 1889.

Alexander, A. D.  
Alexander, T. M.  
Ayers, Stakely  
Bolling, Temple  
Bolling, Ua  
Cox, Willie  
Coleman, Willie  
Crook, White  
Crow, Cora  
Davenport, Annie  
Davenport, Ethel  
Driskill, Cora  
Deuman, Ida  
Dill, Katie  
Goodlett, Emma  
Gaubury, John  
Grogan, W. T.  
Gill, Mary  
Hammond, Fannie  
Hammond, Neva  
Hutchinson, Frank  
Landers, Willie  
Lane, Belle  
Lane, Undine  
Montgomery, Floy  
Matthews, Lena  
Matthews, Lena  
Matthews, Minnie  
McClusky, Fannie  
McClurkin, George  
McLurg, Gray  
McKee, W. H.  
Nisbet, John  
Nesbit, Nannie  
Nisbet, Theresa  
Nunnelle, Addie  
Privett, Lizzie  
Ross, Nannie  
Swan, John  
Swan, Sammie  
Snow, Mounger  
Stevenson, Forney  
Scarborough, Annie  
Scarborough, Hattie  
Treadway, Annie  
Warlick, Jessie  
Ward, Lee  
Ward, Mamie  
Whisenant, Willie  
Williams, Gus

## THE WEST VS. THE SOUTH.

From Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper.

The reports of railway systems recently made show the losses of lines running east and west to those running north and south as two to one. In other words, the wheel of fortune has turned ninety degrees: the south is floating on a developing tide of prosperity; the west, if not actually wanting, is at least at equilibrium.

The causes are not far distant. While the development of the west has for several years been largely in the direction of exclusive railway construction, that of the south has been given to the erection of blast-furnaces, coke-ovens, manufactories by the thousands, literal square miles of business blocks and dwellings, as well as the building of 20,000 miles of railways. The construction of railways west has largely exceeded the development of industries in that section, and has consequently decreased the amount of traffic proportionally for each trunk line; on the contrary, the expansion of industry in the south has increased the traffic of north and south systems.

The migration of industries from the west to the south has been one of the remarkable spectacles of the times. Within the past few years the cattle industries in the west, and northwest and far southwest have been so nearly obliterated by blizzards and great droughts that the ranchmen have been compelled to seek new fields of pasturage in the middle and eastern south, where none of these causes have been known to thrive. It will be remembered that the year 1887 was marked by the destruction in Texas of five hundred head of cattle per day by drought, and of twenty to ninety per cent by blizzards in the northern ranges. The latter was from twenty to thirty per cent in Wyoming, and from sixty to ninety per cent in Montana. The experiments in ranching in the south, west of the Mississippi river show a better class of beef cattle, because the soil is prolific in lime, pure and simple, or in the form of shell marl; the grasses are almost of perpetual growth, and grow with great luxuriance; the climate is void of extremes of either heat or cold, and is consequently nearly at equilibrium.

The migration of agriculturists from west of the Mississippi to the eastern and middle south is likewise remarkable. Great forest fires, cyclones, and other natural causes are responsible for this. The brain and brawn—not much of the former—which for years have swept through Castle Garden to the north west have remained there sufficiently to become educated to American needs, but have found that territory inadequate to insure profitable crops and safety to life, and are migrating south in numbers to take advantage of three crops per year and the favoring elements.

The capital of the east, which formerly found investment in the west, has also turned southward. The north has within a few years invested \$1,000,000,000 in various parts of the south, and to-day the stream of capital has nearly stopped its westward flow. The result is seen in the immense growth of southern cities. Louisville has added several square

miles of new manufactories and dwellings within two years. Its growth south has overwhelmed its position grounds, surrounding its race track—the Churchill Downs—and stretched into the hill country across the plains. Its population has increased from 123,000 in 1880 to 223,000. Nashville has come up from 40,000 population in 1880 to 110,000. Its growth in business blocks and in wealth is amazing. It is only in its vicinity, not elsewhere on the globe, that hundreds of farms may be found varying in value from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000. Decatur was not in existence a few years ago, but to-day it spreads over a large area. Its initial start was in the removal from Urbana, Ohio, of the United States Rolling Stock company with its capital of \$4,000,000, its 500 employees, and its capacity of twenty cars per day. Next the Louisville and Nashville railway planted fifty-seven acres of car shops there, and at once Decatur went to the front in American industrial cities. Birmingham claimed only 23,000 population three years ago, but within its environs to-day are 110,000 people, thirty huge blast-rolling-mills, steel works, the largest business blocks, outhouse, and hotel on the continent. The Morris block there is probably unsurpassed among the business structures of the world. Montgomery had 3,000 people after the war, but to-day, without any assistance from outside capital, and by its own industry, has 20,000 population and is a new and beautiful city. New Orleans, three years ago, was generally regarded as an American antiquity to which tourists made pilgrimages to see its foreign institutions on American domain, its queer catacombs and cemeteries, and its old-style architecture. To-day the vestiges of the antique are disappearing; French is no longer taught to Creole children; St. Charles avenue is lined with palatial residences on modern lines, although one, that of Mr. Durant Du Pont, is probably the only copy of the Alhambra for dwelling purposes in existence; immense business blocks are replacing structures of wood, stone and brick, conspicuous with rows of verandas at all stories.

The eastern south can show similar things, though not so great and marvelous changes. The growth of southern cities is part of the result—the larger part of a northern investment of over a billion dollars combined with awakened southern ability; for of course, southern people provide the labor and brains largely, which are utilized in behalf of the expended capital. I might speak of the great investments of northern capital used in draining some 5,000 square miles in southern Florida; in the acquisition of all the southern pine tracts—several million acres; other millions of acres of mineral tracts, comprising 42,000,000 tons of coal in Alabama alone—sufficient to last the world 12,000 years; and vast deposits of iron ores scattered all over the south—more than the world can ever use. Because these coal, iron and lime deposits are found together in the same mines, blast and steel furnaces are being removed and erected on the mines themselves thereby saving the cost of transportation of the raw material to the blasts. The result is, pig can be produced at six cents with profit, and even England, with her cheap labor, cannot long compete with us in any markets of the world. Indeed, labor can be secured in the mining regions of the south cheaper than elsewhere because of the cultivation within the industrial fields of every lot of food and raw material for clothing desired.

Such a state of affairs can only point to a serious result for the west, and it is better to confront the truth now than when it is too late for a remedy. Capital is bound to go where it can get the most return for its investment. East and west trunk lines, by the great migration of industries and people from their territory to the south and by the alarming deflection of capital to that section, must steadily decline in value, and be conducted at a loss greater than that which characterizes them at present.

Further railway building in the west looks like sheer folly when we consider that it mainly consists in duplicating trunk lines to enable those in existence to get some advantage over rivals, rather than developing any territory of consequence. The south has already called a halt on the growth of western cities. All of its territory will stand an enormous development, hence it will be necessary to construct double its present amount of railways, and this can be profitably done.

If there were no other sign of times visible of the absolute truthfulness of the outlook as herein indicated, a recent move of the Vanderbilts would be conclusive. The brains of that family have seldom, if ever, been at fault in the matter of valuable investments. By their purchase of the control of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, in order to get an independent footing in the field of the vast new development in the south, they have admitted the whole question under discussion. Depend upon it, they will yet tap the gold coast on the southwest and the Atlantic coast on the southeast; they will yet under-

lying ores extending in those directions, and bisect them lengthwise.

There can be few more profitable boons for the west, except in the untamed but rich wilds of Minnesota. The western grain areas are swept with every form of destructive elements—fires, blizzards, cyclones and droughts. Already her newly made citizens are fleeing southward to escape like a summer migrating bird, from the approaching sere. Her great iron ranges—the Menominee, the Gogebic and the Vermillion—cokeless, coalless and limeless, must soon stand paralyzed before cheap southern competition, beside which England's effort will pale in insignificance. There cannot much longer be profit in shipping the northern ores to Chicago and Pittsburg blasts. Dependent on the east for capital and coal, what is there left for the west? The western railway lines, stocked and bonded at from three to ten times their actual value, on a basis of their prospective earning merely, are already under ban by investors. Each succeeding report shows more expansion of rails, more destructive competition and rate-cutting, more expense by increase of employees and their salaries, and consequently greater losses constantly increasing. The south has been the tail of the dog of industrial empire. It must soon be the dog. One can hear from afar the roar of her mighty volume of industries. In that awful roar is being silenced, and soon will be silenced forever, the howl of the bourbon, the squeak of the old fogey, the cries of sectional hate, theoretical yelp of free trade, the ultimate struggles of prejudices of race.

## WILLIAM HOSEA BALLOU.

### TEXAS LANDS.

## Of Interest to Heirs of Early Settlers From Alabama.

The Republic of Texas granted to its citizens who rendered service in the War of Independence certain valuable lands. These lands, by subsequent acts of the Texas Legislature, render the claims of intermediate settlers invalid; and the heirs of the original grantees, when known, will receive the property on legal proof made. In addition to these claims there are others of the earlier settlers of Texas, who, after locating in the State, have died or removed from it. Among the names whose heirs are entitled to property are the following who are thought to have been former citizens of Alabama: Samuel Fuller, William N. Capwell, Charles Holmstrom, John Burns, Stephen Richeson.

It appears that Col. W. P. Childron, of this city, is the authorized attorney and representative of the different interests mentioned in co-operation with leading attorneys in Texas, and will give all necessary information to any person or persons who may directly or collaterally fall in the line of inheritance from any of the parties mentioned.

## Mercurial Rheumatism.

Mr. J. C. Jones, city marshal of Fulton, Arkansas, writes: "About ten years ago I contracted a severe case of blood poisoning. The leading physicians of the city were called in, and they prescribed medicine after medicine, which I took without obtaining any relief. I also tried mercurial poison potash remedies with the same unsuccessful result, but which brought on an attack of mercurial rheumatism that made my life one of untold agony. After suffering for four years, I gave up all former remedies and commenced taking Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) After taking several bottles, I was entirely cured and able to resume work. I consider Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) the greatest medicine for blood poisoning to-day on the market."

## A Prompt Cure.

Two bottles of Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) cured me of a breaking out all over my body, caused by blood poisoning. VICTOR STEWART.  
21 S. Royal Street, Mobile, Ala.

For thirty years I was afflicted with blood poisoning, from which I suffered untold agonies. I commenced taking S. S. S., and after using five bottles, I am entirely cured.

## WILLIAM SCHENK,

Flushing, L. I.  
I suffered for twenty years from blood poisoning. Three bottles of Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) cured me entirely. CATHERINE MOSHER,  
Mineola, L. I.

Treatise on blood and skin diseases mailed free.

## SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,

Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

## Beans Three Times a Day.

"Whenever I tackle a plate of beans," said the advance agent as he leaned back in his chair, "my alleged mind and memory revert to a season I put in with a road show, otherwise a circus, traveling by wagon. One Saturday afternoon I dropped into a little town called Saccarappa, in the state of Maine. There was but one hotel in the place, and not having the entree to the society columns, as it were, I placed myself beneath its roof. When supper time arrived I was seated in the dining

room ere yet the coalless landlord had ceased to agitate the bell that called the victims to feed. The persecuted heirress that piloted the provender asked me if I would have tea. I realized the hopelessness of my case, and said I would. She retired, reappeared, and placed before me a dish of hot beans, a plate of bread and butter and a cup of tea.

"One Sunday morning I broke my fast with a boiled potato, a cup of something, and some cold beans. The midday meal was an improvement, and consisted of a piece of corned beef, boiled potatoes and baked beans. For supper we had tea and cold beans, and for breakfast Monday morning dilled with a cup of something and a dish of hot beans. When I left, I expressed my regret to the still coalless landlord that I had not been able to enjoy the beans for which his house was noted. If I live to be a thousand years old I'll never forget the expression on his face as he started back and said: 'What! y' didn't git no beans? Well, by gosh, I'll see about that.'—Oil City Blizzard.

## RIVAL FOR COTTON.

Bear Grass Stronger and Heavier Than Jute and May Solve the Problem.

The Troy Enquirer tells of a sample of bagging made with the hand, which may prove a formidable rival to cotton as a covering for cotton bales.

Mr. T. Stephens, of this city, showed us a specimen of bear grass bagging which he prepared with his own hands without the aid of machinery. It is stronger and heavier than jute, and will weigh about the same to the yard. It is also less inflammable, and will not stain the cotton. The only preparation of the bear grass blades necessary, is to boil or steam them, and the epidermis which can be easily twisted into threads of any desired size. Bagging from this material can be made very cheaply and it occurs to us as about the best and cheapest solution of the problem: What cheap and substantial covering for cotton can be substituted for jute? There must and will be a substitute, and it ought to be manufactured from some Southern product. Indeed, it must be, or it will not suit.

Bear grass is a very common plant that grows well on the poorest soils. Twenty tons per acre could be easily produced and money could be made in producing it at \$5.00 per ton green. It grows spontaneously on abandoned lands in this section and can be propagated from the roots or produced from the seeds. When it is well set upon land, it is very difficult to destroy. Two heads each season can be obtained from each bud or head and each head will weigh from twelve to twenty-five pounds.

Southern farmers, and particularly all-enclosed men, will not use jute next season. The alliance may go to the extent of refusing to purchase from any merchant who keeps it for sale. Certain it is that the war which has been inaugurated against it will be unrelenting and vindictively waged, as it is the uprising of the robbed to destroy and annihilate the robber, and it will be done. There will be no truce, no compromise nor the slightest quarter shown the enemy. If bear grass can be used for the purpose as well or better than any other product, then bear grass will be adopted, provided it is not in a trust.

Among the numberless substitutes offered to supplant jute, cotton bagging occupies the first place now, because it will create a demand and continue it for the lower grades of cotton. This will more than compensate for the difference in price between jute and cotton bagging; but other material could be used without detriment to the cotton bagging factories now in existence, and all that will likely be established the next cotton season. Cotton bagging is already sufficiently strong and well entrenched to stand up for itself. To make up the deficit that will likely exist between the cotton bagging made from inferior cotton and all the cotton bagging that will be needed, would urge the use of bear grass, pine straw, cotton stalk fibre, or any other material that is of Southern growth and can be converted into cotton covering at approximately the cost of jute. Southern genius is at work on the problem and will satisfactorily solve it by the time the next crop shall be ready for market.

Captain Briquet of the steam tug A. C. Cann, which was the first boat to pass through the muscle shoals canal has some interesting experience noted down in his log book. He started from Green Bay with his boat and passed through the Sac, the Fox, the Wisconsin, the Mississippi, the Ohio, and the Tennessee rivers. By reason of freezing up in the Wisconsin river for eight months and being delayed at Florence for eight months on account of the muscle shoals, his trip took over three years. Several of his experiences are very interesting. He had great trouble in getting through the Wisconsin river. It is a shallow stream with a quicksand bottom, and the channel constantly changes. The

first considerable quantity of the Southern article that has been brought into this district. "Iron and steel manufacturers regard this move with wonder, even if it may have no special significance, because it may cause Southern pig iron producers to make greater efforts to gain footings in Northern markets, and with probable success. The fact that Northern iron consumers are using Southern pig iron will strengthen the faith of investors in the iron country and with increased capital and brains will come greater chances for success in the North."

A man who has practiced medicine for forty years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1889.  
Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:—I have been in the general practice of medicine for most forty years, and would say that in all my practice and experience have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a case of Catarrh that it would not cure, if they would take it according to direction.

Yours Truly,  
L. L. CORSUICH, M. D.,  
Office, 215 Summit St.

We will give \$100 for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured with Hall's Catarrh Cure. Taken internally.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O., Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

## QUITE ROMANTIC.

A Brave Girl Weds a Rich Man From New Mexico.

CHATTANOOGA, Dec. 3.—A most romantic story in real life has become known by the arrival of Mrs. Dandridge Harrison from New Mexico to visit relatives. Two years ago Mrs. Harrison, then Miss Childress, was teaching school on Sand mountain, and she became the object of the affections of one of her pupils, Jim Magers, who, failing to have his affection reciprocated, began to circulate injurious stories concerning her character.

Miss Childress procured a shotgun, and hunting him up, demanded a retraction, which he made in the most abrupt terms. The facts were published at the time and attracted the notice of a wealthy mine owner in New Mexico, who wrote to her asking her to correspond with him. She paid no attention to the letter, as she received hundreds of letters at the time from all parts of the country, but after a few weeks, for some reason unknown to herself, she states she answered the letter, and the result was a correspondence which has now culminated in the happy marriage.

Mr. Harrison, the successful suitor, is the owner of valuable mining property, and the brave young school teacher returns a wealthy lady.

The Washington Press says that Mrs. M. O. V. Leonard, of that city, has painted a remarkable faithful copy of Max's "Holy Face." The legend of the original is as follows: "As Christ was on his way to be crucified, St. Veronica threw a handkerchief over his face to wipe away the bloody sweat, and to reward her for the deed He left the impress of His face upon it. This handkerchief is supposed to have been preserved in the Vatican at Rome. The inspired artist, Max, transferred this remarkable face to canvass, creating such an intense realistic effect that he became deranged while painting, and died as he put the finishing touches to the picture. When you first look at this face the eyes seem closed, giving that calm, restful appearance that sleep only can give. If you shut your eyes for a moment and then look into the eyes of the picture, you find them upraised in the most sorrowful manner; yet the whole face is robed with anguish and suffering.

In reference to the proposed pulling down of the Davis mansion, in Richmond, a special dispatch to the New York Sun says:

There is a strong feeling here against the proposed demolition. A petition against interfering with the mansion will be presented to the City Council. It is considered that the proposition is especially unfortunate now in view of Mr. Davis' illness. His little son, who was born at the beginning of the war, was killed by falling from the porch, and is buried in Hollywood Cemetery here, and the little grave is never forgotten. During the war the young ladies of the Confederate capital formed an association for the purpose of placing towers upon the child's grave and the custom is observed now by the admirers of Mr. Davis.

NEW MOVE IN IRON.

Pennsylvania Manufacturers to Give Bessemer Pig a Trial.

The New York Herald of November 30th contained the following item from Pittsburg:

"Carnegie, Phipps & Co., will give Southern Bessemer pig iron a trial. Recently 2,000 tons of this material was ordered from a Talladega, Ala., furnace and at the Homestead Works the pig will be given a practical test. The arrival of this iron will be

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2, 1889.

From our Regular Correspondent.

To-day the wheels of Congress will begin to slowly grind out legislation inspired by a Republican Administration. And to-morrow Mr. Harrison, in his first annual message, will outline the policy to be pursued by his party. When the House has been fully organized, and the officers have been inducted into their respective positions, the first tug of war will come. It is understood that Republicans have decided upon so amending the rules that they may not enable the minority to hinder any Republican legislation proposed. After the rules have been adjusted, the committees appointed, and the new Congress has settled down to work, inevitably the question of tariff adjustment will have precedence of all others. The present administration claims to have been elected because of its advocacy of a theory contrary to the Democratic principles of tariff reform. The majority in Congress, equally with the Democratic minority, is pledged to tariff reform, though on different lines. The discussion of the question is, therefore, of paramount importance, and is, in truth, a necessity of the situation. Again the silver question will have to be settled. Evidently the silver men are in earnest and are making extensive preparations for a vigorous campaign. They are getting ready for a movement in force, of which Congress is the objective point. The chances are that a silver discussion will bring up the whole question of the currency and that Congress will find its hands full. It is indeed clear that the Fifty-first Congress has abundance of work before it and that it should buckle down to it in earnest at the earliest period possible.

It begins to appear that notwithstanding the adverse criticism with which the proposition has been met, the President still seriously contemplates promoting law-partner Miller from the office of attorney General to a place on the Supreme Bench. He is aware that the nomination would be opposed by several Republican Senators. But to offset this fact, it is reported that he has an understanding with a few of the leading Democratic Senators that in all reasonable things they will support his nominations and recommendations; and all things that involved no more serious consequences than the gratification of the President's personal desire may conveniently be reduced to the category of reasonable things.

Just now speculation is rife as to who will set the social peace. But it is impossible even to guess, and the unexpected often happens. There are as many changes in the Diplomatic Corps this year as in our own offices, and there will be a suspicion of newness about the social whirl at the Capital this winter which may prove piquant.

Though the week has witnessed the downfall of many a lofty castle of hope, yet the fall of none was greater than the Hon. Thomas C. Platt's whilom Republican leader in New York and Machiavelli of his party. Following the defeat of the State ticket he put up, he loses the office of Quarantine Commissioner. Once a United States Senator and now nothing but a political memory. It is sad indeed.

Nick, Nick U. Nickels.

# The Republican.

L. W. GRANT, Publisher.

December 7, 1889.

## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE.

President Harrison has exemplified at his first great opportunity that he is a partisan, incapable of rising to the plane of a statesman, or, what is more, a true lover of his country. His inaugural address is stilted and stereotyped, nowhere departing from the commonplace, until he strikes the negro, upon whose unsympathetic and unwilling shoulders he weeps as copiously as did Mark Twain at the tomb of Adam. Herein he resembles a statesman to whose fate the sybils have doomed him—Rutherford B. Hayes—a man, however, with more of the milk of human kindness and less of the conceit of human kind than the man who wears his granddaddy's hat in the White House. If the egregious conceit of the little fellow did not lead him to retire from the confidence of his cabinet, while writing his message, we may take it for granted that the Republican party in and out of Congress are to make one more grand onslaught upon the South, and that a final and desperate effort will be made to legislate the bottom rail on top in the South in order to secure the supremacy of this party in the Government. To say that this foolish, off-tempered and unnatural effort will fail is to speak only the promptings of the commonest sense and the truth of history as it applies to this question. A minority party, so far as the white race is concerned, can never by legislation fix themselves permanently in power, through the vote of the Southern negro. In the first place the Southern white man will not stand it, all congressional legislation to the contrary notwithstanding. In the second place the Northern masses of white men will not stand it, as witness the unparalleled overthrow of the Republican party following the attempt to put the force bill upon the South. In the third place the negro does not desire it, and will not countenance it. In view of these adverse elements it is hard to tell from where the President and his advisors and the fanatics of Congress get the hope that inspires them. But it must be remembered they are desperate and overrate the political ambition of the negro in one direction and underrate the political intelligence of the negro in another direction. But it is useless to discuss something that may never and can never happen. If the Democrats of Congress are true to their position. We note with some alarm a disposition of some of these to kick against a strict party regimen in the rejection of the resolution to establish a "committee of public safety." Some few fools on the Democratic side may so materially help the Republican party in its revolutionary course as to cause the South great tribulation; but that the ultimate grand destiny of the South or the supremacy of the ruling class will be long clouded by the conspiracies of traitors or vanities of fools cannot for a moment be admitted. We move to too grand a destiny, with the speed of electricity and power of steam, to be checked by a Sherman, whom the grave or dotage will soon claim, or a Harrison, whose accidental elevation has made his head swim; or a professional ballot box thief like Chandler, whose policies are ephemeral as his own political life, or of the so-called Democrat in the lower house of Congress, who thinks more of his individual, yet insignificant, right of personal action than of the supreme question which now confronts the South. Time and development and the shifting of population and fortune will leave them all behind, and the traitor, the fool and consequential martinet will all find a common grave of forgetfulness. Meantime the South will march to her destiny which God provided when He consented to the abolition of slavery and the defeat of the Southern Confederacy against the supplications and protests of his chosen people. He knew what was better for them than they knew themselves.

The Anniston Times announces that the Anniston & Atlantic and the Anniston & Cincinnati Railroads have been sold and that a public official announcement of the fact will be made in a few days. This means that the Louisville & Nashville Railroad system will pierce this territory; that the back of the present railroad combine will be broken; that this whole country and Anniston particularly will boom under the impetus given by a liberal and enlightened railroad management. The Blue Mountain Mineral puts Jacksonville in connection with the Anniston & Cincinnati and so Jacksonville as well as Anniston may rejoice. Now we will see how this country can grow under a liberal railroad management.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, rendered on the 21st day of Nov. 1889, I will sell to the highest bidder in front of the store house of P. A. Easterwood & Co., in the town of Alexandria, Calhoun county, Ala. the following real estate belonging to James A. Gladden, deceased, viz: 1/2 of SW 1/4, Section 31, T. 15 and R. 7, east, in said county containing 89 acres more or less. Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance on credit of one and two years, in two equal payments, with interest from date of sale. Notes and security thereon will be required.

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The president is in favor of the abolition of the tax on tobacco and therein he is right. There is no more reason why tobacco should be taxed than that corn should be. He might have gone further and said he was in favor of the abolition of the tax on fruit brandies; but he did not have the courage to thus favor the farmers who own vineyards and orchards against the monopolistic manufacturers of distilled spirits from grain. There never was in the world a greater folly than to allow the fruits of the earth (which perish speedily) to fall and rot, under revenue laws which encourage the distillation of grain, which can be preserved for the sustenance of life the year through. But for the grasp that the whiskey trust has got upon the country and the president, he would have gone the whole logical extent and recommended to Congress free tobacco and free distillation of the spontaneous fruits of the earth. For every gallon of fruit brandy lost in the rotting peaches and apples in the country orchards, two bushels of corn, which will sustain life in a family of six for one month, will be consumed in the manufacture of a spirit that in no way sustains life and which saps the foundation of the soul.

The President in his message is in favor of National aid to education, with the matter left wholly to the States. We should like specifically to see Harrison's bill before subscribing to it. Anything that Granny Blair might propose would be harmless by reason of its imbecility. We do not want to go on record as against so-called National aid to education. Under proper restrictions we think favorably of it. Congress placed an ignorant mass of voters on us; so ought it to educate them to understand their rights, or cease to complain that the better educated whites get away with them in the "science of government."

Col. Robt. McKee may go into journalism again in Alabama. When he does so the small politicians may hide out. The Col. has no toleration for the asses who parade themselves in iron skins. The difference between Col. McKee and the average editorial writer of Alabama is that he says what he thinks while the others think what they don't say. Knowing how "great" men are made most editors have an opinion about them which they more or less conceal.

Birmingham has had another sensational tragedy. Dr. J. S. O. Davis killed Dr. Chew on the streets of the city a few days ago on account of a trivial dispute growing out of a matter of accident insurance. Dr. Chew had been married but a month to a most lovely and affectionate lady. One man dead and another man worse than dead and an eternal sorrow in two families, all on account of the fateful hip pocket! Both men stood high in Birmingham. Draw your own moral.

Rev. Walter R. Dale, minister in charge of the seventh Baptist church of Atlanta and one of the editors of the leading Baptist papers of Georgia has been exposed as a man going under an assumed name, a wife deserter, a seducer, and general rascal. His real name is J. O. H. Nuttall. When we first read his denial of the charge we thought Nut was gone up.

The talk now is that Laney's road will be extended along the base of Colvin mountain as the exigencies of the times may demand these ores. When the road reaches Patterson's or the extensive deposits of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing company's, it will be met by the Blue Mountain Mineral.

The approaching boom in Jacksonville real estate is now all the talk of the groups of men one passes at every turn and corner. Protect your against sudden booms. Rather give us the slow and healthy rise in values that follows legitimate and healthy growth.

When we think of the unjust discrimination of the E. T. Va. & Ga. R. against Jacksonville, we are forced to the enquiry—has Alabama a railroad Commission that counts for anything?

Congress is now in session and our weekly correspondent will supply the readers of the REPUBLICAN something of the doings of the same.

## Application for Decree to Sell Land.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County: Special Term November 23rd, 1889.

This day came Adam Sharp, Administrator of the estate of Simpson B. One, deceased, and filed his application in writing and under oath, praying for an order and decree for the sale of the lands of said estate for the purpose of division upon the heirs, a newspaper published in said county, a notice to all persons interested to appear in said Probate Court, on said 3rd day of January, 1890, and contest said application if they think proper.

It is therefore ordered that the 3rd day of January, 1890, be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to hear and determine said application, and that notice thereof be given by publication for three consecutive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, a notice to all persons interested to appear in said Probate Court, on said 3rd day of January, 1890, and contest said application if they think proper.

EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.

## Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued from the Circuit Court of Talladega county, Ala., on the 14th day of November, 1889, against C. Martin and J. N. Martin, and in favor of J. Kyle & Co., I will proceed to sell at public outcry on Monday, the 23rd day of December next at Murrayville in Calhoun county, Ala., to the highest bidder for cash within the legal hours of sale, the following described property to-wit: One-half interest in one six horse power engine, 1 Winslip Cotton Gin and 1 pair of Chicago Standard Scales, levied on as the property of J. N. Martin to satisfy said execution. This December 4th, 1889.

L. P. CARPENTER,  
Sheriff.

## FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, special Term, December 2nd 1889.

This day came S. D. G. Brothers, Administrator of the estate of James G. Nuttall, deceased and filed in Court his account and vouchers for a first and final settlement. It is therefore ordered by the court that the 4th day of January 1890, 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 4th day of January 1890, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.

## NOTICE NO. 9511.

LAND OFFICE AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.  
November 18, 1889.

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 Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala., on January 6th, 1890, viz: Thompson, John, for the SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 26, T. 13, S. 7, east.

He claims the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Joseph W. Gault, of Dukes, Ala., Franklin Hindman, of Peas, Ala., Isaac Fortner, Josiah P. Wesson, of Dukes, Ala.

J. H. BINGHAM,  
Register.

## JAS. HUTCHISON

HAIR DRESSER AND BARBER,  
(Jacksonville Hotel),  
JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

## FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, Special Term, November 23rd, 1889.

## O. E. ANSLEY.

Shoes and Hats,  
NOBLE STREET,  
Anniston, Ala.

Has the largest Shoe House in Northern Alabama. Special inducements are offered to those living in the country. Inspect our Stock. Give us a trial and be convinced that we are the cheapest Shoe House in the State.

## CLEAR THE TRACK!

Time Waits for no Man.  
We are with you and we have come to stay. Excelsior is our watchword and we are a candidate for your patronage. We have to-day a complete stock of Drugs and when needing anything in our line we ask you to give us a trial. We have just received a nice lot of holiday goods and we invite your inspection. Our

Holiday Stock  
is composed of Plush Goods, Work Boxes, Dressing Cases, Fancy Vases, Toys for children, Jewelry and a full line of Perfumery.

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J. T. DOSTER & CO.,  
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DEALERS IN  
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We invite your special attention to our Stock of men, women and children's Shoes. We defy competition in Gents' Underwear, Jeans, Dress Shirts and Hats.

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GO TO  
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FOR FINE DRESS AND  
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Never has any house in Anniston had a finer assortment in Fine Prince Albert & Frock Suits, Straight and Round Out Sack Suits, and OVERCOATS.

Prices lower than houses which carry ONLY ONE LINE. We give you reasons for being able to sell for less: First, We buy for four stores from manufacturers for cash. Second, We have ten different lines to sell, and by making a small profit, on each and with the quantity we do sell, we are able to undersell houses which carry

ONLY ONE LINE  
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We have as Fine Suits as are made for Men and Boys and guarantee fits as if tailor made. We also assure the public that any one will save from 15 to 20 per cent. by buying their Clothing at

ULLMAN BROS., Anniston, Ala.  
CROW BROS',  
LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF  
READY MADE CLOTHING

Has arrived. For beauty, quality and price it cannot be excelled in the State. Now is the time to get a good selection before the stock is broken. We also have

FINE HATS AND SHOES  
to go with each suit at prices that will insure a sale. If you will only call and examine we can save you money, and money saved is money made. Our stock of Dry Goods and Notions is full and at prices you cannot complain of. In our Grocery line will find Carved Hams and Shoulders, Dried Beef, Bulk Meat New Orleans Syrup, Sorghum, Granulated Sugar, Y. C. Sugar, Green and Paroled Coffee, Tea, Cheese, Crackers, Salmagundi, Canned Fruits, Extracts, Candies, Tobaccos, Snuff, Cigars, Seed Barley, Clover.

BAGGING AND TIES.  
We will pay the highest market price for Cotton. Give us a call.  
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E. E. ELAM,  
Anniston, Alabama,  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN  
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Toilet Articles and Perfumery.

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Orders by mail given prompt attention.

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We invite your attention to our line of Groceries and Hardware which you will find to be the most complete in town. Now is the time to buy

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We have just received a new assortment of

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COODS DELIVERED FREE.  
Give us a call.  
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Real Estate Brokers,  
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Real Estate bought and sold on commission, rents collected &c. Property placed in our hands for sale will be advertised for sale without cost to land owner.

No Sale-No Charge.  
Jacksonville real estate and farm and mineral land along the line of Jacksonville & Anniston Railroad specially solicited.

This Week We Will Sell  
Calf Brogans for - - - \$1.00  
Women Lace - - - 95c  
Childs S. H. Button - - - 1.00  
Ladies' Kid - - - 1.85

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T. A. HALL & SON,  
Noble Street,  
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J. J. SKELTON,  
DEALER IN  
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UNDER TAKER'S  
GOODS  
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Furniture and Stoves sold on installment plan.

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TO BE GIVEN AWAY Dec. 25, '89.  
1st. Diamond Ring—9 Stones.  
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For every dollar's worth of goods bought, purchasers will receive a ticket on each dollar, as a chance on the above three prizes to be given away Christmas.

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JUST receiving a magnificent line of holiday goods: Comb and Brush sets, Work-boxes Writing Desk, Toilet sets for Ladies and Gentlemen, Plush and Morocco Bound Photographs and Autographs, Albums, Photo-Books, Bibles, Prayer and Hymn Books, Pictures, Engravings, Yases, Bronzes, Games, Dolls, Toys, Fancy Stationery in Plush Boxes and Wedding Presents.

Flans and Organs from different manufacturers, for Cash or installment plan, at low prices.

6000 ROLLS OF WALL PAPER  
and Borders, at greatly reduced prices. Samples sent on application.

Notice to Creditors.  
Letters Testamentary upon the estate of J. A. Weatherly, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, on the 8th day of Oct. 1889, 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.

Mrs. A. A. GOODE,  
Adm'rx.  
nov2-3t.

Theodore Hoffman,  
Fine Boot  
AND  
SHOE MAKER,  
Southwest corner of Public Square,  
Jacksonville, Ala.  
nov16-4t

B. G. McCLELLAN,  
County - - - Surveyor

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Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun of Northern Alabama, rendered at the October term, 1889, in the case of M. Anderson against John T. Ross...

Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northern Alabama, rendered at the October term of said court, in the case of the New England Mortgage Company against B. D. McClellan...

Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northern Alabama, rendered at the October term, 1889, in the case of Rowan, Dean & Co. against Debora McClellan & B. G. McClellan...

Administrator's Sale of Land.

By virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of W. P. Crook, deceased...

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In Probate Court for said county, Special Term, November 24, 1889, the estate of Samuel Grant, deceased, and filed in court his account and vouchers for final settlement of said estate...

FIRE INSURANCE.

I. L. SWAN, AG'T, Jacksonville Ala.

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For Table, Sacramental or Medicinal Use. Made from the Scuppernon, Concord, Catawba &c.

Price \$2 a Gallon.

Sold only by the gallon or upwards. Address JOHN MAXWELL, Jacksonville, Ala.

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HAIR DRESSER AND BARBER, (Jacksonville Hotel.) JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

NOTICE

Estate of Frederick Ross, Deceased. -Executor's Sale Of.

By virtue of the power contained in the Will of Frederick Ross, deceased, the undersigned Executor of the Will of said decedent will sell on the premises, at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 15th day of December, 1889...

Solid lands situated two miles west of Davidsville on the Helix and Oxford road within a short distance of the Georgia Pacific Railroad, in the great farming valley, known as the Choctawhatchee Valley...

Said tract will be sold in one or more parcels as the parties interested may agree on sale day.

Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Nance, deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 21st day of October 1889...

NOTICE NO. 9194.

Land office at Montgomery, Ala. Sept. 21st, 1889.

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 Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 4th, 1889...

CHEAP NOTE HEADS.

The REPUBLICAN Job Office has recently bought 20,000 Packet Note Heads, (largest size) at a bargain and can print them delivered at this office, for \$1.75 to \$2.50 per thousand, padded. Orders solicited.

L. Richardson & Co.,

Manufacturers of

Lumber and Lathes,

Days' Station, East & West R. R.

Orders Solicited.

J. H. CRAWFORD,

Has just received a fine lot of

Coffins & Caskets.

Also small Gloss White Caskets for Children. Prices range from \$8 to \$45.

NOTICE.

Fine and Forfeiture claims registered previous to January 1st 1884, are required to be re-registered, according to an act of the last General Assembly of Alabama, found on page 750, acts of 1883-9.

Administrator's Sale.

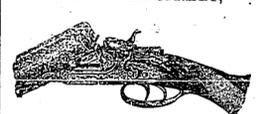
Under and by virtue of an order and decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, the undersigned administrator of the estate of W. P. Crook, deceased, will sell to the highest bidder, on the 27th day of December, 1889, the following land to-wit: Fifty acres in the N 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 25, Township 14, Range 7, east, in Calhoun county, Ala., and known as the Bryant place.

"Nickel Ante" cigars at

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Will sell as cheap as any house North, East, South or West.

Guns, Rifles, Pistols,

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LAWN TENNIS, BASE BALL,

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And all kinds of

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Tract of Land,

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PERSONAL PROPERTY DEC. 17, '89.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, rendered on the 20th day of October A. D. 1889, I will, on the 17th day of December 1889, sell to the highest bidder, upon the premises, on east side of Choctawhatchee creek, in Rabbit Town Precinct No. 10, in said county of Calhoun, Ala., the following real estate belonging to the estate of Elias Tenge deceased...

Notice to Creditors.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Nance, deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 21st day of October 1889, 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.

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE OF LAND.

On December, 23rd 1889.

Under and by virtue of a Decree of Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, rendered on the 23rd day of Nov. 1889, I will, on the 23rd day of December 1889, to the highest bidder, upon the premises, at the latterly residence in Polkville Precinct No. 5, said county of Calhoun, the following real estate belonging to the Estate of J. A. Weatherly so deceased...

Sheriff's Sale.

Jacksonville, Nov. 28th 1889.

By virtue of an execution issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun county Ala., on the 28th day of Nov. 1889, Against M. C. Lively and J. F. Trammell, and in favor of Russell & Co. I will proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash within the legal hours of sale, before the Court house door in the town of Jacksonville on Monday the 30th day of December 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot No. 6 and lot 7 or so much there of as lies north west of the mountain in sec. 16 T 13 and Range 9 East in Calhoun county, Ala., containing 118 acres more or less and known as the M. C. Lively place, levied upon to satisfy said Execution.

NOTICE NO. 9056

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala. Sept. 23rd 1889.

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 Judge of Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 15th, 1889, viz: Joseph W. Gault, deceased, No. 1425, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 21, T. 14, S. 10, R. 9, E. 1, Calhoun county, Ala. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Joseph P. Wesson, John C. Gault, Robert P. Wesson, John D. Phillips, all of Burke's Station, Polkville, Calhoun county, Ala.

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Dry Goods, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Hardware,

NEW ORLEANS SUGARS and SYRUPS, BEST RIO COFFEES, Roasted and Green, OOLONG and IMPERIAL TEAS, CALIFORNIA FRUITS & VEGETABLES, BACON LARD, HAMS & BEEF, PICKLES, CHOW CHOW and SAUCES.

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## Desirable Farm for Sale.

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## Tax Collector's Appointments.

### Second Round.

The undersigned will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County taxes for the year 1889. Poll tax is delinquent the 1st day of December 1889. Other taxes delinquent the first day of January 1890. Those who wish to avoid being called on and paying the penalty fixed by law for failure to pay in time, must pay before the same becomes delinquent. It is my purpose to strictly adhere to the law governing collections, and to favor each, in justice to all, be shown any one:

- Beat 1 Jacksonville, Wednesday November 6.
- Beat 2 Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 7.
- Beat 3 Allsups Mill, Friday Nov. 8.
- Beat 4 Four Mile Spring, Saturday Nov. 9.
- Beat 10 Rabbit Town, Monday Nov. 11.
- Beat 11 White Plains, Tuesday Nov. 12.
- Beat 12 Choccoloco, Wednesday Nov. 13.
- Beat 13 Checcoceco, Thursday Nov. 14.
- Beat 17 DeArmanville, Friday Nov. 15.
- Beat 4 Ganaway's School House, Monday Nov. 18.
- Beat 4 Rynum's, Tuesday Nov. 19.
- Beat 14 Sulphur Springs, Wednesday Nov. 20.
- Beat 5 Polkville, Thursday Nov. 21.
- Beat 2 Alexandria, Friday and Saturday Nov. 22-23.
- Beat 15 Okatie, Tuesday Nov. 26.
- Beat 6 Peck's Hill, Wednesday Nov. 27.
- Beat 6 Duke's Station, Thursday Nov. 28.
- Beat 7 Hollingsworth's, Friday Nov. 29.
- Beat 3 Weaver's Station, Saturday Nov. 30.
- Beat 16 Ladiga, Wednesday Dec. 4.
- Beat 9 Piedmont, Thursday and Friday Dec. 5-6.
- Beat 13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday Dec. 9-10.
- Beat 13 Oxanna, Wednesday Dec. 11.
- Beat 15 Anniston, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12, 13 and 14.

D. Z. GOODLETT,  
Tax Collector.

## Deed in Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed in trust executed to the undersigned by J. N. Martin and his wife, L. A. Martin, to secure Charles Martin, and recorded on page 269, book 2, second vol. reg. of deeds in the office of the Probate Judge for Calhoun county, and State of Alabama, I will proceed to sell on the 10th day of December, 1889, at the corner Teuth and Noble streets, in the town of Anniston, in said county, between the legal hours of sale, the following described lots, to-wit: Lots Nos. 11, 12 and 13, lying in south-east corner of the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of section 11, township 16 and range 7, containing two acres more or less, commencing at said south-east corner and running due north 348 feet, thence west 275 feet, thence south 348 feet, thence east 277 feet to the said south east corner, including a frame dwelling, and a good well of water. Location high and healthy. Examine the property and attend the sale.

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## PRESS OPINIONS

### On the Death of Jefferson Davis.

Philadelphia Times.  
The death of Jefferson Davis removes at once and forever the irritation that his frequent deliverances on public questions provoked, and now for the first time his name and his memory will be severed from the passions of the present, and he will go into history as one of the most sincere, conscientious and self-denying of all Confederate leaders. He was born and nursed in the lap of States Rights; he was steadily schooled in the ultra faith of Southern mystery and advancement, and he is the one of all who believed and taught as he did, who proclaimed and defended its faith even when it caused lived only in sorrowing memories. History will say that Jefferson Davis was honest in faith, expression and effort alike at Montgomery when he was crowned amidst the smiles and roses of the sunny South; in the prison cell when hope and friends seemed to have perished, and in the hour when the long halt was called that summoned him to the dreamless couch of the dead.

St. Louis Republic.  
For many years he had no intellectual equal among American public men, and in Europe only one—William E. Gladstone, who in habits of thought and mental equipment bears a striking resemblance to him. In his life and his death he was a representative man. He stood for the character of the South. No character is more thoroughly American, more marked by the traits of the men who founded the States, made them free and united them for the preservation of freedom. To virtue born with him as an inheritance, misfortunes taught him to add a crowning glory not characteristic of his section until it learned it with him—that of patience. He was born and he lived and died an American gentleman, worthy of his people and his country.

Mobile Register.  
Jefferson Davis is gone, ripe in years and covered with the highest honors that fallen power can offer. No people ever had a braver or more honorable leader. No misfortunes could break his stout heart. No power could bend him from the line of duty. When his country fell he was petrified into marble, and there he has stood for a quarter of a century, the embodiment of all that was true, dignified, noble and unfortunate in the people of these Southern States. God rest his soul, and well will it be for the armies and the councils of these United States to pray for many lion hearts like that of the great ex-president who lies to-day sleeping his last eternal sleep at New Orleans.

New Orleans Times-Democrat.  
Draped in mourning this morning is another page in the history of the world. Jefferson Davis is dead. Tried in many high offices and found faithful in all; tested in many critical conjunctures, and proved true to his country and his people; his life one long, uninterrupted sacrifice of interest to conscience, the fame of the illustrious dead shall in the years to come grow brighter as the embers of passion die away. The greatness of Jefferson Davis stands confessed, as now we write, in a people's tears. "Tenacious of principle, the slave of conscience, resolute, yet filled with the inspiration that comes from unyielding belief, the giant figure of the Ex-President of the Confederacy stalked across the nineteenth century as some majestic spirit that, strong in the consciousness of its own right-doing, scorned the plaudits of a world, and lived only that in himself duty might be defiled. Such was Jefferson Davis, and such will history declare him to be.

New Orleans States.  
Jefferson Davis is dead; but the principles for which he struggled, for the vindication of which he devoted his life, for which he suffered defeat, and unto which he clung until death, still live. The fanatical howlings of the Abolitionists, the tumult and thunders of civil war, the fierce mouthings of the organizers of reconstruction, and the destruction itself, that black and foul disgrace of humanity, "are all departed, sunk to silence like a tavern brawl," but the constitutional principles upon which the Confederacy was founded and for which Jefferson Davis spoke and struggled, for which he gave life and fortune, still survive in all their living power; and when they shall have been, if ever, really destroyed, this Republic will be transformed into one of the most oppressive and offensive oligarchies that has ever arisen amongst the civilized nations of the earth.

New York World.  
He was a man of commanding ability, spotless integrity, controlling conscience and a temper so resolute that at times it approached obduracy. In his opinions he was a doctrinaire who held inflexibly to certain fixed premises of thought and followed his logical deductions from them with relentless fidelity, whithersoever the logic might lead. He was proud, sensitive, and honorable in all his dealings and in every relation of life. The key to his career is found in the two facts that he formed his convictions by the logical processes of the closet, and that

he did what his convictions dictated with the unhesitating obedience of the true soldier he was bred to be. The services which he rendered the country as a statesman in both branches of Congress in the antebellum days, as Secretary of War, and as a soldier of the Union in Mexico, entitles him to the kindly remembrance of all who recognize ability and courage. His State papers will live in our archives as models.

New York Herald.  
He lived and died in the indulgent recognition of his countrymen. His Confederacy has gone into the limbo of dead political experiments. The knightly genius of Lee, the sombre fury of Jackson, the gallantry of Stuart, the narrow fanaticism of Sydney Johnston, the proud, unpausing valor of the hundreds of thousands who followed them to the supreme fate of war—all will live in song and story as an undying part of history. And in this history no one will hold a more conspicuous place than the stern, implacable, resolute leader, whose cold, thin lips have closed forever in that beloved South which he served with passion if not with wisdom.

Baltimore Sun.  
His name will live in history with those of other great popular leaders whose qualities of heroism and fortitude survived the ruin of their cause; and the life of such a man, devoted, as it was, to the service of the people, from no sordid motives, but from a pure and lofty sense of duty, is one for which his section has no need to apologize, and which his whole country, ignoring the unhappy differences of the past, can well afford to honor.

New York Sun.  
Not only laws, but rightful estimates of principles and motives, are unasserted or unheeded amid the shock of arms. Many years of peace and of dispassionate retrospect have been required to convince the men who fought and suffered for the Union, that in his disruptive view of the constitution and the reserved rights of States, Jefferson Davis was entirely sincere and powerfully fortified by teaching and example. The air, hot with hatred and dense with the smoke of battlefields, need to be cooled and clarified before all of us could recognize that the ill-starred President of the Southern Confederacy did but carry to their foreseen conclusion doctrines not only formulated by John C. Calhoun, but avowed and advocated by such steady representatives of New England feeling as Timothy Pickens and Josiah Quincy.

## DYING OF HYDROPHOBIA.

Preparations Made by a Victim Who Forewent His Death.

Indianapolis News.  
Attention has often been called to the unlicensed and unnecessary cures that infest Indianapolis. They frequently go off into an exhilarated state and allow their fang to sink into the flesh of unwary pedestrians. Then a hydrophobia arises. This disease is really rare, but it is attended with so much horror that the possibility of it justifies the anxiety that must always attend the bite of a dog. A genuine case of hydrophobia is rare. The death of Gilman A. Kimball, a brother-in-law of E. Fuller of this city, recently roused the public spirits of Danvers, Mass., where all the unattended dogs are now promptly killed. Mr. Kimball's dog had been sick, and one day while he was handling it the animal's teeth came in contact with his master's face, causing blood to flow from his nose and making a scratch on his face on his upper lip. The dog was shot soon after, owing to its strange behaviour.

Nearly three weeks had passed. One Saturday, as he was about to get shaved, when the barber lathered his lip, Mr. Kimball sprang from his chair in violent convulsions, from which he soon recovered. His shaving was then finished, but he went through a second spasm before leaving the barber shop.

Thereafter when about to taste food or drink he went into convulsions. He was very deliberate and rational about his condition. He went to Boston and bade his customers goodbye, telling them he was about to die. He wrote a letter to his wife, saying he had the hydrophobia; that he would try to control himself so as to injure no one; that he wished her to remain with him to the last, but if he became violent to give him something.

He was a powerful man, but he did as much as he could to help others in controlling himself. Monday afternoon he became so violent that several men had to hold him, and he begged them to kill him, crying out for more of the morphia, which had been used to quiet him. On that night he died.

## A BLACK CHAPTER.

### THE SHACKLING OF JEFFERSON DAVIS BY FEDERAL OFFICIALS.

The Shameful Story of the In-Treatment of Mr. Davis in Fortress Monroe—Brutality of Secretary Stanton Toward Him.

In "The Prison Life of Jefferson Davis," nominally written by Dr. J. J. Graven, surgeon of the prisoner, but really the fancy sketch of Major Charles G. Halpine, U. S. A., ("Miles O'Reilly") is the following graphic account of the ironing of Mr. Davis. The main facts are substantially true, though Major Halpine has furnished some more of the "embroidery of history," and drawn considerably on his imagination for some of the details:

"On the morning of the 23d of May a yet bitter trial was in store for the proud spirit—a trial severe, probably, than has ever in modern times been inflicted upon any one who has been subjected to such emprovement. This morning Jefferson Davis was shackled.

"It was while all the swarming camps of the army of the Potomac, the Tennessee and Georgia—over 200,000 bronzed and laureled veterans—were preparing for the grand review of the next morning, in which, passing in endless succession before the mansion of the president, the conquering military power of the nation was to lay down its arms at the feet of the civil authority, that the following scene was enacted at Fort Monroe.

"Captain Jerome E. Titlow, of the Third Pennsylvania artillery, entered the prisoner's cell, followed by the blacksmith of the fort and his assistant, the latter carrying in his hands some heavy and harshly-rattling shackles. As they entered Mr. Davis was reclining on his bed, feverish and weary after a sleepless night, the food placed near to him the preceding day still lying untouched on its tin plate near his bedside.

"Well," said Mr. Davis, as they entered, slightly raising his head. "I have an unpleasant duty to perform, sir," said Captain Titlow; and as he spoke the senior blacksmith took the shackles from his assistant. "Davis leaped instantly from his recumbent attitude, a flush passing over his face for a moment, and then his countenance growing livid and rigid as death.

"He gasped for breath, clutching his throat with the thin fingers of his right hand, and then recovering himself slowly, while his wasted figure towered up to its full height—now appearing to swell with indignation and then to shrink with terror as he glanced from the captain's face to the shackles—he said slowly and with a laboring chest:

"My God! You cannot have been sent to iron me?"

"Such are my orders, sir," replied the officer, beckoning the blacksmith to approach, who stepped forward, unlocking the padlock and preparing the fetters to do their office. These fetters were of heavy iron, probably five-eighths of an inch in thickness, and connected together by a chain of like weight. I believe they are now in the possession of Major-General Miles, and will form an interesting relic.

"This is too monstrous," groaned the prisoner, glancing hurriedly round the room, as if for some weapon or means of self-destruction. "I demand, captain, that you let me see the commanding officer. Can he pretend that such shackles are required to secure the safe custody of a weak old man, so guarded and in such a fort as this?"

"It could serve no purpose," replied Captain Titlow; "his orders are from Washington, as mine are from him."

"But he can telegraph," interposed Mr. Davis, eagerly: "there must be some mistake. No such outrage as you threaten me with is on record in the history of nations. Beg him to telegraph, and delay until he answers."

"My orders are peremptory," said the officer, "and admit of no delay. For your own sake, let me advise you to submit with patience. As a soldier, Mr. Davis, you know I must obey orders."

the brawny mechanic made an effort to slip one of the shackles over the ankle so raised, but as if with the vehemence and strength which frenzy can impart even to the weakest invalid, Mr. Davis suddenly seized his assailant and hurled him half way across the room.

"On this Captain Titlow turned, and seeing that Davis had backed against the wall for further resistance, began to remonstrate, pointing out in brief, clear language, that this course was madness, and that orders must be enforced at any cost. "Why compel me," he said, "to add the further indignity of personal violence to the necessity of your being ironed?"

"I am a prisoner of war," fiercely retorted Davis; "I have been a soldier in the armies of America, and know how to die. Only kill me, and my latest breath shall be a blessing on your head. But while I have life and strength to resist, for myself and my people, this thing shall not be done."

"Hereupon Captain Titlow called in a sergeant and file of soldiers from the next room, and the sergeant advanced to seize the prisoner. Immediately Mr. Davis flew on him, seized his musket and attempted to wrench it from his grasp.

"Of course such a scene could have but one issue. There was a short, passionate scuffle. In a moment Mr. Davis was flung upon his bed, and before his four powerful assailants removed their hands from him, the blacksmith and his assistant had done their work—one securing the rivet on the right ankle, while the other turned the key in the lock on the left.

"This done, Mr. Davis lay for a moment as if in stupor. Then slowly raising himself and turning round, he dropped his shackled feet to the floor. The harsh clank of the striking chain seemed first to have recalled him to his situation, and he muttered, at brief intervals: "Oh, the shame, the shame!"

## THE WORLD CRIED SHAME!

General John S. Preston, in an oration before the South Carolina Survivors' association, in 1870, characterized the imprisonment and trial of Mr. Davis in these burning words:

"After our armies were surrendered or captured, the people ruling a United States government offered a reward of one hundred thousand dollars for the capture of our chief, Jefferson Davis. The world cried shame!—that the generic distinction between man and beast is, that the beast is incapable of shame—and the people and the soldiers of New England started in eager pursuit of the confederate chieftain, hot for the blood money. He was secured and dragged to their strongest fortress, chained like a felon, and thrust down below the sea-level, in a double-tiled dungeon, this feeble old man, the prize of New England's prowess, the prisoner of the sword of the great American republic.

"The next scene in this strange drama is the same old man in the felon's dock at Richmond, before New England's chief judge and his satellites and mighty men, learned in their laws, to tell of his treasons, of rebellion and insurrection, of violated constitutions, and all the jargon in insolent and cowardly triumph. But even Jeffrey and his hangman shrank from touching his faith, for it abided in the impregnable law of truth. Their congress then tried it, but sat silent under the poor shadow of shame that was left to them. But their people must have blood, and they set devils, outcast from the south, to glut their thirst in hellish orgies over a foreign saboteur and a poor, pitiful, half-crazy woman. Be- fore the christian world they dare not touch one hair of him who stood clothed in the robes of the confederate faith—that faith which has made his name illustrious over the earth and to all coming ages. Does the world give its applause to the faith which falls in a dungeon's vault, or to the culprit in the felon's dock?"

## Another Line for Fort Payne.

The chief engineer of the Guntersville, Fort Payne and Chattanooga valley railway left for Fort Payne yesterday to begin the survey of that line. The road will extend from Guntersville, Ala., to Summerville, Ga., with Fort Payne as a central point. The road will penetrate some of the richest country in northern Alabama and Georgia and will give Fort Payne another independent shipping point. The line will make some important connections in north Georgia.—Chattanooga Times.

## SAM SMALL.

Applies for Ordination in the Protestant Episcopal Church.  
ATLANTA, Dec. 9.—Rev. Sam Small has made application for ordination in the Protestant Episcopal church. His application is being considered by a committee of ministers and doubtless will be favorably received. Small has been a minister of the Methodist church, but his family are members of the Episcopal church.

C. Schenck, a timber, was found dead in Livingstone the other morning.

## REVERIE.

Women, you who sigh for the dead and gone years of your past, I have a word for you—a recital of a vague intangible something that has come into my life. Perhaps it was but a waking dream, perhaps a germ of knowledge wafted by the winds of thought from some distant land whose shores are just lapped by the waves of time. Whatever it may be, its influence has stolen into my heart like perfume from the lips of a rose, and I send it to you with the one hope that some weary longing heart may inhale its fragrance, being more than benefitted thereby.

Last night, I sat by my glowing fire, my face buried in my hands, my heart full of loneliness. My thoughts were far away, ranging in my beautiful happy past, ever and anon returning to recount to my listening heart some long-forgotten joy that had been found under the dust of heaped up days. Longing after longing surged up in my soul—longing for what had been, vain regret for what was. One by one the hours kept their silent watches, and at last the lamp burned out, leaving the firelight to people the shadow with fantastic shapes. This was suited to my mood, and with head buried yet deeper in my hands, I wrapped myself in reverie as though in a cloak, and closing my eyes to the present I strove to recall the past.

Perhaps you will say I had fallen asleep, for across my cheek, came a breath freighted with a faint perfume, and I felt a light touch upon my arm. The glance I sent upward must have become entangled in another of its kind, for until a moment had passed, I saw nothing. Then the mist seemed to clear away, and by my side, I beheld a shape-crowned with a face of such surpassing beauty that my senses reeled and swooned at sight of it.

The shape, with a movement of infinite grace, raised its mist-like arm, and pointed straight in front of me. I followed the movement with my eyes, and lo! the rooms had vanished, and I seemed to stand in the center of a vast plain. Before me, resting on the gentle slope of a verdant hill, and made brilliant by a thousand lights of varied hues, I beheld a city, the like of which, not even fancy had ever conceived. Lofty spires and stately turrets were outlined against the deep gray of the sky, and borne on the perfumed winds, came sounds of music so entrancing that my soul seemed bathed in an ecstasy of enjoyment.

Involuntarily, I stretched out my arms toward the city, then dropped them heavily at my side. It was too far from me! The road was long and trying, and my feet were not fitted to the way. I turned to the spirit dispairingly, but it glided swiftly and silently past me, and beckoning me to follow, began to traverse the narrow way leading to the place of light. It seemed not an instant ere we were at the gates, and entering began to wind our way through the deserted streets. Aye, deserted, for, saving ourselves, not a living being might be discerned in the darkness.

A terrible dismay filled my heart. What had appeared lofty spires, were but skeleton fingers of some dead and dismantled tree. What had seemed turrets, now proved to be but heaps of ruins, overgrown with the gray moss of years. The lights which, from the valley, had appeared so brilliant, were but fireflies and will o' the wisps that seemed to twinkle a mocking laugh as they retreated into the night. Around me lay the ruins of what might have been monuments in some far off day. The music I heard was but the wind striking against the meshed grass that strove to cover the earth's naked breast.

"Where hast thou brought me?" I asked mournfully of the spirit. "Thou didst show me a city of life and light, and thou hast brought me to a place of ruins. Is it to be over thus? Can nothing ever be in the realization, what it was in the expectancy?"

The shape turned toward me and for the first time, spoke: "This, woman, is thy past; is it thus far changed that thou dost know it not for what it is?" "Nay," I cried out in pain; "My past was beautiful! It was filled with music and flowers, and beneath my feet the grasses swept in silken meshes. This place seems forsaken of God—a city of silence and ruins, and beneath me. Coarse sedges lie in matted heaps. If this be my past, why all these changes?" But the spirit smiled mournfully and said: "Dost thou question? When thou passed through this place on thy journey to the Unknown, thy mind had no care, thy heart no burden, and thy soul was white as is the smoke from the censer swung before the Most High. Art thou the same to-day? Nay! thy mind is pregnant with care, and travails much, all too vainly. Thy heart hath become weighted, and swings like a pendulum, heavily and wearily to and fro. Thy soul is like unto a snowfield over which swine have found their way. Thou speakest wrongly. Their is naught here that is changed thyself.

In other years, thou wert wont to make music of nature's slightest breaking; to see flowers most rare, in the gaudiest weed, and to fancy the sedges silken, because thy tread was all too light for their harshness to touch thee. Art thou—"Nay forbear!" I cried out in anguish "Thy words have probed my very soul! Let us hence from this place to where thou wilt, so that we return not again!"

The spirit waved his hand, and in a moment we were back on the level plain. On the hillside rested the city, that again seemed beautiful as a dream. Turning from it, he pointed to a narrow path which waved its slender way up a steep hillside. As I gazed, my eyes seemed to borrow some mysterious strength, and, piercing the cloud, beheld raised aloft, a resplendent cross. Only an instant was I permitted to gaze upon the vision ere the mists enfolded it, and I brought my eyes back to the spirit's face.

"This," he said, "with a ring of gladness in his tone, "is thy future, if thou do not follow straight the path. Gaze not sorrowfully into thy past, not wish for it—look always upward, that thou mayest meet the gaze of thy God as he leans to thee. My mission is done, and I go from thee, but my words remain with thee forever. Farewell!"

He seemed borne gently upward by an invisible power, and a white mist crept about his form. "Who art thou?" I cried aloud. For a moment, the form seemed suspended in mid air, as the voice full of subtle sweetness answered: "I am immortally, with whom there is no past, present or to come. Again Farewell!"

I fell upon my knees as the last tones left his lips. The shape began to dissolve, and I floated into nothingness. Slowly the room came back to me, and as I raised my head from my hand, the firelight flickered and died leaving me in utter darkness.

I have turned toward the narrow path, leaving far behind the beautiful city with its deceptive charms. I shall never wish for it again, for I have realized that its pleasures are but as a vast fruit that crumbles to ashes in the grasp.

What I have told you, was what I beheld—was it a dream?—a vision?—what?

MAGGIE E. O'BRIEN.

## A Wonderful Recovery.

Mrs. Geo. P. Smoote, a highly cultivated and estimable lady of Prescott, Ark., writes under date of April 22, 1889: "During the summer of 1887 my eyes became inflamed, and my stomach and liver almost hopelessly disordered. Nothing I ate agreed with me. I took chronic diarrhoea, and for some time my life was despaired of by my family. The leading physicians of the country were consulted, and the medicines administered by them never did any permanent good, and I lingered between life and death, the latter being preferable to the agonies I was enduring! In May 1888, I became disgusted with physicians and their medicines. I dropped them all, and depended solely on Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), a few bottles of which made me permanently well—well from then until now.

## Disable for Business.

Several years ago my health failed me and I was compelled to give up my business. I was in constant agony caused from excruciating pains in my back, liver, and stomach. I tried every medicine I could hear of, but without receiving any relief. My attention was then called to S. S. S. I tried five bottles of it, and received the most gratifying results. I am to day as healthy and sound a man, as you will find anywhere, and I owe it all to the curative properties to be found in Swift's Specific (S. S. S.)

W. L. WOMACK,  
Morgantown, N. C.,

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,  
Atlanta, Ga.

## A Good Deal of Gadsden is Shaking.

its old owners lately, an evidence that the Queen City has started out to go somewhere.

Judge J. L. Cochran has sold thirty acres of land near Fort Payne for \$27,000 cash. New Englanders are the purchasers.

Messrs. Deuson & Tanner have purchased the Gadsden Bee and will convert it into a Democratic paper which will sail under the title of Leader.

Mrs. D. R. Parker, of Montgomery, owns the carriage which conveyed Jefferson Davis, A. H. Stephens, Howell Cobb and Governor Moore to the Capitol when Mr. Davis was inaugurated President of the Confederacy.

All the bids for the work on the Blue Mountain Mineral, between here and Jacksonville, have been forwarded to the directors of the company in New York. It is expected that the work will be awarded within a week or ten days and then President Caboury will push it with the same energy that he is doing in the city.—Anniston Times.

# The Republican

L. W. GRANT, Publisher.

December 14, 1889.

## MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Last Tribute of Respect to Jefferson Davis.

Pursuant to proclamation of Mayor Stevenson Wednesday noon was set apart as the time for memorial exercises by the people of Jacksonville and surrounding country. A little before 12 o'clock all the bells in the town were tolled. At the appointed hour the large court room was densely packed.

Mayor Stevenson presided. The program began with the song "Asleep in Jesus," beautifully rendered by a choir of 16 male and female voices. The choir was composed of Miss Marie Duplissis, organist; Dr. Jno. Crook, Prof. McKee, Mr. Will McKee, Mr. Melville Carpenter, Prof. Earnest and Mr. L. P. Hurter, Mrs. S. D. G. Brothers, Mrs. Taddie Bowling and Mrs. L. W. Grant, Misses Undine and Dolly Lane, Misses Ida and Lizzie Arnold, Miss Mamie Crow and Miss Lizzie Brennan.

At the conclusion of this beautiful hymn, most touchingly sang, Mayor Stevenson announced the purpose of the meeting in a few well chosen, appropriate and eloquent words.

Rev. Dr. Lane, of the Baptist church, then made the opening prayer, after which Rev. J. H. Patton, of the Presbyterian church, read appropriate passages of scripture.

The choir then sang "Peace Be Still," which was followed by prayer by Rev. F. A. Rodgers, of the Methodist church.

The choir then sang "Beyond the Smiling and the Weeping." Col. Caldwell then offered the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, The late announcement of the death of Jefferson Davis has caused the people of the South to mourn and sorrow in the very bitterness of grief, and

Whereas, at this very hour, noon, on the 14th day of December, 1889, the immediate and honored friends of the great Chief, with tender care and loving hands are laying away to rest all that mortal remains of him whom while living we delighted to honor, and

Whereas, it is meet and proper, and we esteem it an affectionate duty, on memorial occasion assembled, to give expression to our high appreciation of his exalted merits as a man, soldier, patriot and statesman, therefore, be it

Resolved, That while it may be true, in a purely political sense, as has been said in the Federal Capital, that Mr. Davis was a man without a country, and had been dead to this government for more than twenty-five years; nevertheless, he has had a home in the midst of those who loved him, whose cause he espoused, and has lived, yet lives, and will forever live in the hearts of the whole Southern people, whose rights he defended with unflinching zeal and matchless heroism.

Resolved, That the distinguished dead has left a name and fame as rich and splendid as his life was full of years and honors; that as a man he was without fear, and without reproach; in matters of affection gentle as a woman. In matters of duty, bold, self-reliant and courageous. As a soldier and patriot he illustrated the pages of American history, and by his brilliant exploits and success in arms gave earnest of those great qualities which made him, in after life, an acknowledged leader among men. As a statesman, whether in the halls of Congress, the Department of War, the United States Senate, or as Chief Magistrate of the Confederacy, his speeches, official papers and messages challenged the admiration of the whole country and marked him as the peer of any living man.

Resolved, That while we take pleasurable pride in the honors won, and exalted character attained, by the illustrious dead, during the days of his success and prosperity, when adversity and defeat came upon him and the cause he had espoused, it was then we learned to love him more than in the days of his exaltation. He became a vicarious sufferer for our sakes. He endured the taunt, the jibe, the jeer, the prison bars and the iron manacles with heroic fortitude. Love and veneration filled his hearts. His patience, forbearance and long suffering ripened and mellowed his great character into the highest type of Christian manhood. Be his memory hallowed and immortal!

Resolved, That while his body is being committed "dust to dust" we commit his life and character to the impartial historian, whose unbiased judgment will place him before posterity in the full measure of a man, in the forefront of the giants of his day and generation.

Resolved, That we tender our deepest sympathies to the family of our fallen comrade and commander, in their great affliction, and pray the blessings of Heaven upon the surviving widow and orphans.

JNO. H. CALDWELL,  
WM. M. HANES,  
JNO. M. CROOK.

These resolutions were supported by Col. Caldwell in a speech which for power, eloquence and pathos has never been surpassed by him or any other eloquent speaker in Jacksonville.

Rev. Dr. Lane seconded the resolutions in a speech as thrilling, as eloquent and as touching as that which had preceded it.

During both these speeches there was scarce a dry eye in the vast audience, and many old Confederate heroes wept unrestrainedly, though quietly and decorously. We have never seen more or even half as much feeling manifested at any of the churches even in seasons of the deepest religious interest. During the entire time consumed by the program there was a hushed and solemn bearing of the audience that expressed the deep feeling which prevailed.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously and in silence by a rising vote. Other speakers on the stand felt instinctively that it would be almost like desecration to break in upon the holy and solemn calm which had settled upon the tear stained faces before them by another word. Everything proper which could be said had already been said by the two eloquent gentlemen who had supported the resolutions. Not one single harsh or improper expression escaped either.

While the audience were thus in a state of hushed emotion, the choir of beautiful and tender voices broke in upon the calm with the parting hymn "God be With You 'Till We Meet Again."

At the conclusion of this beautiful hymn Rev. W. T. Allen, of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, closed the exercises by prayer and benediction.

The audience filed out of the room as quietly and decorously as it leaving the very presence of the illustrious dead, and thus closed the most touching and sweet memorial services ever held here.

With few exceptions the Northern papers are kind in their comments on the death of Jefferson Davis. Here and there a ghoul has shown his hideous face, but in the main the press articles show that the bitter animosities of the war have passed away. Remembering the tender tribute of Lamar to the memory of Charles Sumner and the universal sorrow of the South at the tragical death of Garfield, the manly men of the North have sorrowed with the South over the death of the man who most of all typified the Southern people and suffered for them, as no man but one of his dauntless spirit could have done. We prefer to turn away from the sight of the horrible ghoul and meet only the kindly glance of the sympathetic men and women of the North who realize that a touch of sorrow makes the whole world kin.

Anniston is to have a rolling mill and it is reported that the Anniston & Cincinnati and the Anniston & Atlantic roads have been sold to the Queen & Crescent system, which will give a tremendous impetus to the town. The building of the Blue Mountain Mineral goes on apace and this will greatly stimulate the growth of the town northward in this direction, already fast going on.

Piedmont, the same distance to the north of us, gives promise of substantial growth and already the new town, as laid out, is beginning to spread southward in this direction.

It has been of late frequently said, by parties with more or less good or bad feeling for Jacksonville, that between these two towns she will be "squeezed," whatever that may mean. Jacksonville, centrally located between the two, with the prettiest surroundings in the world, abundant water supply, inexhaustible mineral riches, a splendid and compact property of eleven thousand acres of mineral and town land in the hands of a capable and solvent land company, a population of two thousand, fine schools, elegant churches, industrial enterprises, a live and wealthy body of merchants, and moreover the projector and largely the builder of the finest mineral road in the State, is in fine position to stand such a squeeze as this. She will enjoy it like a sixteen year old girl.

Central property is always desirable. Let the good work of spreading and squeezing go on! Jacksonville wants to see a town at White Plains, so that she may be squeezed on her east side, and a town at Duke's, where the E. & W. and the A. & C. railroads cross, so that she may be squeezed on her west side. She blushes with pleasure at the prospect. Already in imagination she sits, an Iron Queen, in the center of Calhoun county, a county fruitful beyond degree and matchlessly rich in minerals, and holds court amid her admirers and squeezers. Now she feels a gentle little squeeze from Piedmont and smiles indulgently; anon she taps naughty Duke with her ivory fan as she feels a sly nudge from that aspiring boy; a wink and "tickle me under the chin" from sly White Plains bathes her cheeks with lovely carmine and gives her heart a flutter of delight. As this coy by-play goes on, Anniston, big and strong and bold, tiptoes along the track of the Blue Mountain Mineral and, ere she is aware of what portends, gives her a hearty hug and a smack that for the moment upsets her dignity and covers her with confusion. But she does not forget her propriety. Not for an instant does she forget her propriety. She knows what's what, and is fully capable of taking care of herself. She is—well, say twenty-years old, and has had much experience.

NOTICE!  
All persons are forbidden to hunt or fish on my lands.  
J. F. Pottier.

The body of a white man was found hanging to a tree in a strip of woods near Birmingham last Sunday. "H. Novin," was marked on the under-clothing. The case is a mystery.

John W. Taffa, of Kansas City, yesterday shaved off his beard and had his hair cut for the first time since Fort Sumter was fired upon, in celebration of the death of Jefferson Davis. It is also to be hoped he washed himself and took a drink of water, and that he is now a cleaner man both inside and out.

Two men fell from a scaffold at Anniston Wednesday and were instantly killed. They were both strangers in this country, but Col. McKieroy and another gentleman had the bodies embalmed in order that they might be preserved until relatives could reach them. Coroner Arnold went down, and after hearing the facts decided that no jury of inquest was necessary. Upon investigation he decided that they came to their death through their own negligence and that no one else was to blame for their sorrowful mishap.

A man who has practiced medicine for forty years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1889.  
Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:—I have been in the general practice of medicine for most forty years, and would say that in all my practice and experience have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with so much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a case of Catarrh that it would not cure, if they would take it according to direction.

Yours Truly,  
L. L. CORSUCH, M. D.,  
Office, 215 Summit St.

We will give \$100 for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured with Hall's Catarrh Cure. Taken internally.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O., Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

BEAUVOIR.  
Written for the Mobile Register. (March, 1888.)

A stately, aged man, with white hair blown  
Back by the sea breeze, paced the beach alone  
Thus musing silently—  
Alone I stand.  
The sole Confederate in an earthly land.

Alone!—the ruler of a shadowy realm  
Two-score short years ago, the wide world's wonder  
One half a mighty nation split asunder,  
The other half to crush and overwhelm.

Can I regret it? No!—It gave the world  
Heroes—saints—martyrs—grand self-abnegation  
(Raised for the right by a devoted nation,  
Lowered by the might of a ponderous subjugation.)  
Our banner was not uselessly unfurled.

Mayhap, in walking silently and lonely  
O'er battle fields now thick with violets,  
The pierced heart bursts forth with mad regrets,  
Suddenly thinking of the dear dead only—  
But I—alone and mateless, unrepinning  
Bear on my shoulders all the mighty Past  
Honored, that mine should be the lot thus cast  
To keep the glory of that Past clear shining.

In my dim realm I dwell—with those a sharer,  
Who bore the "Conquered Banner" nobly forward—  
Not one in all those swarming ranks a coward—  
Shall I flinch now—its solitary bearer?

No! Since that hour big with history  
The dear South laid her honor in my hands,  
Till now—when feebly run my aged sands,  
I've held—and hold it still—unstained, on high.

Let sweet peace light the hamlet and the town;  
Let the land bloom and prosper as it will—  
God knows I harbor not one thought of ill—  
But leave me to my shadowy realm and crown.

A few short years shall close my tired eyes—  
A few short years shall these sore memories—  
And then—alone no longer will I stand—  
The sole Confederate in that grander Land.

A priestly presence waits me there among,  
Bearing the "Conquered Banner" which he sung.  
There Stonewall Jackson, Johnston, Stuart, Lee,  
With all their martyred squadrons, numerously,  
Will rise from homeless graves and stand by me,  
Answering the roll-call of eternity.

—S. L.

## ALLIANCE AND KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

The New Party Platform Announced at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—Agreement made this day between undersigned committee representing the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union on the one part and the undersigned committee representing the Knights of Labor on the other part, witnesseth:

The undersigned committee representing the Knights of Labor having read the demands of the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union which are embodied in this agreement, hereby endorse the same on behalf of the Knights of Labor and for the purpose of giving practical effect to the demands herein set forth the legislative committee of both organizations will act in concert before Congress for the purpose of securing the enactment of laws in harmony with the demands mutually agreed. And it is further agreed in order to carry out these objects that we will support for office only such men as can be depended upon to enact these principles into statute law uninfluenced by caucus.

The demands hereinbefore referred to, are as follows:

I That we demand the abolition of National bank notes; and the substitution of legal tender treasury notes in lieu of national bank notes; issued in sufficient volume to do the business of the country on a cash system; regulating the amount needed on a per capita basis as the business interests of the country demands, and that all money issued by the government shall be legal tender in payment of all debts, both public and private.

II That we demand that Congress shall pass such laws as shall effectually prevent the dealing in futures of all agricultural and mechanical productions, pursuing a stringent system of procedure in trials as shall secure the prompt conviction and imposing such penalties as shall secure the most perfect compliance with law.

III That we demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

IV That we demand the passage of laws prohibiting the alien ownership of land, and that Congress take early action to devise some plan to obtain by purchase all lands now owned by aliens and foreign syndicates, and that all lands now held by railroad and other corporations in excess of such as is actually used by them be purchased by the Government and held for actual settlers only.

V Believing in the doctrine of equal rights to all and special favors to none, we demand that taxation, National or State, shall not be used to build up one interest or class at the expense of another. We believe that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence we demand that all revenues, National, State or County, shall be limited to necessary expenses of the Government economically and honestly administered.

VI That Congress issue a sufficient amount of fractional paper currency to facilitate exchange through the medium of the United States mail.

VII That the means of communication and transportation shall be controlled by and operated in the interest of the people, through the United States postal system.

For the best protection of the interests of the two organizations it is hereby agreed that such seals or emblems as the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union may adopt will be recognized and protected in transit or otherwise by the Knights of Labor, and that all seals and labels of the Knights of Labor will in like manner be recognized by the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union.

(Signed) J. S. B. FRWIN, Chairman.  
N. S. HALL, Secretary.  
J. D. Hammond, F. M. Blunt,  
B. H. Glover, M. Page,  
S. R. Miles, W. H. Barton,  
J. A. Dunning, S. M. Adams,  
N. D. Hatfield, J. B. Alexander,  
D. K. Norris, Stuart Ashby,  
R. F. Peck, R. C. Betty,  
W. S. Hogan, J. H. Turner,  
A. S. Mann,

Committee on Demands of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union.

T. V. Powderly,  
A. W. Wright,  
Ralph Beaumont,

Committee Representing the Knights of Labor.

UNLUCKY JOHNSTOWN.

Ten Persons are Killed and Seventy-five are Wounded.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 10.—During the performance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the opera house here tonight the cry of fire was raised, resulting in a terrible rush down the narrow stairs.

Ten persons were instantly killed and many horribly mangled. The names of all the killed and wounded cannot be ascertained at present. Among them are Mrs. Nesler and George Fishhorn, the latter being a resident of Baltimore.

It was found necessary to turn a stream of water on the crowd from the fire engine standing near, before the dead and wounded could be taken out. People rushed from the outside up the narrow stairs, and were crushed by the crowd forcing its way to the street. Seventy-five persons were injured.

## Application for Decree to Sell Land.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, Special Term November 23rd, 1889.

This day came Adam Sharp, Administrator of the estate of Simpson Skinner, deceased, and files his application in writing and under oath, praying for an order and decree for the sale of the lands of said estate for the purpose of division upon the ground that the same cannot be equitably and beneficially divided without a sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered that the 3rd day of January, 1890, be and is hereby appointed the day on which to hear and determine said application, and that notice thereof be given by publication for three consecutive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, as a notice to all persons interested to appear in said Probate Court, on said 3rd day of January, 1890, and contest said application if they think proper.

EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.

## Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued from the Circuit Court of Talladega county, Ala., on the 14th day of November, 1889, against C. Martin and J. N. Martin, in favor of J. Kyle & Co., I will proceed to sell at public outcry on Monday, the 23rd day of December next at Morrisville in Calhoun county, Ala., to the highest bidder for cash within the legal hours of sale, the following described property to-wit: One-half interest in one six horse power engine, 1 Winship Cotton Gin and 1 pair of Chicago Standard Scales, levied on as the property of J. N. Martin to satisfy said execution. This December 4th, 1889.

L. P. CARPENTER,  
Sheriff.

## FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, special Term, December 2nd, 1889.

This day came S. D. G. Brothers, Administrator of the estate of Rasselous Hughes deceased, and files his application and account and prays for a final settlement of said estate. It is therefore ordered by the court that the 6th day of January 1890, be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon said account and make said settlement, as a notice to all persons concerned, and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said county, on said 6th day of January 1890, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.

## NOTICE NO. 9511.

LAND OFFICE AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.  
November 18, 1889.

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 Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala., on January 6th, 1890, viz: Thompson Grant, Homestead entry No. 2523 for the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 29, T. 25, S. 10, R. 7, East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land: J. P. Phillips, D. Phillips, Hill, Ala.; Josiah Porter, Josiah P. Wesson, Peck, Hill, Ala.

J. H. BINGHAM,  
Register.

## JAS. HUTCHISON

HAIR DRESSER AND BARBER,  
(Jacksonville Hotel.)  
JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

## FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said County, Special Term, November 23rd, 1889.

This day came J. W. Grant, Administrator of the estate of Samuel Grant deceased, and files his application and vouchers for a final settlement of said estate. It is therefore ordered by the court that the 24th day of December 1889 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and pass upon said account and make said settlement, as a notice to all persons concerned, and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to appear before me, at my office in the Court House of said county, on said 24th day of December 1889 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

E. F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.

## FIRE INSURANCE.

I. L. SWAN, AG'T,  
Jacksonville Ala.,  
Two Good Home Companies to-wit  
Georgia Home, Ga.  
Central City, Ala.

## J. H. CRAWFORD,

Has just received a fine lot of Coffins & Caskets.  
Also small Gloss White Caskets for Children.  
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O. E. Ansley,  
SHOES and HATS.  
N. B.—Sole agent for ZEIGLER BROS' Shoes.

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Prices lower than houses which carry ONLY ONE LINE. We give you reasons for being able to sell for less: First, We buy for four stores from manufacturers for a cash profit. Second, We have ten different lines to sell, and by making a small profit, on each and with the quantity we do sell, we are able to undersell houses which carry

## ONLY ONE LINE

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We have as Fine Suits as are made for Men and Boys and guarantee fits as if tailor made. We also assure the public that any one will save from 15 to 20 per cent. by buying their Clothing at

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## CROW BROS',

LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF  
READY MADE CLOTHING

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## FINE HATS AND SHOES

to go with each suit at prices that will insure a sale. If you only call and examine we can save you money, and money saved is money made. Our stock of Dry Goods and Notions is full and at prices you cannot contradict. In our Grocery line will find Canned Beans and Shoulders, C. C. Sugar, Green and Parched Coffee, Tea, Cheese, Crackers, Salmon, Oysters, Canned Fruits, Extracts, Candies, Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars, Seed Barley, Clover,

## BAGGING AND TIES.

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Advertisements must be handed in Thursday or before to insure insertion.

Dr. B. S. Evans and Hon. Coke Williams, of White Plains, were in town this week.

Col. McKee and Mayor Stevenson took a trip to Choctawhatchee valley Friday.

Something new in Christmas stockings at Mrs. Kate Jelks, go and see them.

Commissioners Court met here this week to draw a jury for the Anniston City Court.

Notice change in advertisement of O. E. Ansley, of Anniston, the large shoe and hat merchant.

A pretty line of toy and picture books at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

Send in that money you owe the REPUBLICAN. We have not forgotten it because we have said nothing about it lately.

Gentlemen's white silk handkerchiefs at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

Married at White Plains, the 5th inst., by A. N. Ward, J. P., Mr. A. P. Foster and Mrs. Wylie Busby.

You can get the largest and cheapest dolls in town at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

Our popular Tax Collector Goodlett is on his round through the county. People are paying their taxes more promptly this year than usual.

Mrs. Kate Jelks has the prettiest line of Christmas goods in town.

Letters received here state that the Vanderbilt party have at last decided to place their furnaces at Birmingham—Jacksonville being their second choice.

You can get something new in Christmas goods at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

New Raisins, Citron, Currants, Dried Figs, Dates, Prunes, Seedless Raisins, Lemon Peel, Prunelles, Shelled Almonds, purest Peaches, finest Extras, and all the ingredients for Christmas Fruit Cake. All at A. Sterne, Anniston, Ala.

Mr. Croft, superintendent of the Woodstock Iron Co. furnaces, Mr. McDonald, of Anniston, a contractor on the Blue Mountain Mineral R. R. and Mr. Leonard, of Michigan were all in Jacksonville this week taking a view of the town and the mineral properties near it.

Fresh fish, oysters and celery received daily. Buckwheat, Graham and Rye Flour, New Orleans and Maple Syrup, Macaroni, Vermacelli and Mince-meat at A. Sterne's, Anniston, Ala.

Messrs. G. W. Arnold and Wm. C. Crow returned last week from a successful business tour in Georgia. They went to introduce the patent window sash, heretofore described in this paper, which requires no putty and which can be taken apart and adjusted to large or small sized glass, at will. Mr. R. P. Morgan, of Piedmont has bought the right to manufacture for this State.

Our very efficient Probate Judge Crook has had the vault of the Probate office furnished with Finton's metallic shelving and file case for the safe preservation of the records. It is both handsome and useful. The valuable records of the County will no longer be worn by the constant rough handling and any record can be found and handled now with perfect ease and readiness. The Grand jury recommended this valuable improvement. No money can be better spent than in the preservation of the valuable records of the County.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., December 6th, '89—Among the many attractions of the great and successful dry goods house of D. B. Loveman & Co., are their millinery and dress making departments. The superintendents of these very important departments are skillful and artistic ladies. The large number of elegant costumes and complete outfits turned out each week is surprising. Where do they all go? All over the Great South. Scarcely a town in the central Southern States but patronizes this enterprising firm. A great compliment was recently paid D. B. Loveman & Co., three ladies who have spent the past six months in Europe, immediately ordered dresses and millinery from this enterprising firm. One point mentioned by Mr. Loveman, the head of this firm, is well worth repeating: "Unlike most dress makers we never disappointed a customer." The dress making department is carried on in business principles, every garment is finished and delivered on the day agreed. An elegant wedding dress has been made in four hours, a complete trousseau in two days. They make a point of making up any reasonable orders.

## Special Sale in Ladies' Long and Short Wraps and Jackets.

We have decided to close out our entire stock of Ladies and Children Wraps, so from the 12th of December on, we will sell our entire assortment at cost. We have everything that is stylish, in Seal Plush, Broadcloth, Beavers and Cassimere, in plain braided, fur trimmed, also Misses Cloaks and Children's Long and Short Cloaks, in Plush and Cashmere. We mean strictly business and will give you the best bargains ever offered in Anniston at Ullman Bros.

## Holiday Sale.

Owing to the rush and large sales we are having, we have received new stocks of goods which our New York buyer was able to get far less than Manufacturers' cost.

We will from now on until Christmas sell our entire stock of fine Dress Silks, Woolen Dress Goods, Passementaries, Trimmings, Plushes, Velvets, Ladies' Hats, Millinery, Flannels, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Carpets, Rugs, Crumb Cloth; also Ladies' and Children's woolen and cotton Hose, silk and linen Handkerchiefs, kid and woolen Gloves at cost. We have the largest stock ever kept in Anniston, which we must and will sell out. We buy for our 4 stores for cash and are able to undersell houses which do a small business.

Ullman Bros., Anniston.

## Ladies, Children and Mens Fine Shoes.

We have a special shoe department, where we keep a very large assortment of Ladies' and Children's fine Button Shoes; also a full line of Mens' hand and machine sewed Gaiters and Ties; also boys' school and dress Shoes, all of which we will sell out far less than ever sold before. We will and must sell to make room for our Spring Stock, so don't fail to call on us and save money at Ullman Bros., Anniston.

## Men and Boys Clothing Must be Sold.

Never have we sold so many Dress Suits and Overcoats, as we have this season, which compelled us to buy another full assortment, which is now complete and are able to sell for less than ever before. Our stock is larger than ever, and we are able to undersell any house in this part of the State.

500 Mens' Suits in frocks, straight and round cut Sack Suits, from 4 to \$20.

120 Mens' Prince Albert Suits, all colors, from 12.50 to \$25.

380 Boys' Suits, from 1 to 16 years, from 1.50 to \$10.

460 pair Dress and Business Pants from 1.50 to \$8.

360 Mens' Overcoats, all colors and qualities, from 2 to \$20.

100 Boys' Overcoats from 1.50 to 7.50.

Boys' Short Pants, wool shirt waists and shoes.

A very large assorted stock in men and boys' Hats, Scarfs, white and Flannel Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Gloves.

we sell so many different lines that we are able to undersell houses which do a small business. All we ask is an inspection and we will convince you that we do what we say. No trouble to show goods at Ullman Bros.

Edam, Pineapple, Parmesan and the finest full cream cheese at A. Sterne, Anniston, Ala.

## Strayed or Stolen!

One large, dark red steer, black from shoulders to head; had on small cow bell; unmarked. FIVE DOLLARS reward for his recovery. G. W. FREEMAN, Piedmont, Ala.

Fulton Market Pickled Beef, Pickled Pork, Pigs Feet, Small uncured Pigs Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef Tongue and chopped dried Beef at A. Sterne's Anniston, Ala.

## Notice.

We, the undersigned, forbid all persons from hunting, fishing or cutting timber on our lands.

J. P. Landers, Rachael Williams.

## TRESPASS NOTICE.

All parties are prohibited from hunting or fishing on my farm. P. P. LINDER, dec7-3t

## For Sale at a Bargain.

Lot No. 12 in Francis addition, Jacksonville, corner Depot and Forney Sts. containing about one half acre; also house and lot near E. T. Va. & Ga. depot, where bakery is situated. Apply to Stevenson, Martin & Grant, Jacksonville, Ala.

Catarrah cured, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrah Remedy. Price 50 cent. Nasal Injector free. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

For dyspepsia and liver complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's vitallizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

"Nickel Ante" cigars at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Why pay 10 cents for a cigar when you can purchase the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5 cents at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

War with Germany, it's all a mistake. But Rowan, Dean & Co. are still having an elegant trade on the "Nickel Ante" cigar, sold at 5c. Try a sample.

Judges, Lawyers and Physicians highly recommend the "Nickel Ante" cigar as the only promoter to happiness. For sale at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

## FRESH LOCALS.

From the Pen of our Busy Merchants.

We are agents for the "Nickel Ante" cigars. Guaranteed to be clear Havana filled. ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

"Haemetaek," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. For sale by J. T. Doster & Co.

The name indicates the price. So try a sample of the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us as a guarantee. It cures Consumption. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Shiloh's Vitallizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Ah, there, my size? Boys, your sweet hearts will not love you if you do not smoke "Nickel Ante" cigars, for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Are you made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness, loss of appetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's vitallizer is a positive cure. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker-mouth. For sale by J. T. Doster & Co.

## A NOBLE LETTER.

Jefferson Davis Would not Criticize Grant.

Boston, Dec. 12.—When General Grant was dying, at the Mt. McGregor cottage, the Boston Globe instructed its New Orleans correspondent to interview Jefferson Davis. Mr. Davis was not seen personally but a few days later penned the following letter:

DEAR SIR: Your request on behalf of the Boston Journal for me to prepare a criticism on General Grant's military career, cannot be complied with for the following reasons: First, General Grant is dying; second, though he invaded our country with ruthless hand, it was with open hand, and as far as I know, he abetted neither arson nor pillage and has since the war, I believe, shown no malignity to Confederates either of the military or civil service. Therefore, instead of seeking to disturb the quiet of his closing hours I would if it were in my power contribute to the

peace of his mind and the comfort of his body. (Signed.)

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

Hark! Listen! 'Tis whispered on the street corners of Jacksonville, Ala., that Rowan, Dean & Co., are having immense sales on the "Nickel Ante" cigar. 'Tis guaranteed clear Havana filled. Sold strictly for 5c. each.

## Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, rendered on the 21st day of Nov. 1889, I will sell on the 18th day of December, 1890, to the highest bidder in front of the store house of P. A. Easterwood & Co., in the town of Alexandria, Calhoun county, Ala. the following real estate belonging to James A. Crook, deceased, viz: E½ of SW¼ Sec. 31, T. 15 and R. 7, east, in said county containing 80 acres more or less. Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance on a credit of one and two years, in two equal payments, with interest from date of sale. Notes and security thereon will be required. Jno. L. Dodson, Administrator. dec 7-3t

## Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a Ven Ex issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun county Alabama on the 23rd day of December, 1889, Against J. P. Garner & Son, and in favor of Reese & Lammons, I will proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder: For Cash, within the legal hours of sale, before the Court-House door, in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Ala., on Monday the 18th day of January, 1890.

## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northeastern Chancery Division of Alabama, rendered at the October term, 1889, of said court, in the case of Rowan, Dean & Co., against Debra McClelen & B. G. McClelen, administrators of the estate of D. McClelen deceased, et al. I will as Register in said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house of said county on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: The NW¼ and W¼ of the NE¼ of Sec. 24, and 107½ acres more or less of the south end of the SE¼ of Section 13, and 40 acres of the West part of Lot No. 1 in the NE¼ of Section 24, known as the South forty, and the SW¼ of Section 13, all in Township 14, Range 7, east in Calhoun County, Alabama.

## Administrator's Sale of Land.

By virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of W. P. Crook, deceased, will sell at the court house door of said county on Monday the 28th day of December, 1889, between the legal hours of sale for one-half cash and the balance in one and two years with notes and at least two approved securities, the following described real estate, belonging to said estate, to-wit: E½ of Section 17, Township 14, Range 7, east, in Calhoun county, Alabama, and containing 320 acres more or less.

## NOTICE

Estate of Frederick Ross, Deceased—Executor's Sale Of.

By virtue of the power contained in the Will of Frederick Ross, deceased, the undersigned Executor of the Will of said deceased, will sell on the premises, at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 16th day of December, 1889, the real estate belonging to the estate of said Frederick Ross, deceased, to-wit:

## STATE NORMAL COLLEGE,

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

Next session opens Tuesday Sept. 3rd. For catalogue address C. H. GIBSON, Jacksonville, Ala.

## DOERING & ROBINSON,

LEADING JEWELERS.

Watches, Diamonds, Silverware, Spectacles.

3 PRIZES 3 TO BE GIVEN AWAY Dec. 25, '89.

1st. Diamond Ring—8 Stones.

2nd. Lady's Gold Watch.

3rd. Gold Headed Silk Umbrella.

For every dollar's worth of goods bought, purchasers will receive a ticket on each dollar, as a chance on the above three prizes to be given away Christmas.

DOERING & ROBINSON, 921 Noble Street, Anniston, Ala.

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Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northeastern Chancery Division of Alabama, rendered at the October term, 1889, in the case of C. M. Anderson against John T. Rowland, Jennie Evans, et al. I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house of Calhoun County, Alabama, on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: The NW¼ and W¼ of the NE¼ of the NE¼, and the E½ of the SW¼ and W¼ of the NE¼, and NW¼ of SE¼ of Section 25, Township 13, Range 9, east, in Calhoun County, Alabama.

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Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northeastern Chancery Division of Alabama, rendered at the October term of said court, in the case of the New England Mortgage Company against E. D. McClelen, I will as Register in said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house of said county on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: The SW¼ of Section 13, Township 14, Range 7, east, in Calhoun County, Alabama, (except two acres in the NE corner thereof.)

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## SHADES, WINDOW POLES &c

We have but one price which is marked in plain figures. To customers from Jacksonville buying to the amount of \$5 we deduct amount of R. R. fare one way, \$10, both ways.

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Agents for Buttericks Patterns and Gold and Silver Shirts.

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Are receiving this season the largest and best selected stock of goods brought to this market for years, to which they invite the attention of the people of Calhoun. They make this season

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in that they will, in addition to their ordinary mode of business, add a

## Cash Sale Department;

in which they guarantee better bargains than can be had elsewhere in this country. With cheap store rent and cheap living at Jacksonville, and goods bought at first hands for cash, by our Mr. Wm. Dean, who just returned from market, we are enabled to make this announcement with complacency. Our stock consists in the

## Ladies' Department

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## Bewildering Bower of Beautiful Goods

of all kinds. In the

## Gents' Department,

we mention specially an extra select assortment of Ready-Made Clothing, Fine Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Underwear, Negligee Shirts &c. Generally we have the best selected and largest stock of

## Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware,

Drugs, Queensware, Books, & Stationery, Carpets, Rugs Curtains, Oil-cloths,

## RUBBER GOODS.

found in any other store in this Congressional District. Try us with cash and see if we will not make good our boast of

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Pianos and Organs from different manufacturers, for Cash or installment plan, at low prices.

6600 ROLLS OF WALL PAPER

and Borders, at greatly reduced prices. Samples sent on application.

## Theodore Hoffman,

Fine Boot AND SHOE MAKER,

Southwest corner of Public Square, Jacksonville, Ala. nov16-1f

## B. G. McCLELEN,

County Surveyor



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RACE HATRED.

How the Blacks in Hayti Push the Whites to the Wall.

Jane Marsh Parker in the New York Independent.

Perhaps nothing is more forcibly impressed upon a citizen of the United States who remains long enough in the capital of the black republic to make an honest study of the under-currents of political and social life, than the fact that France, notably Paris, is the controlling influence everywhere. Parisian ideas prevail: Parisian customs, even among the Creole peasantry. The single hotel of Port-au-Prince is decidedly French and in its cafe and upon its veranda you may hear the young men of the city declaiming merrily over their French drinks, sentiments that give the key of instability to the government, the demand for military rule and the prevailing conviction, among foreigners at least, that an outbreak—another revolution—may take place any day. Not that anything in opposition to the present administration is uttered, far from it; the discontent are silent as the grave—more silent than many graves in this unhappy land. The atmosphere is permeated with revolutionary ideas. Every man carries a weapon of some kind, and you are constantly meeting those who have been refugees in some of the revolts; or who have been or are suspected; or who have had some near relative shot by the authorities during the last season of unpleasantness.

Of course, nothing but enthusiasm for Hippolyte has voice at present. Unless the unforseen has transpired, Hippolyte is being inaugurated this moment at Gonaives, something less than a hundred miles from here, and for which place he started on horseback last Sunday at midnight, accompanied by a mounted escort of some two hundred men—a long hard ride over the mountains. Hippolyte is more than sixty years of age but hardy and inured to his climate. We hear his praise sounded even by the stanchest of Roman Catholics. Hippolyte is a Baptist and so are many of his army of the north, some 7,000 of whom are quartered here in Port-au-Prince, and so quiet are they and well-behaved one cannot but have an exalted opinion of their commander. There is very little drunkenness among them and they are in remarkably good health. They sleep on the ground as a rule, and may be seen in their blue jean uniforms in every part of the city, often working for wages; for their pay is light, less than \$2 per week.

The blacks and mulattoes largely predominate here, of course; in fact, the whites seem few and far between. The negro possesses the land. By the constitution of the black republic, a white man may not be a land-owner in Hayti. We see traces of the track of an old street railroad among the many ruins of this city—almost completely in ruins—and we wonder if in the days of its prosperity cars were to be seen bearing the notice, "White persons not allowed in this car." Highly cultivated are many of these old Creole families, living in the "villas" on the heights east of the town. If you are so fortunate as to be invited to their house, you may forget that you are in Hayti—in "Hayti, alone against a hostile world"—and fancy you are in Paris. Among the guests you will meet, in all probability, true Haytian gentlemen, perhaps ladies—I say perhaps, for just now the families of the majority of the better class are abroad in Paris. When you hear them talking of Paris as the suburbanite of New York speaks of "the city," and when you discover how trifling is their interest in the United States, how misinformed they are concerning our politics and customs, and you see the perniciousness instilled by French ideas in their social and political life you cannot help wishing that for the good of Hayti, for the insuring to her of a stable government, her relations with the United States were those that she sustains with France. And here we get at the root of the matter. "Why is it," I asked of a gentleman of means and culture—a mulatto to whose daughters are being educated in a convent in France, and who encouraged my freedom of speech concerning our relations Hayti—"why is it that you do not see that Hayti would be far better off if she were Yankee and not Parisian? Why do you not send your children to our schools?" adding much more it is unnecessary to repeat. So plain is it that the effect of such a custom would be upon the future of Hayti.

How clearly he made me comprehend the situation. How could Haytians send their children where they would be under the whip and sting of color-prejudice? In France, the Haytian is never confronted by what he meets as soon as he lands in New York. "You white folks can never know what this race hatred is," said a young mulatto to me in Washington, a man educated by a prominent and senator, college-bred, refined, and eminently successful in his profession; "we meet it at every turn; some one is always spitting in our face, and then they wonder if we show spirit." Would that I could tell you all that young man said as he sat in the twilight of Frederick Douglass's library, the evening before Cedar Hill was exchanged for this Villa Trovati, the present home of the United States minister to Hayti.

"No, it is not like the states here—it is not home," said a light mulatto who has become a citizen of Hayti; "but it will be different for our children here from what it was for us in the states. The foot of the white man is off of our necks here at any rate."

Frederick Douglass was naturally much depressed upon his arrival in Port-au-Prince by the condition of the poor people of the city. They are very poor, and the mystery is how they all manage to live, so few are their resources for earning a scanty livelihood. Was this all that has been attained in Hayti during nearly a half century of freedom? But the thought that they were free was something worth remembering and dwelling upon, and that in all their years of trouble a foreign invader had never succeeded in gaining a foothold upon the island. Is not Hayti's destiny prophetic of that of the negro race?

Inherited Blood Poison. How many people there are whose distress from sores, aches, pains and eruptive tendencies are due to inherited blood poison. Bad blood passes from parent to child, and it therefore is the duty of husband and wife to keep their blood pure. This is easily accomplished by a timely use of B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm). Send to Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, for book of most convincing proof.

James Hill, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "My two sons were afflicted with blood poison, which doctors said was hereditary. They both broke out in sores and eruptions which B. B. B. promptly controlled and finally cured completely."

Mrs. S. M. Williams, Sandy, Texas, writes: "My three afflicted children, who inherited blood poison, have improved rapidly after a use of B. B. B. It is a Godsend."

J. R. Wilson, Glen Alpine Station, N. C., Feb. 13, 1885, writes: "Bone and blood poison forced me to have my leg amputated, and on the stump there came a large ulcer, which grew worse every day until doctors gave me up to die. I only weighed 120 pounds when I began to take B. B. B. and 12 bottles increased my weight to 150 pounds and made me sound and well. I never knew what good health was before."

The boiler, at Dean & King's saw mill, on the A. G. S. exploded Monday and killed James Carrington and G. W. Robinson.

Scarlet fever at the charity hospital in Birmingham.

The well at Uniontown has been sunk 1067 feet. There isn't any oil or gas down there, but a whole world of sand.

Notice to Creditors. Letters of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Nance deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 21st day of October 1889, 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.

R. A. Hollingsworth, Admr. Wm. M. Nance, Admr. nov2-3t.

NOTICE NO. 9194. Land office at Montgomery Ala. Sept. 21st, 1889.

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 Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 4th, 1889, viz: Walter M. Harrison, homestead entry No. 15,790, for the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 2, T. 15, S. 16, E. 16, East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George W. Burns, James B. Burns, Tanley D. Bynum, Augustus A. Bynum, all of Bynum, Alabama. J. H. BINGHAM, Register. sept25-6t

CHEAP NOTE HEADS. The REPUBLICAN Job Office has recently bought 20,000 Packet Note Heads, (largest size) at a bargain and can print them, deliverable at this office, for \$1.75 to \$2.50 per thousand, padded. Orders solicited.

L. Richardson & Co., Manufacturers of Lumber and Lathes, Hays' Station, East & West R. R. Three and a half miles north of Jacksonville. Orders Solicited.

NOTICE. Fine and Forfeiture claims registered previous to January 1st 1884, are required to be re-registered, according to an act of the last General Assembly of Alabama, found on page 750, acts of 1883-9. February the 27th 1890 is the last day for the re-registration of such claims. I earnestly request every person who holds any such claims to look them up at once without fail, and bring them to my office and have them re-registered. No charge will be made by me for the work.

ISAAC L. SWAN, Co. Treas. Calhoun Co. nov30-4t

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Tract of Land, AND ALSO

PERSONAL PROPERTY DEC. 17, '89.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, rendered on the 30th day of October A. D. 1889, I will, on the 17th day of December 1889, sell to the highest bidder, upon the premises, on east-side of Choccolocco creek, in Rabbit Town Precinct No. 10, in said county of Calhoun, Ala., the following real estate belonging to the estate of Elias Teague deceased, viz: All of the NE 1/4 east of Choccolocco creek, Sec. 23, T. 14 and R. 9, 2 acres, and all of the S 1/2, and part of the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 east of Choccolocco creek, Sec. 23, T. 14 and R. 9, 85 acres; and E 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 23, T. 14 and R. 9, 80 acres. In north-west corner of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 14 and R. 9, 11 acres. In SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, bounded on the north and partly on the south by J. C. Watson, Sec. 24, T. 14 and R. 9, 22 acres. In south-west corner of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 14 and R. 9, 38 acres. On south boundary by 302 feet by 133 feet of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 14, and R. 9, 2 acres, in all 380 acres. For a full description, reference is made to survey and plat made by B. G. McClellan, County Surveyor, which is attached to petition of Administrator for decree, and of Record in the Probate Court of Calhoun county. The Administrator reserves the right to determine on the day of sale whether it would be to the interest of the estate to sell said lands in lots, or in one body. Terms of sale of lands: One-third cash, and the balance on a credit of one and two years in two equal payments. Notes bearing interest from day of sale, and two good sureties will be required. I will also sell at same time and place all the personal property belonging to said estate, consisting of 1 Bow and Harness, 1 Wagon, one Sugg and Shoats, 1 Mare Mule, 1 Bull, 1 Heifer, 1 Feather Bed, Bedsteads, Household Furniture and many other articles too numerous to mention here.

Terms—All sums less than five dollars cash, and all sums of five dollars and upwards on a credit of twelve months. Interest from date of sale. Note and good security.

J. C. WATSON, Administrator of Estate of Elias Teague, deceased. nov16-6t

Administratrix Sale of Land. On December, 23rd 1889.

Under and by virtue of a Decree of Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, rendered on the 23rd day of Nov. 1889, I will sell on the 23rd day of December 1889, to the highest bidder, upon the premises, at the Weatherly residence in Polville Precinct No. 5, said county of Calhoun, the following Real Estate belonging to the Estate of J. A. Weatherly deceased, viz: The N. E. 1/4 of Section 22, Township 15, and Range 7, less about 3 acres, sold by deceased, leaving about 157 acres. Terms of sale, One half (1/2) cash, and balance on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale. Note security will be required.

Mrs. A. A. Goode, Adm. of Estate of J. A. Weatherly, decd.

Sheriff's Sale. Jacksonville, Nov. 25th 1889.

By virtue of an execution issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, against J. F. Trammell, and in favor of Russell & Co. I will proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash within the legal hours of sale, before the Court house in the town of Jacksonville on Monday the 30th day of December next, the following described real estate, to wit: Lot No. 6 and lot 7 or so much there of as lies north west of the mountain in sec. 16 T. 18 and Range 9 East in Calhoun county, and containing 118 acres more or less and known as the M. C. Lively place, levied upon to satisfy said execution.

L. P. Carpenter, Sheriff.

Administrator's Sale. Under and by virtue of an order and decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of W. P. Crook, deceased, will sell to the highest bidder, on the terms ordered by the court, on the 23rd day of December, 1889, the following land, to wit: Fifty acres in the N 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 23, Township 14, Range 7, east, in Calhoun county, Ala., and known as the Bryant place.

S. D. G. BROTHERS, Admr. dec7-3t

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## Desirable Farm for Sale.

Mrs. Stevenson, Martin & Grant will sell at a bargain the S. G. Wright farm partly within the corporate limits of Jacksonville. It lies adjoining the property of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., on the south-side of town. The farm lies well, has red clay foundation, and contains 55 acres. On it is a good framed cottage of 5 rooms and veranda; a good well of free-stone water, never-failing, good garden spot, good framed barn and crib, four stables, cotton house, smoke house &c. It is within easy reach of the State Normal school building and is just the place for a farmer who wants to move to town to educate his children. 75 acres are in cultivation, 10 in woodland. The buildings are comparatively new. In addition to this 30 acres of mountain-side woodland within one mile of the public square will be sold with the place. Address Stevenson, Martin & Grant, Jacksonville, Ala.

## Tax Collector's Appointments.

### Second Round.

The undersigned will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County taxes for the year 1889. Poll tax is delinquent the 1st day of December 1889. Other taxes delinquent the 1st day of January 1890. Those who wish to avoid being called on and paying the penalty fixed by law for failure to pay in time, may pay before the same becomes delinquent. It is my purpose to strictly adhere to the law governing collections, and no favors can, in justice to all, be shown any one:

- Beat 1 Jacksonville, Wednesday November 6.
- Beat 8 Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 7.
- Beat 8 Allsaps Mill, Friday Nov. 8.
- Beat 8 Four Mile Spring, Saturday Nov. 9.
- Beat 10 Rabbit Town, Monday Nov. 11.
- Beat 11 White Plains, Tuesday Nov. 12.
- Beat 12 Davisville, Wednesday Nov. 13.
- Beat 12 Choccoloco, Thursday Nov. 14.
- Beat 17 DeArmanville, Friday Nov. 15.
- Beat 4 Gaaway's School House, Monday Nov. 18.
- Beat 1 Bynum's, Tuesday Nov. 19.
- Beat 14 Sulphur Springs, Wednesday Nov. 20.
- Beat 5 Polkville, Thursday Nov. 21.
- Beat 2 Alexandria, Friday and Saturday Nov. 22-23.
- Beat 18 Oklawaha, Tuesday Nov. 26.
- Beat 6 Peck's Hill, Wednesday Nov. 27.
- Beat 6 Duke's Station, Thursday Nov. 28.
- Beat 7 Hollingsworth's, Friday Nov. 29.
- Beat 3 Weaver's Station, Saturday Nov. 30.
- Beat 10 Ladiga, Wednesday Dec. 1.
- Beat 9 Piedmont, Thursday and Friday Dec. 5-6.
- Beat 13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday Dec. 9-10.
- Beat 13 Oxanna, Wednesday Dec. 11.
- Beat 15 Anniston, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12, 13 and 14.

D. Z. COLETT, Tax Collector.

## Deed in Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed in trust executed to the undersigned by J. N. Martin and his wife, L. A. Martin, to secure Charles Martin, and recorded on page 260, Book T, second vol., reg. of deeds, in the office of the Probate Judge for Calhoun county, and State of Alabama, I will proceed to sell on the 10th day of December, 1889, at the corner Tenth and Noble streets, in the town of Anniston, Calhoun county, between the legal hours of sale, the following described lots, to-wit: Lots Nos. 11, 12 and 13, lying in south-east corner of the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of section 11, township 16 and range 7, containing two acres more or less, commencing at a point on the north line of the north 348 feet, thence west 276 feet, thence south 348 feet, thence east 277 feet to the said south east corner, including a frame dwelling, and a good well of water. Location high and healthy. Examine the property and attend the sale.

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## KNIFING FORAKER.

### HE IS THE VICTIM BUTTERWORTH IS AFTER IN CONGRESS.

The Republican Family in Ohio are Slightly at Outs and the Fight Will Be Bitter and to the End.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Ben Butterworth's resolution adopted in the house on the 12 was the beginning of the formal assassination, politically speaking, of Joseph Benson Foraker. The Democrats consented to the resolution reluctantly. The forgery of the names to the alleged ballot-box contract, or whatever else Mr. Haldstead calls it, is now admitted, and consequently nothing useful or instructive was to be reached by an investigation, so far as the public is concerned. But as outlined about a week ago the whole affair now is a republican row, and the object of Butterworth, Sherman and McKinley, is seeking to ventilate the forgery, is to do up Foraker for all time. One of the resolves gives away the whole snap. It is:

"Second. If forged, what person or persons, if any, were directly or indirectly aiding, abetting, assisting or knowingly consenting to the preparation and uttering of said forgery, and for what purpose and intent." This shows that Foraker is the game Butterworth, McKinley and Sherman are after. The Democrats are rather inclined to like Foraker, just as a good many of them now like Tanner. They look upon Foraker and Tanner as of the same species, and are inclined to believe that politicians of the Foraker-Tanner stripe in the republican party are really beneficial to the democracy. The southern members especially feel friendly to Foraker, as they never took him seriously, in fact, always looked upon him as a kind of a radical freak whose vocal pyrotechnics were more injurious to his friends than to his foes. But as the republicans seemed bent on carrying on their fight in Ohio, the Democrats did not think it was the proper caper from them to prevent it, and consequently Butterworth's carefully prepared resolution, aiming at the political assassination of Foraker, went through the house without dissent. Butterworth fully expects to be able to prove that Foraker was prissy to Woods' forgery all the time. In fact, he has hopes of being able to produce such proofs that of necessity Foraker must be indicted as an accessory to the forgery.

All these things, of course, will tend to republican unity in Ohio. They confirm what Colonel Mansur of Missouri heard while passing through Ohio the day after the late state election. Colonel Mansur stepped off at a station to read a bulletin displayed outside a telegraph office. It showed democratic gains all over the state.

There were some republicans present who knew Colonel Mansur, and one of them said:

"You fellows can go right ahead now and nominate any one you please. There is no hope of a republican being elected to any state office in Ohio for at least a dozen years. I am a friend of Foraker's, and whenever any republican approved by Butterworth, McKinley and Sherman puts up his head I and my friends will feel bound to hit it."

There is no doubt that it is the intention to sacrifice Foraker. Those who know him best, however, believe that he will not become a willing sacrifice. He is a fighter, and those who are seeking his destruction will probably find him a very lively corpse when they come to dissect him. The only thing certain about the whole business is that the republican party of Ohio is split up the back without much chance of being welded at any time in the immediate future.

## The Negro Problem in the South.

Charleston News and Courier.

The first direct steps towards a certain and satisfactory solution of the race problem in the United States that have been taken since the war, were taken in the Senate at Washington on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

On Wednesday, as has already been noted, Senator Morgan, of Alabama, introduced a resolution instructing the senate committee on foreign relations to inquire into the relations of the United States with the Congo State, and their political rights and powers in that country. The purpose of this resolution, it is clearly understood, is to open way for negotiations which will establish the right of colored emigrants from the United States to settle in the Congo State, and will determine their status in that country.

On Thursday, Senator Gibson, of Louisiana, introduced a resolution instructing the same committee to inquire into the expediency and practicability of acquiring or setting apart a territory for the occupation of the negro or colored citizens of the United States, and how far and in what manner the government can and ought equitably to aid them, "their families and descendants," to emigrate to and settle on such terri-

tory, "and to establish a system of common school education."

On the same day, Thursday, Senator Butler, of South Carolina, introduced a bill to provide for the emigration of persons of color from the Southern States, and to appropriate money to pay the expense of their transportation when necessary.

Taken together, the resolutions and bill cover substantially all the points which require to be considered in connection with any intelligent and proper plan for promoting the emigration of the black people of the South to Africa. Only a voluntary emigration is contemplated of course. The territory to be occupied by the emigrants is to be set apart exclusively for their possession and benefit. Those who desire to go but are unable to pay their way will be furnished free transportation. The political and commercial rights and relations of the colonists, in whatever territory they shall occupy, are to be carefully determined and assured to them, by treaty and otherwise. And the government of the United States is to give such "equitable" aid to the emigrants as may be necessary to their continued welfare and improvement in the colonies, including the establishment of a system of common school education for their children.

This general plan for the permanent relief of this country from the troubles growing out of the presence of two unlike races in the South has been fully discussed in the South within the past year, and is approved by thoughtful men, of both races, in every part of the country. It has grown rapidly in favor during the past few weeks, and the more thoroughly and dispassionately it shall be discussed the more support will it receive. That it presents the only practicable and the inevitable mode of solving the race problem in America cannot be doubted. There is unmistakable significance in the fact that it has been brought to the attention of Congress by three Senators of three several States, acting at the same time, and independently of each other, and each of whom represents the prevailing sentiment of the people of his State.

The question of promoting the emigration of the blacks to Africa has been definitely raised, and it will never go down again. Of that we may be sure. The Senate should make no mistake in regard to its practical and permanent interest. It will be pressed on the attention of Congress and of the country until it is settled, and it can only be settled in one way.

The Senate committee on foreign relations have an important duty before them, in inquiring into the "expediency and practicability" of the plan which has been prepared for their consideration, and they cannot consider it too carefully or too fairly. It is the most important matter which will come before them at this session, as it involves the peace and welfare of all the people of the country, both now and hereafter. We have committed enough blunders heretofore in regard to this same "negro question." Let us not fall into another one at this crisis, with all the light of all our past experiences to enable us to form a right judgment and determine our right course for the future.

The Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette says: "Some persons affect alarm at the report that Kansas farmers are using corn for fuel. There is nothing new and startling in this. Illinois farmers burned corn forty years ago, and some are doing so still. It is pronounced very satisfactory fuel where corn is plenty and cheap, and wood is scarce and coal is costly. Corn cobs make a hot fire, but full ears are a compact, oily fuel, and not only make a hot fire, but also an enduring one. In great maize regions, where the grain brings only ten to twenty cents a bushel, and is of slow sale at that, it may with good economy be consumed in open grates and heating stoves. It is cheap in comparison with a poor quality of coal at fifteen to thirty cents a bushel at the distant market town that must be reached by roads knee-deep in mud. In parts of Dakota, it is said, coal sells for \$200 per ton. If the people of that blizzard-blown land had the corn cobs of Kansas or Illinois to draw upon in a frosty pinch, they would feel a glow of happiness."

Senator Morgan's resolution, looking to the establishment of business relations between the United States and the Congo Free States, in Africa, has attracted much attention. This measure, as he frankly admits, looks to something more than mere friendly and diplomatic relations. He states that his purpose is to provide a place with a stable government, to which the negroes in this country can go, and use to advantage the experience they have derived from contact with the whites. That here, from the very nature of things, from the determination of the whites to rule, they can never, and ought never to rule. But in this new State there is a field for them to work in, room for expansion, and if it is in them, the opportunity for showing whether they have the ability to govern themselves. The plan contemplates assistance to all who would avail themselves of emigration.—Montgomery Advertiser.

## RUBE'S PALS.

### TWO OF THEM ARRESTED AND CAGED YESTERDAY.

Thrilling Details of a Bloody and Desperate Encounter—A Hard Battle.

AMORY, Miss., Dec. 14.—Our quiet little city was thrown into an intense state of excitement this morning a little after midnight by the capture of two of Rube Burrow's gang, Rufus Smith and Jim McClung, both of Lamar county, Ala.

Smith is a cousin of Burrows, and it appears that Rube has given him some valuable lessons in his lawless acts. The capture was made by Detective Jackson of the Southern Express Company, who had been in close pursuit of the outlaws for several weeks. The indications are that Smith and McClung were but the forerunners of Rube and a band which had been duly organized to

rob the pay car of the Kansas City, Memphis & Birmingham Railroad, which the public expected would come out today.

The outlaws came here from Lamar county, through the country, and on their arrival went forthwith to business houses in search of Winchester rifles, but were disappointed in this respect, as they could not find the weapons wanted. Nevertheless, Smith was heavily armed, and his pal had a sack of cartridges, a jug of liquor and a bottle of gin, and the pluck and nerve requisite to fully imbue one with the fearless attitude to take the life of his fellow-man, and commit such atrocious deeds as our country has been subjected to in the last year. They also possessed a countenance and expression which at once indicated to the trained eye that they were

### BOLD AND FEARLESS MEN!

McClung while yet young, possessed the same bold and fearless nature. The capture was commendable on Detective Jackson's part. The desperadoes were sitting in the waiting room of the depot, while the west-bound passenger train had just passed and the eastbound expected shortly. The platform was, nevertheless, lonely in its appearance and few witnessed what once indicated

### A BLOODY TRAGEDY.

Detective Jackson walked in on the outlaws quite unexpectedly, and at once levelled his revolver on the desperadoes, with the command to throw up their hands. It is just here that the outlaws showed their nerve and an application of their premeditated study to direct them in such hours of crisis. While the glistening reflection of the bright weapon was thrown in their faces and the leader had his weapon in his pants pocket and overcoat buttoned up closely, yet while he knew his opposer had the advantage he at once made an attempt to

### JUMP THROUGH JACKSON'S LEGS

and overthrow him, and meanwhile pull his revolver. Jackson proved to be about as good a man as Smith. The wrestle was desperate, and came near being the death of McClung, who attempted to assist his pal, but Jackson's assistants came to him and after a bloody fight they at last succeeded in getting the outlaws under control. McClung was shot in the head and received several licks on the head. They were taken on the 8:10 a. m. train to Aberdeen, where they will await their doom.

The room where the capture was made presents the appearance of a HOUSE OF WAR, as in their struggle the stove pipe was knocked down and one of the desperadoes' hat shot all to pieces, and his bloody collar lying in his own blood.

It is over, and our country feels relieved of two, who have, no doubt caused considerable loss of life and money.

### Lincoln as a Treasury Watchman.

James Etter, an old soldier, who for over twenty years has been one of the watchmen in the Windsor building, which is occupied by the Bureau of the Second Auditor of the Treasury, relates with pride an interesting experience he had in 1863, says a Washington letter to the Pittsburg Dispatch. As he was alone in the building one sultry July Sunday morning, a tall, clerical-looking man entered from Seventeenth street and politely asked him whether Surgeon Barnes was in his office. He replied that Barnes had not been there since the preceding day. The stranger thanked him and retired; but returned half an hour later with the same inquiry. Again receiving reply in the negative, he said: "I am Mr. Lincoln, the President. You allow me to take your place as watchman, while you go to Surgeon Barnes' house and tell him I want to see him. Let me have your badge, and I will sit right here in your chair and carefully attend to your duties till you come back."

The veteran, in relating the story, says that for a moment he was speechless from astonishment, but quickly recovering himself, he pinned

his badge on the coat of the President of the United States and hurried off after Dr. Barnes, whom he brought back with him. "Well," said the President, as he returned the badge to its rightful possessor, "I have proved true to my trust as your substitute, and nothing has gone wrong while you were away." The old watchman feels proud to think that he is the only policeman ever relieved by the president. Surgeon Barnes lived on Lafayette Square, and it took Etter half an hour to go there and back; so for that space of time Abraham Lincoln acted as a watchman at the Treasury Department.

### STRANGE THEFT.

Locomotive Carried Away From Tuscaloosa.

The Thief Chased and Shot at, and Almost Captured—A Thrilling Experience.

Birmingham, Dec. 14.—A locomotive was stolen from the Alabama Great Southern railroad at Tuscaloosa last night. The theft was a bold one and attended by many dangers. The identity of the thief and his purpose in stealing a locomotive have not been ascertained, but naturally the supposition is that the man was Rube Burrows.

When the south bound fast express train on the Alabama Great Southern road passed through Tuscaloosa last night a freight engine was standing on the side track with a full head of steam on. A moment after the express pulled out, the night operator and some of the yard men, who were standing about the depot, saw a dark form leap out of the shadow of a freight car and throw the switch which would let the engine on to the main track. Then the man made a run for the engine. The engineer and fireman were both on the depot platform some distance away, and none of the railroad men were near the engine. Leaping into the engine the mysterious stranger pulled the throttle open and the engine sprang forward like a thing of life. There was no ringing of the bell, no warning whistle, and almost before the astonished trainmen could recover their breath the engine was flying away through the darkness at a lively rate. The engine was headed north.

The depot agent and the few train men who were standing about the depot soon recovered from their astonishment and they acted promptly. A switch engine with steam up was standing near by, and hastily gathering up some guns and pistols from the express office, four or five men leaped into the cab, and started in pursuit of the stolen locomotive.

The chase was an exciting one. An extra freight train going south was following the express and if the stolen locomotive went far enough a collision was certain.

The throttle valve of the switch engine, bearing the pursuing party, was pulled wide open, and the men kept a sharp lookout ahead and held their guns ready for instant use. Eight miles up the road, and a mile from Cottondale station, the pursuing party came in sight of the stolen engine. The thief was evidently not familiar with the machinery of an engine and had been unable to keep up the speed at which he started out.

When the pursuing party on the switch engine got within fifty yards of the stolen engine, they opened fire on the man in the cab. The desperado either shut off the steam and as the engine slowed up he leaped out and disappeared in the woods.

As the pursuers brought their engine to a standstill they heard in the distance the rattle of the extra freight. There was no time to lose. Fortunately they were close to the switch at Cottondale station and as quickly as possible both engines were side tracked. There was not a moment to spare. The switch had not been closed ten seconds when the extra freight, running thirty miles an hour, went by, the engineer little dreaming how close he had been to a fearful death.

As soon as the men who had recovered the stolen engine could steady their badly shaken nerves they returned to Tuscaloosa.

LATER.—The two men who stole the engine were from Cottondale and had been on a spree in Tuscaloosa. One of them has been arrested. The other has escaped.

### The Monument to Mr. Davis.

There is without doubt a deep and absorbing interest felt in Mr. Davis, and there is no better time than the present to carry into fact the universal desire for a monument to his memory. This is due him as the leader of the Southern cause. It should be built on a scale commensurate with his character and services, and be divested of all local soundings. The Advertiser will receive subscriptions for that purpose and forward them to General J. B. Gordon, who is the commander of the United States Confederate Veterans Survivors' Association, and who has already set on foot the movement to build this monument.—Montgomery Advertiser.

## MILLIONS OF DEVILS.

### One Hundred Imps to Every Person, According to the Mormon Doctrine.

If the children of Utah believe the teachings of Wilford Woodruff, the successor of Brigham Young and John Taylor in the presidency of the Mormon Church, life must present a gloomy outlook to their youthful eyes, with small hopes of salvation at the end; for it is the deliberate calculation of this aged teacher that each person now upon the earth is individually beset by 100 devils, whose business it is to betray him into torment. It is a matter of simple arithmetic: 100,000,000 devils fell to the earth with Lucifer; there are 1,000,000,000 people on the earth, which gives 100 imps to every man, woman and child.

"Now, I want all our boys and girls," said President Woodruff recently to the Mormon children, "to reflect upon this and see what danger they are in and the warfare they have to pass through."

President Woodruff has an abiding belief that these agents of Satan have an actual form and can appear in the body before the eyes of men, for he has seen them and battled with them more than once during his eventful career. When in Liverpool in 1840, engaged in missionary work for the Mormon Church, he was called upon to labor over a woman who was in a terrible rage, fearing her clothes and requiring the strength of three men to hold her in bed. He laid hands upon her and commanded the devil to depart, which it did, and the woman fell into a sleep and awoke restored. But the devil who had lost his lodging remained about the neighborhood and soon took up his quarters in the body of a little child. The missionary was again appealed to.

"I found it," he relates, "in great distress, writhing in its mother's arms, laid hands upon it and cast the devil out of it, and the evil spirits had no power over the household afterward."

### MR. DAVIS USED HIM WELL.

The Man Who Captured the Confederate Chief Went to Him for Aid.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 8.—About noon yesterday a group of veterans were gathered at the pension office to receive their quarterly stipend. The death of Jefferson Davis was the chief topic of conversation and interested participants in the talk were three members of the Fourth Michigan cavalry, the regiment which had effected the capture of Mr. Davis at Irwinsville, Ga. Two young women clerks were checking off pensions in the office, and the repetition of names had grown monotonous. Suddenly a veteran who had been discussing the death of Mr. Davis stopped, and called to one of the young women:

"Will you repeat that last name?"

"Certainly," was the response; "Andrew Martin Bee, Allegan county."

"That's a mighty curious coincidence," said the soldier; "Andrew Bee, that Allegan man, was the soldier who first put his hands on Jeff Davis and demanded his surrender, away back in 1865. Bee is a poor mechanic. Eight months ago he went South in search of an opportunity to better his condition. He found himself one day in the vicinity of Beauvoir, Miss., and boldly called upon Mr. Davis. The ex-chieftain received him kindly. They talked for several hours over the war, and especially that part of the drama in which both had been actors. Bee revealed to Mr. Davis the fact that he was out of money but wanted to get back to Michigan. Mr. Davis banded his former captor a well-filled purse and bade him good-bye, refusing to hear his thanks, but saying:

"If ever you meet any of our boys in want, relieve them if it be possible."

### "My Friend James Jones."

RAISING, N. C., Dec. 11.—James H. Jones, who was the body servant of Jefferson Davis at the time of his capture, and has for many years been an Alderman of this city, to-day sent the following dispatch:

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 11, 1889. To Major Shakespeare, New Orleans: As the old body servant of the late Jefferson Davis, my great desire was to be the driver of the remains of my old master to their last resting place. Returning too late to join the white delegates from this city, I am deprived of the opportunity of showing my lasting appreciation for my best friend.

[Signed.] JAMES H. JONES.

At the memorial services to-day he had sent immediately in front of the stage.

When last here, Mr. Davis excused himself from other callers to go to his room and talk with "My friend, James Jones."

### A Bet to Decide.

DETROIT Free Press.

"We have a little bet which has been left to you to decide," said one of the two men who entered a saloon on Grand River avenue the other day.

"Well, what is it?"

"My friend here says that every saloon-keeper looks upon every other man as a sharper. I say no."

"I don't think so."

"Well, the bet is this. You don't know me. Never saw me before. You must judge me by my face. I come in and lay my watch down on the bar and ask for the loan of \$25 until noon. The bet is \$5 that you won't grant it. That is, I bet you do and my friend here that you don't. It is for you to decide."

The bartender picked up the watch, opened the cases, poured out the works which constituted the "works," tossed the cases into the big spittoon and wearily said:

"Please don't! I saw this played the year the war broke out! Why don't you fellows either get something new or go to work with a wood saw?"

### Nervous Derangement and Constipation.

After years of suffering from nervous derangement and constipation, and after being treated by several leading physicians, from whom I obtained no relief, I was induced to try S. S.

Soon after commencing its use, I found my appetite much improved, and that the use of cathartics, which had taken almost daily for twelve months was no longer necessary.

Since childhood I have been subject to sick and nervous headaches, but since December 1, 1888, at which time I commenced taking S. S. S. I have had only one attack, and that was when I neglected to take the specific.

I do not now have to take purgative medicines. J. A. BIRD, Bowling, Miss.

### Tormenting Skin Disease.

For twenty years I was troubled with a tormenting itching skin disease, which at times caused me great annoyance, and loss of sleep. I was treated by the best local physicians, but received no relief from them. I finally concluded to take Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) a half dozen bottles of which effected what I consider a permanent cure, as I have felt no symptoms of the disease for over a year.

W. T. COWLES, Terrill, Texas.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

### PROHIBITION IN CALHOUN

Passed Upon by the Supreme Court—It Looks Like Liquor Again, but is not Conclusive.

Montgomery Advertiser.

Among the cases decided in the Supreme Court on yesterday was that of Toole vs. the State, from the Anniston City Court. On December 7, 1885, the Legislature of the State enacted a law providing for the submission to the people of Calhoun county of the question as to whether liquor should thereafter be sold in Calhoun county. The law provided that if a majority of the persons voting at an election held under its provisions should vote in favor of prohibition, the Judge of Probate should record the result and give notice for thirty days by publication in all the newspapers published in the county, that a majority of the qualified voters who voted at said election voted for prohibition. The fifth section of the act provided that after the expiration of the said thirty days' notice it should be unlawful for any person to sell or give away liquors within the county of Calhoun.

The defendant was indicted for the violation of that section. The proof in the case showed that there was an election held in accordance with the law and that at that election a majority of the voters of the county voted in favor of prohibition. The State, however, did not introduce any proof showing or tending to show that notice of the result had been published in all the newspapers of the county. It was insisted by the State, in the first place, that the publication in all the newspapers was not necessary to the validity of the law, and in the second place that even if it were, the law would presume that the officer whose duty it was to publish the notice had published it and it was not the duty of the State to introduce evidence showing such publication. The Supreme Court decided all of the points

### AGAINST THE STATE.

It held in the first place, that the law could not go into effect until it had been published in all the newspapers of the county; that its omission from any newspaper published in the county would be fatal to its validity, and it further held that the burden was upon the State to show by affirmative evidence that publication had been made in the manner provided by law. We are informed that the publication was never made as the law requires. The decision, therefore, disposes of prohibition in Calhoun county. The appellant was represented by Mr. Gordon MacDonald, of Anniston, and Messrs. Tompkins and Trey of this city, the State by the Attorney-General and Mr. John B. Knox.



# The Republican.

Issued Weekly.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATE.**  
One year, One Dollar.  
Six Months, Seventy-five Cents.  
Three Months, Forty Cents.  
Subscriptions must invariably be paid in advance. Advertisements will be booked unless money accompanies the order.

**Rates of Advertising.**  
Transient advertisements \$1 per square, and one inch makes a square.  
Local notices 10 cents per line.  
Advertisements must be handed in Thursday or before to insure insertion.

Miss Lola Whisenant has returned from a visit to friends in Birmingham.

Something new in Christmas stockings at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

Make sensible presents and do not forget the old and the humble.

Mr. W. V. Montgomery has returned to Jacksonville.

A pretty line of toy and picture books at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

The editor of the REPUBLICAN and wife went over to Atlanta to spend Christmas week.

Gentlemen's white silk handkerchiefs at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

The girls chapter of the State Normal School will give an exhibition Saturday night.

Here's a happy Christmas to you and many returns of the same.

You can get the largest and cheapest dolls in town at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

The stores of Jacksonville are full of holiday goods, trade is lively and everybody happy.

Mrs. Kate Jelks has the prettiest line of Christmas goods in town.

The weather has been as balmy and delightful as early Spring the past three weeks. Fires have scarcely been necessary at all during the whole time.

You can get something new in Christmas goods at Mrs. Kate Jelks.

Mr. Klinger and family, of Aniston, have moved to Jacksonville. They have taken the residence of Mrs. Annie Alexander.

Mr. Tom Francis and family have moved into Jacksonville from the country and are in the residence of the late Dr. M. W. Francis, his father.

Rev. Mr. West and family have moved in from the country to Jacksonville and are living in the house formerly occupied by Mr. A. M. Landers.

Mr. McCormick is making some tasteful improvements on his residence and grounds on East Spring hill.

Mrs. Ida Woodward went to New York Monday to visit her daughter Willie, who is attending Cooper Institute in that city.

**LOST!**  
A lap robe and liver colored overcoat. Finder will please return to this office.

In order to give the printers of the office a chance to enjoy a part of the Christmas holidays, only a half sheet will be issued from this office next week and this will contain little matter except the legal advertisements.

Services in Baptist church Sunday as follows: Preaching by the pastor at the usual hours, morning and night.

Business meeting of members of church at 3 1/2 o'clock, p. m.  
Sunday school at 9 1/2 o'clock, a. m.

New Raisins, Citron, Currants, Dried Figs, Dates, Prunes, Seedless Raisins, Lemon Peel, Prunelles, Shelled Almonds, purest Spices, finest Extras, and all the ingredients for Christmas Fruit Cake. All at A. Sterne, Aniston, Ala.

Have you seen Mrs. Kate Jelks Christmas goods? Well, if you have not you have missed seeing the prettiest stock to select Christmas presents from in Jacksonville, and you should not put it off any longer, go to-day and get your girl a nice present, Mrs. Jelks has just what you want.

Fresh fish, oysters and celery received daily. Buckwheat, Graham and Rye Flour, New Orleans and Maple Syrup, Macaroni, Vermacelli and Minicement at A. Sterne's, Aniston, Ala.

About eighteen days ago a dog belonging to Mr. Lindsay, of this place, showed signs of hydrophobia. Before it was killed it bit a child of Mr. Lindsay and four cows. The slight wound made on the child was at once cauterized, and two of the cows known to have been bitten were also cauterized. The two cows thus cauterized and the child have shown no signs of distress since; but two other cows that were bitten have since gone mad and one of them has died. The other will die. It is thought this dog bit several other dogs while in this dangerous condition, and it would be well for everybody to be on the lookout. It is very safe to kill every dog which shows any unusual symptoms.

In the issue after the next we will present to our readers an opportunity of sharing in a grand gift enterprise, in which five thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine dollars in gold and valuable presents will be given away. Wait until then before subscribing for any other paper. The distribution will take place in March next. Mammoth posters containing full list of the presents will be distributed throughout the county and the same will also be advertised in the columns of the REPUBLICAN. Announcement would appear next week but for the fact that it is Christmas week and only a half sheet will be issued. We want to add a thousand names to our list in the next three months. Nobody will hesitate to subscribe when they see the offer.

**Alliance Meeting.**  
EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Allow me to give notice through your columns that the Calhoun County Farmer's Alliance and Industrial Union will meet at Piedmont, Ala., on Tuesday January 21st, 1890, at 10 o'clock a. m. Hon. S. M. Adams, President, and Dr. Groce, Lecturer of the State organization, will be present.

Delegates should come prepared to give the sentiments of their respective Alliances on holding a County Fair next fall as suggested by a resolution adopted by last meeting of County Alliance.

Hon. Ben Ferrell, of Texas, Lecturer of the National Alliance, by order of L. L. Polk, president of that organization, will soon fill a number of appointments in this State. He will deliver a public address at Jacksonville on Monday Jan. 6th and at Aniston on Tuesday Jan. 7th 1890. Bro. Ferrell is said to be an eloquent speaker and it is hoped that he will be greeted by large audiences on both occasions.

The presidents of Primary Alliances North, East, West and South of Jacksonville, as far as Weavers Station, are hereby requested to meet in the Court House on Saturday Dec. 25th to make such arrangements for the National Lecturer's reception as they may deem proper. The presidents of Alliances in the southern part of the county are requested to meet in Aniston on the same day (Dec. 25th) for the same purpose.

Aniston and Oxford papers that have readers among the farmers, will confer a favor upon many of them by publishing the appointments of Bro. Ferrell for Jacksonville and Aniston of Jan. 6th and 7th.

L. D. MILLER, President Calhoun Co. Farmers Alliance and Industrial Union.

**Auction Sale.**  
On Tuesday the 24th day of December, I will offer at auction to the highest bidder for cash my remaining stock of groceries and other goods. These goods consist of sugar, coffee, rice, pepper, spice, ginger, starch, snuff, tobacco, cigars, tinware, glassware, chinaware, crockery, and many other goods too tedious to mention.

JAS. D. PATTERSON, German, Ala.

**Beyond.**  
Beyond the sea of eternity,  
Upon the unknown shore,  
My loved and lost are waiting  
To welcome me evermore.

One by one my treasures  
Have joined the caravan band,  
Which moves at the call of Death  
To that far off better land.

But the path of Duty leads me  
To the hills of far away,  
As the solemn night must follow  
The bright effulgent day.

And often in the gloaming  
I sit and close my eyes,  
My heart's like a pilgrim moaning,  
At the gates of Paradise.

Oh! beautiful, pearly gates!  
Open your portals fair,  
For I know beyond their gleaming  
My treasures lie hidden there.

—SOPHIE ALDRIDGE.

A Michigan exchange gives this advice to its readers: "If a gray-haired woman of 50 in moderately respectable attire is put off the ears in your town because she can't pay her fare any further; if she almost immediately receives a telegram urging her to come home on the next train because her husband is dying, and if she tearfully and desperately, in a plenty loud voice, announces that she is going to walk home 100 miles, you let her walk. She and her confederate, who sends the telegram, have worked the dying husband racket in a half dozen Michigan towns at a net profit, it is figured, of \$15 a day.

**Russian Influenza.**  
New York, Dec. 18.—A number of cases of Russian influenza are reported to-day. A reporter on the world, a Wall street broker, and a police captain are among the latest sufferers.

Boston, Dec. 18.—A prominent physician said today that there are a dozen cases of influenza in Boston, and that there is good reason to believe the affection will become general in this city.

**Blair Bill Reported Favorably.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Senate Committee on Education and Labor to-day instructed Chairman Blair to report favorably his educational bill. This action does not, however, bind any member of the committee as to his action on the floor of the Senate.

**The Influenza in Europe.**  
LONDON, Dec. 17.—There are 3,000 cases of influenza in Hamburg, 6,000 in Stockholm, and many senators, deputies and others in Madrid are ill.

## Special Sale in Ladies' Long and Short Wraps and Jackets.

We have decided to close out our entire stock of Ladies and Children Wraps, so from the 12th of December on, we will sell our entire assortment at cost. We have everything that is stylish, in Seal Plush, Broadcloth, Beavers and Cassimere in plain braided, fur trimmed; also Misses Cloaks and Children's Long and Short Cloaks, in Plush and Cashmere. We mean strictly business and will give you the best bargains ever offered in Aniston at Ullman Bros.

## Holiday Sale.

Owing to the rush and large sales we are having, we have received new stocks of goods which our New York buyer was able to get far less than Manufacturers' cost.

We will from now on until Christmas sell our entire stock of fine Dress Silks, Woolen Dress Goods, Passementaries, Trimmings, Plushes, Velvets, Ladies' Hats, Millinery, Flannels, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Carpets, Rugs, Crumb Cloth; also Ladies' and Children's woolen and cotton Hose, silk and linen Handkerchiefs, kid and woolen Gloves at cost. We have the largest stock ever kept in Aniston, which we must and will sell out. We buy for our 4 stores for cash and are able to undersell houses which do a small business.

Ullman Bros., Aniston.

## Ladies, Children and Mens Fine Shoes.

We have a special shoe department, where we keep a very large assortment of Ladies' and Children's fine Button Shoes; also a full line of Mens' hand and machine sewed Gaiters and Ties; also boys' school and dress Shoes, all of which we will sell out far less than ever sold before. We will and must sell to make room for our Spring Stock, so don't fail to call on us and save money at Ullman Bros., Aniston.

## Men and Boys Clothing Must be Sold.

Never have we sold so many Dress Suits and Overcoats, as we have this season, which compelled us to buy another full assortment, which is now complete and are able to sell for less than ever before. Our stock is larger than ever, and we are able to undersell any house in this part of the State.

500 Mens' Suits in frocks, straight and round cut Sack Suits, from 4 to \$20.

120 Mens' Prince Albert Suits, all colors, from 12.50 to \$25.

380 Boys' Suits, from 4 to 16 years, from 1.50 to \$10.

460 pair Dress and Business Pants from 1.50 to \$8.

360 Mens' Overcoats, all colors and qualities, from 2 to \$20.

100 Boys' Overcoats from 1.50 to 7.50.

Boys' Short Pants, wool shirt waists and shoes.

A very large assorted stock in men and boys' Hats, Scarfs, white and Flannel Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Gloves.

We sell so many different lines that we are able to undersell houses which do a small business. All we ask is an inspection and we will convince you that we do what we say. No trouble to show goods at Ullman Bros.

Edam, Pineapple, Parmesan and the finest full cream cheese at A. Sterne, Aniston, Ala.

**Strayed or Stolen!**  
One large, dark red steer, black from shoulders to head; had on small cow bell; unmarked. FIVE DOLLARS reward for his recovery.  
G. W. FREEMAN, Piedmont, Ala.

Fulton Market Pickled Beef, Pickled Pork, Pigs Feet, Small uncured Pigs Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef Tongue and chopped dried Beef at A. Sterne's Aniston, Ala.

**Notice.**  
We, the undersigned, forbid all persons from hunting, fishing or cutting timber on our lands.  
J. P. Landers, Rachael Williams.

**TRESPASS NOTICE.**  
All parties are prohibited from hunting or fishing on my farm.  
P. P. LINDER, Dec-7-89

**For Sale at a Bargain.**  
Lot No. 12 in Francis addition, Jacksonville, corner Depot and Fanny Sts. containing about one half acre; also house and lot near E. T. Va. & Ga. depot, where bakery is situated. Apply to Stevenson, Martin & Grant. Jacksonville, Ala.

"Nickel Ante" cigars at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Why pay 10 cents for a cigar when you can purchase the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5 cents at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

War with Germany, it's all a mistake. But Rowan, Dean & Co. are still having an elegant trade on the "Nickel Ante" cigar, sold at 5c. Try a sample.

Judges, Lawyers and Physicians highly recommend the "Nickel Ante" cigar as the only promoter to happiness. For sale for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

**FRESH LOCALS.**  
From the Pen of our Busy Merchants.

We are agents for the "Nickel Ante" cigars. Guaranteed to be clear Havana filled.  
ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

The name indicates the price. So try a sample of the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Ah, there, my size? Boys, your sweet hearts will not love you if you do not smoke "Nickel Ante" cigars, for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give you immediate relief. Price 10c, 50c and \$1.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's consumption cure."  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

A nasal injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's catarrh remedy. Price 50 cents.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Shiloh's cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Hark! Listen! 'Tis whispered on the street corners of Jacksonville, Ala., that Rowan, Dean & Co., are having immense sales on the "Nickel Ante" cigar. 'Tis guaranteed clear Havana filled. Sold strictly for 5c. each.

**FREE!**  
Send for our new book, "The Art of Living," free of charge. It contains the secrets of health, wealth and happiness. Write to J. T. Doster & Co., Jacksonville, Ala., for a copy.

**NOTICE NO. 9697.**  
Land Office at Montgomery, Ala. December 13, 1889.

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 of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Alabama, on February 3, 1890, viz: Billa Anna Woods, homestead entry, 2110, for the E 1/2 of SW 1/4, north of Indian Boundary line Sec. 2, T. 2 S., R. 5 E., 5th range.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William M. Prater, James Prater, William B. Punny, Bessie A. Punny, all of Piedmont, Alabama.

G. H. BISHOP, Register.

## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun of Northern Alabama, rendered at the October term, 1889, in the case of C. M. Anderson against John T. Rowland, Jennie Evans, et als., I will as Register of said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house of Calhoun County, Alabama, on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: The NW 1/4 and the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 and the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 and 1/2 of the NE 1/4 and NW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 13, Range 9, east, in Calhoun County, Alabama.

Said land will be sold to satisfy said decree against said defendants. This November 22nd, 1889.  
WM. M. HAMES, Register.

## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northern Alabama, rendered at the October term of said court, in the case of the New England Mortgage Company against J. D. McClelen, I will as Register in said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house of said county on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: The SW 1/4 of Section 13, Township 14, Range 7, east, in Calhoun County, Alabama. (except two acres in the NE corner thereof.) Said land will be sold as the property of said defendant to satisfy said decree. This November 22nd, 1889.  
WM. M. HAMES, Register.

## Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District composed of the county of Calhoun Northern Alabama, rendered at the October term, 1889, in the case of Debora McClelen & B. G. McClelen as administrators of the estate of S. D. McClelen deceased, et als., I will as Register in said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house door of said county on Monday, the 30th day of December, 1889, the following described real estate, to-wit: The NW 1/4 and W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 and the E 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 24. And 10 1/2 acres more or less of the south end of the SE 1/4 of Section 13. And 40 acres of the West part of Lot No. 1 in the NE 1/4 of Section 24, known as the South forty, and the SW 1/4 of Section 13, all in Township 14, Range 7, east in Calhoun County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold as the property of said defendant to satisfy said decree. This 22nd day of November, 1889.  
WM. M. HAMES, Register.

## Administrator's Sale of Land.

By virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of W. P. Crook, deceased, will sell at the court house door of said county on Monday the 27th day of December, 1889, between the legal hours of sale, for cash or on credit and the balance in one and two years with notes and at least two approved securities, the following described real estate, to-wit: E 1/2 of Section 17, Township 14, Range 7, east, in Calhoun county, Alabama, and containing 320 acres more or less.

S. D. G. BROTHERS, Adm'r.

## E. M. REID, J. P.

MORRISVILLE, ALA.  
Keeps Marriage Licenses for sale. Courts held on 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month.

## PARTIAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. In Probate Court for said County, regular term Dec. 9, 1889.

This day came E. W. Cobb, administrator of the estate of Nathaniel Cobb deceased and so forth, and he read the following report of partial settlement and distribution of said estate.

It is therefore ordered by the court that the 8th day of January, 1890, be and is hereby appointed the day upon which said administrator shall pass up said account and make said settlement; and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, a newspaper published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned to be and appear before the court, on said 8th day of January, 1890, at said court and settlement if they think proper.

EMERSON CROOK, Judge of Probate.

## DOERING & ROBINSON, LEADING JEWELERS.

WATCHES DIAMONDS SILVERWARE, SPECTACLES, 3 PRIZES 3

TO BE GIVEN AWAY Dec. 25, '89.

1st. Diamond Ring—9 Stones.  
2nd. Lady's Gold Watch.  
3rd. Gold Headed Silk Umbrella.

For every dollar's worth of goods bought, purchasers will receive a ticket on each dollar, as a chance on the above three prizes to be given away Christmas.

Selection package of goods will be sent on approval to responsible parties.

DOERING & ROBINSON, 921 Noble Street, Aniston, Ala.

## Cheap Money.

As correspondent of the L'n Co., of Alabama, I can offer money on improved farms at reduced rates.  
H. L. STEVENSON, July 14th

# W. T. WILLSON

Carries the largest and most complete stock in Aniston of Dry Goods, Carpets, Curtain and Upholstery goods.

SHADES, WINDOW POLES & We have but one price which is marked in plain figures. To customers from Jacksonville buying to the amount of \$5 we deduct amount of R. R. fare one way, \$10, both ways.

## SPECIAL BARGAINS IN JACKETS, WRAPS AND NEWMARKETS.

W. T. WILLSON, ANNISTON, ALA. Agents for Buttericks Patterns and Gold and Silver Shirts.

## ANNOUNCEMENT!

# ROWAN, DEAN & COMPANY,

Jacksonville, Alabama,

Are receiving this season the largest and best selected stock of goods brought to this market for years, to which they invite the attention of the people of Calhoun. They make this season

## A NEW DEPARTURE

in that they will, in addition to their ordinary mode of business, add a

## Cash Sale Department;

in which they guarantee better bargains than can be had elsewhere in this county. With cheap store rent and cheap living at Jacksonville, and goods bought at first hands for cash, by our Mr. Dean, who just returned from market, we are enabled to make this announcement with complacency.

## Ladies' Department

Our stock consists in the addition to many other things, of the latest style of Henrietta Cloths, Ladies' Broadcloth, Dress Flannels, Trimmings, Knit Goods, Shawls, New Markets, Walking Jackets, Cloaks, Vests, fine Dress Shoes, Millinery; in short,

## Bewildering Bower of Beautiful Goods

of all kinds. In the

## Gents' Department,

we mention specially an extra select assortment of Ready-Made Clothing, Fine Boots, and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Underwear, Neglige Shirts &c. Generally we have the best selected and largest stock of

## Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware,

## Drugs, Queensware, Books, & Stationery, Carpets, Rugs

## Curtains, Oil-cloths, RUBBER GOODS.

found in any other store in this Congressional District. Try us with cash and see if we will not make good our boast of

## UNDERSELLING ALL COMPETITORS.

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## 'Established 30 Years.

# H. A. SMITH

ROME, GEORGIA.

Wholesale and Retail Bookseller and Music Dealer.

JUST receiving a magnificent line of holiday goods: Comb and Brush sets, Work boxes, Writing Desk, Toilet sets for Ladies and Gentlemen, Fish and Morocco Bound Photograph and Autograph Albums, Poetical Standard Juvenile and Gift Books, Scrap Books, Bible, Prayer and Hymn Books, Pictures, Engravings, Vases, Bronzes, Games, Dolls, Toys, Fancy Stationery in Plush Boxes and a great variety for Christmas, Birthday and Wedding Presents.

Prices and orders from different manufacturers, for Cash or installment plan, at low prices.

6000 ROLLS OF WALL PAPER and Borders, at greatly reduced prices. Samples sent on application.



## Theodore Hoffman,

Fine Boot AND SHOE MAKER,

Southwest corner of Public Square, Jacksonville, Ala.

## B. G. McCLELEN,

County Surveyor

SANTA CLAUS DEAD.

A Story of a Strike and Its Result.

Birmingham Chronicle. "The Pratt miners have struck. The Pratt miners have struck!" The words traveled fast around the little village of Ensley one December morning, and to Nellie Hargrove the words fell like a dread mantle over a tomb whose dampened walls held captive everything dear to her on the earth. Poor Nellie! As she passed in through the open door into the only room the house contained and stooped over a little ragged cot and kissed her boy Ben, and tucked with trembling, yet tender hands, the coarse heavy covers a little closer around the fragile form of Little Nell, her heart filled with sobs and her eyes already tired from watching and sewing and mending, were wet with tears that to other humble souls like hers, told a story of work and slave, whose ending they all could foretell even though they hoped against hope and tried to paint it bright.

"Oh, why did they do it; why did they? And Ben, what will become of him; yea, of us all? Boy Ben is ragged—little Nell has one patched and forlorn dress, and oh, Ben, why did you, why did you go with them? Work, work, work. You must work; if only for a loaf.

Slowly the tired and frightened soul crossed to the other corner as though each step was one step nearer her grave. Her hard lined face, made so by the scars and troubles of stinging poverty and strikes, was now soft in sorrow, and her big bonny form that bent under such a load sank down on her bed and tossed itself to troubled sleep.

Further up the road by a tumble-down grocery, whose stinking meats and stale vegetables hung outside to tempt the hungry, stood a smutty-faced, motley crowd, and their tongues told lies of their concerted strength and action and what they would do if so and so came to pass; lies that were so palpable that only those of the ruffian class believed or told them.

"Bah, you fellows is crazy, talkin' about downin' the Pratt Mines. Them people have got millions and what have you got? You hain't even got a piece of chewin' tobacco, and every one of you owe me for last week's grub. It's nice business this, you fellows strikin', and here it is just before Christmas and all of you broke and owing me money. Don't you feel good now?" and the disgusted tradesman, he that owned the store before whose weather beaten boards and stinking meats he raved and thought of his profits and bills, spat out his quid of tobacco and surveyed the crowd as they stood there in moody silence and ranked at the words thus aimed.

"Well, you needn't git sassy Bill Longley if we owe you money, I spoke up one of the leaders, a big gruff useless talker who was always grumbling and talking about workmen's rights and what was due, or anything else that would furnish a foil for a five minute's loaf. "You needn't git sassy. Didn't you tell us here only last Monday that you wouldn't stand any foolishness yourself; didn't you? And didn't you say that we ought to git more money for our work; I'd like to know?"

"See here, Bill, you know what I meant when I said that. I didn't mean to strike, and—

"Now, of course you didn't; only wanted us to get more money so's we could spend more with you for rot whisky, eh? Ain't that so boys? But I guess you'll whistle now for any money; won't he boys?"

A leer went up in answer, and the shop-keeper edged in behind his counter and filled his pipe, the while thinking and looking thoughts that meant naught but ill.

"Mamma, wake! wake up! it's after 7, and papa—" Nell started from the bed and looked at the child whose dear voice had called her back to work-a-day life with a frightened look, and then roughly brushed the wondering face aside as she made out to prepare for the frugal meal they called breakfast—a meal that now in the face of the approaching gloom seemed more frugal and gave but little nourishment with its eating. The rattle of cracked plates and tin spoons was the only sound that was heard. Nell's heart was breaking, but from her lips never a sound, never a word, never a moan.

"Santa Claus will be here soon, won't he, mamma?" and little Nell, unmindful of the scowl and pain on her mother's face sat on the doorstep, and dreamed in keeping with her words. "Will I get somethin' from Santa Claus, mamma; somethin' nice, and will Ben, too?"

"No!" sharply answered the mother. "Santa Claus is dead."

"Dead?"

"Yes, dead. He died last last night for you. Your father has struck. And so the days went, each day blacker and longer than the other. The men were irritable and drank. The women were shiftless and complaining and everything seemed amiss. The storekeepers scowled and threatened to stop this credit business pretty soon, though the end seemed a long way off. The other miners over the state were grumbling. "Can't keep sendin' you fellows money all the time," said their secretary in a letter to the strikers, "why don't you go to work; or better why wouldn't the company let them go to work?"

Three days more and Christmas would be here. Boy Ben and Little Nellie were not the only ones who were sad and down-hearted. No, Santa Claus—Santa Claus was dead.

The little one knew why he was dead. He died in strike and in his place came poverty and worry.

"The strike's off, the strike's off." Every one can go to work. The company says so." Picks rallied, lamps flickered and the hearts that heard the good news grew light with gladness. Nell stood in the doorway and saw her husband rush with the crowds toward the mine, and with a lovely smile said: "Ben! Nellie! Santa Claus was not dead, only sleeping. He'll be here to-morrow."

"Oh, I'm so glad!" cried the little ones, and "So am I," said the mother as she kissed and folded the little ones to her as she said: "It will be Christmas to-morrow."

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General Daniel E. Sikes' half sisters seem to be a very spirited group of young ladies. One has just eloped with and married a barkeeper. The girl has two sisters who some years ago eloped with their lovers and made similar marriages. General Sikes pays no attention to the capers of the young women. He says that they have never been members of his family and have not even visited at his house.

DAVIS LAND COMPANY.

Col. Porter Found Sentiment Very Strong in Its Favor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Col. D. P. Porter, of Jackson, Miss., President of the Davis Land Company, passed through Washington last night, on his way home from New York. He had been in New York raising subscriptions to the stock of the company, which work he has left in the charge of the Southern Society, who will push it vigorously.

Col. Porter said to friends that he found the sentiment in favor of the company very strong and that he only left there because his presence was needed in Jackson for the purpose of signing stock certificates.

NOTICE NO. 9194.

Land office at Montgomery Ala. Sept. 21st, 1889. Notice is hereby given that the following names and their heirs, in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on Nov. 4th, 1889, viz: Walter M. Harrison, independent entry No. 14,700, for the NW 1/4 of Sec. 21, T. 16, S. 10, Range 7, E. 1st.

He claims the following entries to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George W. Barnes, James H. Barnes, Taylor D. Evans, Augustus A. Grogan, all of Elyton, Alabama. J. H. BINGHAM, Register.

JAMES CROOK, Jacksonville, Ala. J. F. WILKETT, Jacksonville, Ala. CROOK, BROTHERS & WILKETT Attorneys at Law. Jacksonville and Anniston.

ELLIS & STEVENSON Attorneys at Law, Jacksonville, Alabama.

Application for Decree to Sell Land.

STATE OF ALABAMA) Calhoun County ) In Probate Court for said County: Special Term November 23rd, 1889. This day came Adam Sharp, Administrator of the estate of Simon Skinner, deceased, and files his application in writing and under oath, praying for an order and decree for the sale of the lands of said estate for the purpose of division upon the ground that the same cannot be without a sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered that the 3rd day of January, 1890, he and is hereby appointed the day on which to hear and determine said application, and that notice thereof be given by publication for three consecutive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper published in said territory, as a notice to all persons interested to appear in said Probate Court, on said day of January, 1890, and contest said application if they think proper.

EMMETT F. CROOK, Judge of Probate.

B. G. MCCLELEN, County Surveyor

Anniston Arms Co., No. 917 NOBLE STREET,



Will sell as cheap as any house North, East, South or West.

Guns, Rifles, Pistols, CARTRIDGES.



LAWN TENNIS, BASE BALL, Gymnasium Fishing Tackle, And all kinds of Sporting Goods.

Agents for King's Great Western Powder Co., Parker Bros. Guns, L. C. Smith's Guns. ANNISTON ARMS CO. sept19-24

Administratrix Sale of Land. On December, 23rd 1889.

Under and by virtue of a Decree of Probate Court of Calhoun county Alabama, rendered on the 25th day of Nov. 1889. I will sell on the 23rd day of December 1889, to the highest bidder, upon the premises, at the Weatherly residence in Polkville Precinct No. 5, said county of Calhoun, the following Real Estate belonging to the Estate of J. A. Weatherly so deceased, viz: The N. E. 1/4 of section 22, Township 13, and Range 7, less about 3 acres, sold by deceased, leaving about 157 acres. Terms of sale, One half (1/2) cash, and balance on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale. Note security will be required.

Mrs. A. A. Goode Admrx. of Estate of J. A. Weatherly, decd.

Sheriff's Sale. Jacksonville, Nov. 28th 1889.

By virtue of an execution issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun county Ala. on the 28th day of Nov. 1889. Against M. C. Lively and J. F. Traummel and in favor of Russell & Co. I will proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash within the legal hours of sale, before the Court house door in the town of Jacksonville on Monday the 30th day of December next; the following described real estate, to wit: Lot No. 6 and lot 7 or so much there of as lies north west of the mound in sec. 16 T 12 and Range 7 East in Calhoun county, and containing 118 acres more or less and known as the M. C. Lively place, levied upon to satisfy said Execution.

L. P. Carpenter, Sheriff.

Administrator's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order and decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, the undersigned administrator of the estate of W. D. Crook, deceased, will sell to the highest bidder, on the terms ordered by the court, on the 23rd day of December, 1889, the following land to wit: Fifty acres in the NW 1/4 of Section 25, Township 14, Range 7, East, in Calhoun county, Ala., and known as the Bryant place.

D. G. BROTHERS, Adm'r.

Notice to Creditors. Letters of Administration upon the estate of Thomas Nance (deceased), having been granted me by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 21st day of October 1889, 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.

R. A. Hollingsworth, Adm'r. W. M. Nance, nov2-31.

CHEAP NOTE HEADS.

The REPUBLICAN Job Office has recently bought 20,000 Packets of Note Heads, (largest size) at a bargain and can print them, deliverable at this office, for \$1.75 to \$2.50 per thousand, padded. Orders solicited.

L. Richardson & Co., Manufacturers of

Lumber and Lathes, Hays' Station, East & West R. R. Three and a half miles north of Jacksonville.

Orders Solicited.

NOTICE. Five and Forfeiture claims registered previous to January 1st, 1889, are required to be re-registered, according to an act of the last General Assembly of Alabama, found on page 750, acts of 1888-9. February the 27th 1889 is the last day for the re-registering of such claims. I earnestly request every person who holds any such claims to look them up at once without fail, and bring them to my office and have them re-registered. No charge will be made by me for the work.

ISAAC L. SWAN, Co. Treas. Calhoun Co. nov20-41

JNO. D. HAMMOND. PETER L. HAMMOND. O. S. CROOK

HAMMOND & CROOK.

STILL TO THE FRONT!!!

Having added to our general line of Goods a large stock of

Clothing, Dress Goods, Notions, and many Specialties, we defy competition in prices. Our friends are especially requested to call and examine prices. "A dime saved is a dime made."

Dry Goods, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Hardware, NEW ORLEANS SUGARS and SYRUPS, BEST RIO COFFEES, Roasted and Green, OOLONG and IMPERIAL TEAS, CALIFORNIA FRUITS & VEGETABLES, BACON LARD, HAMS & BEEF, PICKLES, CHOW CHOW and SAUCES.

FLOUR, MEAL & BRAN. Call and see us, and we will please you in prices and what we have not on hand will order at once. Our motto, "short profits and quick sales."

STRICTLY FOR CASH, and intend keeping everything in the Family Grocery line. Country produce taken in exchange for goods. We tender thanks to friends for past favors and solicit a further trial. sept20-41 HAMMOND & CROOK.

T. R. WARD, At the Front Again. Dry Goods and Groceries cheap for "Cash." At the Woodward Corner.

Shoes at Cost For Thirty Days. All who are indebted to me will please make immediate payment, I am obliged to have the money due me. T. R. WARD.

E. E. ELAM, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Toilet Articles and Perfumery, PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS &c. Orders by mail given prompt attention. oct19-3m.

Crisp Comments on Current Questions.

From the tenor of the clothing Advertisements one reads now-a-days one would imagine—if one didn't know the exact reverse was the case—that

"Clothiers" and "Philanthropists" had become synonymous terms.

They tell you they are selling \$25.00 suits for \$12.50, \$20.00 suits for \$10.00, \$15.00 suits for \$7.50—or some relative cuts from original prices. Something wrong SURE. Either their original prices were exorbitantly high, or their sophistical statements pay but scant tribute to the people's intelligence. Don't like such a state of things—NOT BECAUSE IT HURTS OUR BUSINESS—on the contrary—thinking people all come here and buy—but because it shows a lack of confidence between BUYER and SELLER—it shows a tendency to do business on the wild western plan—wrong—it's wrong. Take the people into your confidence—tell them naked self-evident truths, and "our Dukedom to a penny," you'll find it best in the long run. When "The Famous" advertises a \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00 or \$20.00 suit, you can rely on it that it is worth every Dollar we sell them for. Should you or "your folks" think to the contrary don't hesitate to send them back to our Establishment where your purchase money awaits you without questioning, providing they are not soiled.

THE FAMOUS One Price House, Noble and Tenth Streets, Anniston, Ala.

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FURNITURE, STOVES AND

UNDER TAKER'S GOODS

Jacksonville, Alabama. Furniture and Stoves sold on installment plan.

THE LEADING GROCERS, PORTER, MARTIN & CO.

We invite your attention to our line of Groceries and Hardware which you will find to be the most complete in town. Now is the time to buy

CAKES CHIPPED BEEF, CREAM CHEESE.

We have just received a new assortment of TIN WARE

which we will sell cheap. If you want to buy BRICK, LIME, SHINGLES, WAGONS, BUGGIES, HARNESS, WHIPS, BAGGING & TIES.

WAGON MATERIAL, IRON &c. Also WINDOWS and DOORS. You will save money by making your purchases from us. GOODS DELIVERED FREE. PORTER, MARTIN & CO.

STEVENSON, MARTIN & GRANT, Real Estate Brokers,

Jacksonville, - - - Alabama. Real Estate bought and sold on commission, rents collected &c. Property placed in our hands for sale will be advertised for sale without cost to land owner.

No Sale—No Charge. Jacksonville real estate and farm and mineral land along the line of Jacksonville & Anniston Railroad specially solicited.

CROW BROS', LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF

READY MADE CLOTHING

Has arrived. For beauty, quality and price it cannot be exceeded in the State. Now is the time to get a good selection before the stock is broken. We also have

FINE HATS AND SHOES

to go with each suit at prices that will insure a sale. If you will only call and examine we can save you money, and money saved is money made. Our stock of Dry Goods and Notions is full and at prices you cannot complain of. In our Grocery line will find Canned Hams and Shoulders, Y. C. Sugar, Green and Peeled Coffee, Tea, Cheese, Crackers, Salmon, Oysters, Canned Fruits, Extracts, Candles, Tobaccos, Snuff, Cigars, Seed Barley, Clover,

BAGGING AND TIES. We will pay the highest market price for Cotton. Give us a call. CROW BROS.

The Leaders of Low Prices, A. L. Stewart & Bro

DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE!

JACKSONVILLE, ALA. We invite your special attention to our Stock of men, women and children's Shoes. We defy competition in Gents' Underwear, Jeans, Dress Shirts and Hats.

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Livery and sale Stable, MARTIN & WILKERSON, Proprietors,

JACKSONVILLE, ALABAMA. Elegant vehicles. Good horses; careful drivers. Horses and Mules bought and sold. Stock boarded at reasonable rates. Prices in keeping with the stringency of the times. mar21-41.

CLEAR THE TRACK! Time Waits for no Man.

We are with you and we have come to stay. Excelsior is our watchword and we are a candidate for your patronage. We have to-day a complete stock of Drugs and when needing anything in our line we ask you to give us a trial. We have just received a nice lot of holiday goods and we invite your inspection. Our

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Rates of Advertising.

Transient advertisements \$1 per square and one inch makes a square. Local notices 50 cents per line. Advertisements must be handed in Thursday or before to insure insertion.

Miss Mamie Gregory, of Birmingham, is spending the holidays with the family of Hon. J. D. Hammond, of this place.

### CARD FROM JUDGE CROOK.

ED REPUBLICAN,  
My Dear Sir:  
Owing to a decision of the Supreme Court of this State, bringing into question the validity or sufficiency of the notice given as to the result of the election on prohibition in 1887, I herewith hand you a notice with the request that you publish the same in the Jacksonville REPUBLICAN for five successive weeks. I feel impelled to this course from a sense of duty, being satisfied that the law is a fact and a failure in the southern end of the county, my easiest course would be to issue license for the sale of whisky, but an imperative sense of duty and the obligations of my office in the light of an undecided question and the divided opinion of the members of the bar, forces me to the conclusion thus reached, and makes it my duty, as I conceive it, to refuse license. Very Respectfully,  
EMMETT F. CROOK,  
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### Register's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court for the 9th District of the Northeastern Chancery Division of the State of Alabama, rendered at the April Term 1889 of said court in the case of E. D. Allen against S. J. Lammons and A. A. Lammons, I will as Register in said court sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house of said county of Calhoun on Monday the 3rd day of February 1890, within the legal hours of said court, the following real estate to-wit: Lot No. one (1) in Block No. twelve (12), in Division No. one (1) of the plat of the town of Oxanna, in Calhoun county, Ala. Said lot together with the appurtenances thereon will be sold as the property of the said defendants to satisfy said decree.  
This 21st day of December 1889.  
WM. M. HAMES,  
Register.

### NOTICE.

Of Result of Prohibition Election.  
Notice is hereby given that at an election held in and for Calhoun county, Alabama, on Thursday the 17th day of February 1889, under the Prohibition act for said county, which was passed by the general assembly of Alabama, and approved December 7th, 1885. The said election resulted as follows:  
Prohibition received 1422 votes, and no Prohibition received 1009 votes, and prohibition therefore had a majority of 413 votes, as shown by the certificate of the Board of Supervisors, on file and of Record in my office.  
EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate,  
Calhoun County, Ala.

A man who has practiced medicine for forty years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:  
TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1889.  
Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:—I have been in the general practice of medicine for most forty years, and would say that in all my practice and experience have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a cure of Catarrh that it would not cure, if they would take it according to direction.  
Yours Truly,  
L. L. CORSUCH, M. D.,  
Office, 215 Summit St.

We will give \$100 for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured with Hall's Catarrh Cure. Taken internally.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O., Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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### FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
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In Probate Court for said County, Special Term, December 26th 1889.  
This day came C. D. Martin, David Jennings, and John Hollingsworth, Commissioners, to sell the dower lands of Ellen Eison—late Ellen Dooser, deceased—for division and filed in court their account and vouchers for a final settlement of the proceeds of said land and distribution among those entitled thereto.  
It is therefore ordered by the court that the 20th day of January, 1890, 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 the 20th day of January, 1890 and contest said settlement if they think proper.  
EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.  
Dec. 26-1889.

### FRESH LOCALS.

From the Pen of our Busy Merchants.  
We are agents for the "Nickel Ante" cigars. Guaranteed to be clear Havana filled.  
ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

The name indicates the price. So try a sample of the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5c. at  
ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Ah, there, my size? Boys, your sweet hearts will not love you if you do not smoke "Nickel Ante" cigars, for 5c. at  
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Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give you immediate relief. Price 10c, 50c and \$1.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you.  
Sold by J. T. Doster & Co.

The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's consumption cure."  
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Messrs. Stevenson, Martin & Grant will sell at a bargain the S. G. Wright farm partly within the corporate limits of Jacksonville. It lies adjoining the property of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., on the south side of town. The farm lies well, has red clay foundation, and contains 85 acres. On it is a good framed cottage of 5 rooms and veranda; a good well of free-stone water, never-failing, good garden spot, good framed barn and crib, four stables, cotton house, smoke house &c. It is within easy reach of the State Normal school building and is just the place for a farmer who wants to move to town to educate his children. 75 acres are in cultivation, 10 in woodland. The buildings are comparatively new. In addition to this 40 acres of mountain-side woodland within one mile of the public square will be sold with the place. Address Stevenson, Martin & Grant, Jacksonville, Ala.

### Tax Collector's Appointments.

Second Round.  
The undersigned will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County taxes for the year 1889. Poll tax is delinquent the 1st day of December 1889. Other taxes delinquent the first day of January 1890. Those who wish to avoid being called on and paying the penalty fixed by law for failure to pay in time, must pay before the same becomes delinquent. It is my purpose to strictly adhere to the law governing collections, and no favors can, in justice to all, be shown any one.

Beat 1 Jacksonville, Wednesday November 6.  
Beat 8 Green's School House, Thursday Nov. 7.  
Beat 8 Allsups Mill, Friday Nov. 8.  
Beat 3 Four Mile Spring, Saturday Nov. 9.  
Beat 10 Rabbit Town, Monday Nov. 11.  
Beat 11 White Plains, Tuesday Nov. 12.  
Beat 12 Davisville, Wednesday Nov. 13.  
Beat 12 Choccolocco, Thursday Nov. 14.  
Beat 17 DeArmanville, Friday Nov. 15.  
Beat 4 Ganaway's School House, Monday Nov. 16.  
Beat 4 Bynum's, Tuesday Nov. 19.  
Beat 14 Sulphur Springs, Wednesday Nov. 20.  
Beat 5 Polkville, Thursday Nov. 21.  
Beat 2 Alexandria, Friday and Saturday Nov. 22-23.  
Beat 18 Ohatchie, Tuesday Nov. 26.  
Beat 6 Peek's Hill, Wednesday Nov. 27.  
Beat 6 Duke's Station, Thursday Nov. 28.  
Beat 7 Hollingsworth's, Friday Nov. 29.  
Beat 3 Weaver's Station, Saturday Nov. 30.  
Beat 16 Ladiga, Wednesday Dec. 4.  
Beat 9 Piedmont, Thursday and Friday Dec. 5-6.  
Beat 13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday Dec. 9-10.  
Beat 13 Oxanna, Wednesday Dec. 11.  
Beat 15 Anniston, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12, 13 and 14.  
D. Z. GOODLETT,  
Tax Collector.  
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### Deed in Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a deed in trust executed to the undersigned by J. N. Martin and his wife, L. A. Martin, to secure Charles Martin, and recorded on page 200, book 4, second vol., reg. of deeds, in the office of the Probate Judge for Calhoun county, and State of Alabama, I will proceed to sell on the 10th day of December, 1889, at the corner Tenth and Noble streets, in the town of Anniston, in said county, between the legal hours of sale, the following described lots, to-wit: Lots Nos. 11, 12 and 13, lying in south-east corner of the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of section 11, township 14 and range 7, containing two acres more or less, commencing at said south-east corner and running due north 348 feet, thence west 275 feet, thence south 348 feet, thence east 275 feet to the said south east corner, including a frame dwelling, and a good well of water. Location high and healthy. Examine the property and attend the sale.  
E. T. CLARK, Trustee.  
Ellis & Stevenson, Attorneys.  
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### B. F. Wilson,

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Washington, D. C.  
Opp. U. S. Patent Office.

### Jas. S. Kelly

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### PARTIAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun County.  
In Probate Court for said County, regular term Dec. 4, 1889.  
This day came E. W. Cobb, administrator of the estate of Nathaniel Cobb deceased and filed in court his account and vouchers for a partial settlement and distribution of said estate.  
It is therefore ordered by the court that the 10th day of January 1890, 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 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 10th day of January, 1890, and contest said settlement if they think proper.  
EMMETT F. CROOK,  
Judge of Probate.  
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