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THE TRUTH ABOUT HORACE.

It is very aggravating
To hear the solemn prating
Of the fossils who are stating
That old Horace was a prude;
When we know that with the ladies
He was always raising hades,
And with many an escapade his
Best productions are imbued.

There's really not much harm in a
Large number of his carmina,
But these people find alarm in a
Few records of his acts;
So they'd squelch the muse caloric,
And to students sophomoric
They'd present as metaphoric
What old Horace meant for facts.

We have always thought 'em lazy;
Now we adjudge 'em crazy.
Why, Horace was a daisy
That was very much alive;
And the wisest of us know him
As his Lydia verses show him.
Go, read that virile poem,
It is No. 23.

He was a very owl, sir,
And, starting out to prowl, sir,
You bet he made Rome howl, sir,
Until he filled his date;
With a massic laden ditty
And a classic maiden pretty
He painted up the city,
And Mæcenas paid the freight!

—Eugene Field.

THE CHINA FAIRY.

Tom Johnson was five-and-twenty and a clerk in the city. He was married to the dearest little woman in the world, and they lived in three rooms in a nice respectable street near Camden Town. Rose, Tom's wife, was a perfect little household fairy. Tom could only give her thirty shillings a week out of his salary, but she did wonders with it. The little sitting room was always bright and cozy and clean, and there was always something nice for Tom's tea when he came home fagged out with the work and worry of the office. Of course they were obliged to be very economical and to deny themselves many things they would have liked, but one treat they always allowed themselves every week, and that was a visit to a place of amusement. Tom and Rose were both very fond of the theatre, and by waiting till a play had had a good run and by getting to the doors early they generally managed to get a good place in the pit.

Being so fond of the theatre, Tom and Rose naturally took a great deal of interest in the theatrical items of news and gossip, without which, nowadays, a newspaper is not considered to be fully adapted to there quirements of the public.

Poor little Rose used to give a sigh of envy sometimes when Tom read out to her the paragraphs about the enormous incomes which dramatic authors were making. "Oh, Tom," she would say, "fancy making hundreds of pounds a week like that, just for writing a play! Fancy if you had been able to do it!"

"It would be fine, wouldn't it?" Tom would reply, and then they would begin fancying what they would have done with the money. They would have had a beautiful house and a carriage and a pair for Rose; and when she went to the theatre on the first night to see her husband come on the stage and bow amid the tremendous applause of a crowded house, she would have worn the loveliest dresses, and her diamonds would have been the envy of all the ladies.

"Oh, how beautiful it would be, Tom," the young wife cried one day, as they conjured up visions of splendor together; "no getting up at half past 7 in the morning for you, dear; no turning out in all winds and weathers; you would be able have your breakfast nice and comfortably with me, and take plenty of time over it; and you would stop at home and work in your study, and I could bring my sewing and sit with you, and when you'd finished we should be able to have dinner together, and go out every evening to some place of amusement. Oh, Tom, dear, couldn't you write a play?"

Tom shook his head. "I'm afraid not, Rose," he said. "There's a peculiar knack about it, I expect."

"I suppose it is very difficult," sighed Rose.

"You may be sure it is, my dear," answered Tom, "or there would be a great many more people doing it, and the authors wouldn't be getting such prices for their work as we read about in the newspapers."

One Saturday Tom and Rose went to the morning performance of a play that had been acted 200 times straight off in London, and the author of which was reported already to have realized £10,000 by it.

On their way home they passed an old curiosity shop and stopped to look in at the window. Among the odds and ends there was a pretty little china fairy, to which Rose took a great fancy.

"Oh, Tom, dear," she cried, "look at that little china figure. Isn't it pretty? That is just the sort of thing I should like on my mantel shelf. I should never be tired of looking at it. Do go in and see how much it is."

Tom went in and asked the price, and returned with the information that it was 10 shillings.

"Oh, dear," said Rose, "that's much more than we can afford. Come along, Tom."

But though Rose said "Come along," she didn't move. She stood looking lovingly at the little china fairy. All at once she gave a start. "Oh, Tom!" she exclaimed; "look at that fairy's lips; they're moving."

"What nonsense!" said Tom, laughing; "you've been staring at it; it's an optical illusion."

"Tom, would it be very wicked if we bought it? I'd save money out of my housekeeping."

"Well, it's a lot of money, but I dare say it won't ruin us. I see you want it, dear, and you shall have it."

And before Rose could stop him Tom had stepped into the shop, and presently he came out with the little china fairy carefully wrapped up in paper. Rose put it in her muff—it was quite a little fairy—and they bore it off home in triumph.

It looked so lovely on the mantel shelf Rose couldn't take her eyes off it, but kept going up to it all evening and saying, "Oh, you little dear!" and she would have it that the fairy's eyes were looking at her.

Tom laughed, but he confessed that it really was a very lifelike little figure. The face was quite real, and the wonderful thing about it was that its expression seemed to change.

Being Saturday night, the young couple sat up rather late. Tom smoked his pipe while Rose read to him, and they were so comfortable and so happy that they never noticed the time till Tom happened to look at his watch; and then he cried out, "Good gracious, Rose, it's one minute to 12!"

Rose closed the book—she had reached the end of the chapter—lit the bedroom candle, and then Tom turned the gas out. As he did so the big clock downstairs struck 12.

Just as the last stroke died away a sweet, soft, silvery voice exclaimed: "Thank you so much for buying me."

Rose was so startled that she dropped the candle, which fell on the floor and went out. Tom turned around with an exclamation, and there, with a halo of light round her head, stood the little china fairy on the mantelshelf. It was the fairy who had spoken. Her lips had parted, showing two rows of pearly teeth, and the kindest, sweetest smile was on her face.

"Don't be frightened," said the fairy, as Rose clutched Tom and wondered whether she ought to faint or not; "don't be frightened, I am a good fairy. I was turned to china by a wicked enchantress, but every night at 12 o'clock I recover the power of speech, which lasts until dawn. I was very unhappy in the old curiosity shop, where I was taken by the person who found me in a forest and thought I was an ornament. There was no one there at midnight for me to talk to except a lot of Chinese idols and brass figures and creatures of that sort, and they didn't understand me. I was very pleased when you brought me to your nice, happy home, and you can't think how I've been longing for 12 o'clock to be able to thank you."

"I'm sure we're very pleased," stammered Rose, "but of course it's very odd. I don't like to ask you, but—er—would you like anything to eat?"

The fairy laughed a silvery laugh. "Oh, no," she said, "fairies are never hungry. Besides, I want you to be kind enough to open the window for me and let me fly away. If I can get back to fairyland before dawn, I may find my protectress, who will take away the spell that has been put upon me."

"Oh, certainly," said Tom, with pleasure;" and he was proceeding to open the window when he recollected the fairy had cost him 10 shillings, and that the transaction would be a dead loss to him.

The fairy evidently guessed what was passing in Tom's mind, for she flew gracefully off the mantelpiece and came and stood on the table beside him.

"I will not be ungrateful," she said; "as a reward for your kindness I can grant you one wish, whatever it is."

"Oh Tom!" exclaimed Rose, who had gradually shaken off her nervousness. "Wish to be a dramatic author."

Tom was always an obedient husband (that was why he was so happy), and so he said at once, "I wish to be a dramatic author."

"Certainly," said the fairy. "Go to bed, and to-morrow when you wake up you will be one. Now, thank you very much, and good night." The fairy kissed her little hand to the young couple, spread her wings and flew away into the moonlight. Tom and Rose watched her as far as they could see her; then closed the window and retired to rest.

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The next morning when Tom woke up he had a splitting headache, and he felt so awfully seedy he could hardly sit up to look at his watch.

"By Jove!" he exclaimed, "it's 12 o'clock!"

Then he looked round for Rose and found she wasn't there.

"Rose! Rose!" he called out, "where are you?"

Rose came running in from the next room.

"Oh, you are awake at last, Tom," she said. "Will you have a cup of tea?"

"I think so; I—— By Jove! I'm awfully ill, and I can hardly open my eyes."

"I don't wonder at it," said Rose; "it was 6 o'clock this morning when you came home."

"Oh, ah, yes! I remember," said Tom, sitting up and looking round the large, elegantly furnished bedroom. "A beastly all night dress rehearsal. And I've got to go down to the theatre again today and see that scene. I have to alter the situation at the last minute to suit the scene, because the scene itself can't be altered in time."

"Was Mr. Smith any better tempered last night?"

"No; he swears its the worst part he ever played, and he's sure that it will be a frost; and Miss Brown won't have that speech cut out; she says it's the only good one she has, and I'm sure that it will be goosed, and it comes just at a critical point."

Tom was just going to lie down again till the tea came, when a servant came up.

"Please, sir, Mr. Jones has called, and he says he must see you at once."

"Oh, bother!" said Tom. "What's the matter now? Ask him to come up."

Rose went down, and presently Mr. Jones, the manager of the theatre where Johnson's drama was to be produced on Monday evening, came in.

"Sorry to worry you, old fellow," said Jones, "but it's serious. Everybody who saw the dress rehearsal last night says the fifth act will settle the play. You must end it in the fourth."

"What!" yelled Tom, pressing his hands to his splitting head; "cut out the last act! It can't be done. A year has to elapse between acts four and five."

"Oh, you can get over that. At any rate, it will have to be done."

"I won't do it," shrieked Tom; "I won't. I'd sooner throw the confounded play in the fire. Why, it's ridiculous. Look here, Mr. Jones; I'm the author, and I'm responsible. You'll either play my play as I've written it, or you won't play it at all."

Tom had worked himself up into a violent rage, and the manager tried to calm him.

"Don't be a fool, Johnson," he said; "think it over and come down to my house. Smith (that was the leading man) will be there and Robinson (the stage manager), and we'll talk it over quietly. I must go now. I must call on Miss Blank and see if she can play Mary Walters to-morrow night."

"Miss Blank? Why, Miss Dash is going to play it."

"What, haven't you heard? She was thrown out of her cab going home from the rehearsal last night, and won't be able to play for a month."

Tom groaned and flung himself back on the pillow.

"Everything in the play depends upon Mary Walters," he said, "and you are going to have it played at twelve hours' notice by a girl who's never seen a line of the part yet."

"What are we to do?"

"I don't know," groaned Johnson, "I'll come round presently. I believe this play will drive me mad."

An hour later Tom was going down stairs growling and groaning to himself, when Rose came out of her boudoir.

"Going out, Tom? Why, you haven't had your breakfast."

"I can't eat a morsel," said Tom. "I'm done up, Rose. I wish I'd been at Jericho before I became a dramatic author."

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Monday night came, and Tom, in a state of high fever brought on by overwork and anxiety and late hours, walked up and down outside the theatre, trying to sum up courage to go in. He had cut out the last act; he had given Miss Black one hurried rehearsal; he had quarreled with the leading villain, who had told him before the whole company that the play was rot; he had gone home in a vile temper, and made Rose cry her eyes out, and now, in a state bordering on delirious fever, he was awaiting the verdict on a play which had cost him months of anxious thought, and on which the management had expended thousands of pounds.

"If it's a failure I'll never write again," groaned Tom.

Just then a man came hurriedly out of the stage door.

"Curtain up yet?" asked Tom, nervously.

"No, sir; there's something gone wrong with the scene in the first act, and the mechanical change won't work through it. I'm just going out to see if I can find Mr. ——. They say it'll be half an hour before it will be put right."

Tom rushed into the theatre. As he went upon the stage he could hear the audience stamping and shouting. It was then five minutes past the time the curtain should have gone up.

Everybody was bustling about, and there was evidently something wrong.

"It's all right," said the stage manager, coming up to Tom and trying to ease his mind. "It's not so bad as we thought. We'll ring up directly. We can get it right, I dare say, while the first scene is playing. If not, I must come on and explain there's been an accident."

Tom groaned and rushed out into the street again. "Oh, my poor play, my poor play," he cried, "it's damned before it's begun.

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An hour and a half later Tom, pale, shivering, clutching his hands together in nervous excitement, crept into the back of the pit. The third act was just beginning. There was a very powerful scene in this act. Tom had built upon its making a great impression on the audience.

The villain suddenly appears at a window, and while another villain is writing a letter, shoots him, and the unfinished letter is left on the table and found by the hero, who rushes in and reads the plot against his happiness.

The villain has to cautiously open the window. He does so after struggling with it for five minutes, and making a noise which could be heard all over the house, but of which the other villain takes no notice.

"He has not heard me," says the villain.

"He must be jolly deaf then," said a boy in the gallery, and the house titters.

The perspiration bursts from every pore of Tom's skin. His situation is going wrong.

But the house is hushed immediately. There is no fairer audience in the world than that which assembles in a London theatre on the first night.

But it is only a human audience, and so when, as the villain crept in at the window and was just advancing on his victim, the looking glass, real, fastened on the scene, came down with a crash, and the victim, following his author, exclaimed, "No sound disturbs the silence of the night," there was a roar.

The situation was going fast. It went utterly when the villain, disconcerted, as well he might be, in creeping up behind the victim's chair, caught his foot against a platform intended to draw the table off for a change of scene, and fell sprawling, his pistol going off between his unconscious victim's feet.

With the roars of irresistible laughter which followed this final catastrophe ringing in his ears, Tom Johnson rushed from the theatre to the Thames embankment.

"It is ruin. It is disgrace," he cried. "I can never survive it. Curse the hour when I gave myself up to this life of constant harass, annoyance and disappointment! How can I read the awful things that will be said of me in the papers to-morrow! How can I meet my friends and listen to their condolences! How can I ever enter a theatre again! No. I will not live to die in a lunatic asylum. I will end it all in the peaceful river."

Tom leaped upon the parapet and was about to make the fatal plunge, when he heard a sweet silvery voice behind him.

It was the China fairy's.

With a frantic cry Tom turned to her. "Can you grant me another wish?" he exclaimed.

"Certainly."

"Then make me a clerk in the city again, and at once."

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"Tom."

It was Rose's voice.

Tom woke up with a start.

"Breakfast's ready, dear, and it's 9 o'clock. Aren't you going to get up?"

Tom shouted for joy. He was a clerk again, and it was Sunday morning, the happy day of peace and rest at home with his dear, contented little wife.

Oh! what a happy Sunday it was. How snug and comfortable the sitting room looked. And after breakfast, when he sat down and read in the Sunday paper an awful "slate" of Mr. Three Starrs' new play, he felt a great weight lifted from his heart, and he exclaimed: "Thank heaven, I'm not a dramatist, but only a happy city clerk, with just enough to live on, and only one master!" And he never wanted to be a dramatist again as long as he lived.—George Sims in London Theatre.

Are you made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness, loss of adpetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's vitalizer is a positive cure.

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A Man of Great Weight.

Sam Eldredge, of the board of trade, took a trip to Europe, and when he came back he naturally felt a little more important, as all men do after their first trip across the water. He was forever telling about what he saw abroad, and these stories became tiresome to his associates on 'change. One morning Andy Shaw came on the floor looking very rocky. Andy is a good deal of a wag when he feels in the mood, and, when some of his friends inquired as to his unhealthy appearance, he said: "You see, it's just like this. Yesterday afternoon when I left the office I had a dull, thumping headache; so I thought I would try to walk it off. Accordingly I started to walk home. Just after I had crossed the bridge I experienced a peculiar feeling. It was as though I was walking up hill. The farther I walked the steeper the hill seemed. When I reached home I was utterly exhausted. I was at a loss to explain this peculiar feeling until I came down this morning and learned what caused it. I couldn't sleep all night, as I was so exhausted, but I find that Sam Eldredge was on the south side as I was walking home and that the north side tipped up."—Chicago Herald.

Caught by a Monkey.

A murder is reported to have been committed some way off Wynaad, in which a monkey detected the murderers. It appears that a juggler with his wife, a goat and two monkeys were attacked by two Moplahs, who killed all except the male monkey, which escaped, and buried the bodies in the jungle. The male monkey took its station upon a big tree, watched everything and when a constable passed by the animal made after him, laid hold on the man's leg and dragged him to the place where the bodies were buried. The bodies were exhumed, after which the monkey showed the way to a hut which the murderers had entered. Not finding them, the animal took the constable in another direction and suddenly ran at full speed and seized a Moplah, who was going to bathe, near a tank, by the neck and waited till the constable arrived. This led to the detection of the murderers, who have been brought to Calicut.—Singapore Free Press.

Increase in Real Estate Values.

A little over thirty years ago W. H. Tinker offered to exchange ten acres of land between Jackson, Canada, Fifteenth and Grove streets for fifty lots in the town of Superior, which was then rejoicing in a lordly "boom." Mr. Tinker was very anxious to effect the trade, but the parties who owned the Superior lots, among whom was Gen. Sanborn, thought they had too good a thing and pooh poohed the idea. Mr. Tinker offered the same property to Mr. Richard Marvin for $400, one-fourth cash and the balance on time. Mr. Marvin didn't take kindly to the offer. That ten acres is worth today at least $200,000. The Superior lots are probably not worth $5,000. But then, in those days, there were very few people, if any, whose prophetic mind conceived, even remotely, the future growth of St. Paul.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Riddleberger a Good Shot.

A fact not generally known about Senator Riddleberger is that he is the dead shot of the senate. This fact was recently developed by some of his exploits in a shooting gallery not far from the Capitol. The senator and some friends had dropped in for a few minutes' quiet sport with the rifle. The others of the party, after several scattering shots, which endangered the lives of the inhabitants of the neighborhood, gave way to the senator, who gave a superb exhibition of marksmanship. He broke with comparative ease the glass balls spinning about on an axis, and smashed clay pipes in reckless profusion. His favorite sport, however, was the breaking of gilt balls about an inch in diameter, which were thrown into a fountain, and danced about on top of a little jet of water.—Baltimore American.

A New Fabric.

A new textile has been discovered in Russia on the borders of the Caspian sea. The plant is called kanaff by the natives and attains a height of ten feet. From it a chemist has obtained a textile matter which is soft, elastic and silky, gives a thread which is very tough and can be bleached without injury. The stuffs manufactured out of kanaff can be successfully dyed in every shade of color, and would compete with any of the ordinary furnishing materials now in use. But it is particularly for making sacks, tarpaulin, ropes, etc., that this new textile, from its cheapness and its extraordinary resisting power, might defy all competition.—New York Telegram.

Five Baby Boys.

A story was told the other day of a prominent lawyer of St. Paul, whose handwriting is none the best, that amused me. It seems that he had just become the happy father of a bouncing baby boy, and in his joy he rushed to a telegraph office and sent the following message to his brother: "Fine baby boy. Mother and boy doing well." His brother immediately telegraphed back: "Your message reads: 'Five baby boys.' Is there any mistake in the count?"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker-mouth. For sale by Hough & McManus.

CHANDLER'S CHASTISEMENT.

Senator Blackburn Congratulated on His Action.

A Washington special says: The Chandler chastisement is the sensation of the winter and formed the sole topic of conversation to-day. Blackburn is universally commended for his action, but it is deeply regreted that he did not soundly thrash the bitter and ranchorus New Englander while he was about it. This sentiment is not confined to democrats, for Chandler is as deeply despised within his party as he is out of it, and there is also a universal feeling of regret that the affair occurred, as it is just the thing that Chandler has been seeking in order that he might become a martyr in the eyes of the people of New Hampshire and thus secure a re-election to the senate by the legislature which meets June 18th.

He has all along desired to secure the sympathy of his home people in order to overcome the opposition which has so strongly developed against him in his canvass, and it was to this desire that Senator Coke alluded to when he said in the senate six weeks ago: "I know the senator from New Hampshire wants to be kicked, but I am not going to gratify him by doing it."

The sense of dignity of the senate was so grossly outraged by the occurrence that the senators endeavored to put as good a face upon it as possible, and smoothed it over by saying that Blackburn did not lift Chandler from the chair by his ear, but only vigorously pulled that member to emphasize the contempt he felt for him.

Chandler added to his general record to-day by saying that Blackburn did not touch him, but when he found that this downright lie could not stand in the face of the statement of those present that Blackburn had pulled his ear, he of necessity withdrew it.

The press associations having been terribly "scooped" on the news last night by endeavoring to get out of their predicament by sending out rose-colored accounts of the trouble this evening, but the best they can do is to get Republican Senators Platt and Cullom to refuse to say anything.

When the senate met to-day Senator Hoar walked up and shook hands with Mr. Chandler, and carefully examined his ear. Other republican senators followed suit. The ear was critically and exhaustively studied, and the pages hovered in Chandler's rear and transfixed their gaze upon it. All the democratic senators congratulated Mr. Blackburn and democratic representives soon began to troop over and shake the Kentuckian's hand. Col. Oates, of Alabama, shook his hand heartily and said:

"Blackburn, you treated the little scoundrel exactly right. I am sorry, though, that you did not do more than pull his ear."

Senator Blackburn replied: "Well, Oates, I did all I could do. He acted so cowardly that I could not give him a more severe chastisement."

Senator Blair, Chandler's colleague, from New Hampshire, when asked this evening what he thought of the occurrence, said: "It is all right; they can pull Chandler's ear for him if they want to, but they had better not touch mine."

AN EX-ALABAMIAN

Dies at his Tennessee Home in the Eightieth Year of his Age.

Birmingham Evening News.

He was, long ago, a famous Alabamian who died a few days ago in Maryville, Tennessee, nearly eighty years of age. He spent most of his life in Jacksonville, in this State, after serving in both branches of the legislature of Alabama. In 1844 he was elector for the State at large, and voted for Polk and Dallas. In 1853 he was the eloquent and able president of the State Senate. Like Frank Bowden's, his was a wonderfully clear and incisive intellect; his fancy was gorgeous and oratorical powers rarely equalled. He was generous to a fault, and of course, a spendthrift, wasting wealth of purse and of genius on trifles. Alabama boasted of no more brilliant jurist and advocate, and this extraordinary man, William Buckingham Martin, died last week almost unhonored and unsung, at the modest home of his fathers in Tennessee. He had survived the generation which his intellect instructed and eloquence fascinated. When the Joshua of southern politics stopped the sun of civilization and progress, even turning it backward, the orator and dreamer and enthusiast was overwhelmed and now has disapeared forever.

Home Protection.

While politicians and would be journalists are rending the air with their protection and free trade arguments, there is a great and growing anxiety for a sort of protection that seems fearfully lacking in our political economy.

It is the protection of our homes.

In our thirst for freedom and liberty we have run into extremes.

Liberty without law is a farce—a hideous delusion.

Better a tyranny that will protect than a free hold where nothing is safe from the hands of the marauder.

Every day we read of horrible tragedies, and most of them are perpetrated where the victims are defenceless and alone.

The husband kisses his wife a fond good-bye at morning, leaves for the scene of honest toil; returns at noon to find his house desolate.

Murder and rapine are all too common in this free country of ours where all the vagabonds are unrestrained and the law-abiding are hampered by their sense of right.

The ruffians ought to be set to work. Laboring men seldom pose as rapists and murderers. It is the idling, thriftless vagabond that is the scourge of society. There are too many of them drifting about the country, and we should see to it that every man in the community without means must work or walk.—Cedar Bluff Telephone.

Mr. Winston's anti-normal school bill hangs fire in the senate, and the friends of normal schools are tickled at the idea of thus settling a vexed question for the next two years at least. Would it not be a good thing to quit discussing the propriety of abolishing the normal schools?"—Montgomery Dispatch.

The Republican.

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LETTER FROM MONTGOMERY.

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA,
February 23, 1889.

Editor Republican:—By joint resolution the General Assembly will adjourn *sine die* Wednesday next and members of the Legislature will soon be among their constituents to give an account for the good or bad legislation they have put upon the country during the session. The present Legislature has been a hard working body and I trust that the legislation of the session, in the main, will prove beneficial to the State. Some mistakes have doubtless be made. Men are fallible. But the general intention is to do right. To judge of the service the present Legislature has been to the people it would be necessary for them to know what the Legislature has prevented from being done as well as what it has done. The jobs killed will not be taken account of, however, and legislators will be held to account only for the acts which will appear in print. At no session of the Legislature that I have attended has the lobby been in such numbers or so persistent to push measures, many of which were of doubtful benefit to the State, to say the least of them. Charters for all kinds of companies have been granted without limit. Some of the companies chartered will materialize and do good. Others will not. Out of all granted the State may derive some benefits and no harm has been done in the passage of any of them except in the waste of time nescessary to their passage.

Among the charters granted this week that will be of local advantage to Calhoun is one to incorporate the Anniston Water Supply Co., which proposes to bring water from Cold Water creek into Anniston at once. This will be a costly work and will turn loose much money in that section of the county. Another charter granted is that to the Jacksonville, Williamsport and Anniston Railroad, which will be built from a point on the E. & W. R. R., north of Jacksonville to Anniston by a route that will develop the immense iron deposits along the way. This will also turn loose much money in its construction, and also furnish employment for many men in the mines that will be opened to feed it. The charter allows the railroad to be built into Anniston and Jacksonville on the right of way of any railroad running into either city.

The bill fixing the times of holding the Circuit courts in the 7th Judicial Circuit puts Calhoun last on the list of counties and provides that the Judge shall hold the court, in his discretion, until the business has been disposed of. This arrangement together with the relief of the docket afforded by the establishment of the Anniston city court, will soon clear the docket in Calhoun and henceforth parties in the circuit court will have speedy trials. Speaking of the city court, it affords me gratification to say that since the disposal of the matter I have received letters from Anniston, Jacksonville and several other points of the county expressing satisfaction over the compromise reached, and for the first time in years there is a prospect that the clash of conflicting interests may cease and that we will have harmony and peace in the county, a state of things that will be promotive of good to the whole county and certainly very pleasant to everybody. The interests of our whole people are so interlocked that no town or section of the county can, without damage to the whole, get and maintain any material advantage over and at the expense of any other section. The rule of right and fair play all around, therefore, is demanded by the best interests of the whole county. Taking this view of the case I am free to say that I am much better pleased at the arrangement made than if my Anniston friends had been sent home without anything at all. The Governor has not yet signed the bill, but he doubtless will, though there is some doubt of the constitutionality of the section allowing to the city court district a rebate as to expenses of the circuit court. The best legal opinion here is to this effect. I thought so myself at the time the arrangement was made and so stated, as did Col. Caldwell, if my memory serves me right; but the friends of the bill wanted it in and their wishes were acceded to. If this section should be declared unconstitutional it is not probable it will affect the life of the court. The court may stand independent of this. The only effect would be to destroy this rebate business and leave the circuit court to be supported as before the passage of the bill.

The road law prepared and passed by Representatives Williams has been in the Senate some days. It has been slightly amended in the Senate and is now on the calendar and will probably pass Monday or Tuesday. It lays a tax of ten cents on the one hundred dollars worth of property for road purposes and provides that the roads shall be repaired by contract, no contractor being allowed to bid on any contract for less than all the roads in one beat. This is to enable contractors to go to the expense of buying road scrapers, mules, carts, tools, &c. The road workers are between the ages of 18 and 45. These are required to work four days during each year, (one day each quarter) or pay one dollar for each day they do not work. A man may partly work and partly pay. The contractor is furnished a list of road workers by the supervisor of each beat and he is charged with these at the rate of one dollar a day for four days in the year. If a man refuses to pay or work, he is returned to a Justice of the Peace as road defaulters now are. The bill also also allows the Commissioners Court to work the county convicts on the public roads at a sum not less than 30 cents per day. The bill leaves much of detail to the court of county commissioners and its success will very much depend upon their administration of the law. An increase of the criminal jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace throughout the county, which has been given by another bill, will, it is thought secure a more vigorous enforcement of the law as to misdemeanors and supply the county much material for road working. This latter bill gives justices jurisdiction in cases of disturbing public worship, vulgar and obscene language in presence of females, shooting across or along the public highways, and kindred misdemeanors enumerated as well as some cases of petit larceny, though it provides that the justices may bind over to the circuit court in cases of a grave nature The road law does not go into effect until January 1st 1890, except as to the second section which provides for the levy and collection of the tax necessary to work the roads. Until that time the old road law of the State remains in force.

Since I wrote last a bill has passed both houses which provides that the tax reduction of five mills shall take effect this year upon the taxes now being assessed. A further reduction of like amount next year is provided by the tax bill. These two reductions together cover the amount raised by the road law, and so, after next year, the people of Calhoun will pay the same tax as they now pay and have a road fund of thousands of dollars annually with which to improve the public roads besides.

The immigration bill which some of us fought in the Senate, but which passed the Senate by a majority of two, has died in the Agricultural committee of the house. The farmers in that body as in the Senate are opposed to it. It claims to be for their benefit, but it is not. It is only a job to get money out of the treasury for booming purposes, and if any benefit at all were derived from the expenditure, the booming towns and not the rural districts would be beneficiaries. The impression is fast gaining ground that the Agricultural department of the State, which is now making so many demands upon the treasury for an immigration fund and clerks at good salaries, is striving to become the biggest department in the capitol, not so much for the benefit of the farmers as to further political schemes, and for this reason some of us are resisting its demands, and, it may be added, the farmers of the legislature are backing us in it.

Representative Williams has been sick in bed, but is now up and able to attend to his duties.

The two houses of the General Assembly met in joint session to-day, February 25th, and elected Mr. J. H. King, of Anniston, solicitor of the new city court. Both the Governor and I received telegrams this morning from Mr. J. J. Willett announcing the fact that Mr. Johnson of the firm of Caldwell & Johnson, of Anniston, would consent to serve as Judge of the new court. The Governor will appoint him. He knows and has long known him as a man of pure life and fine legal acquirements and can appoint him without derogation to any of the candidates for the place, as it has been understood all along that he would not have opposition if he would consent to serve There are several candidates for Clerk of the Court. This office will be at the disposal of the Judge of the court.

A House bill to allow stock law elections for any beat in Calhoun county upon the application to the Probate Judge of not less than fifty freeholders and householders, passed the Senate to-day, Feb. 25th. This stock law question is thus left to the people of the districts to be affected by a stock law. Senate bills also passed the House to-day to amend the charter of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Company, and to regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county.

The Senate passed Tuesday the House bill to incorporate the Piedmont High school. The House has passed the Senate bill to amend the charter of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co. The Senate bill to fix mileage of County Commissioners of Calhoun is on House calendar and will pass to-day, or Thursday, no doubt, as will also Senate bill to regulate the fine and forfeituture fund of Calhoun county.

The bill to pay County Commissioners of Calhoun county mileage when attending special terms of court has passed both houses.

L. W. G.

The farmers of this section are busy preparing their soil for another crop. We hope to see more corn and wheat raised this year and not so much cotton. Let the farmers try this year to make their own bread and meat, and not have their smoke house and corn crib in the West.

Shiloh's cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis.

The Legisisture adjourned Thursday night.

AN ACT

To enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace in Conecuh and Calhoun counties.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That in addition to the authority vested in Justices of the Peace under Section 4233 of the code of Alabama, Justices of the Peace in and for Conecuh and Calhoun counties, he and they are hereby authorized to take cognizance of and exercise jurisdiction in the trial of the following misdemeanors, viz: Abusive, insulting and obscene language (section 3765;) disturbing public assemblies and schools; shooting along or across public roads, (section 4095); removing or defacing mile posts and guide boards (sec ion 3891); injuring or defacing public buildings or fences (section 3885); destroying or breaking private fences, (section 3888); malicious mischief, keeping sheep killing dogs and hogs (section 4171); trading in farm products after night (section 4141); racing along public roads (section 4097); tramps and petit larceny when the article stolen does not exceed twenty-five dollars in value. *Provided*, That said Justices of the Peace shall in no case impose a fine of more than fifty dollars or sentence to hard labor for more than six months; and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent said Justices of the Peace from exercising their prerogative of binding offenders for their appearance to the circuit court of said counties when, in their judgment, the gravity of the offense demands the infliction of a greater degree of punishment than is herein provided for.

The above act has passed both Houses of the General Assembly at the present session and is now a law.

OBITUARY.

In memory of Brother James Hollingsworth, who died at his home near Jacksonville, Ala., on the 1st day of January, 1889. He was born April 11th, 1815, in Pickensville, S. C., and moved to Alabama April 11, 1833, and was married to Miss Elizabeth Sullivan, July 12th, 1845, and has been a good and faithful citizen until his death. He professed faith in Christ in early age, though did not unite with the church until last year. He was baptized the 18th of November, 1888, into the Baptist church and lived a good and faithful member, a bright and shining light to all that knew him. His conversation was on the subject of Christ and his great love for fellow man. I often visited him after my acquaintance with him. When he desired to join the Baptist church, he requested me to go and spend the night with him. It was very cold on the morning he desired to go to the water. I requested him to wait until it was warmer to be baptized, and he said, "I have made up my mind to be baptized today, cold as it may be. God never commanded us to do any thing and then punish us for doing it." He was very feeble, though God blessed him in the effort to obey the command of our blessed Savior. He was made happy and rejoiced to know that God had spared him to obey him in such a late hour. He admonished all that was present to live for God and honor His cause. He was a kind and affectionate husband and father, one that was worthy of imitation by those he left behind to mourn the loss of such a worthy father. There was nothing in his way, he was resigned to the will of God. I often heard him say he was waiting the will of the Lord to be done. If he was permitted to speak to the beloved ones behind he would say, "Weep not for me; while it is the loss of a husband and father, it is his eternal gain." He leaves a kind and affectionate companion and two sons and one daughter to mourn his loss, though look up, the bright day will soon dawn to those behind. He has gone to his home above where we will soon meet him.

A. J. WEST.

Where the Negroes Will Go.

A country newspaper in Louisiana, in discussing one phase of the race question, says:

It is unquestionable that there has been growing in the negro mind for several years a spirit of nomadism which has been to some extent encouraged by labor, real estate and railroad passenger agents.

The Virginia Darkey wants to go to Carolina, and the Carolina negro to Alabama, and the Alabama negro to Georgia, and the Georgia negro to Mississippi, and the Mississippi negro to Louisiana, and the Louisiana negro to Arkansas, and the Arkansas negro to—did you ever see a hoop snake?

One of these fine days there will be a great flapping of black wings and forever thereafter two negroes in the same township will be as rare as a flock of black sheep.

The negroes will never emigrate in wholesale numbers to a very distant region. Undoubtedly there is a migratory impulse beginning to make itself felt among them, but it works along certain lines, and it will not at any one remove carry them very far from their old homes.

As the New Orleans Picayune pointed out, the other day, the negroes are gradually moving in squads southwestward. They hunt sunny climes and rich soils, where nature is the toiler and man the idler. From the Piedmont slope they drift to the black belts along the gulf and beyond the Mississippi. They will go into the Indian territory, Arizona and New Mexico. Possibly, in the course of a century or so, they will almost entirely disappear from the south Atlantic states and congregate in the southwest, perhaps in some part of Mexico, where they can enjoy a sort of drowsy domination, observing in a fashion fifty-two Sundays in the year and setting aside the remaining days for holiday festivities. What they want is a land of perpetual summer, where they can milk the trees, booze on pulque, and reap ready made harvests and wear anything or nothing.

It may not come to this, but there is a drift of things in that direction. —Atlanta Constitution.

ALABAMA GROWING MORAL.

The Legislature Passes An Anti-Pooling Bill.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., February 22.—The sporting fraternity in this state is considerably worked up over the passage of the anti-pool bill by the Alabama legislature The bill which has been passed by both houses, prohibits the sale of pools in this state on sporting events happening outside the state. The bill was introduced by Mr. Sedyard of Mobile. There has been considerable complaint among the people of Mobile about the promiscuous and continual sale of pools in that city, where a pool room was established by members of the sporting fraternity after the passage by the legislature two years ago of the law making the keeping of a gambling table a felony in Alabama. The anti-pool bill met pretty strong opposition from the fraternity, who wanted Birmingham and Montgomery excluded from the operation of the bill. The bill passed the house first, and on reaching the senate it was amended so as to exclude Birmingham and Jefferson county. The house refused to concur in the amendment, and the senate receded from its action and passed it without amendment. A large delegation from the Jockey club of Birmingham and sporting men from other cities and sections of the state are here today, and are making a powerful effort to get a reconsideration. It is urged by the fraternity, that the bill will kill the state fair, which is to be held in Birmingham next fall. It is not likely that a reconsideration can be obtained, however, as the legislature will adjourn finally next Wednesday, and has only four more werking days. The bill does not prohibit the sale of pools on races or other sporting events occurring in Alabama.

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Cleveland, Tenn.

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E. A. BELL.

Anderson, S. C., Oct. 16, 1888.

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NOTICE NO 8431.

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.
January 19th, 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, March 4, 1889; viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead entry No 2472, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SE qr, Sec. 18, Tp 14 S, R 9 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gaboury, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.

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Administrators Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alfred Forney, deceased, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door on Friday the 22nd day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described land, to-wit: N½ of NE¼ of Sec 24, T. 14, R8, east, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, containing 120 acres.

S. D. G. BROTHERS,
feb2-3t Administrator.

NOTICE NO. 8469

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 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 March 13, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas B. Swink, Homestead 7846, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 14 s, R 6 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ottery, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Peeks Hill, Oakley Brown, of Ohatchie, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
jan 19-6t Register.

Notice to Non-Residents.

Brothers, Willett & Willett,
vs.
M. W. McCraw & Co., Detts.
The Ala. Car Works, Garnishee,
Phillips & Buttorff M'f'g Co., et. als., claimants.

State of Alabama, Calhoun county, in Circuit Court.

It appearing that the above entitled cause was instituted in said court by the issuance of a writ of Garnishment directed to the Alabama Car Works, commanding it to answer, whether at the time of the service of the Garnishment, or at any time intervening the time of serving the garnishment and making the answer, it was indebted to the defendants and whether it will not be indebted in future to defendants by a contract then existing it is liable to defendants for the delivery of personal property or which is payable in personal property and whether it has not in its possession or under its control money or effects belonging to the defendants. That said Alabama Car Works answered that on Nov. 1st 1887, it was indebted to defendants in the sum of Four Hundred 60-100 Dollars. That Phillips & Buttorff Manufacturing Co., of Nashville, Tenn., Mrs. Amanda Phillips, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Alice Baggett of St. Augustine, Fla., have some claim to said sum of money so due. This is therefore to notify the said Phillips & Buttorff manufacturing Co., Mrs. Amanda Phillips and Mrs. Alice Baggett, to appear at the next term of this court to be held for said county on the 25th day of February 1889 and propound their claim to said sum of money due from affiant to said M. W. McCraw & Co.

Given under my hand this the 24th day of November 1989.

JNO. P. WEAVER,
jan25-3t Clerk Cir. Court.

In Chancery.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Calhoun county.

Woodstock Iron Co.,
Anniston City Land Co.,
vs.
A. H. Humphries,
N. E. Humphries.

In Chancery at Jacksonville, Ala., 9th District, N. E. Chancery Division.

In this cause, it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of G. B. Skelton witness for complainants that the Defendant A. H. Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his residence is unknown to affiant and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register, that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newspaper published in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said A. H. Humphries to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of February 1889, or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office, in Jacksonville this 17th day of January 1889.

W. M. HAMES,
jan19-4t Register.

Commissioner's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order heretofore made by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said court, will sell at public outcry before the court house door, for cash, on Monday the 25th day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described property to-wit: Lots Nos. 25, 26 and 27 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, in Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 8, east, in Calhoun county, containing five acres more or less, and known as the old Turnley homestead. Sold for division among the present owners, Mrs. Josephine A. Adams and Jas. A. Gladden.

JNO. P. WEAVER,
feb9-3t. Commissioner.

Sheriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 14th day of February, 1889, against Ira. C. Hill and others and in favor of Margaret Badget and others, I will proceed to sell at public outcry before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1889, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate property to-wit:

Fractions 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11,, in Sec. 35, T. 12, R. 8, east and also lots No. 8 and 9 in Douthits plan, also known on the new map of Jacksonville, Ala. as Nos. 191 and 191½. near the depot of the E. T. V. & G. R. R. in the town of Jaksonville, Ala., said land containing about two hundred and 30-100 acres, and said lots being 10 rods wide and 32 long, each running back north from Depot street, and bounded south by Depot street on east by lot No. 10 which sold by Wm. H. Cook to Brittains, on west by C. W. Brewton lot and on north by lands now owned by V. L. Weir, levied on as the property of Mrs. Emmaline Cook, for the satisfaction of said execution.

L. P. CARPENTER.
feb16—4t Sheriff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters testamentory under the last will and testament of Joshua Draper, Sr., having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of January, 1889, by the Hon. E. P. Crook Judge of the Court of Probate for Calhoun county, State of Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or thus the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are respectfully requested to pay the same.

ANNIE E. DRAPER,
EDWARD, T. CLARK.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Attalla R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. P. Crook, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 9th day of February 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.

E. V. COBB,
feb 16-3t Administrator.

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TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.
6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

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A HOUSE WITH A HISTORY.

The Mansion Immortalized by Washington and Halleck to Be Torn Down.

I clambered down from the summit of Washington Heights, and while studying the colonnade of an aged dwelling was shocked by beholding a garish poster that announced the sale by executrix of the adjacent Lynch estate. Had a circus bill been flaunted from the walls of a church there would have seemed no whit more sacrilege. It was here in this old landmark—namely, the manor house of the famed Mme. Jumel, that Fitz Greene Halleck beheld "At midnight, in his guarded tent, the Turk was dreaming of the hour when Greece, her knee in suppliance bent, should tremble at his power." Here it was that he composed the immortal poem "Marco Bozzaris," and where the poet realized that "An hour passed on—the Turk awoke; that bright dream was his last; he awoke—to hear his sentries shriek, 'To arms! they come! the Greek! the Greek!'"

Not only is this storied old wooden structure thus immortalized; its history is likewise wrapped within the pages of the history of our land. Pity 'tis that Harlem river improvements, which make the ground thereabouts so inestimably valuable, should be sacrificed to utilitarian demands; yet such it must be, owing to its magnificence of situation at the termini of the Sixth avenue "L" road, the Suburban Rapid Transit road and the New York and Northern road, together with its advantages by water, owing to facilities acquired by the erection of most spacious dockage. Within these walls Mme. Jumel lived—an heiress born at sea between France and the West Indies in 1769, and who died in New York July 16, 1865.

At 17 years of age Eliza—that was her Christian name—eloped with and married Col. Peter Croix, a British officer, and in moving to New York city became, through her extraordinary beauty and talents, the friend and favorite of many distinguished men of the age. At the death of Col. Croix she married Stephen Jumel, a French wine merchant, and removing with him to Paris, became a leader of fashion under the patronage of the Marquis de Lafayette. Although her husband's wealth was enormous, in a few years she exhausted by her extravagance a large portion of his fortune.

Returning to this country she devoted herself to its restoration, and with such success that she soon regained more than had been dissipated. Shortly after these experiences Jumel died and then it was she linked her name with that of Aaron Burr, one of the most picturesque characters in the annals of American statesmanship. She had been acquainted with him in her youth. Now she sought his legal advice. At the time he was 78 years of age, but in 1830 they were married.

Through Texan speculations Burr lost a large sum of Mme. Jumel's money, which she had placed in his hands a few days after the wedding, and, as a result, she filed a complaint against him and the separation ensued, although there was no divorce.

Recently the Jumel estate has been divided and sold as city lots, but the mansion upon it, which I have described, erected by Col. Roder Morris in 1758, still stands, and although the sale of the Lynch estate, at the Real Estate Exchange, may be the beginning of its eventual downfall, the memory of its historic walls will be perpetuated to all time. Washington has made it fragrant with tales of the Revolution, for in it he made his headquarters; there Mme. Jumel, who purchased it in 1810, entertained Joseph Bonaparte, Moreau and many other men of distinction.—New York Herald.

A Story of Congressman Reed.

Reed stood one day in front of the Hamilton house, on Fourteenth street, where he lives. There is a hill there, not steep, but sometimes slippery. A colored man was urging a horse attached to a heavily loaded wagon. Twice the animal slipped and fell, and the driver beat the beast with his whip. Presently Reed stepped forward. In that sharp, twangy voice so often heard and generally feared in the house he commanded the negro to desist. The man again raised his whip, when Reed's big arm swung out and caught the driver's wrist in a strong grasp. Reed held him thus as in a vise for one full minute, pouring out such a flood of reproof as that colored man had never before heard. The man winced, wilted. He was mastered, physically and morally. And the end of the incident was a drawing of the wagon to one side of the street, Reed assisting the driver therein, and a sending of the poor horse away to the blacksmith to have new shoes put on his old feet.—Washington Letter.

Legal Rights of a Bicyclist.

A case has been decided by the court of appeals of Rhode Island affirming a decision of a lower court which laid down the law that a cycler has the same right on a road that a man has who drives a horse and wagon. A cycler and a man driving a wagon approached each other on a road. The cycler turned to the right, but the man driving the horse refused to turn out. There was a collision. The court decided that the driver of the horse had violated the law by not driving reasonably to the right of the traveled center of the highway.—Kingston Freeman.

Twice to Salad and No More.

Dr. Anthony Ruppaner usually helps the members and guests to salad at the suppers of the Goethe club. The doctor has made a rule that is well known among his fellow members never to invite a guest a second time who asks to be helped to salad more than twice. I am told that among the many who have enjoyed the club's hospitality at the doctor's invitation only one has been tabooed from further entertainment by the enforcement of this rule, and to this day he is in doubt as to the cause of the sudden coldness in the doctor's treatment of him.—New York Star.

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A LITTLE BUTTERCUP.

SHE IS QUEEN AMONG THE JACK TARS AT THE NAVY YARD.

Miss Delia Robinson, the Yankee Bumboat Woman, Who Has All the Virtues and None of the Foibles of Gilbert and Sullivan's Little Buttercup.

When Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan first introduced their nautical comic opera of "Pinafore" to an American public one of the most taking characters that aided toward the success of the distinctively English production was that of Little Buttercup.

Little Buttercup was represented to be what, among the hardened tars of the queen's navy, is commonly known as a bumboat woman, whose mode of obtaining a livelihood is by going aboard the different war vessels and supplying the crews with tobacco or knicknacks of general use from a stock carried in a basket or receptacle upon each arm.

The idea of a lone woman venturing among an army of sailors and blasphemous followers of these a to sell her little wares and run the risk of meeting with no polite treatment, as the bumboat woman was pictured, seemed quite a novelty for Americans who saw the opera of "Pinafore." Thus, it may come as somewhat of a surprise and an interesting point of information to be made known that of late the navy of progressive Uncle Sam has not only become identified with a veritable bumboat woman, but with a Little Buttercup whose avocation is that of the identical Buttercup of Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan's characterization.

HER PATRONS RESPECT HER.

The modern bumboat woman who is now gaining local fame and any number of ready patronizers to her stock in trade, can be seen at present almost any day upon her rounds among the ships of the United States navy anchored in the navy yard in Brooklyn. She usually appears about midday with a basket on each arm filled with palatable pies and cakes and a good supply of bottled beer and temperance drinks, which she readily disposes of among the crew of the war ships, and to all is simply known as "Little Buttercup."

It is said "Little Buttercup's" profit easily amounts to five and six dollars a day alone from the sales of her good things among the jolly tars of the warship Boston, who number over 350, irrespective of the officers.

From Commander Francis M. Ramsey down to the most ordinary seaman, "Little Buttercup," instead of being the butt of the ship's crew and target of their unfeeling jokes, as might be supposed, is recognized and looked upon as one of the most worthy of her sex.

The income derived from her occupation goes to support her aged mother and father, who reside in a small house in what is called Irishtown, a quarter mainly inhabited by natives of the Emerald Isle and lying just on the outside of the navy yard.

"Little Buttercup's" real name is Delia Robinson, and her father, who lost one of his legs in the late war, had a small pension granted to him that will barely go to secure him a comfortable subsistence. When Delia first went to the navy yard to sell her wares some of the more hardened members of one of the crews attempted to take liberties with her. They bantered her upon her good looks, attempted to purloin a pie or bottle of beer when her back was turned, and one Jack Tar in particular even ventured to approach Little Buttercup for the purpose of chucking her under the chin and planting a kiss upon her pretty cheek.

This latter effrontery was more than Delia cared to put up with, and dropping her stock in trade she planted a stinging blow between the eyes of the foolhardy sailor that sent him reeling over the deck as if struck by a marlinspike in the hands of one of his own shipmates.

SHE GIVES THEM CREDIT.

From this out "Little Buttercup" has never had occasion to expect affront, ill treatment or disrespect at the hands of any of Uncle Sam's tars, whether high or low, and her coming is as eagerly looked for in the navy yard as the stroke of the bell announcing all hands to dinner. If any of the Bolton's crew have not the money at hand "Little Buttercup" is not the one to refuse them the pleasure of enjoying her pies, cakes or beer on trust. The bumboat woman relies upon their honesty and knows that when the paymaster makes his customary visit her accounts will not be overlooked. In fact, there are no bills paid by the sailors at the navy yard before those of poor "Little Buttercup."

"Little Buttercup," while disposing of her wares among the marines, sailors and officers at the navy yard, in dress and bearing is strictly the commonplace appearing bumboat woman of business, with a pleasant smile for one customer and a friendly greeting for some tar who has returned from a week's furlough. When at home or in social circles, the identity of the "Little Buttercup" of Uncle Sam's navy is completely lost in the personality of Miss Delia Robinson.

Instead of the matronly conditioned individual of Messrs. Gilbert & Sullivan's characterization, one beholds a really handsome young miss of 19 years, with classical features, natural blonde hair, a full and strikingly symmetrical and compact figure and manners appropriate for a duchess.—New York Journal.

Puir Father.

Having lost his wife when his little girl was but 6 years old, Sandy McPherson married again. His new wife was very kind to Maggie, the little girl, but she ruled Sandy with a rod of iron.

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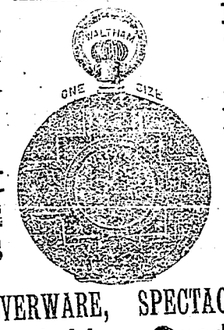
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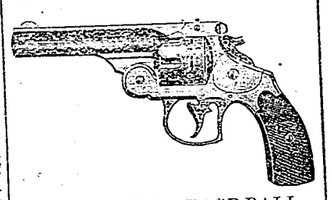
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Administrator's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered on the 11th day of February 1889, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of S. D. McClelen deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder on the premises of the old homestead on Tallasahatchie creek between the legal hours of sale on Monday March 11th 1889 the following described lands to-wit: The SW¼ of Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 7, east, except that part in the Big Island. The SE¼ of same Sec. except 33 acres on north end; the NW¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ and the W½ of E½ of NE¼, Sec. 24, T. 14, R. 7, east; and the E½ of NE¼, Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8; the last lot near Cedar Springs containing in all about 625 acres. Also on Monday March 18th 1889, I will sell in the town of Piedmont (Cross Plains,) 17 acres situated in the W½ of NW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 8, T. 13, R. 10, east; and also an undivided half interest in a brickyard in said town containing two acres more or less. The lands to be sold for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of the estate and for division.

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NOTICE NO. 8103.

Land office at Montgomery Ala, November 7th, 1888.

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 December 24th 1888, viz: Edward L. Buchanan, Homestead No. 14891, for the NW¼ of NE qr., S½ of NE qr., NW qr of SE q, Sec. 28, T. 16, south, R. 7, east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jake O. Daugherty, Lee Gray, James Murphey, Samuel Maddox, all of Marbadel, Ala.

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TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday Morch 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganeway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday, April 4.
6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

J. V. RHODES,
feb. 16-3t Tax Assessor.

ELLIS & STEVENSON

Attorneys at Law,

Jacksonville, Alabama.

Re-Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala., entered on Jan 26, 1889, the undersigned commissioners will again offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry before the court house door in Jacksonville Alabama, on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1889, the following real estate, owned jointly by the heirs at law, of James H. Privett, Deceased, to-wit: The SW¼ of NW¼ and twenty (20) acres off of the north end of the W½ of E½ of SW¼ and W½ of NW¼ of NW¼ and NW¼ of SW¼, all of section 25, township 14 and range 8, east, and also the following: Commencing in the middle of the creek where the Jacksonville and Oxford road crosses mill creek, thence east 5 rods to to the section line, thence north with said section line, 8 rods to the Privett gate, thence along and with said Jacksonville Road to the beginning, containing three acres more or less, in Section 26, Township 14 Range 8, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, about two miles south of Jacksonville, and containing in all 123 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 day of sale. Notes and good security will be required.

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NOTICE NO 6431

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA. January 16th, 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, march 4, 1889 viz: Peter S. Flinlinter, Homestead entry No 2472, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SE qr, Sec 1, Tp 14 s, R 9 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Ryan, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gahoury, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.

Jan 19-6t

NOTICE.

All persons endebted to the estate of Dr. J. C. Francis, deceased, will settle the same with the undersigned and all persons having claims against said estate will present their claims in due time or they will be barred by law.

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Alexandria, Ala

Probate Office

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THE QUEEN'S FORESTER.

They chose me for my sturdy frame,
That is so tall and strong,
For my swift step, and my sure aim—
She chose him for his song.
And sing he doth, and rarely sing,
And in her eyes revealed,
I know a song, a fairer thing
Than speaks from flood or field.

I hear his song float through the air,
Melodious and grand;
I see the light their faces wear,
But cannot understand.
Ay, I've the body, he the soul,
Yet there's a look between,
There is but one commands the whole,
There only is my Queen

My face is ruddiest brown, but white
His brow, and passing high;
He warbleth songs 'neath the moon's light,
Like a tired hound I lie.
I wish I loved stars more than sleep,
Songs more than plainest fare—
I wish my suffering went deep—
More deep my gladness were.

And yet this hard, rough peasant hand
And brain and heart I'd spend,
If, Pearl, I might take my stand
Beside you at the end.
Might but the angels point one way,
And say "No star between—
Unlike in soul and body they,
Yet had they both one Queen!"
—May Kendall in Longman's.

MEG.

There was nothing rare or fine about her. On the contrary, there was a great deal of the animal in her face; a touch of the man in her pose, a bold suggestion of the woman in the cheap jewelry at ears and neck, and an unmistakable air of the circus in her tout ensemble. Her eyes were gray and full. Bold eyes they were, that seemed to belong of right to the over full lips, and sensual curves of the over full figure. Her teeth were white, and when the lips parted they glittered, and that was all of brightness about her. Everything else suggested a slothful, easy temperament, thickness of mental fiber, dullness of moral perception.

Suddenly her face was transformed. She was undergoing one of her rare seasons of animation, and the face she turned to the man before her was full of play and life.

Her eyes sought his boldly, with a kind of snap in them, and when she laughed the snap was communicated to her whole frame, redeeming it from its low sloth to something keener and higher.

But perhaps it was the man that suggested keenness, and lent a phase of his own personality to her.

Lithe and tall and dark, with a wiry strength of physique, he gave one the impression of a panther, and a panther just prepared to spring.

From his long, slender fingers to the glance of his eye, everything suggested alertness. Yet the suggestion was evil, too, and marked him as a man to be distrusted.

There was a play of low cunning about his eyes, and the very deviltry of jealousy lurked round his thin lips. As the two stood together you felt irresistibly that the elements of domestic tragedy were before you—the brute that would not shrink from beating a woman—the woman that would tamely submit to be beaten.

"Well," he said, roughly, "are you going to do that cigar business?"

Meg shrank back, fearfully; the vivacity passed from her face and was succeeded by a gray shadow of terror.

The man laughed scoffingly.

"You're only a woman! Showing the white feather first off!"

She glanced at him deprecatingly, and he returned the glance with an air of swaggering assurance. Evidently she was in his power, and both knew it.

"Very well," he said, with an assumption of easy indifference; "I know Liza will do it. Pluck enough about her!"

The implied taunt took effect.

"And what if there is?" Meg cried fiercely. "She don't know what she is doing. She don't know what you are, Jim. You'd shoot at me in one of your tempers just as soon as you'd shoot at the cigar. And Liza don't know you, and that's how she ain't afraid."

He was switching off the daisy heads, and he paused to look at her; it was a cruel look, containing in it that implication of secret power.

He did not deny the charge; he simply looked at her, and Meg's face took on a new expression of deprecation, while her attitude became cowed and limp.

"And it's because you know me that you should know better than to refuse," he said at last.

Meg glanced furtively at him, and with a show of reassurance answered doggedly:

"Well, I don't mind. You can try if you like, only not today."

This was not enough for Jim. With the obstinacy of the petty tyrant he would test his influence to the uttermost.

"You shall do it now," he said, passionately, seizing Meg by the arm. Then he tossed her roughly from him with a rude "Come on, now, to the van."

She followed him, yielding involuntarily the obedience of the weaker to the stronger, but he took no further notice of her and continued his walk across the field to the corner where the blue smoke was rising from the circus caravans.

The sun was setting, throwing a red glare upon the gayly painted wagons, whose twinkling windows, touched by the rays, looked like lurid eyes gazing at the two approaching.

The glare fell upon Jim walking jauntily along, with his hands behind him. It touched the slim, murderous looking fingers, and—was it fancy that made them appear red to Meg following behind?

"Jim," she said, slowly, "what's the matter with your hands? You've got blood on them."

He drew his hands from his back and examined them, for it was one of his characteristics that he kept his hands as white and delicate as a woman's.

"Bah!" he exclaimed, "what do you mean? My hands are right enough."

So they were, and Meg was not quick witted enough to see that the red color had been due to the crimson sky in the west. She followed in silence, and when Jim climbed into his wagon she walked on to her own, thinking idly that he was becoming too unreasonable and masterful for her. Nevertheless when, a few minutes later, he came into the wagon she turned to him with no aversion on her broad, impassive face.

She watched him carelessly as he loaded a pistol, and she did not refuse to take the cigar he held out to her when his preparations were complete.

"Put it in your mouth and stand by the door," he said coolly, retreating to the other end of the van.

"Nay," said Meg sullkily, "I won't do it now; I've told you before, I won't do it now."

The ring of terrified appeal in her voice should have aroused what manliness was in him, but he took slight notice of her terror.

"All right," he said carelessly: "Liza will do it. She's a younger woman than you; her nerves will be stronger."

He slouched across the van and down the steps, Meg lazily watching him as he passed out into the red light of the sunset. And she stood watching—not Jim, but something far away and beyond Jim—until the sun, glowing and red, dipped into "the under world."

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Pritchett's Universally Renowned Circus—Daring Equestrian Feats—Marvelous Pistol Performance—Jim, the World's Wonder, Will Shoot a Cigar from a Woman's Lips at a Distance of Twenty Yards.

The bills were posted on the walls of Blessington early on the following day. The excitement in the circus was almost as great as that among the inhabitants of the town, for, though Jim had often spoken of "the cigar business," none of the company had expected that Meg would consent to stand calmly to be shot at.

Meg was herself surprised to find that she had yielded to Jim's masterfulness. They had been practicing all the morning, and she had so often gone safely through the ordeal that already it had begun to lose its terror. Why should Meg—with a character elemental, animal, gross—repose in this Jim a passionate confidence which touched her whole being to finer issues? Who can tell? It may be the divine spark never wholly becomes extinct in any human soul. Because the lower nature loved, the higher trusted.

Jim himself had not given her so much as a word of commendation, but it scarcely mattered to Meg. It was enough for her apathetic nature to know that she had proved herself as brave as Liza, and that he could not now taunt her with "nerves," or institute comparisons between her age and that of her rival.

Alone in her caravan she shuddered and grew cold at the thought of the evening performance, when before the excited spectators she would have to stand, cigar in mouth, to be shot at. That was how the action always appeared to her; it was not the cigar at which Jim was aiming, but herself.

A sudden fear shot sharply through her and roused her to a vivid sense of peril. She would not do it! Nothing should induce her to become a target for Jim! She would refuse at the last moment, when the presence of the manager would protect her from Jim's anger.

As she decided thus, Jim came in and tossed a small parcel into her lap.

"That's for your pluck, Meg," he said, a faint show of admiration in his voice. "You must wear it to-night, and when I see it I shall know how to take aim."

Meg opened the parcel slowly, debating with herself whether to tell Jim she was not going through any performance that night. But when she saw the gaudy red stone in its setting of cheap metal she looked up smiling.

"It's a beautiful brooch. You never gave me anything before, Jim. I'll be certain to wear it to-night."

She had decided her fate. Nothing would induce her to disappoint Jim now, and deny herself the pleasure of flaunting the brooch—Jim's gift—before Liza's envious eyes. She stood firmly enough on the platform that evening, and she did not flinch when Jim took up his position twenty yards from her and aimed deliberately, as it seemed, at her head.

It was a moment of terrible tension, yet the cigar in her white lips was held firmly and steadily.

Her profile was toward the man, and after the first glance she could not see him, but she was conscious of every movement he made.

Then, a quick, sharp shot. The cigar, cut in two, fell to the ground; a wild cheer burst from the spectators, and Meg, unharmed, went slowly out of the tent.

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Life in the circus, even life colored with the varitoned light of love, was neither a beautiful nor an eventful thing. The sun rose and set, the daily performances took place, Meg went through her ordeal until it ceased to be one, and only the rise and fall of human passion broke the monotony of the camp.

Yet it had its romances, too; its seasons of birth and burial; its episodes of love and marriage, the latter not always regarded as a sine qua non by the lovers, and now and then a tragedy would be enacted upon its small stage.

Rumor had been busy of late with Meg's name.

Of her past the company knew little—it was as well not to peer too closely into personal histories when so few would bear looking into. A stone thrown at one's neighbor might rebound upon one's self.

Meg's past was therefore allowed to lie buried.

The past is our own, not our neighbor's, and it may remain peaceably in its grave; but the present belongs to the community, and an offense against the Now is an insult to our own times.

Meg's name began to be freely whispered about.

Among the women at first; then the rumor spread, and the men—disposed to look tolerantly at any lapse in morality which testified to their influence over the frail sex—would wink slyly when she passed them. Jim was the last to hear the whisper that was circulating; and when he did so, he laughed and winked with the rest, and abstractedly turned over in his pockets some stray shots remaining from the pistol charge of the previous night.

"They say he has given her a gold brooch," he heard, as he moved away, but the words fell unheeded on his ears, and he sauntered off in the direction of Meg's van. He entered, and, finding it empty, sat down, moodily, to wait the woman's arrival.

He had not long to wait. Meg's step, slower and heavier than of old, was heard ascending the ladder, and Meg herself stood breathless at the door.

She gave a slight start upon seeing Jim, then came in and greeted him in her usual impassive manner.

The man maintained a sulky silence; and, used to his moods, she busied herself quietly about the small matters of her menage.

All at once he spoke, and his tone of wrathful contempt had power to overturn Meg's composure.

"What's that you are saying, Jim? You—you to say I've been sweethearting with Will? It's not true—you know it's not true!"

"It's what they're all saying," he said fiercely; "it's the talk of the place."

"It's not true!" she repeated passionately. "I've been faithful to you, Jim, always. Don't believe them—I swear it's not true."

"How'll you prove it?" he asked insolently. "Will you ask him yourself to bear out what you are saying?"

Some womanly pride lingered in the woman, and rose up in rebellion against such outrage.

"If you don't believe me," she said doggedly, "I'll not ask him to prove my words."

Her sulky air, taken in connection with her refusal, was conclusive evidence of guilt, and Jim strode from the caravan with a muttered threat:

"I'll murder you both; you shall pay for it."

As he disappeared Meg pressed her hand to her heart and sank down on the nearest seat, trembling and faint. It was not the first time she had felt that deadly faintness, and Jim's words were not calculated to reassure her.

She was roused by the entrance of a girl, who came forward and asked, not unkindly, what ailed her.

"It's my heart, Liza; there's something the matter with it."

Liza smiled cynically. She, too, had heard the whispers.

"Well," she said roughly, "you have need to be frightened. I met Jim just now, and he looked as black as thunder. He's the very devil when he's roused. I say, Meg, I wouldn't be you!"

"What do you mean?" Meg asked wearily.

"Well, you see, Jim has heard about you and Will. He's mortal jealous. He'd do anything. He wouldn't stop at murder. I say, Meg, you won't do that cigar business to-night?"

The sudden question following the suggestive word needed no enlargement, and Meg stirred uneasily.

"Why shouldn't I? Jim knows it's false what they're saying. There's been no sweethearting between Will and me. I never kept company with any one but Jim."

Liza laughed again.

"Just as you please, but I wouldn't stand in your shoes to-night for anything."

When the hour for the evening performance came Meg stood before the glass putting the finishing touch to the gay dress in which she usually went through the cigar and pistol episode.

She had not recovered altogether from her faintness of the afternoon, and she opened the little window of the van to let in some air. The sun's rays flashed in, striking upon the shelf that served as a dressing table.

They lit up the trinkets lying there, and touched the red stone of the brooch Jim had given her, until it looked like a clot of palpitating blood.

Meg put out her hand mechanically to take it, but at the sight of its color she remembered, with a sickening shudder, the "red hands" that had roused her terror a few months before, and she drew back. Then she took up another brooch from the shelf, fastened it in her gown and went out to the tent.

The cheer that greeted her appearance restored her self possession, and she bowed smilingly to the spectators before she took up her stand at the correct distance from Jim.

She glanced furtively at him, and saw, relieved, that he was looking at her in restored good humor.

He nodded reassuringly at her, and signed that he was ready to begin. Meg turned her profile toward him, and put the cigar in her mouth, thinking idly how foolish she had been to make so much of a trifle.

Jim and she were good friends again, so she stood bravely, no emotion on her broad, sensual face, while Jim raised his pistol to take aim.

In the act his hand trembled, his whole face changed, and a fierce glare came into his eyes; he bent forward—gesture and eyes alike horribly suggesting the panther about to spring—and gnashed his teeth.

He had caught sight of a yellow glitter in place of the red sparkle of the brooch by which he had always before taken aim.

The whole air seemed to have become yellow, and the strained silence of the spectators to be a background on which a sentence was embossed: "They say he has given her a gold brooch."

Meanwhile Meg stood rigidly still, wondering at the delay, and thinking that Jim must have heard from Will how little reason he had for jealousy.

Jim's eyes were staring at the sentence, his ears ringing with the words he had heard heedlessly that afternoon. "They say he has given her a gold brooch." Who had given Meg the brooch that had taken the place of his gift?

For a moment his senses reeled. Then he straightened himself sternly, and affected to examine again the priming of his pistol.

He raised it at length, and with steady hand aimed—was it at the cigar, or at the brooch Meg wore, at his request, a little on one side?

Steadily and long he stood, his pistol poised, his hand on the trigger, his eyes on the woman who had given him her all.

Steadily and long he stood; then sharp and sudden the shot rang out. And sharp and sudden rang out its echo—a woman's wild, shrill scream.

In the silence that followed, Meg fell forward.

Almost before the spectators realized what had happened, the curtain fell and screened from their curious eyes the pitiful thing upon the stage—poor, sinful Meg, lying with the blood flowing from a wound in her neck just above the brooch.

Jim had aimed well; the shot had severed the jugular vein and entered the carotid artery.

The manager stooped to raise her, but Jim pushed him aside and would have lifted her himself. But when he touched her he felt his hands warm with the flow of her lifeblood.

"Oh God!" he cried, shrinking back, "I have murdered her."

Meg opened her eyes at the words, and a world of tenderness was in them as she gazed on the man she loved, and who had done her to death.

A great light flashed in the face and transfigured it, so that the divine promise of what she might have been—nay, was it not the fulfillment of the promise on which they gazed?—was revealed to the men around her.

She reached out and touched Jim's red hand, and as the light faded she gasped:

"No, Jim, it wasn't your fault—I—did it. Will, do you hear? I moved—on purpose. And, Jim—I've been—true to"—

And so she proved her faithfulness.—Keith Christie in Belgravia.

She Didn't Care.

A young teacher prided herself on the close relations of trust and confidence existing between herself and the little ones in the primary department.

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AN ACT. [H. 788.]

To amend an act entitled an act, To provide for the registration and lien of judgments and decrees for the payment of money.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That the plaintiff or owner of any judgment or decree rendered by any court of record for the payment of money, may file in the office of the Judge of Probate of any county in this State, a certificate of the clerk or register of the court, by which said judgment or decree was rendered, showing the court which rendered the same, the amount and date thereof, the amount of costs, the names of the parties and the names of the plaintiffs' attorney, which certificate shall be registered by the Judge of Probate of such county, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, which register shall also show the date of filing and the name of the owner of such judgment or decree, and every judgment or decree so filed and registered shall be a lien upon all the property of the defendant in such county which is subject to levy and sale under execution; and such lien shall continue for ten (10) years from the date of such registration. The registration of such judgment or decree shall be be notice to all persons of the existence of such liens.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That the probate judge shall be entitled to receive a fee of fifty cents for each judgment so registered.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That the laws relating to the entry of credits and satisfaction of mortgages shall apply to the entry of credits and satisfaction of the liens created by this act.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That for the certificates provided for in the first section of this act, the clerk or register furnishing the same shall be entitled to receive a fee of fifty cents for each certificate.

Approved February 26, 1889.

Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT [H. B. 359.]

To require Justices of the Peace to furnish itemized bills of costs to suitors.

Section 1—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That Justices of the Peace and Notaries Public acting as Justice of the Peace shall on all process issued for the collection of costs, or on all bills rendered for the payment of costs, or receipts given therefor to any person, furnish an itemized statement of the services rendered and properly chargable, whether the items be demanded or not. Such Justice of the Peace shall also spread upon their record a copy of all bills of costs delivered by or upon which process shall have been issued by him. Any Justice of the Peace or Notary exercising the authority or jurisdiction of a justice of the peace, who shall fail to comply with the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Section 2—Be it further enacted, That any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public acting as such, who shall knowingly charge or demand any fee or sum for services not rendered or shall charge for services rendered more than the fees allowed by law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Approved February 26, 1889.

Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT [S. 274.]

To define a lawful wire fence in the State of Alabama.

Section 1—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That from and after the passage of this act, any fence made of three wires fastened to trees or posts, which trees or posts shall not be over ten feet apart, shall be a lawful fence, so far as mules, horses and cattle are concerned. Provided, the wires are not over fifteen inches apart, and the top wire shall be at least four feet from the ground.

Section 2—Be it further enacted, That any fence made of seven wires fastened to trees or posts not over eight feet apart, shall be a lawful fence against all stock whatsoever. Provided, first four wires are of four inch barb, and not over four inches apart, commencing with first wire four inches from the ground, fifth wire not over six inches from fourth, sixth not over eight inches from fifth, seventh and sixth fifteen inches apart. Provided further, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Clay, Bibb, Chambers, Talladega, Lamar, Franklin, Jefferson, Sumter, Dallas, Colbert, Wilcox, Tallapoosa, Lee, Choctaw, Chilton, Etowah, St. Clair, Mobile, Coosa and Walker.

Approved Feb. 27th, 1889.

Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

Fort Payne Journal: B. H. Nicholson bought 40 acres of land about one and a half miles south of town for $600 and sold one third of an acre for $300.

WILL NOT ATTEND.

The Outgoing Administration Objects to the Partisanship Displayed.

Neither Mrs. Cleveland nor any of the ladies of the present Cabinet will attend the inaugural ball. The report reaches The Republic correspondent pretty well authenticated, and there is good reason to believe that it is correct. It will make a sensation, of course, if should prove true. Such a proceedure would be almost unprecedented.

There is no reason given for the reported action of the ladies referred to, but it is supposed that the efforts of the inaural managers to make the affair as intensely partisan as possible has something to do with it.

From the same source from which the above was received also comes the information that Secretary Whitney intends inviting all the Democratic Senators, Representatives and chiefs of bureaus and departments, together with their wives, to be his guests at a Mary Anderson performance at one of the theatres Monday night while the inaugural ball is in progress.

The lady from whom the above information was received was from Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Whitney and Mrs. Fairchild.

Splendid Health.

I wish to proclaim to the world what S. S. S. has done for me. For the past ten years I have been troubled with dreadful eruptions on my face, caused by ivy poison. I was under the treatment of a number of physicians, but obtained no relief. I tried the best "blood purifiers" in the market, but without avail. I had given up in despair, thinking I could not be cured; but happening to read the Detroit Journal, I noticed S. S. S. advertised and read Mrs. Bradley's testimonial. I thought I would try this remedy. I have taken eight bottles, and there is not a spot on my face. It has also cured me of chronic catarrh. I have never enjoyed better health than at present. I feel like a new person. I cannot find words to express my appreciation of its merits, and the gratitude I feel for the glad tidings that came to me through the reading of that advertisement. Wishing you every success, I am Yours truly,

JOSIE OWEN.

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CURRENT NOTES.

Dancing is said to be declining in popularity in England.

There are 3,000 women in charge of postoffices in the United States.

"Thousands of people in peacock costumes hopping around on the floor" is the way Rev. Dr. Naylor, of Washington, describes the inauguration ball.

A new rival to coffee is "Mussaenda," or wild orange, a plant producing a purple fruit. About 24,000 acres of this plant are now being cultivated in the island of Reunion.

Rev. Father Augustus Tolton, pastor of St. Joseph's church in Quincy, Ill., is the only colored Catholic priest in the United States. He is thirty-three years old and was born a slave on Stephen Elliott's plantation in Balis county, Mo.

A picture catalogues at the recent sale of the Stebbins collection in New York as an original crayon drawing by Rosa Bonheur, and sold $725, has been discovered to be merely a plain photograph, retouched with India ink and Chinese white, and worth about $5.

The great vault of the treasury is full of silver dollars, making $88,000,000 now stored in it. It was expected that the vault would hold 100,000,000 silver dollars, but, owing to the size of the boxes in which the dollars are deposited, it was found that the vault fell short of its supposed capacity by $14,000,000.

Philadelphia Ledger: If Pennsylvania troops will spare the time and and the trouble to participate in the New York Centennial celebration, and themselves foot the $40,000 transportation bill, New York will provide ground for them to parade over. How vividly all this recalls the generosity of the Empire state in connection with the centennial celebration in 1876.

The Fort Payne Coal & Iron Company have let a contract for a brick block to be occupied by the Bank of Fort Payne, which has already been organized and will soon be ready for business.

The Republican.

L. W. GRANT, Publisher.

MARCH 9, 1889.

The Governor has appointed Attorney-General McClelen to the Supreme Court bench.

The selection of a cabinet by President Harrison gives promise of a weak administration.

Already a big row is promised in the Republican party over the selection of Mr. Harrison's cabinet.

The inaugural address of President Harrison was a disappointment to the South. It was hoped he would prove himself too big a man for sectional prejudice. But he is not.

Removal from office under the new administration will be slow, and the impatience of hungry office seekers will be correspondingly great. But Mr. Harrison says importunity for place will be no recommendation. All that is left the average southern Republican is to retire to his closet and there grit his teeth.

Alabama newspapers are expressing surprise that the office of Attorney-General should be so desirable to good lawyers of the State, when the salary is only $1,500. It may not be generally known, but the fees of the office together with the salary make quite a "fat take" for the incumbent.

Mr. Satchwell, agent of Frederickson & Co., colonizers, of Chicago, with Mr. F. Deserer of Iowa, was in Jacksonville Wednesday and Thursday, on business connected with settlement of the lands of Fredericksen & Co., near Jacksonville. Mr. Satchwell says that several parties of immigrants will be in Alabama from the Northwest during this and next month. One or more of these parties will likely come to Jacksonville.

The appointment of Attorney-General McClellan to the Supreme Court bench leaves the office of Attorney-General vacant and to be filled by appointment at the hands of the Governor. Senator Jno. L. Burnett, of Cherokee is one among several who have been mentioned for the place and it is understood he is an applicant. Gov. Seay can make no mistake in appointing Mr. Burnett. He is industrious and competent, and his appointment would be gratifying to the Democracy of this section of the State.

Circuit court has been in session two weeks, Judge Box presiding. All cases on the docket that can be tried this term will be disposed of this week and court will likely adjourn at the end of this week and not hold over the next week, is allowed by law. Henceforth the court may hold at Jacksonville until the business is disposed of, and the consequence wi be that from now on the docket wi be kept comparatively clear and all litigants as well as all parties prosecuted will get speedy trials. The Anniston city court will get to work in April and this will further tend to relieve the docket.

The Orphans' Home under charge of the North Alabama Conference of the M. E. Church South, which was chartered by the Legislature at its late session, will be located in April by the executive committee. Enquiry has been addressed to the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Company to know what the company will do in the way of donation of land to secure its location at Jacksonville. The company will take action at its next Directors' meeting. It is safe to say the company will be liberal. There are many reasons why the Home should be located in Jacksonville.

The maimed Confederate soldiers and the widows of Confederate soldiers will get more this time than heretofore. The appropriation made by the Legislature this year is fifty thousand dollars. The Senate made the amount one hundred thousand dollars, but the House would not agree to that and so the amount remained at fifty thousand as it came from the house. No soldier or widow who has more than $400 worth of taxable property (except soldiers totally blind,) can participate in the fund. The object is to have the money go to those really needy, and not have it frittered away on people of good circumstances as heretofore.

The Hot Blast is right when it says the proposed mineral road from Jacksonville to Anniston will be of great benefit to both places. It will give Jacksonville access to the various lines of railroad that meet at Anniston. It will give to the Anniston furnaces the rich ores that lie along its line. These ores have been recently prospected by a mining engineer, who pronounces them of very fine quality and practically inexhaustible as to quantity. He says twenty-five hundred tons daily can be mined at points named on the line cheaper than anywhere else in the South. In addition to these two leading considerations there will be other advantages growing out of a free intercourse between the people of the two towns hardly to be estimated in dollars and cents. The prospects of the road are very bright. Jacksonville Hot Blast.

put up very near fifty thousand dollars of the sixty thousand bonus necessary to secure the the building of the road in ninety days. What will Anniston do? The Woodstock Iron Company could well afford to subscribe the balance, for the road taps some of their richest iron mines now inaccessible, among them being one two and a half or 3 miles southeast of Jacksonville, over which all mining engineers, who have visited the ore beds of this section, have grown enthusiastic.

That patriotic and big-brained statesman of Alabama, Gen. E. W. Pettus, addresses some timely suggestions to the Democrats of the "black belt" that they would do well to heed. They cannot with impunity any longer deny to the Democracy of the "white belt" their just representation in the counsels of the party on any sort of pretext whatever, nor continue to refuse them a reapportionment of representation to which they are justly entitled. The white democrats of this section of the State have submitted to much that they would not have submitted to but for the peculiar environments of their brethren of the "black belt;" but human nature is human nature, and it is not in the nature of a high spirited and free born race to submit to any sort of implied inferiority long, for any sort of reason or under any pretext. Gen. Pettus, being a wise and sagacious man, has read the signs of the times well, and like the true and brave man that he is, he sounds the note of warning in time. It will be well if his counsels are heeded.

SUICIDE OF GEORGE W. FOSTER.

A Young Lawyer Goes to His Wife's Grave and Blows Out His Brains With a Pistol.

TUSKALOOSA, Feb. 27—George W. Foster, a young lawyer of this city, committed suicide this morning about 9 o'clock in the old cemetery, whither he had gone, accompanied by his cousin, Mr. Noble Foster. As they neared the grave of Mrs. Bell Booth Foster, G. W. Foster's wife, who has been dead three years, he requested his cousin to leave him alone for a few minutes. He then placed a pistol to his head and blew his brains out and fell lifeless across his wife's grave. No cause is assigned for the act.

The sad tragedy detailed above will cause wide regret, as there are few readers of the Age-Herald who do not know about Geo. W. Foster and the beautiful woman who was his wife.

Mrs. Foster was a Miss Belle Woodruff, of Tuscaloosa, and in her young ladyhood was a belle among the belles of a city famous for the beauty and grace of its women. She married a Mr. Booth and went to Mississippi to live, returning a number of years afteward, about 1879, as a widow, with three bright and handsome children. The years had but added to her beauty of face and the stately grace of her figure. At her home in Tuskaloosa, in the gay society of the State Capitol, in Birmingham—everywhere she went, admirers crowded about her, and her social triumph was comple.

George Foster was a young lawyer, a member of the numerous, wealthy and highbred Foster family, which is part and parcel of the county and city of Tuskaloosa. Though much her junior, he fell in love with the beautiful widow Booth and she with him, and about five years ago they were married. They afterward removed to Anniston, where young Foster practiced law. There was no cloud on the happiness of their life until the darkness of death came to the wife in the shape of a sudden illness, and falling back in the arms of her devoted young husband she was dead.

Mr. Foster afterward went back to Tuskaloosa, where he lived until the tradgedy of yesterday. The Age-Herald's special assigns no cause for the unhappy deed. Could it have been aught than grief for his beautiful dead wife?

THE CABINET.

The Plumed Knight at the Helm, and the Other Big Men of the Party Left Out—The Senate Promptly Confirms the List.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—President Harrison to-day sent to the senate the following nominations:

Secretary of State, James G. Blaine, of Maine.

Secretary of the Treasury, William Windom, of Minnesota.

Secretary of War, Redfield Proctor, of Vermont.

Secretary of the Navy, Benjamin F. Tracy, of New York.

Secretary of the Interior, John W. Noble, of Missouri.

Postmaster General, John Wanamaker, of Pennsylvania.

Attorney General, W. H. H. Miller, of Indiana.

Secretary of Agricultnre, Jeremiah Rush, of Wisconsin.

The nominations were confirmed in a ten minutes session of the senate.

Last Thursday, George Smith, colored, was found dead in a ditch on J P. Stevens' farm, three miles from Gadsden. Coroner Lowry held an inquest over the dead body. The verdict was that the deceased came to his death by accidental drowning. His body was carried to the ditch by the recent high water. We understand Smith's father is also missing. —Gadsden Times-News.

Rival Towns at War.

TOPEKA, KAN., March 6.—Gov. Humphrey yesterday received a telegram from Horace that an armed mob from Tribune had visited that town to carry off city property. The telegram said that the mob was prevented from accomplishing its mission, but that serious trouble was feared. The Governor telegraphed the Sheriff of Greely county that he had ample power to preserve the peace, and directed him to do it fearlessly and impartially. The trouble grows out of the county seat trial, which has been in progress in Greely county for the past two years, the rival towns being only two miles apart.

Off for Utah.

OXFORD, ALA., Mach 3.—To-morrow morning Hiram Harrison and his family, consisting of a son and seven daughters will leave for Ogden Utah. They are all converts to Mormonism. Harrison lived in the mountains about twenty miles east of this place, and five years ago was a Hardshell Baptist preacher. Two Mormon elders spent a month at his house and made converts of him and his entire family. Since that time Harrison has been preaching Mormonism and has made several converts.

The farmers of Mississippi seem to be more progressive than those of Alabama, if we are to judge from the rapid advance made in the dairy business. They are all talking and writing about ensilage and silos, and say that the south needs 10,000 silos where it now has one. This is one of the numerous benefits to be derived from the Farmers' Alliance. It brings the farmers together and is virtually an institute, held at least four times a year. How many silos are there in Hale county? Ensilage in winter for dairy cows is almost indispensable. Sorghum and Indian corn sowed together broad cast is said to be the very best crop that can be grown for ensilage.—Greensboro Beacon.

The Dummy Line.

There is great interest manifested in the projected Anniston, Jacksonville & Williamsport Dummy Line, which is confined to no particular section of the county through which the proposed line is to pass. There is no doubt in the minds of those who have looked well into the matter that the enterprise will pay, and that it will be of immense benefit in various ways to both both Jacksonville and Anniston. In the former town the enthusiasm is great and the business men are showing their faith in the enterprise by taking stock and evincing a liberal spirit in the matter of granting right of way, etc.

The Hot Blast wishes the enterprise every success, commends the movement as practicable and calculated to be of great advantage and hopes that the gentlemen who are taking an active part in the movement will meet with hearty encouragement. We should by all means have the dummy line.—Anniston Hot Blast.

No man ever retired from high station in this country with a more honorable record than that made by Grover Cleveland. No president has been more useful, none braver, honester, abler. He entered the great office with scant preparation and showed from the start that his scund sense, sagacity, honesty and firmness of purpose to do right stood him in good stead of experience in state craft. Detraction has labored and lied in vain concerning his official and personal life in the presidency. He carries with him into private life the thorough respect of a vast majority of his fellow-citizens; his administration will go into history as one of the ablest and cleanest in our political annals.—Chattanooga Times.

STATE NEWS.

Gov. Seay delivered an address of welcome to the conference.

L. J. Dawson has been re-elected Mayor of Greensboro.

McDonald's Opera House, Montgomery, is to be sold at auction on Monday.

Shelby has scented a boom and talks of establishing a car manufactory and various other enterprises.

Bessemer has issued bonds to the amount of $30,000 for the erection of a city hall and extension of sewerage system.

The Hon. Thos. N. McClellan, the present attorney-general, has been appointed as the fourth Supreme Court judge.

The Huntsville Mercury is pleading manfully for the citizens of Huntsville to raise $40,000 to secure the Cincinnati & Birmingham railroad.

The teachers of Etowah county held an interesting institute in Gadsden, and have arranged a programme for another on the 5th and 6th of April.

In the Tuskegee municipal election there were were three candidates for mayor, but W. P. Thompson was re-elected by 142 votes out of 202.

Dr. Burkhead, of Montgomery, delivered a lecture and preached a sermon at the Chatauqua, De Funiak Springs, Florida. He reports having had an interesting time.

It is said that not less than five hundred converts to Mormonism, gathered mainly in Northeast Alabama, have left Chattanooga within the last six months.

The commissioners of Jefferson county have accepted plans for a new jail to cost about $35,000. It will be 84x42 feet and built entirely of stone and iron, not a single piece of wood to be used in any part of it.

Childersburg has been incorporated, and its first municipal election resulted in the election of E. C. Domerson for mayor, and George Butler, R. Wood, Wm Finn and J. B. Oden councilmen.

TROUBLE HUNTERS.

MEN WHO CLIMB TELEGRAPH POLES AND THINGS THEY SEE.

How Breaks in the System Are Discovered and Remedied—Looking on Beecher's Deathbed—A Lineman Who Did a Woman a Service and Had to Pay for It.

To a person not thoroughly versed in matters pertaining to telegraphing the line room on the seventh floor of the Western Union building on Broadway would prove particularly interesting. It is situated immediately beneath the switchboard, and has over 5,000 wires entering the different windows. This is the linemen's headquarters, and the starting point of the "trouble hunters."

"I am often asked what a 'trouble hunter' is, and I'll tell you," said one of the oldest hands to a Star reporter who was sitting in the room yesterday. "We are notified by one of the operators at the switchboard that circuit thirty-six, say, is dead, and the 'trouble hunter' starts from this point and follows the wire carefully to the spot where the break is. There his responsibility ceases and the repair gang take hold and remedy what defect they find. There are three classes of difficulties we encounter. They are designated as 'open,' 'ground' and 'escape.' An 'open' is a complete break in the wire, which is easily enough repaired when found.

A COOL HEAD REQUIRED.

"When a wire 'grounds' it's a different thing. The earth, of course, is a repository for all electrical fluids, and if an exposed wire touches at any place it naturally interferes with the circuit. A green pole, when wet, is also an excellent conductor, and frequently causes us no end of trouble. A telegraph pole should be thoroughly seasoned before being put into use, but frequently a green one is put up, and then after a heavy shower the wrapper around the wire may become worn, and, the line coming in contact with the green wood, the electrical current, instead of being carried along on the circuit, runs into the earth; and until the defect is remedied the line is practically useless. A green pole from a window, touching an exposed wire, would not interfere with the working unless the pole in some way ran into the earth.

"An 'escape' is on the same principle as a 'ground.' It generally occurs where the insulation on a wire becomes worn and part of the electrical fluid escapes and part runs on the circuit."

"What are the principal qualifications to become a lineman?"

"A cool head. Any one could perform the mechanical part of the work after a little experience, but to do it at an elevation of a couple of hundred feet on a slim pole, when a fall means certain death, is another thing. When a strong wind is blowing it makes the task particularly hard and dangerous. The spurs we wear, attached to our boots, sometimes give way; and then again the wood is often rotten, and one misstep means a fall. There's a knack in climbing up a pole properly, but it's not half as bad as the coming down. The sensation, I can tell you, is very peculiar to a new hand."

SEEN FROM THE POLE'S TOP.

According to the statement of half a dozen linemen spoken to, some very strange sights have been witnessed by them while perched on a crossbar of a pole. One of them in relating his experience said he was working for a telephone company in Brooklyn and had been sent to repair a wire on Clark street. It was necessary for him to climb nearly every pole in the street, and while ascending one near the corner of Hicks street he was enabled to look diagonally into the windows of a house. The sight he saw riveted his attention for a few moments. There was an elderly gentleman on the bed surrounded by members of his family, and was evidently dying. The man gazed at the picture a moment in surprise, and then proceeded with his work and descended to the ground. The house faced on Hicks street, and before the door a small crowd had gathered, and were discussing some news.

"Whose house is that?" he asked an old gentleman who had come down the steps. The gentleman looked at him in surprise a moment.

"That is Henry Ward Beecher's house," he replied, "and he has just died."

Another lineman related a peculiar experience he had while perched on a pole on Third avenue, near Seventy-third street. He had a pair of pinchers in his hand, and was in the act of twisting the two ends of a broken wire, when he heard a woman scream. He turned his head and saw a man in a room abusing a woman, who was screaming at the top of her voice. On the impulse of the moment he threw his pinchers through the window at the brute, who beat a hasty retreat. When he reached the ground the woman was waiting for him. She had called an officer and wanted to have him arrested for assaulting her husband by throwing the pinchers at him. The lineman was obliged to pay for a pane of glass, through which he had thrown the pinchers, notwithstanding he considers his act saved the woman's life. The various experiences they relate, many of them of a very dramatic and interesting character, would fill volumes and show the different phases of life to be found in a great city.—New York Star.

Use of the Electric Needle.

The Washington Star tells the experience of a woman physician who for years has used this method to rid her patients of the hirsute growth that troubles many of the fair sex. "I have treated hundreds of women, children and men, and I have never found a person for whom I could not so regulate the current of electricity as to render the operation of hair killing practically uninjurious, if not entirely painless. As for injuring the skin, I have never seen an instance of it. I have had a few female patients who feared before the operation that they would not be able to stand it, but on trial they did not find it nearly as painful as they thought for."

Poor Rich People.

Perhaps the poorest rich people in this country are the heirs of Commodore N. W. Kittson. They have $5,000,000 in sight as theirs, but the trustees of the estate refuse to pay them a dollar except to settle their monthly bills, because the estate is made the defendant in a suit for $5,000,000.—New York Star.

A thief at Dubuque stole a barrel of eggs, but because the warrant did not specify that they were hen's eggs instead of goose or bird or alligator eggs he was turned loose and allowed to go. Law and common sense were always strangers.

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One Day Walnut Strike Clocks $3.00.

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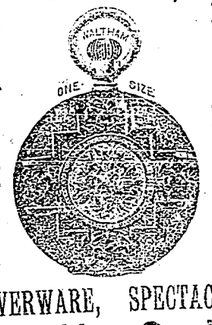

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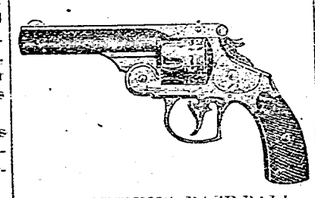

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 9th day of February 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.

E. W. CORB,

feb16-3t Administrator.

TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.

12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.

12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.

11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.

10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.

10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.

16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.

16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.

9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.

8 Allsup Friday March 15.

8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.

1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.

3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.

3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.

15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.

13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.

4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.

4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.

14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.

5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.

2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.

18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.

18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.

6 Peck's Hill, Friday April 5.

7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

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In Chancery.

STATE OF ALABAMA, } Calhoun county. }

Woodstock Iron Co., Anniston City Land Co., vs. A. H. Humphries, N. E. Humphries.

In Chancery at Jacksonville, Ala., 9th District, N. E. Chancery Division.

In this cause, it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of G. B. Skelton witness for complainants that the Defendant A. H. Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his residence is unknown to affiant and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register, that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newpaper published in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said A. H. Humphries to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of February 1889, or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office, in Jacksonville this 17th day of January 1889.

W. M. HAMES,

jan19-4t Register.

SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Attalla R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON.

JNO. D. HAMMOND, President

Secretary.

feb 23-30d.

Administrators Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alfred Ferney, deceased, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door on Friday the 22nd day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described land, to-wit: N½ of NE¼ of Sec 24, T. 14, R8. east, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, containing 120 acres.

S. D. G. BROTHERS,

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Nick, Nickel, Nickels.

Baptist Church.

You are respectfully and cordially invited to attend the following services at the Baptist Church to-morrow (Sunday). Sunday School 9 a. m. Col. James Crook, Supt.

Preaching 11 o'clock a. m. Subject: "Human Depravity."

Preaching 7:15 p. m. Subject: "Unholy Ambition."

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Mrs. Miles W. Abernathy died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Francis, Monday evening, and was buried in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. Wyly Glover, died at the home of her husband, near Merreleton, Tuesday and was buried in Jacksonville Thursday. Fitting tributes to the memory of each of these excellent ladies will appear in a later issue of the REPUBLICAN. No just tribute to their virtues and graces could be penned within the brief space of a local editorial.

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March 16th, 1889.

PROGRAMME:

Music, Instrumental Trio.
Invocation.
Music, Vocal Solo.
Oration, "Fidelity to Trust," Walter V. Montgomery.
Music, Instrumental Solo.
Oration, Counterfeit Success, Thomas R. Williams.
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Address, D. D. McLeod, Anniston, Ala.
Music, Vocal Solo with violin obligato.

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Exhibition of the work done by the Art Class during the past five months. Our friends and patrons are invited to inspect the work by the commercial class in Banking and Railroading; also, the specimens of Penmanship by the lower grade pupils in the Penmanship Department.

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Mite Meeting.

The mite meeting at Gen. Forney's was largely attended by both old and young and quite an enjoyable affair.

The next meeting will be at Mr. C. J. Porter's March 18th.

PROGRAMME:

Instrumental Solo, Miss Fannie Hammond.
Recitation, Miss Lizzie Swan.
Vocal Solo, Miss Minnie Weems.
Reading, Mr. J. T. Usry.
Instrumental Solo, Miss Jessie Adams.
Recitation, Miss Bessie McGinnis.
Violin Solo, Prof. McKee.
Reading, Dr. Crook.
Vocal Solo, Miss Ida Wyly.
Recitation, Miss Lizzie Brennan.
Instrumental Solo, Miss Undine Lane.
Reading, Hon. L. W. Grant.
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Several thousand stalks of sugar cane for seed, on my farm in Alexandria Valley, from the 15th of March until the 5th of April at $2.00 per hundred or $15.00 per thousand stalks. On suitable soil yields 400 to 500 gallons per acre and sells readily at nearly double the price of sorghum syrup. Terms cash.

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County Claims.

The holders of County Claims, series of 1885, and up to No. 774 series of 1886, are requested to present them to me for payment. They will not draw interest after the publication of this notice.

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NOTICE NO. 8641.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., March 4, 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, Ala., on April 22, 1889, viz: James A. Dickinson, Homestead entry No. 1587, for the E½ of NW¼ Sec. 18 T. 13, south of R. 8 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: Able B. Hollingsworth, William C. Hollingsworth, Elisha B. Dickinson, Jabus M. Rhodes, all of Mack, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
mar9-6t Register.

Administrator's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered on the 11th day of February 1889, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of S. D. McClelen deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder on the premises of the old homestead on Tallasahatchie creek between the legal hours of sale on Monday March 11th 1889 the following described lands to-wit: The SW¼ of Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 7, east, except that part in the Big Island. The SE¼ of same Sec. except 53 acres on north end; the NW¼ and W½ of NE¼ and the W½ of E½ of NE¼, Sec. 24, T. 14, R. 7, east; and the E½ of NE¼, Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8; the last lot near Cedar Springs containing in all about 625 acres. Also on Monday March 18th 1889, I will sell in the town of Piedmont (Cross Plains,) 17 acres situated in the W½ of NW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 8, T. 13, R. 10, east; and also an undivided half interest in a brickyard in said town containing two acres more or less. The lands to be sold for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of the estate and for division.

Terms of Sale.—One third cash and the balance on a credit one and two years with interest from date of purchase and security as the law directs. The lands on Tallasahatchie creek are convenient to three railroads.

B. G. McCLELEN,
feb16-3t. Administrator.

ELLIS & STEVENSON
Attorneys at Law,
Jacksonville, Alabama.

Nickel Mining.

The nickel industry of the world is a most peculiar one. It has only been about sixty years since it first came into use as a mineral, though it has been known to Japan and the eastern nations for centuries. There are nickel mines in France, Germany and Wales, in Pennsylvania, Nevada and Oregon. Nickel is not, as is generally supposed, a mineral that is mined like silver and then smelted and reduced from an ore. It is a chemical element which is extracted from arsenides, cobalt and sulphides. The yield from these substances as found in France and Wales is only about 2 per cent. nickel, but the yield of some mines in Nevada, not yet developed, is fully 20 per cent. of puro nickel.

About thirty years ago there was discovered in New Caledonia, a French penal colony, a wonderfully rich deposit of nickel. A French company was immediately formed, and this company today almost controls the trade in this country. It also almost controls the nickel trade of the world, and it has frequently declared its intention to ruin every other nickel manufacturer and run them perpetually out of the business.—Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.

A Big Tomato Yield.

The annual report of the tomato pack of the United States and Canada indicates a second era of over production. In 1888, in spite of cold, a backward season, heavy periods of rainfall in some states and long droughts in others, and early killing frosts in October, there was put up the unusually large pack of 3,319,437 cases of two dozen cans each, or a total of 79,666,488 cans, costing at points of production $8,000,000, and reaching consumers at a total expense of $8,000,000. This is against 2,817,048 cases in 1887.

The canning industry has grown rapidly in the western and southern states, largely reducing the demand upon Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York for such goods. In a few years each section of the country bids fair to supply its wants from home canneries. The leading points of production are Maryland and Virginia, credited with 1,118,733 cases; New Jersey, 789,363; Delaware, 227,030; New York, 197,432; western states, 796,599; eastern states, 43,360; Canada, 73,990.—American Grocer.

Galilean Microscope.

M. Govi, an Italian savant, has presented a paper to the French Academy of Sciences in which he claims for Galileo the distinction of having discovered the microscope as well as the telescope. He has found a book printed in 1610, according to which Galileo had already directed his tube fitted with lenses to the observation of small near objects. The philosopher himself stated, shortly after this date, that he had been able to observe through a lens the movements of minute animals and their organs of sense. In a letter written in 1614 to a Sig. Tarde he states that he has with his microscope "seen and observed flies as large as sheep, and how their bodies were covered with hairs, and they had sharp claws." The date usually assigned to the discovery of the microscope is 1621, and the invention is attributed to Cornelius Drebbel, a Dutchman; but according to M. Govi the date must be thrown back eleven years and the credit of the first construction awarded to Galileo.—London Times.

Young Gentlemen Debutantes.

"Society," said a young lady of several seasons' experience to The Man About Town, "not only has the delights of successive bevies of rosebud debutantes of the fair sex, but also has its charming young gentlemen debutantes, if one can so use the term. And they are delightful additions to society, these fresh, untiring, downy cheeked youths of 18 or 20. They are special favorities with the older society girls, who pet them, and make much of them. Their ingenuousness is refreshing, they fall in love with charming promptness, dance with unfailing enthusiasm, scout the idea of ever becoming blase, and are altogether so innocent, happy and unsuspecting amid the wiles of Vanity Fair that one cannot help but have a weakness for them. They are a wonderful improvement upon the society man whose years of veteran service have transformed him into a sneer done up in an evening suit."—St. Louis Republic.

A Queer Old Fellow.

Of people who have curious ways of living few can be more original than was the late Rev. Dunckley Thomas, who had engaged rooms in Mrs. Wildish's house in 1881, and lived there till 1887. He never permitted her or her servants to enter his room, except once a fortnight. He paid his rent weekly, and at each payment he also gave notice that he would quit in the week following. He never did quit, but he thus preserved his liberty unimpaired. Among his property, consisting of £8,000 or £10,000, he had a note of £1,500, which, whenever he became ill, he would always present to his landlady on the condition that if he recovered she should give it back to him. This occurred frequently, Mrs. Wildish always returning the note. Finally Mr. Thomas died, and his executor sued her for the note, which the courts finally gave to her.—London Life.

A Siamese New Year.

All Siamese birthdays are celebrated at New Year's, and at this time the curious custom of "hair cutting" is observed. When a boy reaches the age of 11 or 15, and a girl that of 9 or 13, they are considered no longer children. Up to this time a tuft of hair is allowed to grow just above the forehead, and is always dressed with great care. It is twisted into a graceful knot and held together with a long gold or jeweled pin. At the base of this knot is worn a wreath of fragrant white flowers. The ceremonies of hair cutting often last five or six days. It is the "coming out party" of the boy or girl, and thereafter they are not permitted to mingle with the other sex as children, but are considered to have arrived at a marriageable age.—Buffalo News.

Gen. Butler's Valet.

Gen. Butler's valet is a public curiosity. He is a light mulatto, with regular features, sandy side whiskers, stalwart form and pleasant address. He is a good scholar, has studied law, is competent as a writer, and yet devotes himself to Gen. Butler's personal care as faithfully as if he were a slave, but with a great deal more independence. His affection for the general is very deep, and is evidently reciprocated, for the general undoubtedly realizes that the servant is fitted for better things and is sacrificing himself. Possibly the general's will, when he dies, will be found to express what he thinks about it.—New York Graphic.

JAS. HUTCHISON,

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JACKSONVILLE, ALA

NOTICE.

If parties owing us accounts on our Stable books do not settle by cash or note by the 1st. of January, 1889, they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. We mean business.

MARTIN & WILKERSON.
Dec. 22nd, 1888.

A HUMAN STORAGE BATTERY.

Peculiarities of a Resident of Joplin—How He Locates Mineral.

The Hon. Fred W. Mott and Col. O. A. Haines, who have just returned from a visit to Joplin and the southeast, relate a peculiar story of a human phenomenon, a Mr. McKinstry, who is astonishing the natives there. McKinstry is 6 feet 2 inches tall, of somewhat angular and awkward build, though lithe and muscular. His peculiarity is the wonderful affinity he has for the earth and the vast amount of electricity in his system—he being, in short, a sort of an immense human Leyden jar. They say that when he walks over the ground a few hours he becomes thoroughly exhausted and so limp and helpless that he has to be assisted home. But he has to keep walking, for when he stands firmly on one spot of ground for a few seconds he becomes as if rooted, and has to have one foot assisted loose, when the other can be moved, and then, by treading up and down for a minute, the electric current becomes broken, in the course of which, however, the peculiar sparkling incident, for instance, to brushing a black cat's hair backward, is developed.

But what is causing a sensation there is his claim of being able to locate mineral. Most every one is familiar with a part of the process—walking over the ground with a forked peach switch, held horizontally in front of the waist, either extremity grasped in the hand, and the stem from which the two branches issue pointing frontward. McKinstry has adopted this plan, and improved on it to locate mineral. Four months ago he fitted up his simple machine and asserted his ability, not only to tell where mineral was, but just at what depth it could be struck and the value of it. To search for water he simply takes the peach switch. In quest of lead he caps the knob by a ferrule of composition, in which aluminum is a large factor.

To discover a zinc deposit this gives place to a large one, in which platinum predominates. It is stated that whenever a man has delved in the earth at a point marked by him, mineral has been found at about the depth the "witch" had promised. Superintendent J. D. Vincil, of the Viroqud mine, so Mr. Mott says, offered the human battery $25 to "point" out a pocket for him. On the other hand Vincil warned the witch that in the event of a failure he (Vincil) would kill him. So confident was McKinstry in the virtue of his charm that he accepted, and going over the ground stated that zinc would be found twenty-six feet below the surface at a given point. Work was begun and the shaft is now eighteen feet, and McKinstry still hangs nonchalantly around. He has not ordered a coffin to date.

Mr. Mott and the colonel were so imbued with faith in the potency of the trick that they invested on the strength of what the miners believe necromancy, but which they, somewhat familiar with science, account for by the popular philosopher's stone—electricity. Mr. Mott states that each one of them grasped an end of the magic stick as it turned, thus supplementing the hold of the operator, but that the attraction was so strong that it turned, despite their combined efforts to prevent it, even twisting the bark off the branch. Every one is watching for the development of Vincil's test. If it succeeds they will be elated by the confidence that at last they have an open sesame to the treasures hidden away in the subterranean recesses of the earth.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Literary Grave Digger.

In a remote part of down town New York lives a man who unconsciously is the grave digger of many an author's hopes and ambitions. He is the "reader" for one of the largest publishing houses, and often has the manuscript of several houses on his desk. His literary judgment is marvelously good, and his decision is invariably the law with the publisher.

"My life is becoming burdensome," he said the other day, "because of this thirst for passionate writing which has entered our literature since the success of that Rives girl. Why, it seems as if all the feeble minded young women in the country had got possessed with the idea that if they can once publish a truly "fleshy" novel their fortunes are made. As a result scores of ill spelled, execrably written stories are thrust upon me, and there is no stopping it. For the most part the deluded women who write them try to be very gross, with a dainty little wickedness to enliven it; the effect is dreadful. I am sure if the reading public suspected the service I do them by reading and crushing these literary atrocities, I would be canonized."—New York Letter.

Tiscapa Lake.

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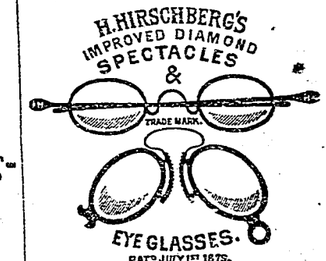

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NOTICE NO. 8103.

Land office at Montgomery Ala, November 7th, 1888.

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 December 24th 1888, viz: Edward L. Buchanan, Homestead No. 1489, for the NW¼ of NE qr., S½ of NE qr., NW qr. of SE q, Sec. 28, T. 16, south, R. 7, east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jake O. Daugherty, Lee Gray, James Murphey, Samuel Maddox, all of Marthadel, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
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I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.
17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganuway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.
6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

feb. 16-3t J. V. RHODES, Tax Assessor.

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Administrators Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alfred Forney, deceased, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door on Friday the 22nd day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described land, to-wit: N½ of NE¼ of Sec 24, T. 14, R8, east, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, containing 120 acres.

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Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 9th day of February 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.

E. W. COBB,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters testamentory under the last will and testament of Joshua Draper, Sr., having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of January, 1889, by the Hon. E. F. Crook Judge of the Court of Probate for Calhoun county, State of Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or thus the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are respectfully requested to pay the same.

ANNIE E. DRAPER,
EDWARD, T. CLARK.
feb 16-3t

NOTICE NO. 8469

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 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 March 18, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas B. Swink, Homestead 7516, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 14s, R 6 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ottery, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Pecks Hill; Oakley Brown, of Ohatchie, Ala.

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Sehriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 14th day of February, 1889, against Ira. C. Hill and others and in favor of Margaret Badget and others, I will proceed to sell at public outcry before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1889, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate property to-wit:

Fractions 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11, in Sec. 35, T. 12, R. 8, east and also lots No. 8 and 9 in Douthits plan, also known on the new map of Jacksonville, Ala. as Nos. 191 and 191½. near the depot of the E. T. V. & G. R. R. in the town of Jaksonville, Ala., said land containing about two hundred and 30-100 acres, and said lots being 10 rods wide and 32 long, each running back north from Depot street. and bounded south by Depot street on east by lot No. 10 which sold by Wm. H. Cook to Brittains, on west by C. W. Brewton lot and on north by lands now owned by V. L. Weir, levied on as the property of Mrs. Emmaline Cook, for the satisfaction of said execution.

L. P. CARPENTER.
feb16-4t Sheriff.

Commissioner's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order heretofore made by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said court, will sell at public outcry before the court house door, for cash, on Monday the 25th day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described property to-wit: Lots Nos. 25, 26 and 27 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, in Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 8, east, in Calhoun county, containing five acres more or less, and known as the old Turnley homestead. Sold for division among the present owners, Mrs. Josephine A. Adams and Jas. A. Gladden.

JNO. P. WEAVER,
feb9-3t. Commissioner.

In Chancery.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Calhoun county.

Woodstock Iron Co., Anniston City Land Co., vs. A. H. Humphries, N. E. Humphries.

In Chancery at Jacksonville, Ala., 9th District, N. E. Chancery Division.

In this cause, it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of G. B. Skelton witness for complainants that the Defendant A. H. Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his residence is unknown to affiant and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register, that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newpaper published in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said A. H. Humphries to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of February 1889, or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office, in Jacksonville this 17th day of January 1889.

W. M. HAMES,
jan19-4t Register.

SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Attalla R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON.
JNO. D. HAMMOND, President
Secretary.
feb 23-30d.

Re-Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala., entered on Jan 26, 1889, the undersigned commissioners will again offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry before the court house door in Jacksonville Alabama, on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1889, the following real estate, owned jointly by the heirs at law, of James H. Privett, Deceased, to-wit: The SW¼ of NW¼ and twenty (20) acres off of the north end of the W½ of E½ of SW¼ and W½ of NW¼ of NW¼ and NW¼ of SW¼, all of section 25, township 14 and range 8, east, and also the following: Commencing in the middle of the creek where the Jacksonville and Oxford road crosses mill creek, thence east 5 rods to to the section line, thence north with said section line, 8 rods to the Privett gate, thence along and with said Jacksonville Road to the beginning, containing three acres more or less, in Section 26, Township 14 Range 8, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, about two miles south of Jacksonville, and containing in all 123 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 day of sale. Notes and good security will be required.

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NOTICE.

All persons endebted to the estate of Dr. J. C. Francis, deceased, will settle the same with the undersigned and all persons having claims against said estate will present their claims in due time or they will be barred by law.

J. Y. HENDERSON,
Agent for Heirs of said Estate.

Notice to Non-Residents.

Brothers, Willett & Willett, vs. M. W. McCraw & Co., Defts. The Ala. Car Works, Garnishee, Phillips & Buttorff M'f'g Co., et. als., claimants.

State of Alabama, Calhoun county, in Circuit Court.

It appearing that the above entitled cause was instituted in said court by the issuance of a writ of Garnishment directed to the Alabama Car Works, commanding it to answer, whether at the time of the service of the Garnishment, or at any time intervening the time of serving the garnishment and making the answer, it was indebted to the defendants and whether it will not be indebted in future to defendants by a contract then existing it is liable to defendants for the delivery of personal property or which is payable in personal property and whether it has not in its possession or under its control money or effects belonging to the defendants. That said Alabama Car Works answered that on Nov. 1st 1887, it was indebted to defendants in the sum of Four Hundred 60-100 Dollars. That Phillips & Buttorff Manufacturing Co., of Nashville, Tenn., Mrs. Amanda Phillips, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Alice Baggett of St. Augustine, Fla., have some claim to said sum of money so due. This is therefore to notify the said Phillips & Buttorff manufacturing Co., Mrs. Amanda Phillips and Mrs. Alice Baggett, to appear at the next term of this court to be held for said county on the 25th day of February 1889 and propound their claim to said sum of money due from affiant to said M. W. McCraw & Co.

Given under my hand this the 24th day of November 1889.

JNO. P. WEAVER,
jan25-3t Clerk Cir. Court.

NOTICE NO 8431.

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA. January 19th, 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. March 4, 1889, viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead entry No 2182, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SW qr, Sec. 18, Tp 14 s, R 5 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gaboury, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

mar2-6t J. G. HARRIS, Register.

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NOUREDDIN, THE SON OF THE SHAH.

There was a shah had a second son
Who was very unlike his elder one,
For he went about on his own affairs,
And scorned the mosque and the daily prayers;
When his sire frowned fierce, then he cried, "Ha, ha!"
Noureddin, the son of the shah.

But worst of all the pranks he played
Was to fall in love with a Christian maid—
An Armenian maid who wore no veil,
Nor behind a lattice grew thin and pale;
At his sire's dark threats laughed the youth, "Ha, ha!"
Noureddin, the son of the shah.

"I will shut him close in an iron cage,"
The monarch said, in a fuming rage;
But the prince slipped out by a postern door,
And away to the mountains his loved one bore;
Loud his glee rang back on the winds, "Ha, ha!"
Noureddin, the son of the shah.

And still in the town of Teheran,
When a youth and a maid adopt this plan—
All frowns and threats with a laugh defy,
And away from the mosques to the mountains fly—
Folk meet and greet with a gay "Ha, ha!"
Noureddin, the son of the shah.

—Clinton Scollard.

HOW HE FORGAVE HER.

The unfortunate people who have never corrected their first proof sheet, or cut the leaves of the first copy of their first book, or on opening a newspaper have never suddenly discovered their first favorable review, can have but a very faint notion of what happiness really is! Afterward one writes better, and probably looks on one's first book as very poor stuff, to be forgotten, if possible, or at least ignored on title page or advertisement sheet; but when that book first appeared what untold joy it brought with it!

Many years ago I was one of those perfectly happy persons. My first book (poems, of course—do we not all begin with poetry, because it is so easy, before we venture to attack the difficult prose?) had lately appeared in a charmingly pale binding, suggestive of hope and spring; my first notices had been sweet, with just that dash of acidity necessary to make the draught more stimulating; amiable friends hinted at a rising genius, and fond relatives began to build airy palaces of stupendous height and uncertain foundation, when one morning I received a letter forwarded through my publishers. I opened it in blissful excitement (the commonest things seem to veil fair mysteries of delight when one is a young poet) and found a short note and several poems.

"Dear sir," the letter ran, "your book, 'Mosses and Midges' (delightful and original title), has been given to me to review for The Blackpool Chronicle, and I find so much in it that is sympathetic and true to the instincts of my own nature, that I venture to write to you as a friend to a friend, feeling that we are kindred souls, and should become better known to each other, that our hands may meet, as our spirits already do. I venture also to enclose one or two poems of my own, suggested by your book. They, with others, and some essays, will shortly be published. May I dedicate them to you? Yours faithfully,

"CYRIL BROWNRIGG."

"Dear sir." How delightful! He took me for a man, as indeed most of my reviewers had done. My feminine senses of mischief and mystery were roused, and I determined I would continue to be "dear sir" as long as possible; so I read the poems, and I found them very beautiful, and far, far above anything I could do, and wrote a few lines to my unknown correspondent telling him how flattered I should feel at his dedicating his book to me, and signing myself by the nom de plume I had chosen, Earle Oakhurst.

Earle was really my own name, having been given to me, I always thought, as an attempt to impart a dignified sound to my other two extremely insignificant ones, Amy Smith. Who could expect anything from Amy Smith? But when you said Amy Earle Smith slowly, it sounded rather literary, so I flattered myself. Oakhurst was the name of our house, so for love of it I dubbed myself Earle Oakhurst, and really it sounded quite important and dignified.

A few days afterward I received half a dozen copies of The Blackpool Chronicle containing my new friend's notice of "Mosses and Midges." It was very flattering and generous, with a sort of half tender, half humorous criticism which showed me the weakness of my work far more clearly than the severest censure would have done. Of course, I wrote to thank my reviewer, and after this we corresponded constantly, our letters growing gradually warmer and more confidential.

At last his book, "Stray Thoughts," appeared, and at once made a great sensation. It was dedicated to "My God-given brother and friend, Earle Oakhurst." How proud I was as I read the words, and then suddenly the terrible thought flashed across my mind that I had deceived him, and made him appear ridiculous to every one who knew that I was a woman. It was characteristic of him that he had never inquired or troubled about the sex of his friend, but in his own great honesty had taken it for granted that I should not deceive him even in a trifle, and this, alas, I now felt was no trifle.

I knew not what to do, so, like most weak people, did nothing. I did not even acknowledge the copy of "Stray Thoughts" he sent me, with a letter even more affectionate than usual. I was at this time staying in London with a married cousin, and as my "Mosses and Midges" had been somewhat successful, and had managed to get talked about, I had plenty of invitations and enjoyed myself thoroughly, meeting pleasant and congenial people, and being made much of, for I was young, fairly rich and good looking, and wanting nothing from anybody (the great secret of popularity).

One morning, some days after receiving "Stray Thoughts," while I was still debating how I should make my confession, I got a few lines from its author.

"I am surprised," he wrote, "not to have had a word of greeting from you; but never mind, 'Stray Thoughts' is going so well that I have been asked to come to London to talk over a new venture with my publisher, so shall soon, my brother and friend, make your personal acquaintance; until then, good-by."

I felt overwhelmed with shame, and yet absurdly happy at the idea of really seeing and talking to him. What would he say? Would he forgive me? I looked anxiously in my glass, and thought perhaps he might, for I could not help thinking I looked pleasant, if not pretty, as my friends told me. I could not guess how or where I should meet him, but the next night, when my cousin and I arrived at a musical party, our hostess said to me in a pointed manner, with a smile:

"Your friend is here to-night!"

"Who is my friend?" I thoughtlessly inquired.

"Cyril Brownrigg," she answered, with a laugh. "How will he greet his brother and friend, I wonder?"

I felt myself growing scarlet with shame and annoyance, for I had, of course, been unmercifully teased about that unfortunate dedication, and had carefully explained to all my friends that the author only knew me from my book. I felt that I could not stay and meet him there with all those people watching, and turned to tell my cousin I felt ill and must return home, but she had been claimed for a duet, and was already standing by the piano at the opposite side of the room, so I shrank away into the conservatory, where, behind tall camellias and ferns, I trusted to be unobserved until I could speak to my cousin, and persuade her to return with me. I do not know how long I sat there, lost in a dream, when a voice I knew well said quite close to me:

"Have you seen your 'brother and friend' here yet, Mr. Brownrigg? I know she (with a malicious accent on the she) is here to-night, because I have just spoken to her cousin, Mrs. Wrayburn."

A grave voice answered slowly:

"I do not quite understand you, Miss Gould."

"No!" she laughed. "No, I dare say not! It was a charming little mystery, no doubt, but really it is losing the charm of novelty now, and of course not many of us believe in these quixotic impersonal feelings. Ah! there she is; let me introduce you, pray. Miss Earle Oakhurst, Mr. Cyril Brownrigg. Now I must leave you and sing my little song. Au revoir."

And Miss Gould floated away, and I became confusedly aware of a pair of very grave blue eyes fixed inquiringly and somewhat coldly on my face.

"I beg your pardon," he said, "but your brother—I conclude he is your brother—is a great and dear friend of mine. Is he here to-night?"

"I have no brother," I murmured, and continued hurriedly: "I am Earle Oakhurst—at least my real name is Amy Earle Smith. I wrote 'Mosses and Midges,' and," I added, desperately, seeing how pale and hard his face was growing as the first look of surprise changed to one of cold displeasure, "I am so sorry. Forgive me; I only did it at first for a joke, and afterward I feared"——

"You feared?" he inquired, quietly, as I paused.

"Yes," I said, feeling my cheeks burn and my eyes fill with tears, "I never had a friend like you before, and I feared to lose your friendship!"

"And did you really imagine that to deceive and make me ridiculous was the best means of keeping my friendship?"

"Yes—no—I don't know. I did not think much about it until I saw the dedication, and then I felt too ashamed and unhappy to confess. What can I do? I am so sorry."

"You can do nothing. Will you allow me to take you back to your cousin, who, I believe, has been inquiring for you?" he asked, with a sudden change to icy conventional tones.

I rose without a word, but as we entered the room I whispered:

"Can you forgive me?"

"No, I cannot," he answered, and with a bow left me, and I saw him, after a few words with our hostess, leave the room, and was told afterward he had pleaded urgent business as an excuse for leaving early.

After that miserable evening, though I frequently saw Cyril Brownrigg at musical or literary gatherings, he never spoke a word to me beyond what mere politeness rendered necessary; and yet I always felt a strange new joy in his presence. It was a pleasure to me to hear how popular he was becoming, and to watch his grave eyes light up and his whole face gleam when he talked about anything that interested him.

One night a large party of us were dining together, Miss Gould, Cyril Brownrigg, my cousin and myself being among the number. After dinner we were all going to the theatre to hear a celebrated French actress in one of her most powerful impersonations. By chance Cyril Brownrigg was my neighbor at the meal, but as usual, beyond the necessary polite formalities, did not speak, nor did I, of course, though I was longing to break down this icy wall that separated me from the man I had grown to love so deeply. Presently the lady sitting on the other side of him said:

"I suppose I may congratulate you, Mr. Brownrigg, and I do, very heartily. I really think you have been as successful as you could wish, and every one is saying how entirely you deserve your good fortune."

"Thank you," he answered, quietly, with, I fancied, a half glance at me, "I do consider myself very fortunate, and hope to be even more so before long."

"Ah!" she said with a little laugh, "we shall even have to congratulate you on your marriage, I suppose?"

I could not catch his answer, as just then our hostess rose, and I had to follow; but as we went upstairs a girl I knew said:

"I suppose Miss Gould is to be congratulated. Have you heard of her engagement? A case of love at first sight, I hear. By the by, when will Mr. Brownrigg's new book appear? Is it also to be dedicated to his brother and friend?"

The old joke had not died out even yet, and now came as a keener shame and pain than ever. I made no reply, and though I heard afterward that Mme. Sophie Lenoir surpassed herself, everything that night seemed a blank to me at the theatre. Voices and faces mixed themselves up together in torturing confusion, and the brilliant light seemed only to show me more clearly the utter blackness of my heart and life. My cousin, perhaps, guessed something of my misery, for she said:

"Don't talk to Amy; let her dream. No doubt she is composing sonnets on the actress or the play!"

"So they laughed and left me alone.

Suddenly my apathy was broken by a cry of "Fire!" repeated in louder tones again and again, and people sprang from their seats, as thin streaks of smoke were seen curling round behind the stage. In vain the manager came forward and tried to speak; in vain Mme. Lenoir, who was dying in agonized contortions, rose, and spoke in rapid French, assuring the audience there was no danger; the people grew deaf and blind to everything but the increasing roar, and the smoke and flame, which were now pouring into the theatre itself. The curtain fell, but only for a moment served to deaden the advancing fire.

The confusion was terrible. Women shrieked and sobbed, men swore, and when every now and again a flickering flame blazed higher than before, it showed a sickening scene of struggle and despair.

I felt so miserable that I had never thought of leaving my seat, but sat staring stupidly, as if the frightful scene was no concern of mine, when I was aroused to tingling life again by Cyril's voice close to my ear:

"Take my arm," he said, in low hurried tones, "and for heaven's sake hold fast!"

I clasped it with both my hands, but without a word. He forgave me then; he cared for me; he wished to save me; and the joy of this thought took away all fear. At the same moment the curtains in one of the boxes near blazed up for a few seconds, and by the light I saw my cousin's agonized face, as she struggled to keep on her feet, and was pressed back by the surging, maddened mass from the pit; she saw us, too, and reached her hand out to us.

"Amy! Mr. Brownrigg!" she cried; "help me! do not leave me!"

He turned to me.

"It is impossible to save you both," he said, hoarsely. "Good God! what can I do?"

I saw what he could do, and said:

"Press forward; think only of getting out of this horrible place."

Then the light died away again, and with a smothered sob of intense thankfulness I slid my hands from his arm, and, taking my cousin's, gently slipped them into the same place and pushed her forward, saying:

"Keep firm hold. I will follow close behind."

She was half dead with terror, and scarcely understood, but clung blindly, and he, in the struggle and darkness, did not notice the change, and pushed his way forward, shielding my cousin as well as he could.

I kept close to them until we reached the passage leading to the door of exit into the street, but then somebody seized me by the shoulders and dragged me roughly back, slipping into my place. I lost my balance and fell, and for one horrible minute felt a sickening sense of suffocation as the rush passed over me; the next I struggled on my feet again. Fortunately, I had fallen close to the wall, so was able to support myself against it, and felt my way by its guidance through the blinding smoke in the direction of the door.

I was nearly crushed to death, and very sore and bruised, but I felt the still glow of that great joy in my heart, and thanked God with all my soul that I had been able to show Cyril that I was not entirely heartless. Death seemed nothing to me in comparison with the knowledge that he loved me, for I had seen the love I longed for in his agonized eyes, and heard it in his voice during the momentary flicker.

I suppose I fainted after this, for I have a very dim remembrance of seeing lights appear, as if through a fog, and of feeling strong arms helping me on, and then a total blank, until I found myself in a carriage driving slowly along a dimly lighted street.

"Where is she?" I asked, faintly, looking around for my cousin.

"She is safe," answered Cyril's voice, "quite safe at home by this time; but you, Amy, are you much hurt? How could I have missed you? I shall never forget my horror and misery when I got outside the theatre and found your cousin clinging to me, and you, I knew not where. I rushed in again, but was helpless in the darkness, until at last I found you quite close to the door!"

"Have you quite forgiven me?" I asked.

"Yes, my dearest, I forgave you long ago, and loved you too; but after that evening when I was so hard and merciless I feared to tell you what I felt, and you always seemed to avoid me, and treat me so coldly."

"Oh," I said, between a laugh and a sob, "I thought you never meant to speak to me again, and I heard a lady congratulating you on your approaching marriage to Miss Gould."

"Miss Gould!" he exclaimed. "Why she has just become engaged to Thornton, the artist who painted her portrait in the R. A. this year. What can you mean?"

"I thought," I stammered—"I heard she was engaged directly after hearing you congratulated, and so I thought"——

"You were entirely mistaken," he said, gravely. "That lady was congratulating me on the announcement of the speedy appearance of my new book, and suggested that probably my marriage would be the next subject of congratulation. But there is only one woman I would marry, Amy, the 'brother and friend' I know so well and love so dearly. It is my turn now to ask for forgiveness. Can you forgive me, Amy, and let my new book be dedicated 'To the God given wife and friend' I hope to have always beside me henceforth? Can you, Amy?"

"Yes," I answered, and that "yes" has been the key to my earthly paradise, for surely no other woman can ever have been so happy as I am.

There is no doubt one is absurdly joyful over one's first proof sheet and first review, but Cyril and I always say, after all the last is better than the first, and we ought to know, for we have just finished correcting what will certainly be our very last proof sheet. We have grown old together, since that terrible yet joyful evening, and as we sit hand in hand by the fire, and recall the past, we feel that though the first book was a beautiful preface, yet the deepest joy and holiest content came afterward, when the glamour of poetry and passion being past, we still felt the glory of art, and the unselfish beauty of love grow clearer and more divine with every day we passed together, and every line we wrote.—Once a Week.

A Lofty Ideal.

He who would make progress for himself, or who would help others upward, must have clearly before his mind the ideal of the best conceivable attainment. But while a man must perceive that ideal for himself, it is not always wise for him to disclose it to others. If he would be to others a means of inspiration or of instruction all his words and acts must point in the direction of his ideal; but they are not necessarily to point it out in its explicitness. When Moses would reform the Hebrew view of the marriage relation he made regulations in the direction of the ideal standard of marriage in its pristine purity; but because of the hardness of the people's hearts, through their wrong education up to that time, he refrained from exacting of them all that would have been their duty had they been capable of perceiving it as such. So, again, Jesus withheld some truths from his disciples which they were not yet able to bear, while all that he said to them was in the direction of the greatest truths known to himself. And so it must be with every wise teacher and leader. He needs to have his highest ideal ever before himself; but it may not be expedient to bring its dazzling brilliancy immediately before the dull eyes of those whose gaze upward he is lovingly directing.—Sunday School Times.

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GENERAL LAWS.

AN ACT [H. B. 243.]

For the relief of soldiers maimed or disabled during the late war, and the widows of Confederate soldiers whose husbands were killed or died in said war, and who have not since remarried.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That any resident of this State who, while in the military service of the State, or the Confederate States, lost an arm or a leg, or the use thereof, or who received such wound in said service as renders him incapable physically of making a livelihood by labor, shall be entitled to the benefit of this act, as hereinafter provided; and such resident who desires to avail himself of the provisions of this act must within six months after its passage present a written application to the judge of probate of the county wherein he may reside, that he was a resident of the State at the time of the passage of this act, and is a resident at the time he makes such application, setting forth the company and the regiment or command to which at the time of such service he belonged, the time and place of receiving his wound, the character of such wound, and his present business or employment, which statement must be sworn to before such judge of probate, the original of which said application shall be kept by the judge of probate as an office paper, and a copy thereof transmitted without delay to the Auditor, with a certificate of the probate judge that he believes the statement therein made, entitled to credit, if such probate judge believes such statement to be true; Provided, That any widow who resides in this State, and whose husband was either killed, died of disease, or whose husband died within five years after the close of the war, either from wounds received, or disease contracted during the war; and, provided, Said widow has not since remarried, shall be entitled to the equal benefits of this act upon making satisfactory proof to the probate judge of the county in which such surviving widow may reside; and provided further, That neither the soldier nor the surviving widow whose taxable property exceeds four hundred dollars shall be entitled to the benefits of this act.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That upon the receipt of any copy and certificate as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the Auditor to register immediately a synopsis of the same, with the name of the applicant, in a book to be kept for that purpose, and at the expiration of seven months after the passage of this act, the amount hereinafter appropriated must be divided pro rata among the claimants, and the Auditor must draw separate warrants on the treasurer, payable to the order of such applicant for a sum not exceeding in amount fifty dollars for each applicant, which sum it shall be the duty of the Auditor to transmit to the probate judge of the county in which the applicant resides; Prodided that should any surplus remain after carrying out the provision of this act, it shall be retained in the treasury.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That any applicant under this act who shall swear falsely to any material matter set forth in his or her application, shall be guilty of perjury.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That to carry out the provisions of this act, there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars; but the provisions herein shall not apply to any soldier or the widow of any soldier, who own four hundred dollars worth of taxable property.

Sec. 5. Be it further enacted, That any probate judge who shall knowingly make a false certificate under this act, shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction, fined not less than one thousand dollars.

Sec. 6. Be it further enacted, That twelve hundred dollars of said appropriation shall be distributed among Confederate soldiers who lost their sight in the service of the Confederacy of this State, or who have since lost their sight from the effect of wounds received, or disease contracted in said service; Provided, said blind person has not taxable property of the unincumbered value of one thousand dollars or gross income or salary over the sum of one thousand dollars per year.

Sec. 7. Be it further enacted, That it is made the duty of the Auditor upon the approval of this act, to furnish each judge of probate in this state with such rulings and instructions relative thereto as will fairly and justly carry out the purposes and objects of the same; provided it shall be unlawful for any person who shall receive any money for the benefit of any claimant under this act to deduct anything from the amount allowed said claimant as fees for services or otherwise.

Sec. 8. Be it further enacted, That no person shall be entitled to the benefits of this act who holds an office, the salary of which exceeds four hundred dollars per year, and no person shall receive any of the benefits of this act whose salary or gross income amounts to the sum of four hundred dollars per year.

Approved February 27th, 1889.
Official.

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT. [H. B. 86.]

To provide the means of ascertaining the value of stock killed or injured by the trains or locomotives of railroads in Alabama.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That whenever any stock shall be killed or injured by a any railroad train or locomotive it shall be the duty of the section master on whose section such killing or injury occurs, within twenty-four hours thereafter, to notify the owner of said stock or his agent, if known, of the killing or injury to the same.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That upon the demand of said owner or his agent, it shall be the duty of said section master, to select one disinterested person in the neighborhood, who, together with another disinterested person, who would be a qualified juror in the neighborhood, to be selected by said owner, or his agent, shall assess the value of the stock so killed, or if injured, the amount of such injury, and shall deliver to said section master and to said owner or his agent, a statement in writing, showing the value or amount of injury so ascertained, which statement shall be prima facie evidence of the value of such stock or the amount of such injury in all trials in which such question may arise.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That if the two persons selected as herein above provided, are unable to agree they shall select a third, and the award of any two of them, shall have the force and effect provided for in section 2 of this act.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That if the owner of any stock so injured or killed is unknown, then it shall be the duty of such section master to inform the nearest Justice of the Peace, and he and said Justice shall select two disinterested persons in the neighborhood, each selecting one, whose duty it shall be to assess the value of, or amount of injury to such stock, and who shall have the same power as to selecting an umpire, when they can not agree, and whose award shall be certified in the same manner, and shall have the same force as herein above provided for.

Sec. 5. Be it further enacted, That each of the persons appointed under the provisions of this act shall be entitled to fifty cents for his services, which shall be paid as costs in civil cases is paid.

Sec. 6. Be it further enacted, That if upon the demand of the owner of the stock or of the Justice of the Peace as herein above provided as the case may be, the section master shall fail or refuse to select an appraiser, then said owner or said Justice may select two disinterested appraisers, living in the neighborhood, the appraisers thus selected shall have the same power and their award shall have the same force and effect as in the case provided for in the preceeding sections of this act.

Sec. 7 Be it further enacted, That any section master knowingly failing to give the notice of the killing of or injury to stock as required in by the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Approved February 28, 1889.
Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT

To authorize members of the different Farmers' Alliances or other organizations of like kind of the state to organize themselves into a body corporate.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the general assembly of Alabama, That when members of the different Farmers' Alliances, or other organizations of like kind in the state desire to organize themselves into a body corporate, they are hereby empowered to do so under the law authorizing corporations for any industrial business or lawful enterprise, and may proceed to perfect such organization under chapter 2, part 2, title 1 of the code.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That all laws which are now aplicable to corporations under said chapter 2, part 2, title 1, shall apply to such corporations; provided, that the stockholders of such corporation may, through their by-laws, regulate the manner of voting, irrespective of any provisions now required by the code.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That the provisions of this act shall also apply to corporations already organized by said Farmers' Alliances, or other organizations of like kind.

Approved, February 19, 1889.
Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

People who are in the habit of playfully drawing guns, pistols or other fire arms on others, whether weapons are loaded or not, would do well to remember that the recent Legislature passed a law making it a misdemeanor to do so, and on conviction of said offence shall be fined not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars.—Greensboro Watchman.

The Republican.

J. W. GRANT, Publisher.

MARCH 16, 1889.

Gen. Forney, our faithful and honored member of congress, returned from Washington last week, and is now enjoying that rest from labor to which he is richly entitled, after the arduous labor of the session recently ended. He is in much better health than the public has been led to believe from press bulletins from Washington. The pure air and water of this healthful region will soon restore him to his wonted vigor.

The Editor of the REPUBLICAN acknowledges a cordial invitation to attend the Scotch-Irish Congress at Columbia, Tenn., in May next.

Among the distinguished men who will deliver addresses, are; Col A. K. McClure and Dr. MacIntosh, of Philadelphia; Dr. John Hall, Dr. McCracken, Mr. Robert Bonner, of New York; Dr. McLoskie, of Princeton College; Hon. Henry W. Grady, of Atlanta; Senator Zeb. B. Vance, of North Carolina; Dr. D. C. Kelley of this State. Tennessee's Governor, Robert L. Taylor, will deliver the address of welcome.

A sly correspondent of the Montgomery Advertiser signing "Democrat," affects a to fall in with Gen. Pettus' suggestion of "fair toting" among the white democrats of Alabama, and suggests that representation in the Legislature be taken as a basis for representation in conventions of the party. Owing to a failure of the Legislature to make a fair re-apportionment after the census of 1880, this would would be no more satisfactory than the present condition of things. It might do, for awhile, after the re-apportionment following the census of 1890, which the white counties intend to demand.

Why not take the Presidential and Congressional elections as a basis?

Charleston has been in a high state of excitement for some days over the muder of editor Dawson, of the News and Courier, by Dr. McDow of that city, and more than once it was feard the indignation of the people would break all bounds and lead to the lynching of the miserable murderer. McDow is known in Charleston as a dissolute man and a rake. Employed in the family of Editor Dawson, as nurse, was a Swiss or French girl of pleasing figure and face. McDow marked her for a victim and more than one stolen interview was had between them. Mr. Dawson attempted to save the honor of the girl and went to McDow's office to remonstrate with him. There he was murdered.

Dawson was one of the most brilliant editors in the South and wielded unbounded influence in the politics of South Carolina. His death is a loss to the whole South.

Captain Euclid Johnson, well known and much respected in Calhoun county, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Rome, Ga., some days ago. He was very highly esteemed in Rome and his funeral was very largely attended by citizens and several societies of which he was an honored member. Capt. Johnson was born at White Plains in this county and spent his boyhood in Jacksonville. With the opening of the war he went into the Confederate service and made a faithful soldier. Following the war he went into business at Selma. Removing thence to Montgomery he was several years in business there. His last change was made to Rome, where he was in business for several years prior to his death. He leaves a wife and one son.

A two days visit to Anniston this week convinced the editor of the REPUBLICAN that the stories told of the marvelous growth of the town by the local press are not overdrawn, and that the plucky city well deserves the high estimation in which it is held throughout the state by the best posted people. Anniston is regarded by observant men throughout Alabama as only second in importance to Birmingham, while many believe it to be only a question of time when Anniston will lead Birmingham in the manufacture of iron, the iron ore of this region being of much better quality than that about Birmingham, and equally as plentiful. The iron made from the brown hematite ore commands a better price in market than that made from the red fossilliferous ores, and herein lies the ultimate advantage of Anniston over any other competitive point. Add the fact (as developed by the mining engineer who recently went over the line of the proposed mineral railroad from here to Anniston) that this ore can be mined more cheaply than anywhere else in the State, and there appears good ground for the expectation that Anniston will not long follow the lead of city any in the State in iron manufacture, and the growth that that brings.

The editor of the REPUBLICAN was the recipient of many courtesies at the hands of the hospitable and progressive people of Anniston, of which he is duly appreciative. That which pleased him most, however, was to find a generous spirit of good will towards Jacksonville, a desire for a closer union by another railway and a universal hope that the old town would yet "strike it rich" by finding the wherewithal to develop her splendid resources.

There is a splendid destiny awaiting this whole section from Shelby Iron Works to Tecumseh and beyond. In the near future it will be the richest country of the same area in the world. There is room enough for more than one city of splendid proportions. The thing now needed is willing co-operation all along the line and utter freedom from any spirit of jealousy or rivalry, which cannot by possibility be of any advantage, but which may retard the march of fortune.

The Famous.

There is an old adage that anything worth doing at all is worth doing well. This applies especially in business matters, and our friends of "The Famous," of Anniston, have adopted it as a busines motto evidently.

"The Famous" is a clothing store, in fact as well as in name. The house sends a man to New York each season and the result is the purchase of large stocks of the very latest styles of clothing of all qualities, suited to the tastes and needs of this market.

It is a real pleasure to go into the neat and extensive establishment of "The Famous" and look over the almost illimitable selection of fine goods that charm the eye and please the taste. Here a gentleman may dress in any quality of goods that his purse can afford. There is no dearth of goods. He can select from a thousand different qualities, each apparently more tasteful than the other. No house in Alabama keeps a better or larger supply, and the prices are so reasonable as to astonish the purchaser. Add to this the most polite attention of every gentleman connected with the establishment and the customer finds a combination rarely to be met with. If you want a fine suit, of late style and good fit, go to "The Famous." If you want a business suit at low price, go to "The Famous." If you want anything in the clothing line at reasonable price, you cannot afford to pass "The Famous" when you go to Anniston.

The Dummy Line.

Anniston Hot Blast, 14th Inst.

The Hot Blast several days since commented favorably upon the proposed dummy line between this city and Jacksonville, and urged that there be a liberal response to the call for subscription. We are pleased to learn now from a reliable source that there is every prospect of the project being successfully carried through, provided the encouragement already extended is continued and increased. The scheme has been thoroughly investigated by practical men, and the result is the conviction that the line will pay a fair return on the investment the first year of its existence.

The line will traverse a rich and productive section of the country, which only needs this communication for its great development, and it is argued by those informed on the subject that the freight traffic alone will pay very handsomely. The advantage will be in the close connection of Jacksonville and Anniston, and the opening up to this city a good trade. Anniston is growing rapidly northward, and it is not beyond the range of possibility that in the next quarter of a century Jacksonville will be almost as near a neighbor as Oxford, and the construction of the dummy line will hasten the event. In Jacksonville considerable enthusiasm prevails and there is a spirit of determination that the movement shall be a success. In this move Anniston and the immediate neighborhood to be benefitted should enter earnestly and render what assistance is required. Let the dummy line be built. The Hot Blast endorses the enterprise and feels assured that closer intercourse with Jacksonville by means of a railroad through a valuable section of the county will be of mutual advantage in numerous ways.

Physicians Confess.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admits its superiority over ALL other blood medicines.

Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmart, Ga., writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of the best blood mecicines."

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Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes: "I cheerfully recommend B. B. B. as a fine tonic alterative. Its use cured an excrescence of the neck after other remedies effected no perceptible good."

Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Jacksonville, Ala., writes; "My mother insisted on my getting B. B. B. for her rheumatism, as her case stubbornly resisted the usual remedies. She experienced immediate relief, and he rimprovement was truly wonderful."

A prominent physician who wishes his name not given, says: "A patient of mine whose case of tertiary syphilis was surely killing him, and which no treatment seemed to check, was cured with about twelve bottles of B. B. B. He was fairly made up of skin and bones and terrible ulcers."

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TWO CHATEAUX.

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The Tourist Liable to Be Deceived by a High Sounding Name—A Place That Should Be Called a Ranch Water That Came Exceptionally High.

France is full of chateaux, under which name are included a great variety of buildings so great that when you hear of a place so called you do not at all know what to expect. Information is always hard to get in a foreign land and the human mind rebels against a perpetual confession of ignorance, so that its owner is apt to accept with a smile of intelligence instructions in a strange language that convey but a shadow of meaning to the hearer, and to trust to experience as the best teacher. I leave it to any candid reader to say, if he would know which promised the most, the Chateau of the Pharos or the Chateau of St. Eulalie? Yet one is a palace, and the other—but let me not anticipate.

A PLEASANT PLACE TO BE SICK.

On one cape of the magnificent bay that includes Marseilles and her harbors, and overlooking them all from its hill, stands the Chateau of the Pharos, giving us an unexpected reward for our difficult walk between quays, fortresses and lighthouse, in its elegance and quiet seclusion. The palace is closed now, and stands as peacefully in its extensive and well kept park as if it were miles away from the busy city—a handsome Renaissance edifice, far more attractive than many more famous royal residences. It belonged to the Empress Eugenie, and after the fall of the empire was given by her to the city of Marseilles, to be used as a hospital. I believe it has not yet been fitted up for that purpose; at any rate, it is not now in use. It is finely situated for a hospital, in such an open, healthy location; it would be almost worth while to be sick in order to recover in such a pleasant spot.

THE OTHER KIND.

It was while we were at Hyeres that we heard of the Chateau of St. Eulalie. Attracted by the poetical name we resolved to visit it, although it was represented as rather too distant for a walk. But with such an object in view we would take the best part of the day, start early, and give up our lunch. Following the directions given, we proceeded down the beautiful valley of Hyeres, between the summits of Costa Bella and the mountains of the Moors, the latter name so suggestive of the times when all this land was racked by piratical incursions of those savage marauders. Crossing the rapid little Gapand river after two or three miles' walk, and following its banks, we looked in all directions for the stately edifice we expected to show its towers above the yellow sycamores, but in vain. Finally, being directed by the most polite of French cavaliers, whom we fortunately met, and who might have ridden directly out of the middle ages, we turned down a muddy lane and found—a ranch! A ranch, though nobody in this effete country knows enough to call it so.

There were a number of long, low stone buildings, scattered among huge old olive trees, peach orchards, groves of mulberries and grass fields; there were great ricks of hay, an old mill, wide barns and tribes of chickens, but no handsome central mansion worthy of the noble family that formerly inhabited it. The only reminders of the ancient times when I suppose princes used to visit here were a dilapidated avenue of lofty trees that once formed the approaches to the chateau, and a singular old tower. This tower must have been built as a refuge for the family and dependents when the pirate galleys were anchored in the harbor and the alarm was spread from one estate to another; a tall, round tower, pierced only by loopholes, with a lookout on the summit of its bell shaped roof. Around its base were battlemented walls, now in ruins, the former moat overgrown with bushes and traversed by chickens, the only useless part of the farm. Amen! May all war so vanish in peace and plenty!

AN EXPENSIVE CANAL.

"Have you seen the falls of Durance?" we were asked soon after our arrival in Marseilles. We replied in the negative, wondering to what the lady could refer, when she explained by adding: "Where the water comes into the town." In 1840 the Marseilles people, having been short of water for some centuries and having, as it happened, no war on hand to exhaust their finances, undertook to bring in a river to satisfy their thirsty souls. The expenditure of 20,000,000 francs resulted in the canal of Roquefavour, which connects the Durance with the city, a distance of twenty-five miles. Marseilles slopes gently upward from its harbor to a hill directly east from that point, about a mile and a half, the hill being 400 feet above the sea level. On the top of that hill arrives the canal, having passed through several tunnels and crossed the final valley on arches like the old Roman aqueducts.—Marseilles Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.

How to Split Paper.

"Oh, dear! I have a picture printed on one side of this paper and some reading matter on the other, and I wanted to save both," said a young lady recently, who was pasting scraps into a book.

"Well, you can save both," said her friend.

"Why, how can I do that?"

"There are two ways of splitting a piece of paper. One is to lay the sheet of paper on a piece of glass, soak it thoroughly with water and then press it smoothly all over the glass. With a little care the upper half of the sheet can be peeled off, leaving the under half on the glass. Let this dry and it will come off the glass easily; of course the glass must be perfectly clean. The second way is a better one, but it requires some good practice. Paste a piece of cloth or strong paper on each side of the sheet to be split. When it has thoroughly dried pull the two pieces of cloth apart suddenly and violently. The paste can then be softened with water and the two halves of the sheet easily taken off the cloths."—New York Mail and Express.

A King's Nurse.

The most gorgeously dressed woman at the court of Spain is the young king's nurse. She always wears a dress of rich black velvet, with broad bands of gold round the skirt, an apron of blue velvet, also trimmed with gold, and a black velvet bodice fastened with silver buttons. This bodice is open in front over a chemise of fine lawn. Round her neck she has five or six rows of coral beads, and upon her dark hair is arranged a handkerchief of rich silk. Her long earrings are also coral.—London Life.

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Sheriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the City Court of Birmingham on the 4th day of February 1889, in favor of Samuel H. Harris and against J. S. Martin, I will proceed to sell on Monday the 18th day of April 1889, at public outcry, before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, to the highest bidder, for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property to-wit: One house and lot No 4, block 186, on Glenn Addie street, in the city of Anniston, in Calhoun county, Alabama, as the property of J. S. Martin for the satisfaction of said execution.

L. P. CARPENTER.
mar16-4t Sheriff.

B. G. McCLELEN,

County - - - Surveyor

Alexandria, Ala

Administrator's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered on the 11th day of February 1889, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of S. D. McClelen deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder on the premises of the old homestead on Tallasahatchie creek between the legal hours of sale on Monday March 11th 1889 the following described lands to-wit: The SW¼ of Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 7, east, except that part in the Big Island. The SE¼ of same Sec. except 53 acres on north end; the NW¼ and W½ of NE¼ and the W½ of E½ of NE¼, Sec. 24, T. 14, R. 7, east; and the E½ of NE¼, Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8; the last lot near Cedar Springs containing in all about 625 acres. Also on Monday March 18th 1889, I will sell in the town of Piedmont (Cross Plains,) 17 acres situated in the W½ of NW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 8, T. 13, R. 10, east; and also an undivided half interest in a brickyard in said town containing two acres more or less. The lands to be sold for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of the estate and for division.

Terms of Sale.—One third cash and the balance on a credit one and two years with interest from date of purchase and security as the law directs. The lands on Tallasahatchie creek are convenient to three railroads.

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feb16-3t. Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County, on the 9th day of February 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.

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Tax Decrees.

The Tax Collector of Calhoun county, Ala., D. Z. Goodlett, filed in my office on March 9th 1889, a list of lands and lots upon which the taxes and costs were unpaid for the year 1888, and back years. Notice is hereby given, unless the owner or agent comes forward and pays off the taxes and costs accrued on said lands and lots, or show cause why the Decree should not be rendered against said lands and lots for the sale thereof a decree will be rendered on the 8th day of April 1889, being the 2nd Monday in said month and a Regular Term of the Probate Court of said county, for the sale of said lands for the payment of the taxes assessed against them, and costs for the year 1888 and previous years for which they escaped taxation, as follows:

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—Half mineral interest in the S½ of SW¼, Sec. 7, T. 14, R. 8; E½ of NE¼ and part of W½ of NW¼ Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8.

Taxes for 1888,	$ 40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	2.00
Total	$3.60

Owner Unknown, Pre No 2—SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 7, 40 acres.

Taxes '87 & '88	$1.28
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.40
Total	$3.88

Mrs. E. Smith, Pre. No. 5—NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 2, T. 15, R. 6.—40 acres.

Taxes for 5 years,	$6.00
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.45
Total	$8.65

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 6—W½ of SE¼ Sec. 25, T. 14, R. 6.—80 acres.

Taxes for 5 years	$6.40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
	$8.95

L. B. Bunney Pre. No. 9—Lot in Piedmont one-eighth of an acre, bounded south by C. I. Sharp, north by Jacksonville road, west by J. A. Woolf and east by I. J. Sharp.

Taxes for 5 years	$3.00
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.80
Total	$6.00

P. P. Houston, Pre. No. 13.—Lot 3 Block 5, Division 1, in Oxanna, Ala., and Lot 3, Block 27, Division 1, Oxanna, Ala.

Taxes for 1888	$6.40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.50
Total	$9.10

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 10, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$28.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1 30
Total	$31.00

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 22, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888

Taxes for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 9, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888

Tax for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 28, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala. of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$24.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$27.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 10, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 13, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$28.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$31.05

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 8, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Tax for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Henry Wyatt, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 16, Block 5, map of Anniston Ala. of 1888.

Tax for 1888	$12.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.30
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County Claims.

The holders of County Claims, series of 1885, and up to No. 774 series of 1886, are requested to present them to me for payment. They will not draw interest after the publication of this notice.

I. L. SWAN,
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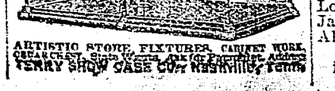

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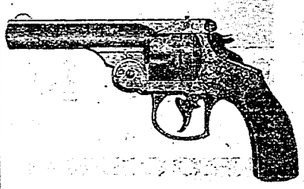

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NOTICE.

Having leased the Wool Carder and Gin formerly run by A. J. Richey, three miles west of Jacksonville, I have had all of said machinery thoroughly overhauled and am now prepared to execute all work in first-class style. Satisfaction guaranteed. All wool shipped to the depot by railroad will be received and returned promptly and with utmost care.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Attala R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON.
JNO. D. HAMMOND, President
Secretary.
feb 23-30d.

Administrators Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alfred Forney, deceased, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door on Friday the 22nd day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described land, to-wit: N½ of NE¼ of Sec 24, T. 14, R8, east, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, containing 120 acres.

S. D. G. BROTHERS,
feb2-3t Administrator.

The Republican.

Issued Weekly.

SUBSCRIPTION RATE.

One year, - - - One Dollar.
Six Months, - - - Seventy-five Cents.
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Subscription must invariably be paid in advance. No name 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.

Nick, Nickel, Nickels.

Mule For Sale.

Apply to J. M. Vansandt at depot, Jacksonville Ala. 2t.

Rev. J. M. McLean, of Oxford, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Oxford and Jacksonville, was stricken with partial paralysis of the tongue some days ago and will not be able to fill his appointment here next Sunday.

We have just received a nice new line of Velvets, Velvetines, Silks, Satins, Ribbons, Veiling, Collars, Cuffs, Gloves and Parasols.
R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

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

Mr. Jas. A. Gladden, of Alexandria valley, one of the oldest citizens of Calhoun county, was stricken with paralysis at his home some days ago and now lies in a most critical condition.

Beautiful line tips, flowers, feathers and plumes, in all shades at R. H. Middleton & Co.

Mr. J. J. Skelton has added to his Undertakers business a nice hearse.

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

Sam Crook, of Anniston, well known and greatly liked in Jacksonville is very sick in Rome, Ga. His case is regarded as almost hopeless. Dr. Jno. M. Crook, of this place went to Rome to see him a few days ago.

Just received, fresh from New York City, nice line spring hats for Ladies, Misses and Children.
R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

We have reduced our price on Acid Phosphate and Guano. Call and see us before you buy.
PORTER, MARTIN & Co.

We are determined to sell you, and in order to do so, we have marked our goods low down.
R. H. MIDDLETON & 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 filed. Sold strictly for 5c. each.

Ladies,

If you need a hat, don't buy until you see our stock of millinery goods.
Resectfully,
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Judges, Lawyers and Physicians highly recommend the "Nickel Ante" cigar as the only promoter to happiness. For sale for 5c. at
ROWAN, DEAN & Co.

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

Messrs. L. J. Willis, T. E. Whatly and W. F. Leach are canvassing the county for the sale of Willis' Family Cyclopedia and Alabama General Business Guide. They are taking orders for the book now to be delivered in October. The price is $2.00, money to be paid when book is delivered. The book comprises dictionary, false pronunciation corrected, guide to business, legal forms, statistics, chronological history, family medicines, cook book receipts and a great deal more of general information valuable to have. To one who does not have a full library the the book will prove very valuable—much more than the price asked.

The Blind Man Eloquent.

Rev. W. H. Milburn, D. D. will lecture in the Noble street Opera House, in Anniston, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, March 19th and 20th. Mr. Milburn was for many years chaplain to Congress. He has traveled and lectured extensively in Europe and America. He always draws large crowds. He is one of the most eloquent men of the age. The London World says of him:

"As an orator and lecturer, he is superior to any we have ever heard."

New York Sun says: "He is a man of great eloquence and unusual cultivation."

As an orator and lecturer he is world renowned. Our people should all avail themselves of the opportunity to hear him. The admission will not exceed fifty cents. He comes upon the invitation of Rev. S. P. West. Reduced rates will likely be secured on all the railroads leading to Anniston.

Shiloh's cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis.

Hosiery and suspenders at R. H. Middleton & Co.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker-mouth. For sale by Hough & McManus.

Pretty scarfs for gents just received at R. H. Middleton & Co.

Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give you immediate relief. Price 10c, 50c and $1. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Ecclesiastical Notice.

The Presbytry of North Alabama will meet in Jacksonville Presbyterian church on Wednesday before the 3rd Sabbath in April, at 7:30, p. m. The opening sermon will be preached, D. V., by Rev. J. H. Bryson, D. D., of Huntsville.

To allay all needless uneasiness the pastor of the Presbyterian church takes this method of saying to his people in Jacksonville that he has every reason to believe that the attack of paralysis is altogether partial and will prove of short duration, and that he hopes very soon again to see them all at their homes.

Very truly yours,
JAS. M. McLEAN.

Now for the Ladies.

Pretty line Indian Linens, Check Muslin, Lawns, and all kinds white and colored Lawns at R. H. Middleton & Co.

The lecture at the First Baptist church last night by Rev. Dr. M. H. Lane, of Jacksonville, was one of the most enjoyable events of the season.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Are you made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness, loss of adpetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's vitalizer is a postive cure.

Public Debate.

The Caloun Debating Society of the State Normal school will hold their annual public debate in the College Chapel 7:30 p. m. Saturday March 23, 1889.

PROGRAMME.

MUSIC.

INVOCATION.

MUSIC.

Salutatory, J. J. McKee, President.

Oration, The Vicissitudes of a half century, F. C. Stevenson.

Declamation, The Unknown Speaker, J. F. Whetstone.

Music.

Debate.

Subject: Resolved that the XV Amendment to the Federal Constitution should be repealed.

Affirmative.—Jeff Sox, E. D. Connor.

Negative—J. T. Usry, J. L. Bynum.

Music.

Discussion.

Benediction.

All are cordially invited to attend.

The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's consumption cure."

IN MEMORIAM.

ADERHOLDT.—At the residence of her father, in Jacksonville, Ala., Feb. 23rd, 1889, Willie, daughter of Jonas and Fannie Aderholdt, aged about 18 years.

A joy has departed from the dwelling, a shadow has fallen across the hearth. The eldest daughter, full of life and promise has been taken away. Ever thoughtful, helpful and kind, her presence was a light and joy in the loving family circle, and her absence is a bitter grief and sorrow. With our tears and sympathy, we mingle our prayers that her parents in this dark hour may know the full comfort of Our Heavenly Father and through sanctified affliction be prepared to meet their darling where the shadows never come.

"Dearest sister thou has left us,
Here thy loss we deeply feel;
But 'tis God who has bereft us,
He will all our sorrows heal.

Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
Then in heaven with joy to greet thee,
Where no farewell tear is shed."

Porter, Martin & Co. sell the Hygeia Tobacco. Cures heart-burn.

A nasal injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's catarrh remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by Hough & McManus.

We are agents for the "Nickel Ante" cigars. Guaranteed to be clear Havana filled.
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Why pay 10 cents for a cigar when you can purchase the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5 cents at
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Chew Hygeia tobacco. Cures heartburn. For sale by Porter, Martin & Co.

NOTICE NO. 8041.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala.
March 4, 1888.

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, Ala., on April 22, 1889, viz: James A. Dickinson, Homestead entry No. 15287, for the E½ of NW¼ Sec. 18 T. 13, south of R. 8 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Able B. Hollingsworth, William C. Hollingsworth, Elisha B. Dickinson; Jabus M. Rhodes, all of Mack, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
Register.
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A Marriage Notice.

The Roumanian villages are by no means as picturesque as the Bulgarian, which derive most of their beauty from the trees and gardens by which they are surrounded, for every Bulgarian is by natural instinct a gardener. In southeastern Wallachia and along the shores of the Danube the peasants live in holes dug in the ground and roofed over with a rude thatch, but near Bucharest the houses are fairly built, whitewashed and covered with a thick thatch of cane, which extends beyond the walls and forms a shady veranda supported by poles. I noticed that the walls of some of the houses were embellished with gayly painted pictures of flowers. The object of these adornments was not asthetic, but strictly business like. It was practically the same as if a card were hung in the window bearing the inscription: "Young lady of marriageable age to be disposed of. Excellent references and adequate dowry. Inquire within." The convenience of this method of advertisement is indisputable. A young Roumanian in search of a wife has only to take a stroll through his native village. In a quarter of an hour he ascertains how many eligible damsels are furnished by the community; inquiries follow, and very probably before evening he is suited to his fancy. English people who are "shocked" by this practical system ought to form a society for the suppression of our own matrimonial journals.—Fortnightly Review.

A Trick of Trade.

While coming up Market street the other day, in the face of a sweeping rain, what was my astonishment upon passing a prominent clothing store to see a blue flag waving in front of the building, with "clear and fair weather" on it in large white letters. I thought, however, that the proprietor had forgotten to take it down, and passed on. It was still raining when I approached the place the next day. The same flag was fluttering merrily in the breeze in spite of the terrible falsehood it had written on its face. My curiosity was aroused, and I decided to learn, if possible, what object the proprietor could have in allowing it to remain there. I entered the store and asked him the question plainly. At first he gave me evasive answers, but finally he became confidential and said: "That is one of the very best advertisements I ever had. When it rains I put out the 'clear' flag, and when it is clear vice versa. People passing along the street and noticing the apparent mistake come into the store and tell me about it. That is when my clerks get in their work, and there are few days when they do not sell from one to five more suits than they otherwise would. You know the difficult thing is to get customers inside the door. Why, I wouldn't give those flags for a half dozen 'barkers,' and they don't make half the noise."—Philadelphia News.

A Double Wedding.

"Do I marry many people who have been divorced?" repeated a well known clergyman to a reporter. "It depends entirely," he continued, "on the cause for which the divorce was granted. I follow the scriptural injunction.

"By the way," he went on, "I heard of a rather strange marriage which took place a few nights since. At a house in the northwest there was a double wedding. One of the couples were elderly and staid and the bride had been divorced for other than scriptural causes. Her son was the bridegroom in the younger pair. A Methodist minister, whom I won't name, but of whose church the old couple were members, was invited to perform the ceremonies.

"He promptly declined to officiate for the divorced woman, but he would have no objection to joining the young folks together. The old people made no complaint; they engaged the services of a Methodist local preacher, whose views on the subject of divorce were more liberal than those of their pastor. A few evenings since the two couples and the two preachers stood up together in the same room. The two services were read and the six souls were made happy; four of them because they were wed, and two of them because they had been presented with respectable fees."—Washington Star.

Candied Rose Leaves.

"There are plenty of young men who buy them," said the girl. "Some take sweet violets, others like the candied rose leaves, and some prefer pinks done in sugar."

"What is the object of eating candied flowers?"

"To perfume the breath. All young society ladies carry perfumed sweets with them to the theatre and to parties, everywhere they go, indeed. Some of these are tiny lozenges put up in fancy vials like these."

They looked like homeopathic medicines—small sugar pills in all colors. There were violet bijous of a lovely lavender color, musk bijous, pink and pretty, and a lot of other sweets for the breath.

"And the price?"

"Oh, those are cheap enough: only 10 cents a bottle. Then there are the mixed flavors for the bonbonnieres, the litle round boxes fastened to the corsage. Even the gentlemen are beginning to use them instead of cloves and coffee to sweeten the breath."—Detroit Free Press.

Simplified.

"Ob what denomination are de chile?" asked an old colored preacher of a young couple who had brought an infant to him for baptism.

"Sah!" said the young father, evidently perplexed by the word "denomination."

"I axed you ob what denomination de chile war," repeated the minister, a little severely.

The parents looked at each other in evident confusion for a moment; then the father stammered out: "I—I—doesn't know what yo' mean by 'denomination,' sah."

"Houh, yo' don't?" replied the preacher, scornfully. "Well, den, I'll simplify it 'cordin' to yo' ign'ance so yo' kin understand it: Are de chile a boy or a gal chile?"—Youth's Companion.

A Fine Vessel.

The steamer Robilant is one of the largest cargo carriers afloat, with a displacement of 5,085 tons, and a length of 382 feet. One day she steamed from New Orleans out into the gulf and off for Liverpool, carrying the biggest cargo that ever left that port—valued at $600,000, and composed of 5,682,288 pounds of cotton and 32,028 bushels of corn. The jetties have opened the wharves of New Orleans to the finest vessels in the world. —Public Opinion.

A Michigan chironodist is making a triumphal progress through the state as "William the Corncurer."

Jas. S. Kelly
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Cheap Money.

As correspondent of the Loan Co., of Alabama, I can offer money on improved farms at reduced rates.
H. L. STEVENSON.
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A MATHEMATICAL PRODIGY.

The Remarkable Talent of a Half Witted Negro Countryman.

Reuben Field, the mathematical prodigy of Lexington, who has attracted so much attention, was born at Warrensburg, Johnson county, about thirty years ago, and possesses only slightly better intellectual faculties than "Blind Tom." "Rueb's" gift is made the more prominent by the barrenness of his mind in other features. He has no intelligence aside from his remarkable manipulation of figures. Give Reuben Field a problem, no matter whether it be in decimal, compound or vulgar fractions; it makes no difference whether it is better suited to the rules of short than long division; it is immaterial whether there are ten figures or 700 in it; whether multiplication or substraction; and he will, without the aid of paper or pencil, give you the answer before the echoes of your voice in propounding the question have fully died away. He cannot read; he cannot write. He does not know one figure from another, and yet mentally, by the gift which he possesses, he can solve any problem submitted to him. As "Blind Tom's" talent of repeating pieces of music played in his presence for the first time by many of the most brilliant performers in the country has been tested, and always with the result of making more wonderful his great gift, so have learned mathematicians tried to trap Field, but without success. To give him a problem which one himself could not solve would not determine whether he was right or wrong, and lest errors might be made the most difficult, "examples" in the higher arithmetics, as well as others, originating with their questioner and simple enough except for their long array of figures, have been hurled at him, and quick as a flash would come his answer, always correct.

Give him the diameter of the wheel of a locomotive, and the distance between any two points—it makes no difference how great—the time spent in traversing this distance, and you have hardly ceased speaking before he gives you the number of revolutions the wheel makes in covering the distance. Give him the distance and the time and he will tell you the diameter of the wheel. Tell him the dimensions of a brick, and say to him a wall is so many feet long, so many high and so many thick, and he promptly tells you how many bricks are in the wall. Not in a reasonable length of time, as though calculating it, but instantly, and while skilled accountants who have witnessed his feats have questioned the correctness of his answers, they have found they were in error and Reub was right whenever they did so. Tell him to multiply 9,898,746,822,156 by 73, add 89,572 and divide by 60, and in less time than the reader can calculate it Reub will have the answer ready. These figures are only used as an illustration, but they are simplicity in its purest form compared to some submitted to him. He has gray eyes, and, when not engaged in exhibiting his strange gift, they are entirely free of expression, as though they were of dead glass; but have him in the excitement of figures and a strange glitter—something little short of an expression of madness—lights them up. The strangest of this half witted fellow's accomplishments is that, awakened at any hour, he will tell you the time to a second. He does not make a business of exhibiting his power, and it is not always that those who are most kind to him, and whom he knows best, can persuade him to "show off." He says his power came from God, and, if he accepted offers which had been made to him to travel with showmen, or to take employment in large business houses, God would take his gift away.—Lexington (Mo.) Cor. Globe-Democrat.

Umbrella vs. Cane.

The gold headed cane which loving children present to dear papa, to remind him that he is growing old and that his tottering footsteps are fetching him to the grave; or which poorly paid employes present to the superintendent as a bit of taffy; or which the retiring minister receives from his doting congregation to help him on his journey, is going out of favor as a gift, in holidays or other times. The gold headed umbrella has taken its place. The umbrella answers all the purposes of a walking stick, without the disadvantage of the latter. It is not a hint of old age, and is more convenient in a rain storm. As eloquent donation speeches may be made over a fine silk umbrella with a gold headed handle as over an ebony wood club that but few men will carry about with them. Possibly the umbrella is more likely to turn up as lost, strayed or stolen, with less chance of finding its true owner again than the cane, but that is a disadvantage that comes entirely from the superior value of the umbrella. There is the same distinction between gold and brass.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Fooling a Jehu.

"Some bright newspaper man," remarked my marine engineer friend, "ought to ship as a deck hand or coal passer on a big lake boat and write up his experiences. He'd get an idea of life unfamiliar to him, and be able to interest his readers with glimpses of a strange, rough, reckless existence, and perhaps if he had a good constitution he'd be all the better for roughing it for a few weeks. He would see some amusing things, too. I remember one night in Chicago, as we were lying near the Clark street bridge, a cab was driven rapidly on to the bridge just as it was in the act of swinging. The cabby was half tipsy, but he had a fare and was rushing away with him for one of the depots. 'Oh, I'll get there,' he says; 'I always do, and you can't stop me.' He went on sassing the bridge tenders as he and his cab swung around with the bridge. The vessel went through, the bridge swung to place, but the bridge tenders had put up a job on the jehu. Away rattled the cab, the driver cracking his whip and yelling, 'I'll get there,' but he didn't, for the bridge tenders turned him the wrong way. They swung the bridge clear around.—Buffalo News.

Wanted It Done Fashionably.

"Inasmuch as the animal you stole was only a colt," remarked the leader of the regulators, "we have decided to give you forty-nine lashes with a horsewhip instead of hanging you. But we shall lay them on well."

"I have only one favor to ask, gentlemen," said the prisoner, pale but unflinching.

"What is it?"

"Gentlemen," he replied, "I have not always been a criminal and an outcast. I have moved in good society and I know the customs that prevail among our best people. I will take it as a favor, gentlemen, if you will lay the lashes on, as far as possible, in regular checks or diagonals. Perpendicular stripes are not worn this season."—Chicago Tribune.

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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NOTICE.

If parties owing us accounts on our Stable books do not settle by cash or note by the 1st of January, 1889, they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. We mean business.
MARTIN & WILKERSON.
Dec. 22nd, 1888.

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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Prices range from $8 to $45. Largest sizes for men, at my shop on Main street, south from the public square, Jacksonville Ala.

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NOTICE NO. 8103.

Land office at Montgomery Ala.
November 7th, 1888.

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 December 21th 1888, viz: Edward L. Buchanan, Homestead No. 14881, for the NW¼ of NE qr., SE of NE qr. NW qr. of SE q, Sec. 35, T. 16, south, R. 7, east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jake O. Daugherty, Lee Gray, James Murphey, Samuel Maddox, all of Marbuffel, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
Register.
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GENERAL LAWS.

AN ACT [S. 177.]

To enable planters, farmers and crop growers to convey by mortgage unplanted crops.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That it shall be lawful for planters, farmers and crop growers to mortgage their crop or crops before the same shall be planted, and that such mortgage shall convey the legal title to the same extent as if such crop or crops, were at the time of the execution of such mortgage already planted; provided, that no such mortgage shall be valid so as to convey the legal title, if executed prior to first day of January of the year in which the crop is grown.

Approved February 23, 1889.

Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT [H. B. 176.]

To authorize Judges of Probate to pay over to minors certain funds and take their receipts for the same.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That in all cases where the Judges of Probate are under the law custodians of funds belonging to minors, such Judges may in all such cases where the minor is of the age of eighteen years, and of sound mind, pay such funds to such minor when the amount thereof does not exceed one hundred dollars, and the receipt of the minor shall be a full acquittance and discharge of the liabilities of the Judge, notwithstnding the minority of such parties to whom the fund is going.

Approved February 20th, 1889.

Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT [S. 479.]

To amend section 1 of an act approved Feb. 6th, 1885, entitled, an act to amend section 4414 of the code.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That section 1 of an act approved Feb. 6th, 1885, entitled an act to amend section 4414 of the code be amended so as to read as follows: 4414—Tresspassing of stock under common fence, any one of several parties occupying or cultivating lands under a common lawful fence, or other enclosure, who turns stock of any kind into such enclosure or knowingly suffers such stock to go at large therein without the consent of all the parties owning or cultivating said lands is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five, nor more than fifty dollars, and also the amonnt of damage inflicted by said stock; which damages shall be held as a part of the penalty imposed by the court and shall go to the party injured.

Approved, Feb. 28, 1889.

Official:

C. C. LANGDON,
Secretary of State.

A Home-Made Fertilizer.

Judge John P. Fort is writing a valuable and instructive series of letters to farmers in the Atlanta Constitution, in one of which he says: The main useful elements in a commercial fertilizer are phosphoric acid and ammonia. Potash and lime usually figure as ingredients, but these are not of so much importance. A ton of fertilizer equal in practical results to be the best fertilizer sold, can be made by any farmer by taking a sack of acid phosphate (200 pounds) and a sack of cotton seed meal (100 pounds) and mix them together with a hoe. A good hand can mix easily a couple of tons or more of these two substances upon a plank or hard earth floar in a day. The cost of this mixing is not over 25 cents per ton, and it can be done as well and effective as if done with any of the machines used by the manufacturers of fertilizers.

A ton of 2000 pounds of cotton seed meal can be purchased from the mills in the various portions of Georgia at this time for $22 per ton, or 1 1-10 cents per pound.

Acid phosphate has made a general advance this season as have also other commercial fertilizers. But it can be purchased and delivered at about $15 or $16 per ton.

Estimating the acid phosphate at ¾ of a cent per pound, we find that this material in a ton of fertillizer will amount to 1365 pounds at ¾ of a cenl per pound, making $10.23. The cotton seed meal 666 pounds at 1 1-10 cent per pound equals $7.32, by adding them both together we find the cost of material of such fertilizer will be $17.55, to which add 25 cents per ton for mixing, and to this add 20 cents per ton for loss, and we have $18 cash that represents the cost of a fertilizer equal to the best in the market.

He says he is not put at great disadvantage in comparing such a ton of fertilizer with that usually sold in the market by reason of the costly components. Nearly all of the fertilizers sold in Georgia are mixed with cheap salt called kainit, worth generally less than $12 per ton. Sometimes cheaper substances are used and a small amount of some costly material of more value, such as sulphate of ammonia, or dried blood is added, to give scent to the fertilizer, but the amount is so small that it amounts to very little practically.

Hon. B. F. Saffold, a prominent citizen of Selma, is dead. He was at one time judge of the Supreme Court of the State, and has held other high positions.

The Next Senate.

Half of the Senators go out every two years. It may be interesting to the public to know who are the outgoing and hold over Senators are. They are as follows:

Hold over Senators, odd districts: 1, W N Hayes; 3 W E Skeggs; 5, W W Haralson; 7, L W Grant; 9, W A Handley; 11, A C Hargrove; 13, J T Milner; 15, J H Parker; 17, N Stallworth; 19, J R Cowan; 21, D N Williams; 23, W C Steagall; 25, I H Parks; 27 J T Harris; 29, J F Waddell; 31, L F Godfrey; 33, D Smith, making seventeen senators who hold over and who will be in the next Senate.

The outgoing Senators are from the even districts:—1; J H Branch; 4, Francisco Rice; 6, J L Burnett; 8, Cecil Browne; 10, T L Bulger; 12, G L Almon, 14, Jerome Clanton; 16, Willis Brewer; 18, B M Huey; 20, W H Tayloe; 22, C L Pope; 24, James Lang, 26 C W Rumph; 28, E A Graham; 30, J C Compton; 32, W B Inge, making six,een senators who retire and there will be elections in these districts of Senators at the next general election. In some of these districts there are several counties and in some the custom is to rotate, and in these there will be new men, in the others where there is only one county some of the old Senators may be returned.—Montgomery Advertiser.

From Texas.

About seven years ago I had the measles, and before the disease left me it attacked my lungs, and gave me what the doctors pronounced Consumption. From the clearly defined symptoms, and the fact that members of my family had been afflicted that way, I am confident they were correct in their diagnosis. I suffered terribly for about five years, becoming almost a living skeleton, with death constantly staring me in the face. I finally concluded to try Swift's Specific as an experiment. I began to improve while taking the first few bottles, and after using a dozen or more I found myself hale and hearty, and with no symptoms of the disease left. I honestly believe S. S. S. will cure consumption if taken in time.

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STATE NEWS.

Montgomery wants to have a fine winter hotel.

Mobile Lodge No. 108 of the order of Elks was instituted in Mobile recently.

Mrs. Julia Thompson, an aged lady of Huntsville, died at her residence in that city on Saturday.

The Kentucky Mills at Sheffield, recently destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt of brick instead of wood.

H. H. Cribbs, of Tuscaloosa, will shortly commence the manufacture of fire brick and clay in that town.

Samuel Treadgill, of Launsdale, was very seriously injured on Saturday by being thrown from his horse.

Tuskaloosa claims as one of her greatest needs is another railroad and wants the L. N. to bring its mineral branch to that city.

The thirteen-year old son of John Smith, colored, baggageman at the depot of the M. & C. railway in Huntsville, was run over by a train and completely cut in two.

The editor of the Troy Enquirer is seriously ill, and has had to postpone his annual distribution of presents to the subscribers of that paper until the first Wednesday in April.

The Bessemer bonds have been planted in Baltimore at par to the amount of $30,000, and the proceeds will be used for city buildings, street improvements and the extension of the sewerage system.

Clayton Courier: We learn that Mr. Allen Coggins while trying to hitch a mustang pony to a wagon, happened to the misfortune to have one of his thumbs pulled off and the pony broke his leg.

Mr. R. H. Stephens has sold in this market over forty bushels of sweet potatoes, and he says he now has on hand about fifty bushels more. Bob is a good farmer and never fails to make good crops when anybody else does.

Tuscumbia Democrat: Some little excitement was created last Friday by the effort of several negroes to escape from the county jail. They were captured after a live chase and securely locked up.

Under the law in existence last year it was not legal for a farmer to mortgage an unplanted crop, but at the recent session of the Legislature this was repealed, and a bill passed giving the farmer the right to mortgage his crop before it is planted. This will save the trouble of executing a second mortgage, which had to be done under the old law.—Greensboro Watchman.

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Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganuway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.
6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

J. V. RHODES,
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NOTICE NO. 8469.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 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 March 18, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas R. Swink, Homestead 7346, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 14 S, R 6 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ottery, Alabama; William D. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Peeks Hill, Oakley Brown, of Ohatchie, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
jan 10-6t Register.

NOTICE NO 8431

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA. January 10th, 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, March 1, 1889: viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead entry No 2472, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SE qr, Sec. 18, Tp 14 s, R 9 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gabourv, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.
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AROUND THE CORNER.

One day my heart was very sad,
Oppressed with heavy sorrow,
And not a ray of hope arose
To cheer me on the morrow.
I walked along the crowded street,
A dull, distracted mourner,
And guessed not what awaited me
As I went 'round the corner.

There met me one whose sunny face
The smile of heaven reflected;
The friendly greeting she bestowed
Was wholly unexpected.
For I had thought her hard and cold,
Of lovers' arts a scorner,
But she was taken off her guard
As I turned 'round the corner.

What cared I though the skies were dark
And threatened stormy weather?
What mattered any grief at all
If we two were together?
The blushes that were on her cheek
Did regally adorn her;
And oh! I blest the fate that turned
My steps around the corner.

And thus I find it is through life—
So full of wondrous phases—
That when we walked amid the gloom,
Or press through tangled mazes,
Feeling all friendless and alone,
A hopeless, hapless mourner,
Some blessings surely lie in wait
For us around the corner.

BETWEEN TWO HORNS.

"I tell you, Susan Swing," said Capt. Rose, "there ain't a man that lives between the Two Horns as would let his boy not bigger than your'n go out in a boat today. Don't you do it. 'Tain't no kind of weather for that slip of a lad to go foolin' with them big billows as sweeps around old Dull Head. Why, look yourself, woman. You can see them more'n four miles away dashing and lashing the shore."

As Capt. Rose spoke he pointed with his right hand in the direction of one of the two headlands between which Dell Haven lay.

"And no dory in the harbor," he continued, "could weather Bright Head (pointing towards the headland at the left), not if Cap'n Hezekiah himself was a row'n of it. You'd better take them rowlocks out and hide the oars if he won't mind without you doin' it."

"I can't bear to do it," said Mrs. Swing. "Richard will be so disappointed. He set his lobster pots yesterday, and he hasn't slept any all night in his eagerness to go out early and haul them. Don't you see, Capt. Rose, it's Saturday, and two whole coaches full of summer boarders came last night to the Bright Head house, and he can get a big price for his lobsters today. My poor Dick has worked so hard making the lobster pots himself, and it seems like cutting off the boy's reward to say 'you shan't go' to him."

"S'pose you do feel weakish 'bout it, Susan; but you don't want that ere boat to be picked up adrift and no boy in it, do ye?"

"You know I don't, Capt. Rose," she said. "If I hadn't loved him do you think I'd get up before daylight to come down here to see the lad off?"

"Hush," said the captain. "Here he comes, and he's fastening his straw hat to his buttons. He sees there is wind enough ahead."

It was a morning in June, and the sun was not yet risen, but the glory of his coming was in the east and on the sea.

As he came down the pier, the oars on his shoulder, and securing his straw hat by a string to his jacket, the old captain said: "He's a fine lad, Dick is, and well worth the saving."

"He's all the world to me," thought Mrs. Swing, although her lips uttered no word.

"Good morning, Capt. Rose," called out Richard. "Good for lobsters, do you think?"

"Better for lobsters than 'tis for boys," ejaculated the captain, removing his broad brown hands from his pockets and laying one of them on the lad's shoulder as soon as the latter came within touching distance. "I say, Dick Swing, that you are not going out in that cockle shell of your'n this morning," he announced.

"I certainly am, Capt. Rose," returned the boy. "It's a little rough, but like as not the wind will come right around before I get half way to the ledge, and I should think you would know better than to scare my little mother here half to death. See, mother," he said gayly, "I have an extra oar and one thole pin, yes, two of them, in case a row lock gives way, and I've got a lot of extra courage about me that I can't exactly show you unless you come with me."

This he said looking out to sea, for he did not feel like looking either at his mother or Capt. Rose.

"Dick," said Mrs. Swing, approaching the pier's edge as the owner of the little boat proceeded to bestow his lunch basket and extras under the bow.

"Well, mother?" returned Richard, looking up.

"I wish you would not go," she said, her tones full of beseeching.

"Why, mother? Do you want my seven new lobster pots to be carried off to sea?" he asked. "How could you have the heart to ask me? If this wind keeps on blowing I shall lose them every one."

"That's true," ejaculated Capt. Rose. "I never thought of that. It's just right, this wind is, to drag them off, but you never can haul them in alone. You'll be sure to be dragged overboard."

"No, I shan't. Come along with me if you want to help," laughed Richard.

"Humph! I should sink that craft before we got out of harbor," said the captain, "though if I wasn't so heavy I would go." Capt. Rose weighed a trifle less than 300 pounds, and had left the sea after fifty years of faithful service.

Not another person was in sight.

"I'll tell you what I'll do," said the captain. "If you insist on going I'll stop on my way up and ask Capt. Danforth to look out for you, and if he thinks you're getting into trouble to sail after you."

"Thank you, captain."

"Dick," said his mother, "can't you let the lobster pots go?"

"Couldn't possibly," smiled the boy. "Could you have the heart to ask me? Will you cast me off, mother?" he called a second later.

"Wait a minute," exclaimed Mrs. Swing. "Fetch your boat close up. I want to speak to you, Dick."

The boat received the necessary impetus and touched the side of the pier. Mrs. Swing had seated herself on the topmost layer of logs forming the wharf, and leaned over as though to speak confidentially to her son.

"Dick," said his mother, "hold fast! I'm coming," and into the boat she dropped before either Capt. Rose on the dock or Capt. Richard in the boat had knowledge of her intention.

"What under the sun, mother," cried the boy, "do you mean?"

"I'm going with you, Dick, to keep you from tumbling overboard when you haul in," and she seated herself in the stern, calling back as the tide floated the boat out, "We depend on you, Capt. Rose, to send after us if we—if it gets too rough," she gasped, with a dash of spray in her face.

"Ay, ay!" cried the captain, and he took off his hat and swung it, he scarcely knew why.

Of all the women in Dell Haven, from the eldest to the youngest, Mrs. Swing most feared the sea. To live beside it, to watch its every mood delighted her, but to venture on it for pleasure she was never known to do.

A moment's peace she never knew when Richard, her only son, was exposed to the treachery of the waters, but rather than mar his wild delight in wind and waves this unselfish mother concealed as much as possible her anxiety for him.

Richard was not selfish, and had he imagined what his mother was at that moment suffering would have put the boat about and tied it forever at the stake rather than cause her this agony.

Just as the boat got well into the toil of the waves the sun arose, shedding such brilliance on the waters that Mrs. Swing, who sat facing it, was dazzled and well nigh failed to see in time a gill net into which the boat was running.

"See any boat ahead, mother?" questioned Richard. "You must keep a good lookout for me. I've got my ranges right and can fetch the lobster grounds every time."

"Is it far?" questioned his mother shudderingly.

"Not very, just outside Dull Head. I reckon we'll fetch it," said the lad, dipping his oars for a full stroke and then letting the boat slide up to the summit of a rolling wave, a trick he had caught from Capt. Hezekiah Danforth, the master boatman of Dell Haven.

The wind grew stronger and stronger, and the waves every moment increased in size. Even Richard glanced sideways more than once with ill concealed anxiety as the long billows came tumbling on, and just then getting a glimpse of his mother's face beheld it so blanched with terror of the sea that it seemed to him his mother was no longer in the boat with him.

"Dick," she gasped, as his oar missed stroke and sent the spray over the boat, "Dick, I'm afraid to go on."

Dick glanced backward. He had pulled about a mile from shore and was midway between the two headlands familiarly spoken of as the Horns. Dull Head was surrounded by an even accumulating mass of breakers, and Bright Head caught the sea on its precipitous sides, sending it backward in fountains of foam, and all the four miles that lay between the two points were rolling miles of billows.

Sitting with his face landward Richard had not fully felt the danger.

Now, the lad could not repress a shudder as he said: "I don't believe I could find the buoys in such a sea, and nobody could haul in the pots. I believe I'll put about."

"Oh, do! Oh, Richard, there comes an awful one!" and Mrs. Swing slipped down from her seat into the bottom of the boat and hid her face from the oncoming wave.

Richard gave a mighty pull at the oars to keep the boat head on, and it rode that wave in safety only to meet new ones, into whose depths the tiny shell rolled to be completely hidden from the sight of two men who were standing out on the Dell Haven pier.

One was Hezekiah Danforth, the other was Capt. Rose.

"If there was only a tug in sight to help them," groaned Capt. Rose.

"Why didn't you dun a little common sense into the woman if she didn't take any naturally," scolded Capt. Danforth, "or shut her and the boy up somewheres."

"I told her, but I declare when I was young I could have brought down them oars in half the time it takes Jim to fetch 'em. I say, 'Kiah Danforth, ain't that boat trying to put about?"

"It acts like it, John, but it will get swamped just as sure as guns if—no, it's going on. There's nothing else to do. I never in all my life saw a time when there wasn't a sail in sight. * * * The boat's gone! No! There it comes up again!"

Suddenly a cry for a helping hand was raised among the bystanders, and willing hearts went forth from the land.

"Every second tells. It's a race for life!" called out Capt. Danforth. "Jim, you'd better get in. You're strong; if one of us tuckers out you can take hold."

All ready lay the boat, a dark green surf boat, a boat that could stand heavy seas, and the two men and boy who had nobly volunteered were not long in starting off.

"Success to you. Fetch 'em back alive!" called out Capt. Rose.

All at once the pier at Dell Haven seemed thronged with people. The news had spread that Mrs. Swing and Richard were out alone on the sea.

As they watched the dim, dark speck, now rising upon the swelling waters and as quickly vanishing from sight, not one of the little throng but knew the danger of the tiny boat. With breathless eagerness they watched the surf boat as its two rowers stood at the oar urging it onward.

"It's down the harbor now. They're catching it. It's an awful wind for June. Do you think they're gaining on 'em? That mite of a boat will never live till they get there," were some of the remarks heard as they passed on.

As for Capt. Rose, he went panting up the hill into the town, climbed into the belfry of Dell Haven church, as far up as he could go, and watched through a spy glass the progress of the mere speck in the distance and the toiling helpers so far behind.

After a few minutes he realized that Capt. Danforth, although doing his utmost, could not reach the periled ones in time to save them, and he said to himself:

"The boy is doing well, but he can't hold out. I must do it." Capt. Rose's little daughter had followed her father into the church and climbed the belfry stairs.

"See here, Dolly," he said. "Can you look through here and keep sharp watch? No, you run—you can go quicker'n I can," and the captain scribbled a message on the back of an envelope, and, giving it her, bade her make haste to the telegraph office. "You tell Johnny Blake it's to save a life and it must go ahead of everything."

Dolly Rose did not need to be told twice. She ran every step of the way, and, rushing into the telegraph office flushed and eager, cried out:

"Mr. Blake, here, send this quick. Richard Swing and his mother are going to drown, and it's to save them!"

The operator took the old envelope and read:

Capt. True, steam tug Good Heart, Cromwell harbor—Steam out at once in search of small boat—woman and boy in it—off Dell Haven three miles; going against the wind; can't last long.

JOHN ROSE.

"All right," said the operator, clicking away at his machine for a minute or two, and then exclaiming, "It's done. Wait a minute, sis, and I'll tell you whether or not he gets it; wire runs right down to the wharf."

The minutes went by. Ten had passed when the answer came back:

Steam's up; start at once; go myself.

TIMOTHY TRUE.

The operator did not stay to write it. "Run quick and tell your father Capt. True is gone already," he said.

Dolly ran, saying to every one she met, "They'll be saved! they'll be saved!" The child got up to the belfry stair, and couldn't utter a word. She could only smile and bow her head and try to get out the message, which she did at last.

Capt. Rose's eye was on the speck. He dared not take it off lest never to find it again. Meanwhile, the news got abroad that Capt. Rose had telegraphed to Cornwall for a tug, and the burden of fear grew lighter.

In the little boat again and again had Richard tried to turn its head towards the land, but with each trial it took so much water that he was forced to give up the attempt. Nothing could be done but keep off and face the boiling sea. Very few words were spoken. Mrs. Swing kept bailing as fast as possible, with only the shell of the horseshoe crab to work with.

At length came a wave like a small hill, upon which the boat rose gallantly, and then suddenly Richard shouted:

"They're coming for us, mother. I see a boat just outside the harbor."

Then the tears sprang to Mrs. Swing's eyes. She stopped bailing for a moment to look towards the shore. All she could see was a wall of water shutting out the land.

"Courage, mother," Dick said.

Every rise and fall of the oar was a prayer; every dip of the poor old crab shell was a petition for life.

Out from Cromwell harbor, seven miles to the eastward, and hidden from sight by Bright Head, steamed the tug Good Heart. Never had its captain stood watching the sea with more earnest gaze. Never was steam applied with more generous hand. 'Twas the woman and the boy in the boat out at sea that lived in the gaze, in the steam and in the fuel, and Good Heart bore away with cordial speed until Bright Head was won and weathered.

"I see it!" shouted the captain, "though how in thunder it's lived to get there's more'n I know," and he gave directions to steam outside.

Richard's attention was so divided between the billows and the land and the friendly boat, and Mrs. Swing was so intent on bailing, that neither of them saw the tug until it was upon them, and a hailing voice shouted:

"Hold on till we pick you up."

It seemed as if a voice from heaven had spoken. Even bluff old Capt. Rose up in the belfry of the church ejaculated, "Thank God!" as he saw the tug come to.

The shock of the call, the sight of the black, throbbing tug, friendly as they seemed, yet came near swamping the boat, for Richard let it turn, and the last strength he had was put forth in holding it up to the wind until a line was cast off, and even then he had no power to make it fast. It was Mrs. Swing who tried to obey the commands that came but could not.

Finally the tug's boat was lowered. It was no easy task to get to leeward and board the Good Heart, which held its breath, bracing itself against the waves almost as a thing of life to do its kindly office. Richard and his mother had been saved.

"Give 'em a signal! Give 'em three!" and the steam whistle blew three shrieks that went over the bay and up the harbor and over against the meeting house steeple, until old Capt. Ross fell down on his knees to utter the first prayer of thankfulness his little Dolly had ever heard her father offer.—Sarah P. Pritchard in New York Graphic.

Catarrh cured, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cent. Nasal Injector free. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Constipation. Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Ten Hours of Sleep.

James Payn, the novelist, says that the only salvation of our writers and literary classes in general lies in going to bed early, getting ten hours' sleep and understanding that brain work needs more complete and certain recuperation than ordinary physical labor. The office and necessity of sleep is getting to be better appreciated. Little is heard nowadays about burning midnight oil. Obedience to physiological laws alone will enable a man to escape mental breakdown at an early age. Genius cannot override nature. It is impossible to turn night into day, or to habitually do two days' work in one. Common sense and method are better than brilliance, and judgment is in the end ahead of genius.—New York Star.

ONE HAPPY MAN,

And Eight Heart-Sick Aspirants for the Attorney Generalship.

W. L. MARTIN OF JACKSON CHOSEN.

A General Surprise All Around—What Judge David Clopton Says of the Appointment.

Montgomery Dispatch.

Gov. Seay yesterday appointed Wm. L. Martin of Scottsboro attorney-general, to fill the unexpired term of Mr. McClellan, who has been appointed one of the justices of the state supreme court.

The official announcement was made from the governor's office about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and was quite a surprise in this city, as it was not very generally known that Mr. Martin's name had been mentioned in connection with the appointment.

Mr. Martin, the newly-appointed attorney general, is about 35 years old, and has been a member of the Scottsboro bar for a number of years. He is not widely known outside the local bar, but members of the supreme court of Alabama, before whom he has practiced, speak in the highest terms of his ability.

Judge Clopton, in an interview with a Dispatch reporter last night concerning the new appointee, said:

"I know Mr. Martin well, as do the other members of the court, as he has had cases before us on several occasions. He is a young man, but a good lawyer, and prepares his briefs with great care. He is a close student of the law, as his briefs clearly show, and he will make a capital attorney-general. From the list of applicants the governor has made a good selection."

"Is the appointment not a surprise?"

"Yes, somewhat. I expected, if it went outside of this city, Mr. Burnett would get the appointment.

"Besides, I learn that Mr. Martin declined to make a personal application. His friends, however, urged his appointment, but I did not know the extent of the influence they were bringing to bear in his favor."

Other lawyers were approached for an interview, but they declined to talk, and especially to express an opinion, as they knew but little of the appointee. Mr. Tennant Lomax, city solicitor, however, knows him, and speaks very kindly of him personally as well as professionally.

There were nine applicants for the appointment on file in the governor's office, and these applications represented nearly every section of the state. The governor gives it to Jackson county, one of the best counties in the state—a county which has produced such distinguished men as Williamson, R. W. Cobb, John H. Norwood, John Snodgrass, Wm. Barclay and many others.

GREAT GATHERING AT HUNTSVILLE.

Active Preparations are in Progress for the Great Gathering at the Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association in Huntsville, April 18, 19, 20 and 21.

Arrangements for the presentation of carefully written papers upon all phases of work for young men have been made, and some of the leading workers of this and adjoining States will be present. Mr. C. L. Gates, formerly State Secretary of Alabama, now one of the Secretaries of the International Committee will be in the State for one month prior to the convention to complete the details of the meeting, and will visit all the Association of the State during that time.

Mr. W. J. Mott, Secretary of the International Committee will also be present at the convention. Messrs. J. V. Read, State Secretary of Tenn., and Mr. W. A. Wynne, Gen. Sec'y, at Macon, Ga., it is to be hoped will assist in the presentation of some of the topics.

A part of one session will be given to the work of the Association in Colleges, and very interesting papers will be read by students from the colleges of our state. This department will be in charge of Mr. Mott.

Special attention will be given to the musical features of the convention and as Huntsville has pledged herself to royally entertain her guests (although no pledge was necessary) those attending will have abundant enjoyment as well as instruction. Not only those connected with the Young Mens' Christian Association but all interested in aiding and directing young men to a better, nobler, more useful life are cordially invited to be present.

Those intending to attend the convention should notify Mr. Ira F. Collins, President of the Y M C A of Huntsville, before April 10th if possible so that entertainment may be secured for them in advance. Arrangements will be made for a reduction of fares from all parts of points in the State.

TALLADEGA.

The Mayor and Aldermen Renominated by Acclamation.

TALLADEGA, March 18.—At the Democratic city convention held here to-night W. H. Skaggs and the old board of aldermen were renominated by acclamation amid much enthusiasm.

Rev. M. H. Lane, D. D.

Though claiming no pretentions as a lecturer, yet delivered in the lecture room of the First Baptist church last night, under the auspices of the Sunday school, a lecture on the subject, "Human Nature," where a large audience greeted him, and before whom for the space of about an hour he spread a selection from the broad fields of sparkling sunshine some of the choicest gems of wit and humor, lifting human nature in its lights and shadows up to the mirror of reflection, pointing onward and upward to be good and the beautiful.

The doctor blooms out in a ruddy glow his happier nature, reflecting a flood of pleasant sunshine upon his audience. About a year since he permanently located in this state, at Jacksonville, where he has charge of a church.

The denomination of which he is a member is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of one so able, eloquent, and living, as he does, on the sunny side of human nature.—Montgomery Dispatch.

AN ACT [S. 394.]

To regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun County.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That all persons holding claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county, which were registered previous to the first day of January, 1884, are required to file them with, or present them to the county treasurer for registration within twelve months from the passage of this act, and it is the duty of the treasurer to give notice of the requirments of this act, for six weeks in a newspaper published in said county.

Section 2 Be it further enacted, That all such claims as were registered before January 1st, 1884 and not presented for registration as required by the first section of this act, shall be barred and become void and of no effect, and the treasurer shall so mark each one upon the register.

Approved Feb. 27th, 1889.

Home Fertilizers for Home Use.

If the success of farming could be condensed into one sentence it would be, "Make your own fertilizers on the farm."

The compost heap is the basis of success, and the farmer who composts his own manure is not apt to be left.

The trouble has been that composting is a limited process, owing to the fact that few farmers have much stable manure. At the best there is the droppings of a few horses, imperfectly gathered and saved, and two or three compost heaps are all that can be made.

Mr. B. F. Browne, of Anderson county, S. C., has made some exceedingly interesting experiments in making home fertilizers and has a new theory that will revolutionize composting if it is successful. He declares that it has been a success and that its efficiency is demonstrated. His theory is simply this: That the stable manure is to the compost heap exactly what the lump of yeast is to the loaf of bread. It is the fermenting principle and when one compost heap is fermented by the stable manure, that whole heap will in turn act as yeast to another heap. For example, he starts with his first heap. He makes a layer of woods soil or vegetable mould. He heaps on this a layer of stable manure, then another layer of vegetable manure, pine straw, or leaves, or whatever he can get. In this way he finishes his first compost heap, and lets it ferment. Ordinarily, a farmer stops right here, having no more stable manure to use. Mr. Browne goes further. He takes the first compost heap and makes another double the size, using the whole of the first heap just as he used the stable manure in the first heap by spreading it in the layers of the vegetable mould. He claims that it will ferment the second heap as perfectly as stable manure did the first heap, and that the second heap can then be doubled into a third heap, and so on until the farmer is ready to use the manure.

Mr. Browne claims that this process of doubling up does not weaken the fertilizer, but that he has tried the third compost heap alongside of commercial fertilizer and acid phosphate, and the results have been equal. If the experiment is conclusive, the discovery is an important one. It simply means that on a limited amount of stable manure as a start—as yeast for the big loaf so to speak—the farmer can continue to multiply compost heaps during the winter as long as he can get scrapings of leaves, or vegetable mould, or straw to pile into them.

Ex-President Hayes' Kind Aid.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Ex-President Hayes has sent a contribution to the fund for the Confederate Soldiers Home. In his letter he takes the ground that Union soldiers should receive increasingly large amounts in pensions, but that it is eminently proper that the disabled soldiers of the other side, who are now citizens of our common country should be generously aided by voluntary contributions.

Work on the Panama canal at Colon has come to a full stop.

The Republican.

L. W. GRANT, Publisher.

MARCH 23, 889.

The Hewitt-Innman party from New York, representing fifty million dollars of capital, were in Anniston Monday, and were much plased with the outlook.

The REPUBLICAN, last week noted the fact that this section had the advantage over the Jefferson county iron region for the manufacture of iron, owing to the superiority of our brown hemetite ores over the red fossiliferous ores about Birmingham. This view of the matter has been quickly confirmed by an English gentleman named Anderson who is a practical iron worker. He has spent several months at Bessemer, during which time he made a careful study of the mineral resources of that section. A few days ago he visited Anniston and studied the mineral resources of this section. The ores of this region, Mr. Anderson declares, is at least 30 per cent. better than that found in any other portion of North Alabama and is the equal, if not the superior of any in the South.

The expressions from the Hewitt-Innman party at various points along their southern route of travel as to the wonderful mineral richness of the South, as well as the open confession of Mr. Carnagie as to the ultimate superiority of this region in iron manufacture, falls with pleasant effect upon the ears of a people who for twenty-five years, following the war, have trod the desolate paths of poverty, but who now can see, in the near future, ease and comfort if not affluence. The people of this section of the South have indeed a rich heritage, but it is locked in the bosom of the earth and needs a golden key to open it. The declaration of Mr. Inman that this year will witness a greater influx of Northern money for the development of the South than for any two previous years, is the best thing that was said by any member of the party. Let us hope that he may not be mistaken in his pleasing propheey.

Work has actually commenced on the Chattanooga Southern road and the money has been raised in the East to build it to McLemore's Cove. The intention of the company is to continue straight on from the cove to Anniston, and ultimately to build to Montgomery. This road will necessarily pass through Jacksonville and will put us forty-five miles nearer Chattanooga than now by rail. Mr. Tom Crutchfield, the President of the road, lived in Jacksonville when a boy and knows this country thoroughly. In a letter to the Chattanooga Times two or three years ago he indicated Jacksonville as one point on the line. Indeed it cannot go to Anniston without passing here, unless it is intentionally deflected on a longer line at immense expense. The REPUBLICAN contained a letter some years ago from the pen of Rev. J. J. D. Renfro, warmly advocating the very route for a railroad that these monied men have adopted.

The absurdity of the position of the Montgomery Advertiser that representation in future State Conventions of the Democratic party of Alabama should be based upon population or upon basis of representation in the Legislature, which amounts to the same thing, will at once appear from a comparison of the population, by races, of Lowndes and Calhoun. The census of 1880 shows the total population of Lowndes to be 31,173; that of Calhoun to be 19,591. On a basis of one delegate to every 1,000 or fraction over 500 of population Lowndes would have 31 delegates and Calhoun would have 20 delegates in the next State convention.

In Lowndes there are 5,645 white people and 25,528 negroes. In Calhoun there are 14,134 white people and 5,457 negroes. Everybody knows that in Alabama party lines are drawn very nearly on the color line, and that Calhoun casts a larger democratic vote than Lowndes; and yet the basis proposed by the Advertiser would give Lowndes, under the above apportionment, 11 more votes in a Democratic State convention than Calhoun. If the growth of population in this section of the State since 1880 (especially in Jefferson and Calhoun) be taken into account, the inequality will appear more glaring.

With representation based upon white population alone, Lowndes would have 6 delegates and Calhoun would have 14. This basis would not be exactly fair, however, for there are more white Republicans in Calhoun than in Lowndes; but it would be much fairer than the basis proposed by the Advertiser. Taking Dallas and Calhoun and the inequality appears more striking. Dallas would have 40 delegates or double the number of Calhoun, while Calhoun has 5,700 more white people than Dallas as shown by the census of 1880, the difference being much more largely in favor of Calhoun now than then, as a matter of course.

Both the Mobile Register and the Birmingham Herald have shown that there is no material difference between the basis proposed by the Advertiser and that now existing, so far as results are concerned.

The Advertiser surely does not expect the white democracy of this section to accept its stone for a fish. Does it underrate the intelligence of this part of the State when it grave[illegible] a chance which any schoolboy can figure out as no change at all? What sensible reason can be given for basing party representation on population, when it is known that party strength widely differs in counties of the state having about equal population? If the Advertiser complacently imagines it has fixed the matter up, it is doomed to a rude awakening. It cannot help its case, either, by charging infidelity to party upon newspapers which do not accept its transparent dodge as fair dealing.

The question has come to stay and must be fairly settled. It has been precipitated, at this time, not by a representative of the white counties, but by an honest and fearless politician of the black belt, and since it has so come it must be settled on principles of equity and right. Because the people of this section have long borne with a system of representation, now confessed from that section to be unjust to them, out of consideration for the peculiar situation of the white people of the black counties, it does not follow that they are fools rather than self-sacrificing patriots; and it is no compliment to them for the Advertiser to urge its shallow mockery of a fair adjustment gravely, as if it expected its acceptance with content. That paper would have appeared in better light if it had not sought, as it thought cunningly, to break the force of Gen. Pettus' letter by such puerile suggestion; but rather had thrown itself upon the generosity of the white democracy of the hills and plainly demanded of them continued sacrifice of political interests for the good of their race throughout the State. This might have met generous acceptance. Its present proposition is only met with a curl of the lip.

Newspapers and Periodicals.

The Anniston Watchman has changed its name to the Evening News.

We are in receipt of the first issue of the Carbon Hill Dispatch, a new paper just established in Walker county. It has no politics.

The Atabama Medical Journal, published at Anniston by Dr. J. C. LeGrand is on our table. It is altogether highly creditable to its projector and we are glad to note that it promises to be a financial success. It ought to be patronized by every physician in the State and those of other professions who find an interest in medical questions, and who does not?

Physicians Confess.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admits its superiority over ALL other blood medicines.

Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmart, Ga., writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of the best blood mecicines."

Dr. A. H. Roscoe, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is truly wolnderful."

Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes: "I confess B. B. B. is and quickest medicine for rheumatism I have ever tried."

Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes: "I cheerfully recommend B. B. B. as a fine tonic alterative. Its use cured an excrescence of the neck after other remedies effected no perceptible good."

Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Jacksonville, Ala., writes: "My mother insisted on my getting B. B. B. for her rheumatism, as her case stubbornly resisted the usual remedies. She experienced immediate relief, and he rimprovement was truly wonderful."

A prominent physician who wishes his name not given, says: "A patient of mine whose case of tertiary syphilis was surely killing him, and which no treatment seemed to check, was cured with about twelve bottles of B. B. B. He was fairly made up of skin and bones and terrible ulcers."

Greenville Advocate: The LeConte pear trees are now in full bloom and large orchards that bear such delicious fruit, present a pretty picture.

NOTICE.

Re-Registration of Claims Against the Fine and Forfeiture Claims.

Under an Act of the Legislature, approved February 27th, 1889, all persons holding claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county, Alabama, which were registered previous to January 1st, 1894, are required by said act to present them to the county treasurer of said county, within twelve months from the passage of said act, viz: Feb. 27, 1889, for re-registration, or they will be barred. All parties who hold such claims are urgently requested to look them up and bring or send them to the undersigned for re-registration. It puts our fine and forfeiture account in better shape, and costs you nothing only to hand them in.

I. L. SWAN,
County Treasurer,
mar 23 6t Calhoun County, Ala.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA, } Calhoun County. }

In probate Court for said county, Special Term, March 20th, 1889.

This day came John P. Weaver, Commissioner for the sale of the Real estate which was owned jointly by Mrs. J. A. Adams and Jos. A. Glaiden, and filed in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of the proceeds of the sale of said realty.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the 15th day of April 1889 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 15th day of April 1889 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

E. F. CROOK,
mar 23-3 Judge of Probate.

OBITUARY.

Entered into eternal rest, on the 4th of March 1889, at 7:15 P. M., from the residence of her son-in-law, Maj. T. W. Francis, Cane Creek, Calhoun county, Alabama, Mrs. Anne Hoke Abernathy, relict of the late Miles W. Abernathy, of Jacksonville, Ala.

The deceased was born the 6th of October 1812, in Lincoln county, N. C., married there and removed to Alabama about 1837, where she remained to the time of her death.

The testimony of those who knew and loved her well is that from childhood to old age purity of thought, word and deed characterized her life.

The last of a family of eleven, she herself was spared to see a lovely group of seven children grow up around her, attain to man and womanhood and most of them married and happily settled in life and conscientious and devoted members of Christ's body on earth. An All-wise and ever-loving Father visited her with two of his His saddest dispensations in removing from presence for a time, first, her *only* son, who fell gallantly fighting for his States' rights and the cause of the Southern Confederacy, and then the beloved partner of her life, who had been as a staff upon which she leant and the great salve of her declining years. But He, who doeth all things well evolved good out of this seeming evil; for it brought her to lean more completely and confidingly upon, and take counsel with, and receive strength from Him, who is the source of all our comfort.

Although of fragile physique, she devoted her time and attention to her family, never too weary to attend to their comfort and even willing to spend her little strength in ministering to their wants. Yet, engrossed as she was in the cares of the *earthly* household, she did not forget that she had "a building not made with hands eternal in the Heavens," and she was dilligent in fitting herself for that blessed mansion, using all the means of grace appointed to that end, and adding to her faith virtue; and to her virtue knowledge; and to her knowledge temperance; and to her temperance patience; and to her patience Godliness; and to her Godliness brotherly kindness; and to her brotherly kindness charity; so that, when after years of patient suffering as an invalid, borne with unmurmuring faith, she heard her Father's loving summons bidding her "come up higher," she heralded it as an angel of mercy calling her to exchange a troubled, cross-bearing, thorn-strewn pilgrimage for a *home* of eternal rest and a crown of eternal joy.

Her last days were spent in praising God, the psalms were her glory and she would have her children constantly read them to her, and her last words were a triumphal song as she marched through the dark valley of the shadow of death to the farther shores of the chrystal sea. The remains were intered at Jacksonville, Ala., by the Rev. J. F. Smith.

"There is no death! The stars go down
To rise upon some fairer shore;
And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown
They shine for evermore.

There is no death! an angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread:
He bears our best loved things away,
And then we call them "Dead."

He leaves our hearts all desolate.
He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers;
Transplanted into bliss, they now
Adorn immortal bowers.

And ever near us, though unseen,
The dear immortal spirits tread;
For all the boundless universe
Is LIFE—there are NO DEAD."

W. T. ALLEN.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Chew Hygeia tobacco. Cures heartburn. For sale by Porter, Martin & Co.

Greensboro Beacon: The indications at present are favorable for a fruit crop. Though there have been several light frosts, and thin ice two or three times since March came in, we do not think there was much, if any, fruit killed. The peach trees are generally in bloom and look promising.

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Porter, Martin & Co. sell the Hygeia Tobacco. Cures heart burn.

Sheffield Enterprise: Two thousand tons of ore and one thousand tons of coke to come into Sheffield every day and seven hundred tons of pig iron to go out, will make a very respectable business of itself. And that is the kind of business the furnaces will give us.

Why pay 10 cents for a cigar when you can purchase the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5 cents at

ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

The heavy wind late yesterday evening played havoc with the tents on Bank Street. One, on the corner of Bank and Lafayette, was entirely demolished.—Decatur Herald.

NOTICE NO. 8671.

Land office at Montgomery Ala, March 19th, 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 April 20th, 1889, viz: Thomas Sparks, Homestead Entry No. 4584, for the SW¼ of SE¼, SE¼ of SW¼ Sec. 10, T. 16, south R. 8, east.

He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Michael D. Forbes, Anniston, Alabama; John R. Garrett, Dearmanville, Alabama; Frank Hanna, Oxford, Alabama; William M. Hames, Jacksonville, Alabama.

J. G. HARRIS,
mar23-6t Register.

HEAT AND HEADS.

It Is Supposed That the Sun Will Harden the Human Skull.

One of the most interesting things mentioned by Professor Virchow in his little book, entitled "Medical Remembrances of an Egyptian Journey," in which he describes an excursion up the Nile as far as the first cataract, is that the broken skulls on the first great sepulchral fields, dating from Roman times, are as thick and hard as Herodotus says those of the slain Egyptians were in comparison with the brittle ones of the Persians. The Greek historian explains this by attributing it to the early exposure of children to the heat of the sun; and in many parts of Upper Egypt the German travelers actually found young children thus exposed during their parents' absence in the fields in immense clay bowls, resembling in shape a champagne glass with a stem, into which they were put without shelter.

This discovery by Professor Virchow is interesting, because it at once suggests the question whether the proverbial thickness of the skull of the negro has not been caused by exposure to the sun, and whether it is a peculiarity of savages of tropical countries that their skulls are thicker and harder than those of the inhabitants of temperate and colder countries. Students of craniology have never made any investigation to ascertain whether the skulls of different races vary in degrees of hardness. It would be almost impossible to make such an inquiry. As is well known, the human skull increases in hardness from childhood to maturity and age. A miscellaneous collection of skulls of any given people would therefore be of no value in such an investigation.

To obtain a collection of skulls of a number of nationalities, that should be taken from subjects all of the same age, to have them all similarly prepared and in sufficient numbers to make it possible to draw any general conclusions from their comparison with each other, would be manifestly impossible. More attention has been given to the relative thickness of different skulls, or rather to their weight, from which their thickness may be inferred.

Of the large collection of crania in the Army Medical museum at Washington the thickest are those of negroes and Alaskan Indians. The skulls of other Indians, both of North and South America, in tropical or temperate climes, and of the Eskimo, do not appear to be particularly thick. Among the ancient Peruvian skulls recently received by the museum, and the ancient crania collected in Arizona last summer, there are frequent individual variations in thickness, but no tendency to unusual thickness. The conclusion from these facts is that exposure to the sun probably does not cause thickness of the human skull. In connection with this subject, it is interesting to note that among the Australians the sinus frontalis is generally found to be solid in the males, instead of being hollow, as in the skulls of other races. This bone in the male Australians generally extends straight across the head, the lower side overhanging the eyes so that they seem to look out from under it, while in the North American Indians a modification of shape deprives them of that heavy look about the forehead. The heavy sinus frontalis of the Australians, of course, increases the weight of the skull.—American Analyst.

Favorite Barbers.

I suppose on an average, for a week or a month, I shave as many men as any barber in St. Louis, and yet by any of the tests of speed usually employed I would prove a slow man, or at best only ordinary. But you will notice I am always busy; customers wait for me while other barbers in the shop are idle. There are two reasons for this—tricks of the trade. You will notice I have the front chair in the shop; that is, I am nearest the street door. In these busy times men begrudge even the time they have to spend in idleness while being shaved, and they will want to see what is going on and who is passing. I frequently have customers jump from the chair half shaved and rush out on the street and drag in a friend, or a man they want to see on important business. Another trick of the trade I employ is simply to wipe every man's face perfectly dry. Nine barbers out of ten, after shaving a man, go over his face in a mechanical sort of way with a towel, leaving the corners of his mouth, under the mustache, the eyes and the ears wet. I never do this, and the consequence is that my customers come back, and many of them wait for me, even at the expense of loss of time, confident that they will feel comfortable when they leave my chair.—Barber in Globe-Democrat.

Charity Begins at Home.

Said a prominent physician yesterday: "Talk about gall; here's a letter I received clear from London, England, soliciting subscriptions for a Home for Destitute Children, and inclosed was a little book detailing how children could be bought for 6s. 7d. for purposes of begging, and setting forth that the company had 3,000 children—lame, halt and blind—that they were taking care of. While the cause may be a good one, it appears to me that Americans have about all they can do to take care of their own poor, abandoned, orphaned and crippled waifs without going across the water to dispense charity."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Knew Dickens Well.

Dickens used to tell a story of meeting with a clergyman in a railway train who held forth to his fellow passengers ever so long upon the novelist's private failings. "Dickens is an atheist, sir, as I happen to know; he is also a gambler, and I regret to say drinks;" and so on. "Dear me, how sad. Have you ever seen him drunk?" asked Dickens. "Well, not exactly drunk, no; but certainly overtaken by liquor." "Have you ever seen him sober?" "Well, that is too much to say. Oh, yes, I have see him sober." "Often?" "Yes, often." "No, sir, only once. You see him now for the first time." (Curtain.)—San Francisco Argonaut.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Decatur Herald: The State and county tax collector says he has about six hundred delinquent tax payers from whom he will have to collect by law.

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who has a diseased Liver is to at once take proper means to cure it. The function the Liver is designed to perform, and on the regular execution of which depends not only the general health of the body, but the powers of the *Stomach, Bowels, Brain*, and the whole nervous system, shows its vast and vital importance to human health.

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Tax Decrees.

The Tax Collector of Calhoun county, Ala., D. Z. Goodlett, filed in my office on March 9th 1889, a list of lands and lots upon which the taxes and costs were unpaid for the year 1888, and back years. Notice is hereby given, unless the owner or agent comes forward and pays off the taxes and costs accrued on said lands and lots, or show cause why the Decree should not be rendered against said lands and lots for the sale thereof a decree will be rendered on the 8th day of April 1889, being the 2nd Monday in said month and a Regular Term of the Probate Court of said county, for the sale of said lands for the payment of the taxes assessed against them, and costs for the year 1888 and previous years for which they escaped taxation, as follows:

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—Half mineral interest in the S½ of SW¼, Sec. 7, T. 14, R. 8; E½ of NE¼ and part of W½ of NW¼ Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8.

Taxes for 1888,	$ 40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	2.00
Total	$3.60

Owner Unknown, Pre No 2—SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 7, 40 acres.

Taxes '87 & '88	$1.28
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.40
Total	$3.88

Mrs. E. Smith, Pre. No. 5—NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 2, T. 15, R. 6.—40 acres.

Taxes for 5 years,	$6.00
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.45
Total	$8.65

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 6—W½ of SE¼ Sec. 25, T. 14, R. 6.—80 acres.

Taxes for 5 years	$6.40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
	$8.95

L. B. Bunney Pre. No. 9—Lot in Piedmont one-eighth of an acre, bounded south by C. J. Sharp, north by Jacksonville road, west by J. A. Woolf and east by I. J. Sharp.

Taxes for 5 years	$3.00
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.80
Total	$6.00

P. P. Houston, Pre. No. 13.—Lot 3 Block 5, Division 1, in Oxanna, Ala., and Lot 3, Block 27, Division 1, Oxanna, Ala.

Taxes for 1888	$6.40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.50
Total	$9.10

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 19, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$28.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.30
Total	$31.00

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 22, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888

Taxes for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 28, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala. of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$24.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$27.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 10, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 13, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$28.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$31.05

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 35—Lot No. 8, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Tax for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Henry Wyatt, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 16, Block 5, map of Anniston Ala. of 1888.

Tax for 1888	$12.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.30
Total	$15.00

EMMETT F. CROOK,
Judge of Probate,
Calhoun Co. Ala.

March 16, 1889-3w

County Claims.

The holders of County Claims, series of 1885, and up to No. 774 series of 1886, are requested to present them to me for payment. They will not draw interest after the publication of this notice.

I. L. SWAN,
County Treasurer,
mar 9t3 Calhoun County, Ala.

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Solid gold spectacles and nose glasses for $5.

Big stock of jewelry at all prices, cheapest to best.

A fine stock of table and pocket cutlery at lowest prices.

Waterberry Watches $2.50.

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Gold filled Watches, ladies' and gents', $15.

Nickel Clocks $1.25.

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One Day Walnut Strike Clocks $3.00.

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Silver Plated Teaspoons per set 60 cents.

Silver Plated Tablespoons per set $1.25.

Silver Plated Knives per set $1.25.

Silver Plated Forks per set $1.25.

Tea Cups and Saucers per set 20 cents.

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Handsomely decorated China cups and saucers $1.00 per set.

Fancy banded and colored tumblers very stylish, one dozen in a box, from $1.00 to $2.00.

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For most light with least oil, use the Rochester Tripple Burner. Old lamps fitted with these burners for 75 cents.

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A few 4qt. ice cream freezers; Gooch's Peerless, for $3 each. Your last chance to get a freezer of this kind at the price.

A big stock of J. & G. Meakin's Ironstone China, my own importation; cheaper than ever before offered in this latitude.

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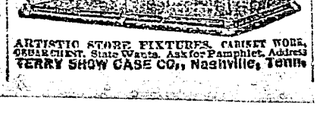

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Sheriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the City Court of Birmingham on the 4th day of February 1889, in favor of Samuel H. Harris and against J. S. Martin, I will proceed to sell on Monday the 18th day of April 1889, at public outcry, before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, to the highest bidder, for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property to-wit: One house and lot No 4, block 186, on Glenn Addie street, in the city of Anniston, in Calhoun county, Alabama, as the property of J. S. Martin for the satisfaction of said execution.

L. P. CARPENTER,
mar16-4t Sheriff.

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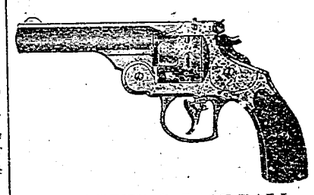

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To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Atlanta R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

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JNO. D. HAMMOND, President
Secretary.
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M. Ed. Nesbit accidentally shot himself in the leg with a pistol Sunday last. The wound is not serious, but confines him to his room.

We have just received a nice new line of Velvets, Velvetines, Silks, Satins, Ribbons, Velling, Collars, Cuffs, Gloves and Parasels.

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Both J. A. Gaboury, General Manager, and Gen. J. W. Burke, President of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Company, have been in New York this week on business for the company.

Beautiful line tips, flowers, feathers and plumes, in all shades at R. H. Middleton & Co.

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

Baptist Church.

There will be no preaching in this church to-morrow, (Sunday) in consequence of the fact, that the pastor Rev. Dr. Lane has been called to Atlanta by telegram to preach for the 1st Baptist church of that city. He requests us to announce that he will preach here on Sunday week, the 5th Sunday March 31st.

Just received, fresh from New York City, nice line spring hats for Ladies, Misses and Children.

R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

We have reduced our price on Acid Phosphate and Guano. Call and see us before you buy.

PORTER, MARTIN & Co.

Another daily mail has been put on between Jacksonville and Anniston, which gives Jacksonville four daily mails, by the E. Tenn. Va. & Ga. R. R. The change is of consequence to the REPUBLICAN, as it enables it to reach subscribers along the line of the Ga. Pacific and the A. & C. roads one day sooner than heretofore.

Immense bargains in 250 pieces of Matting at 12, 15, 20 and 25 cents per yard, worth double the money, at

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Remember Ullman Bros. buy for four stores. One in Anniston, Talladega, Gadsden and Attalla, Alabama. We buy only in very large quantities from manufacturers direct, and for *cash only*, consequently saving from 20 to 25 per cent, and will give our customers the the benefit of same. All are cordially invited to call and examing our large spring and summer stock. Polite and attentive clerks will take pleasure in waiting on you.

Respectfully,
ULLMAN BROS., Anniston.

Mr. Jas. A. Gladden, of Alexandria Valley, previously noticed in this paper as being sick, died at his home some days ago. Mr. Gladden was one of the early settlers of Calhoun county and was of a ripe age at the time of his death. Before the war he was wealthy and his home was the seat of hospitality. After the close of the war he found it difficult to adjust himself to the new order of things and the latter days of his life were not free from pecuniary care; but his home on his fine valley farm was none the less open to the calls of hospitality or his hands the less generous in the bestowment of alms. His family have the sympthy of many friends here.

Ladies,

If you need a hat, don't buy until you see our stock of millinery goods.

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"Mite Meeting."

The next "Mite Meeting" will be held at Mrs. Ida Woodwards, Monday, April 1st.

PROGRAMME.

Instrumental Duet, Misses Anderson and Woodward.
Recitation, Miss Bessie McGinnis.
Vocal Solo, Miss Minnie Weems.
Recitation, Miss Ida Woodward.
Instrumental Solo, Miss Lizzie Brennan.
Recitation, Miss Jennie Wyly.
Vocal Duet, Misses Wyly and Glasser.
Recitation, Miss Carrie Emmerson.
Instrumental Solo, Miss Theresa Nesbit.
Reading, Dr. Crook.
Instrumental Solo, Miss Undine Lane.
Recitation, Master Roy Porter.
Song, Mrs. Grant.

NOTICE TO THE LADIES.

500 Pieces of Embroideries at Extra Low Prices.

Ullman Bros., of Anniston, Ala., will give a special sale at low prices in Hamberg, Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries and Flouncing; also white and colored Embroideried Robes. Newest patterns in Laces and White Goods, such as checked and cross barred muslins, mulls, nainsooks and cambrican.

THIS SALE WILL COMMENCE SATURDAY AND LAST ONE WEEK.

Remembr this will be a special sale both in style and low prices. All are cordially invited,

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by Hough & McManus.

We are requested by the Superintendent of Education to inform the the teachers of the county that he will be in the office of Mr. John P. Weaver, clerk of court, on April 6th (first Saturday), and will settle with them for quarter ending March 31st. Each teacher is expected to sign the pay roll in person. If he finds it impossible to do so, he may instruct Mr. John Weaver in writing to sign for him.

We are determined to sell you, and in order to do so, we have marked our goods low down.

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The name indicates the price. So try a sample of the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5c. at

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TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.
17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday Morch 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganeway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.
6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

J. V. RHODES,
feb. 16 3t Tax Assessor.

For Sale.

Several thousand stalks of sugar cane for seed, on my farm in Alexandria Valley, from the 15th of March until the 5th of April at $2.00 per hundred or $15.00 per thousand stalks. On suitable soil yields 400 to 500 gallons per acre and sells readily at nearly double the price of sorghum syrup. Terms cash.

L. D. MILLER.
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John Wesley on Demonical Possession.

In England the same warfare went on. John Locke had asserted the truth, but the theological view continued to control public opinion. Most prominent among those who exercised great power against the truth was John Wesley, and the greatness and beauty of his character made his influence in this respect all the more unfortunate. The same servitude to the mere letter of scripture which led him to declare that "to give up witchcraft is to give up the Bible and to take ground against the fundamental truths of theology," controlled him in regard to insanity. He insisted, on the authority of the Old Testament, that bodily diseases are sometimes caused by devils, and upon the authority of the New Testament, that the gods of the heathen were demons; he believed that dreams, while in some cases caused by bodily conditions and passions, are shown by scripture to be also caused by occult powers of evil; he cites a physician to prove that "most lunatics are really demoniacs."

In his great sermon on "Evil Angels," he dwells upon this point especially; resists the idea that "possession" may be epilepsy, even though ordinary symptoms of epilepsy be present; protests against "giving up to infidels such proofs of an invisible world as are to be found in diabolic possession," and evidently believes that some who have been made hysterical by his own preaching are "possessed of Satan." On all this, and much more to the same effect, he insisted with all the power given to him by his deep religious nature, his wonderful familiarity with the Scriptures, his natural acumen, and his eloquence.

But here, too, science continued its work. The old belief was steadily undermined, an atmosphere favorable to the truth became more and more developed, and the act of parliament in 1735, which banished the crime of witchcraft from the statute book, was the beginning of the end.—Andrew D. White in Popular Science Monthly.

Moon Fables.

A maiden was accustomed to spin late on Saturday in the moonlight. At one time the new moon on the eve of Sunday drew her up to itself, and now she sits in the moon and spins and spins. And now, when the "gossamer days" set in late in the summer, the white threads float around in the air. These threads are the spinning of the lunar spinner.

The moon is especially a ghostly avenger of human arrogance, and has its humors, according to which things go well or ill with it. In its increase it has a special force and a certain good will for the earth and its inhabitants, while in its decrease it is friendly to no one. The good woman must not do any sewing in the decrease of the moon, for the stitches will not hold; farming tools must not be left in the field, because it is believed, if they are, crops will not again thrive there. If an unbaptized child is exposed to the moonlight, it will lose its luck for its whole life.

If one points at the moon with the finger, he will suffer from swelling around the nail; and whoever spits at the moon will lose all his teeth. These beliefs, too, are international. The same is the case with the religious notions about the new moon. Sorceries of every kind, to be successful, must be performed on Sunday night of the new moon. The hair must be cut only in the increase of the moon, otherwise there is danger of getting headache. If a person returning home in the evening sees the full moon, he ought to take some money out of his purse, and utter an incantation that will make it increase a hundred times during the month.

The moon is also supposed to have an influence over animals and plants.—Dr. F. S. Krauss in Popular Science Monthly.

Editors and Writers.

Nothing could be more false than that editors and publishers like to decline things. On the contrary, they are perfectly eager to get good articles and books, no matter how obscure the writer may be; sometimes, indeed, the obscurer he is the better. The amount of pains which editors and publishers take to lick into shape manuscripts which have a basis of merit, but which are abominably written, is something which would be very surprising to aggrieved contributors who regard every editor and publisher as a contemptuous person with a prejudice against all unknown writers. Editors are willing to suggest, to correct, even to rewrite; but often the task is too much for them, and they decline matter which really has much that is good because the writer is so very far from having learned his trade. There is no higher art than the art of writing; and yet some people expect that they may exercise it without any apprenticeship whatever, just as some others expect to paint good pictures or sing songs like an artist, right off, out of hand, by sheer force of genius, or by "main strength," as Paddy thought he could play the fiddle. The result is the woful duty that editors find themselves under, and which they are not to be blamed if they sometimes shirk.—Boston Transcript.

Railroad Accidents of a Year.

There were 1,935 accidents on the railroads in the United States during 1888. There were 804 collisions, 1,032 derailments and 99 other accidents. Of the collisions 404 were from the rear, 311 were buttings, 90 on crossings. Defects in road caused 189 derailments; defects of equipment caused 148, and neglect in operating caused 117. The killed numbered 697, of whom 434 were employes and 168 passengers.—Troy Times.

An Aged Biblical Error.

The Universities Press edition of the English Bible contains a typographical error which has remained uncorrected for fifty years. It is in the seventeenth verse of the eleventh chapter of Zechariah, which reads, "Woe to the idol shepherd." The word "idol" should be "idle."—New York Star.

From Russia it is reported that a meteoric stone which recently dropped from the heavens contained a number of diamonds.

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NEW ENGLAND'S GIRLS.

WHAT OF THE SURPLUSAGE OF WOMEN IN EASTERN STATES?

Some Interesting Statistics Given by a Lady Who Has Made a Study of the Subject. She Tells What Becomes of the Girls Who Do Not Marry.

It has often been asked what becomes of the surplus of the female over the male population of some of the states, especially of Massachusetts and Connecticut and perhaps of some of the other "down east" commonwealths. An estimable lady by the name of Miss Rebecca Jones, who herself belongs to that number, and who was a school teacher for nearly twenty years in a small New England town, and who is now visiting friends in Brooklyn, gave some interesting statistics bearing upon this point to the writer of this article. Said she:

"I have kept a record of the girls who have graduated from the high school of my native village, where I have been a school teacher since 1871, what they have done and what has become of them."

She gave the figures for the classes of the years 1871 to 1876—from eighteen to eleven years ago—and strange figures for any marrying and giving in marriage community they are. Continuing, she said:

THE MAJORITY ARE SPINSTERS.

"The average age of the female graduates from a typical New England school is between 16 and 17 years. Hence it will appear that the women of whom this list has been made, ranging today between 29 and 34 years old, have done the greater part of all the 'settling in life' that they are likely to do. Out of a total of ninety-nine graduates there were twenty-seven marriages, eleven deaths and sixty-nine are still single. Strange as it may seem, the eleven deaths were all caused by consumption. There have been two cases of insanity, both of the twenty-seven married group. The largest number of children of any is three. Three of the girls went to college after leaving the high school, all of whom are married.

"Of the unmarried sixty-one, twenty-one follow a very usual feminine calling—that of schoolma'm! One is at Hampton, Va., teaching the Indians; the other twenty are in country schools in or near by their homes. Three set type; one reads proof; one is head dressmaker in a large establishment in New York city; four are dressmakers on their own hook; one is practicing medicine; three are music teachers; fifteen are stitchers and buttonhole makers in shoe shops, and the rest are home bodies.

"Just what has brought about such a preponderance of spinsterhood it is not altogether easy to say. Some people have contended that it did not exist, but statistics prove to the contrary. Such people have explained the great surplus of women in New England on the supposition that most of them are widows, made so by the hazardous occupation of the men along the eastern coast. Widows there are in plenty, but the sixty-one of my records certainly never married.

THE YOUNG MEN LEAVE HOME.

"Probably most of them never had an opportunity to marry. There are few marriageable young men at the present time to be found in most of the small New England towns. The serene quiet of this most lethargic rural section of the country does not suit the active spirit of young men of the day. They go away before they are old enough to marry, and the chances are that they don't come back again.

"If they do return they are impressed with the lack of money in New England, outside of the cities, by the length of time since the houses have been painted and the amount of calculation required before he can find a place where he can satisfactorily spend a dollar. They do not stay long enough to admire the hardy thrift that can wring a comfortable support from the stony soil where a New Yorker would starve, and 'the girls they left behind them' cannot compare, so they seem to think, for beauty of dress, fascinating coquetry or small talk of society with the blandishments of the city girls, who have insensibly become to them the standard for admiration.

"These things considered, it is fortunate for the spinster that she is fast learning to think it a natural and not altogether unpleasant state of affairs to be what she is. They do not look an unhappy lot, and New England is learning to be tender of and appreciate them. She does not call them 'old maids,' and the fiction of their youth is kept up till they die. One may hear of the 'Fisher girls,' the 'Smith girls,' and so on for weeks before the truth dawns that the 'girls' are well past the half century milestone of life. They never married and no one was ever cruel enough to mark out any line beyond which they ceased to be young. They are self respecting and universally respected.

"There are New England towns in great numbers, where the best educated and best bred Yankee girl, of the best colonial families, can go into the shoe shop and work there for years after she has ceased to be a girl, save by courtesy, and still read the classics and move in, perhaps lead, the most aristocratic society of the town."—New York Mail and Express.

Wane of the Alligator.

The alligator of the south, like the buffalo of the west, is likely soon to become extinct. The slaughter of the alligator for its hide, like the slaughter of buffaloes for their hides, has been so great that it will be only a few years before the lonely lagoon of Florida will have lost its last survivor.—Scientific American.

A Big Settlement of Horses.

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Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala., on March 13, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas B. Swink, Homestead 7846, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 14 S, R 6 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ohatchie, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Peeks Hill, Oakley Brown, of Ohatchie, Ala.

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Land Office at Montgomery, Ala. March 4, 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, Ala., on April 22, 1889, viz: James A. Dickinson, Homestead entry No. 15287, for the E½ of NW¼ Sec. 18 T. 13, south of R. 8 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: Able B. Hollingsworth, William C. Hollingsworth, Elisha B. Dickinson; Jabus M. Rhodes, all of Mack, Ala.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gaboury, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

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Hog Raising in the South.

We have always contended that hogs can be raised more profitably, and with far less attention in the south, than any of the great hog producing states of the north west. There is no reason why the farmers of Alabama, and all the southern states cannot raise all the hogs needed for home consumption, and save the immense drainage of their cash which now goes to Indiana, Missouri, Illinois and other states from whence these supplies ar received.

The Southern Farm, of Atlanta, is doing a great service to the farmer of the south, in directing attention to this and other questions effecting the profit in southern agriculture. We present below a communication, in the March number of that most excellent publication, from a correspondent, Mr. J. D. Waters, of Montezuma, Ga., giving his method of hog-raising. He says:

"In the first place, in early fall, I sow rye for winter grazing for such as are left after the winter killing. Later, I sow wheat or some other grain, wheat preferred to be turned on when ready (not to be harvested) with early sown rye. I can commence to graze them by Christmas or the 1st of January, and continue until May. They will now require good feed until the middle or last of May, when the grain is ready to receive them, and keep them in good growing order with but little feed, until speckled peas, planted on winter grazing lot ripen, which will be from the 1st to the 10th of August, when they are turned on pea field. From speckled peas. I run them on ground peas (Spanish), which are now ripe and ready for them. Every pork raiser should plant enough ground peas to keep his porkers on till they are fat. Sweet potatoes are excellent for fattening, are easily raised, should be raised by every one raising pork, for final run before penning. They should then have corn for a week or ten days. By this time they are well fattened and ready for the butcher. By this management they can be carried through on very little feed, but I deem it poor economy to withhold liberal feed from intended porkers at any time. I now have four breeds of hogs, viz: Poland China, Berkshire, Chester White, and what is called Irish Gragile. The hogs, the weights of which was sent to the Southern Farm, were a cross of Poland China and Berkshire, the best hog I think I have found so far. Unless it be the Irish Gragile, which I have had only a short while; cannot say positively, but believe them to be a good hog. I am not able to say what it costs to raise bacon, but know the cost managed thus, to be small—much cheaper than to buy. I think any farmer can, by giving a little time and attention, raise bacon for plantation use cheaper than he can buy, even at the present low prices. The hams are well salted down with small quantity salt peter to each piece for about four weeks, when they are taken up, well washed and scalded in hot water. They are then hung up and smoked for a few days (hicory wood preferred for smoking), when they are sacked in thick paper sacks and hung up for future use. Put up in this way not later than February, are never troubled with insects of any kind. I might further say, I seldom carry hogs over one year. Kill spring pigs in fall, summer and fall pigs in spring. My hogs are comparatively free from disease, not having cholera or other disease until now; they are affected with what is supposed to be cholera. If farmers generally would give a little more attention to hog raising, we would have less complaint of cholera and more good sweet home raised bacon and lard for our families.

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RULES OF DECORUM.

Article 1. The church conference shall commence by singing and prayer.

2. The church shall have a pastor whose duty it shall be to preside over the body, and preserve good order who shall be chosen by ballot annually, or for so long a time as he and the church can agree, by a majority of the church, he shall also have the privilege of debate in conference upon condition that he call some other brother to fill the chair who shall be empowered with the same authority while sitting.

3. The church shall have a clerk whose duty it shall be to keep a correct record of the proceedings of the church, and shall read the Decorum or cause the same to be done quarterly, or when called for by the church, and shall read the minutes at the opening and closing of each conference if required. The clerk shall sign his name with that of the moderator to each minute, and he shall be elected by a majority of the church annually said election to be by ballot.

4. We believe it to the duty of all male members to attend regular conference or show cause of excuse for their non-attendance at the next regular conference—for the first failure of such attendance he shall be subject to admonition, for the second reproof from the moderator, for the third, the same being in succession, to being cited to satisfy the church for his non-attendance.

5. But one member shall address the moderator at the same time who shall respectfully rise from his seat, nor shall he be interrupted unless he depart from the subject or use unbecoming language, nor shall he speak more than twice on the same subject without leave from the church.

6. Motions shall not receive the attention of the conference until they are seconded, when two motions are put touching the same point the last shall be first in order.

7. No member shall absent himself from the church without leave from the moderator.

8. In the decision of all questions except that of receiving members into fellowship with the church a majority of the church will be sufficient.

9. In conference all intercourse carried on either in addressing the moderator or each other the appellation of brother shall be used.

10. In all cases of a tie the moderator shall be entitled to the casting vote.

11. The church may adjourn her conference to any time or place they may see proper, and call conference when expedient.

12. We believe it the duty of all male members to vote on all questions coming before the church or give their reasons.

13. The moderator shall enquire for absentees and delinquents noted by the clerk at each meeting.

14. It shall be the duty of the moderator to see these rules carried into effect.

15. This Decorum may be altered at any regular conference by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

DUTY OF DEACONS.

1. It shall be the Deacons' duty to furnish the elements for the sacramental supper, prepare the table, take charge of the furniture, distribute the bread and wine after having received it from the hands of the administrator.

2. This church shall have a fund which shall be raised by voluntary contribution for the purpose of supporting the Lord's table, and the poor of the church if necessary.

3. We believe it to be the duty of the deacon or deacons to see the table of the pastor is furnished, we therefore recommend that the deacons prepare a subscription and present it to the church and the benevolent of the congregation for the purpose of raising an annual support for the pastor of this church.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES.

1st. We believe in one only true and living God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three in one.

2nd. We believe that the scriptures of the old and new Testaments are the word of God, and therefore the only rule of faith and practice.

3rd. We believe the doctrine of election, and that God chose his people in Christ before the foundation of the world.

4th. We believe in the doctrine of original sin.

5th. We believe in man's impotency to recover himself from the fallen state he is in by nature by his own ability.

6th. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God only by the merits of Christ by imputation.

7th. We believe the Saints shall persevere in grace and never fall finally away.

8th. We believe Baptism and the Lords Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ, and that true believers are the subjects, and we believe that the true mode of Baptism is by immersion.

9th. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgment.

10. We believe the punishment of the wicked will be everlasting, and the joys of the righteous eternal.

11. We believe that no person has a right to the administration of the the ordinance only such as are regular baptised, called and come under the imposition of hands by the presbytry.

12. We believe that none but regular baptised members have a right to commune at the Lord's table.

BUSINESS ORDER OF THE CHURCH.

1st. The moderator shall invite visiting brethren and sisters to seats in conference to aid with their advice and counsel in all deliberations before the church, but those not members of the church shall in no case vote.

2nd. Fellowship enquired for by the moderator.

3rd. The door of the church opened for the reception of members.

4th. Read the minutes of the last conference if necessary.

5th. Take up references.

6th. Miscellaneous business.

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BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday Morch 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
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6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
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Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala., on March 13, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas B. Swink; Homestead 7846, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 16, Tp. 14 S, R 6 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ottery, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Peeks Hill, Oakley Brown, of Ohatchie, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
Jan 19-6t Register.

NOTICE NO 8431.

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA. January 19th, 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, March 4, 1889; viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead entry No 21472, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SE qr, Sec. 18, Tp 14 S, R 9 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gabourr, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.
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Out there upon thy pathway,
The land is white with snow,
But ever, ever onward,
Thy weary feet must go.

Why dost thou stand here, wanderer,
And weep with bitter fear?
Why dost thy not go bravely on,
Without a sigh or tear?

Dost thy not know, O wanderer,
That just beyond thy sight
The soft, green grass is growing
And the sun shines warm and bright?

And when, at last, thou seest
Gold and purple in the west,
Thou mayst lie down, O wanderer,
To a long, long, peaceful rest!

And thou wilt know of grander things
When thou wakest from thy sleep;
Then, wanderer, thou wilt wonder
Why it was that thou didst weep.

Pass on, pass on, O wanderer,
Upon thy toilsome way!
Thou wilt rest in peace and happiness
At the closing of the day.

—Zola M. Boyle.

THE DESERTER.

It was the last year of the civil war—a year full of anxiety, suspense and privation of every kind. Down here in Louisiana we were beginning to realize that our cause was hopeless, and that the Confederacy was near its end. I suppose it was that knowledge which made people so reckless. Men had lost all sense of responsibility in the whirl of events, and acts were constantly committed which, in the light of a calmer day, seem the acts of madmen.

New Orleans, in possession of the Federals, had quited down to a certain extent, but the country parishes were in a ferment, occupied as they were in turn by Confederate and northern troops. The ravages of irresponsible, plundering bands had become so terrible in some of the western parishes that, at the urgent invitation of Judge Maxwell, who was a distant relative of mine, I took refuge with him at Boscabel, a plantation in the Red River country.

This district, it is true, was occupied by Federal troops, but they were well disciplined and committed no outrages. After the terrors and uncertaintics of the "debatable ground," there was a comfortable feeling of security in finding ourselves within the lines and not in danger of capture. Several ladies, friends of Judge Maxwell, had collected at Boscabel, so our social life was far from dull.

Beautiful Adela Maxwell was our host's young daughter-in-law. She had only been married a week when her husband, who had enlisted in Gen. Taylor's army, was compelled to leave her.

She was a lovely, irresponsible child—a spoiled one, too. At 16 years of age she had married Theo Maxwell, who was not then 20. It was due to the recklessness so common at that period that the marriage of the young pair was sanctioned by the two families.

Theo was grave and thoughtful beyond his years; brave, as were all the Maxwells, almost stern in his ideas of duty, and only weak where his beautiful little bride was concerned.

Most southern women were brave and high spirited, ready to make any sacrifice for a cause they considered sacred, but Adela had not a grain of patriotism in her soul. She did not care a straw which cause conquered so that the war might end and Theo return home. Her standing grievance was that he had joined the army as a private instead of marching forth in all the glory of a general's paraphernalia.

At times she would give way to a perfect passion of grief, and eat nothing for days. Then the mood would change and she would be in the wildest spirits, laughing, singing, dancing. She reminded me of a butterfly I once saw lighting on the rim of a cannon the moment before it was discharged.

One morning she burst in upon us in the breakfast room in an irritable and impatient mood.

"I can't stand this!" she cried. "I never closed my eyes all night thinking of Theo. I can't eat, I can't sleep, and I shall die if Theo doesn't come home! I must see with my own eyes that he is alive and well."

"But how can you expect him to come?" cried Dora Maxwell, the judge's daughter, a sensible, spirited girl, who had not too much patience with her sister-in-law's childish ways. "He is a soldier, a private, too, and they are not allowed a furlough every time their wives happen to cry for them. With all this skirmishing going on around us you surely don't think there's any chance of his getting off? I do wish, Adela, you would try to be reasonable—for Theo's sake, if for no other reason.

"Look at Mrs. Rogers," she continued. "Her husband is in constant peril, and see how brave and cheerful she is! She says that is the only way in which she can imitate him."

"Don't talk to me of Mrs. Rogers!" Adela looked like a small fury. "Do you pretend to compare my love for Theo with hers for her husband? Easy enough to be quiet when she doesn't care a picayune for him! Didn't she actually hurry him off last week, when he hadn't been with her for more than an hour? Don't compare us and set that cold hearted thing up as my model!"

"I don't compare you," Dora said dryly. "Mrs. Rogers is utterly unselfish, a noble woman, to whom the honor of her husband is as dear as his life. She hurried him off because she knew if he waited until daylight his risk of being made a prisoner would be great. Besides, he had promised his captain to be back that night and he was in honor bound to keep his word."

Adela burst into a flood of angry tears.

"Honor! honor!" she repeated, petulantly. "I just hate the word! Honor made Theo join the army and leave me here to be wretched! Honor keeps him away! Some day honor is going to leave him on the battle field with a bullet in his heart. What will it do for me, if I lose him I'd like to know? Nobody here feels for me. Nobody loves Theo as I do!"

She hurried from the room, but stopped on the threshold and turned her pretty, tear stained face to us.

"Theo shall come back to me in spite of you all!" she cried.

Dora sighed deeply as the door closed behind Adela. "Poor Theo!" she said, softly. "He always seemed to feel such a contempt for women! Yet that girl can make him do anything!".

"She is such a child!" I interposed.

"Yes, and that makes her so unfit to be a wife. We are going to have an opportunity of sending letters through the lines today, and Heaven only knows what Adela will write to her husband! Enough to make him wretched, I dare say, for she won't spare him a single tear of hers. He'll fancy her pining to death, and before night, I dare say, she'll be laughing and singing."

But for once Dora was mistaken. Adela complained of a violent headache, and after writing her letter went to bed, and did not make her appearance until late the next day. Then she wore a subdued, rather frightened look, not natural to her. She appeared like a mischievous child who had done something naughty and was afraid of being found out.

For the two following days she was in a state of perpetual excitement almost hysterical. She would rush from door to window, or to any place which commanded a view of the long front avenue. At any unexpected sound she would spring up, listen breathlessly, and then sink back in her seat with a sigh.

"I am afraid my little girl is getting nervous," said Judge Maxwell on the second evening, putting his arm affectionately around her. "Come, it won't do when Theo returns for him to find a wife with her nerves unstrung. The women of our family were as brave as the men, and I can't have a Maxwell a coward."

"But I'm not an out and out Maxwell," she answered with a hysterical laugh; "and I'm an awful coward. Oh, why don't Theo come home!"

This was followed by a violent burst of tears, and she rung her hands as if in despair.

"Dora, you had better take your sister to her room and make her lie down," the judge said, gently. "Adela, my dear, you must try to control yourself. Remember that your tears will not bring your husband back one day sooner. You are only injuring your health and for Theo's sake you must take care of that."

After they left the room, the judge and I sat silent until the lamps were lighted. Suddenly he sprang to his feet, for we heard the hurried steps of a man on the long veranda in front of the house.

Then the door was violently thrown open and Theo stood before us. Theo pale, wild eyed, and covered with dust. He looked in our faces strangely, inquiringly and uttered a deep groan. His parched lips strove to speak, but the words died in a gasp.

"My soul what is the matter?" cried the judge, taking his hand.

"Adela, my darling! Is she dead?" the son managed to articulate. "Am I too late?"

"Adela? Why, she is in perfect health—never has been ill. She was in this room five minutes ago.

The judge stopped suddenly, terrified by his son's look. He had grown ghastly pale and sank into a chair.

He covered his face with his hands, shaking as if in an attack of ague. In a moment he controlled himself and tried to speak calmly. "Read that," he said, drawing a letter from his pocket, and handing it to his father, "and tell me if I could have stayed away?"

Months afterward I read the letter. In it Adela told her husband she was dying and he must come to her immediately if he would see her alive, but, ill as she was, no one should write to him but herself. If he loved her, come! The letter was written in faint, tremulous characters, as if the hand was too weak to hold the pen and the eyes too dim to see the lines.

Judge Maxwell's face was very stern when he laid down the letter.

"It was an unjustifiable deceit," he said, "but you must try to forgive her. You must not let it embitter your visit."

"Father, do you not understand!" cried the young soldier. "I asked for permission to visit a dying wife, but the general positively refused. They expect a battle at Pleasant Hill, and not a man was allowed to leave. I came without permission."

"A deserter! you, Theo Maxwell!" cried the judge, looking stunned.

"Yes, a deserter on the eve of battle," Theo cried, with a bitter laugh. "I've done for myself now, father." There was a hurried step in the corridor, and in a moment Adela was in her husband's arms, crying and laughing hysterically.

"I heard your voice, darling," she cried. "Why hadn't I been called? Didn't I tell you all he should come back to me? And now I've got him! I've got him! I've got him!" her voice rising shrill and strained with excitement. But what is the matter, Theo? Why do you look at me like that? What is the matter with you all?"

"The matter, madam," cried Judge Maxwell, sternly, "is disgrace to my son and your husband. By your falsehoods you brought him from his post—made him a deserter. Do you know what that means? A disgraceful death! Yes, that is what you have brought upon the man you professed to love."

He got no further, for Adela's head fell back on her husband's shoulder in merciful unconsciousness. He strained her to his bosom and pressed a kiss upon her white lips.

"Dora, take her to her room," he said. "Be gentle with her for my sake, sister. She is only a child and did not know what she was doing. I must get away from here before she revives." He tightened his belt and pulled his cap over his eyes.

The old judge laid a trembling hand on his son's arm.

"Theo, my son," he said, tremulously, "don't go back! There is a squadron of northern soldiers camped just back here in Miller's field. You can be taken prisoner by them, you know, and you'll be safe from, from."——

He stammered and choked.

"I understand you, father," Theo said, quietly. "You mean if I am taken prisoner I will escape a deserter's fate. It would add cowardice to desertion. No, sir, I will get back the soonest I can, and bear my fate as your son should. I had to run a cordon of Federal troops coming here, and I fear it will be hard work getting back through the lines."

"But Gen. Taylor is my friend." The old man's speech was growing inarticulate. "I will write to him, I will go to him. He must listen to me. No court martial could condemn you under such circumstances."

Theo smiled sadly.

"I hope for little leniency. I left on the eve of a battle, you must remember. Farewell, father! Be kind to my poor little wife. Dora, don't unman me." She was clinging to him and sobbing convulsively. "If you love me you will go back to Adela. Do not tell her what may happen to me. I leave her to you all as a sacred charge," he added, solemnly, and before any one answered had gone.

"I will go myself," stammered the judge, trying to rise from his seat. "I will explain to Gen. Taylor. My boy shall not be sacrificed." A convulsion passed over his face, his feet refused to support him and he sank back in his chair.

We knew well what was the matter. A year before he had had an attack of paralysis, a slight one, and his old enemy had him once more in its relentless grip. For three days and nights we watched beside him until the end came.

A week afterward our cruel suspense as to Theo's fate was over. In trying to pass the Federal pickets he had been shot.

"Thank God!" sobbed Dora, "he was spared the ignominious fate of a deserter. I think he wanted to be killed."

Adele's grief at first was violent. She soon returned to her father's house. In a few months I saw her there as lovely, as irresponsible and as gay as if she had not caused the disgrace and death of the man who had loved her more than his duty.—Marie B. Williams.

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British Red Tape.

It is doubtful if anything in the "red tape" line can excel two instances recently brought to public notice in connection with the military service of England. So minute are the reports required that Sir Evelyn Wood, commander at Aldershot, recently had occasion to record the momentous fact, with all the paraphernalia of imposing official document seals and the like, the thrilling fact that a private soldier had fallen over a stone and skinned his nose. Another instance of puerile inefficiency is seen in the case of a soldier who, while in Egypt in 1884, had an overissue of rations amounting to seventy cents. This has been the subject of a vast amount of official correspondence, involving reams of paper and rolls of red tape, and it has finally been settled by the discovery that the soldier held a certificate in full for the provisions in dispute.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Niagara Falls Measurements.

The following are the latest statistics concerning the cataract. The outline of the American falls is about 1,000 feet, and the height about 165 feet. The descent in the rapids above the American fall is about 40 feet to the half mile. The outline of the Horseshoe fall is about 2,600 feet, the height about 158 feet, and the descent in the rapid above about 55 feet to three-quarters of a mile. The volume of water passing over both falls is about 15,000,000 cubic feet per minute, or about one cubic mile per week, or 54 cubic miles per year.—Buffalo Courier.

Brought Them Out in Sections.

One of our county physicians, who lives at Tazewell, was called to see a very tall gentleman who lives in the neighborhood of Brantly, and who was sick with the measles. On account of the exceeding height of the man the doctor advised him to paint a ring around his body with iodine and he would proceed to bring the measles out on him one end at a time, as it would be impossible to accomplish the whole job at once. Our informant states that the ring was drawn and the measles brought out in sections.—Buena Vista (Ga.) Patriot.

An Old Family.

Mr. De Pink—My dear, I've found a husband for you.

Miss De Pink—Does he belong to an old family?

Mr. De Pink—Yes, indeedy. All his brothers are over 80 and he's gray headed himself.—Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Winks (looking over the paper)—Cheap Drugg & Co. are selling all sorts of patent medicines at half price.

Mrs. Winks—Just our luck. There isn't anything the matter with any of us.—New York Weekly.

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NO LONGER A PROBABILITY, BUT A CERTAINTY.

The Company Quietly but Actively at Work, Asking No Favors Except the Mere Right of Way—Something of the Section Through Which It will Pass.

No railroad has ever been built in this section on which the work has been done as quietly and with as little asked on the part of the company as in the case of the Chattanooga Southern.

They have gone on quietly until they have their road in condition to be built at once, and then they make the modest request for a right or way, asking no subscription whatever.

The trouble as to the right of way at Blowing Springs delayed the company, but this has been settled and everything is now ready for business. Ten miles of the road is graded, and work will be pushed rapidly forward.

It is pre-eminently the mineral road of this section. It opens up to Chattanooga almost inexhaustible beds of the richest iron ores, while lead, copper and silver are found along its line. Chattanooga will receive more benefit from this line of road than from almost any line that could possibly be built. Being the terminus of the road and in a position to handle the vast mineral and timber wealth of the region through which it passes, it will be a most valuable acquisition and the wealth that it will bring cannot be estimated.

The money is ready to build the road and it will be pushed through as fast as money can accomplish it.—Chattanooga Times.

Emin Pasha.

There was a small telegram in yesterdays Age-Herald about a big man.

A dispatch from Cairo intimated that Emin Pasha had administered a sound drubbing to the fanatical dervishe and was in excellent health after the job.

The tangled reports that come from the Soudan leave us in doubt as to whether Stanley found and relieved Emin Pasha or Emin Pasha found and relieved Stanley. At any rate, when together they make, in the slang of the day, a good pair to draw to. Everybody knows Stanley's history, in fact, a good deal more of it than himself, but information as to the German savant is not so generally diffused.

An Austrian by birth and of the highest scientific attainments, this remarkable man attracted the attention of Chinese Gordon, then Governor of the Soudan, and the future martyr assigned him the task of breaking up the slave traffic in the Lower Soudan.

Gordon is dust, the Egyptian Government has undergone several transformations, but Emin, the first Bey, and new full-blown Pasha continues his task with a pertinacity and a placidity that argues a remarkably well strung nervous system.

Surrounded on all sides by cruel and fanatical foes, with treachery stalking in his camp and its shadow ever falling upon the walls of his tent, this hero has not only checked and chastised his enemies and maintained an iron grasp upon his followers, manufactured implements of warfare and ammunition for his rifles, but has continued a patient and assiduous study of the fauna and flora of the wierd region that is at once his kingdom and his prison. In the silent watches of the night, when all his dusky followers, save the outposts, are locked in slumber, he bends over the microscope and reads the life of some tiny insect with as much interest as though in his studio at Vienna, and unconcerned by the thought that some far reaching rifle may flash out of the darknesss and still that busy brain forever.

If providence permits him to complete his work, humanity will owe Emin Pasha a lasting debt for the abolition of hideous cruelty, and science will receive from his hands invaluable contributions to her stores.

Those who have followed his career are heartily glad to know that he is alive and well.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

An Evident Hog.

The average Black Belt negro is a remarkable animal any way, and causes no end of trouble—in politics. His complaint is and has been that he can't get his vote counted, and on this complaint of his, presidential elections have been fought and lost and won. Yet, in truth, his vote is counted oftener than that of any other known description of the animal who votes.

He gets it counted at the polls in August for the Democratic ticket. It is next counted in the Democratic State Convention, and on the third and last call he gets it counted again in the Republican State Convention. The Black Belt negro is an evident hog.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Her Life Saved by Her Garter.

LITTLE ROCK, March 25.—Ida Lynch started to drown herself by jumping from the lower bridge across the Arkansas river, but the watchman caught her as she jumped, his hand catching in her garter, which was strong, and thus saved her life.

A ROSEATE EPISODE.

We find, in the Clay County (Ala) Advance the following:

"The dreamy clank of the creaking press and the hasty click of the jingling type in the influential monotony of an editor's sanctum, are frequently relieved by an agreeable diversity. Especially do these grave duties flit from our care, when we are aroused by the musical voice of beauty, and our gaze meets the perfected charms of fairness. The presence of ladies is ennobling and estimable, and we make our profoundest bow of the week in acknowledgement of a recent call from Misses Clara Smith and Annie Gilbert, gracefully thanking our visitors for the courtesies extended."

Ah! brother, deep and cunning, truly art thou! We perceive in these reverberating periods, not only the gallant acknowledgement of an ecstacy already experienced, but the ardent expectation of happiness still to come. Not for you the dreamy clank of the creaking press, the hasty click of the jingling type, the influential monotony of running the whole shop—not much! In the pauses of your change from editorial thunderer to a one-elbow power on the Washington press, and whilst you pass from setting up a leader to justifying a joke, your jocund fancy gallops o'er many a flowery mead of imagination. You picture other calls from lovely women. You hear the musical voice of other beauty and conjure up the perfected charms of other fairness. "Courtesies extended," forsooth! You have not told us what these courtesies consisted of—you don't intend to. And who shall blame you? But you harbor visions of other "courtesies extended" all the same. You dream of syllabub and sandwiches and fresh-laid eggs and, preadventure, cake—not the common church-fair article, but fine, strong, searching, nightmare cake; that will remain with you for many days and keep your memory fresh. You think of such things, brother, as you weave these beauteous meshes of eloquence wherewith to beacon further visitors from the fairy land of grace and loveliness. You are wise in your generation and your name is not Dennis—not by any means.—Montgomery Dispatch.

THE NEW COLLECTOR.

J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, the Successful Man.

Candidates can now go home and sleep sweetly for the next two years, for J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, was last night elected Tax Collector vice J. F. James, resigned. Mr. Marion did not announce for the office until yesterday morning, and it may be considered a case of the office seeking the man. He was born in Jacksonville and for a number of years has been connected with the Georgia Pacific Depot at this place as one of the clerks, and has made a most faithful and acceptable officer. He is chuck full of energy, and is well qualified to fill the position in every respect. He will discharge his duties to the entire satisfaction of the public. His genial, winning ways will enable him to collect the taxes out of "slow pay" parties without offending them in their long-established habit to "stave off the government" as long as possible, but once arouse him and he is not the man to let justice sleep too long.

In selecting Mr. Marion for the position the council has done an eminently wise thing. We predict that he will make a model officer and will not "let the grass grow under his feet" in keeping the city's exchequer well filled to meet current expenses.

We are heartily in accord with the council in selecting Mr. Marion, and shall stand up to him as long as he does his duty faithfully and conscientiously—and any other officer who does the same thing.—Anniston News.

STILL THEY COME.

The Rogers Locomotive Works Likely to Be Removed to Birmingham.

It is likely that the great plant of the Roger Locomotive Works, now located in New Jersey, will soon be removed to Birmingham.

A well known broker said yesterday that he knew that twenty acres of ground at Gate City had been offered the company if they would establish their works there. Representatives have been here and looked over the ground and expressed themselves highly pleased with the surroundings. In fact, they said they were in favor of removing the works to Birmingham, and information received from them since their return home indicates that this will be done and at no very distant day.

This means another big enterprise for Birmingham, and others will follow.—Birmingham Herald.

Election of Directors for the Dummy Line.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Anniston, Oxford & Choccolocco Dummy Line was held at Oxford yesterday, and nine-tenths of the subscribed stock was represented. The following officers and directors were elected: E. Locke, President; R. J. Riddle, Vice-President; T. M. Draper, Secretary; C. D. Woodruff, Treasurer. Directors: R. S. Riddle, W. G. Ledbetter, Anniston; T. C. Hill, D. C. Cooper, Oxford; L. L. Allen, J. T. D'Arman, of D'Armanville; S. N. Milligan, J. F. M. Davis of Choccolocco; C. S. Whiteside, W. C. Scarborough, White Plains.—Anniston Hot Blast.

Hog Raising in the South.

We have always contended that hogs can be raised more profitably, and with far less attention in the south, than any of the great hog producing states of the northwest. There is no reason why the farmers of Alabama, and all the southern states cannot raise all the hogs needed for home consumption, and save the immense drainage of their cash which now goes to Indiana, Missouri, Illinois and other states from whence these supplies ar received.

The Southern Farm, of Atlanta, is doing a great service to the farmer of the south, in directing attention to this and other questions effecting the profit in southern agriculture. We present below a communication, in the March number of that most excellent publication, from a correspondent, Mr. J. D. Waters, of Montezuma, Ga., giving his method of hog-raising. He says:

"In the first place, in early fall, I sow rye for winter grazing for such as are left after the winter killing. Later, I sow wheat or some other grain, wheat preferred to be turned on when ready (not to be harvested) with early sown rye. I can commence to graze them by Christmas or the 1st of January, and continue until May. They will now require good feed until the middle or last of May, when the grain is ready to receive them, and keep them in good growing order with but little feed, until speckled peas, planted on winter grazing lot ripen, which will be from the 1st to the 10th of August, when they are turned on pea field. From speckled peas, I run them on ground peas (Spanish), which are now ripe and ready for them. Every pork raiser should plant enough ground peas to keep his porkers on till they are fat. Sweet potatoes are excellent for fattening, are easily raised, should be raised by every one raising pork, for final run before penning. They should then have corn for a week or ten days. By this time they are well fattened and ready for the butcher. By this management they can be carried through on very little feed, but I deem it poor economy to withhold liberal feed from intended porkers at any time. I now have four breeds of hogs, viz: Poland China, Berkshire, Chester White, and what is called Irish Gragile. The hogs, the weights of which was sent to the Southern Farm, were a cross of Poland China and Berkshire, the best hog I think I have found so far. Unless it be the Irish Gragile, which I have had only a short while; cannot say positively, but believe them to be a good hog. I am not able to say what it costs to raise bacon, but know the cost managed thus, to be small—much cheaper than to buy. I think any farmer can, by giving a little time and attention, raise bacon for plantation use cheaper than he can buy, even at the present low prices. The hams are well salted down with small quantity salt peter to each piece for about four weeks, when they are taken up, well washed and scalded in hot water. They are then hung up and smoked for a few days (hicory wood preferred for smoking), when they are sacked in thick paper sacks and hung up for future use. Put up in this way not later than February, are never troubled with insects of any kind. I might further say, I seldom carry hogs over one year. Kill spring pigs in fall, summer and fall pigs in spring. My hogs are comparatively free from disease, not having cholera or other disease until now; they are affected with what is supposed to be cholera. If farmers generally would give a little more attention to hog raising, we would have less complaint of cholera and more good sweet home raised bacon and lard for our families.

Fingers Came Off.

My little son, five years old, was afflicted with a skin disease for which the doctors had no name. The nails came off his fingers, and the fingers came off his hands up to the middle joint. For three years he has suffered dreadfully, and has taken quantities of medicine. He is now getting well under treatment of Swift's Specific,

JOHN DEIHL.

Peru, Ind., Jan. 12, 1889.

Remarkable Case.

For two years I had rheumatism so bad that it disabled me for work, and confined me to my bed for a whole year, durning which time I could not even raise my hands to my head, and for three months could not raise myself in bed; was reduced in flesh from 192 to 96 lbs.; was treated by best physicians only to grow worse. Finally I took Swift's Specific, and soon began to improve. After a while was at my work, and for the past months have been as well as I ever was—all from the effects of Swift's Specific. JOHN RAZ.

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Mr. Freake, the Australian who is to build a yacht to compete for the America's cup next year, probably depends upon a freak of luck, also.

A Dubuque Iowa, man has just shipped 1,100 cats and dogs to Dakota, where the animals are wanted to exterminate ground mice.

A pretty girl don't object to reflections on herself when they come from a looking-glass.

Published by Request.

RULES OF DECORUM

Of the Baptist Church At White's Gap.

RULES OF DECORUM.

Article 1. The church conference shall commence by singing and prayer.

2. The church shall have a pastor whose duty it shall be to preside over the body, and preserve good order who shall be chosen by ballot annually, or for so long a time as he and the church can agree, by a majority of the church, he shall also have the privilege of debate in conference upon condition that he call some other brother to fill the chair who shall be empowered with the same authority while sitting.

3. The church shall have a clerk whose duty it shall be to keep a correct record of the proceedings of the church, and shall read the Decorum or cause the same to be done quarterly, or when called for by the church, and shall read the minutes at the opening and closing of each conference if required. The clerk shall sign his name with that of the moderator to each minute, and he shall be elected by a majority of the church annually said election to be by ballot.

4. We believe it to the duty of all male members to attend regular conference or show cause of excuse for their non-attendance at the next regular conference—for the first failure of such attendance he shall be subject to admonition, for the second reproof from the moderator, for the third, the same being in succession, to being cited to satisfy the church for his non-attendance.

5. But one member shall address the moderator at the same time who shall respectfully rise from his seat, nor shall he be interrupted unless he depart from the subject or use unbecoming language, nor shall he speak more than twice on the same subject without leave from the church.

6. Motions shall not receive the attention of the conference until they are seconded, when two motions are put touching the same point the last shall be first in order.

7. No member shall absent himself from the church without leave from the moderator.

8. In the decision of all questions except that of receiving members into fellowship with the church a majority of the church will be sufficient.

9. In conference all intercourse carried on either in addressing the moderator or each other the appellation of brother shall be used.

10. In all cases of a tie the moderator shall be entitled to the casting vote.

11. The church may adjourn her conference to any time or place they may see proper, and call conference when expedient.

12. We believe it the duty of all male members to vote on all questions coming before the church or give their reasons.

13. The moderator shall enquire for absentees and delinquents noted by the clerk at each meeting.

14. It shall be the duty of the moderator to see these rules carried into effect.

15. This Decorum may be altered at any regular conference by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

DUTY OF DEACONS.

1. It shall be the Deacons' duty to furnish the elements for the sacramental supper, prepare the table, take charge of the furniture, distribute the bread and wine after having received it from the hands of the administrator.

2. This church shall have a fund which shall be raised by voluntary contribution for the purpose of supporting the Lord's table, and the poor of the church if necessary.

3. We believe it to be the duty of the deacon or deacons to see the table of the pastor is furnished, we therefore recommend that the deacons prepare a subscription and present it to the church and the benevolent of the congregation for the purpose of raising an annual support for the pastor of this church.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES.

1st. We believe in one only true and living God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three in one.

2nd. We believe that the scriptures of the old and new Testaments are the word of God, and therefore the only rule of faith and practice.

3rd. We believe the doctrine of election, and that God chose his people in Christ before the foundation of the world.

4th. We believe in the doctrine of original sin.

5th. We believe in man's impotency to recover himself from the fallen state he is in by nature by his own ability.

6th. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God only by the merits of Christ by imputation.

7th. We believe the Saints shall persevere in grace and never fall finally away.

8th. We believe Baptism and the Lords Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ, and that true believers are the subjects, and we believe that the true mode of Baptism is by immersion.

9th. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgment.

10. We believe the punishment of the wicked will be everlasting, and the joys of the righteous eternal.

11. We believe that no person has a right to the administration of the the ordinance only such as are regular baptised, called and come under the imposition of hands by the presbytry.

12. We believe that none but regular baptised members have a right to communne at the Lord's table.

BUSINESS ORDER OF THE CHURCH.

1st. The moderator shall invite visiting brethren and sisters to seats in conference to aid with their advice and counsel in all deliberations before the church, but those not members of the church shall in no case vote.

2nd. Fellowship enquired for by the moderator.

3rd. The door of the church opened for the reception of members.

4th. Read the minutes of the last conference if necessary.

5th. Take up references.

6th. Miscellaneous business.

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TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.
17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday Morch 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganuway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.
6 Peck's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

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NOTICE NO. 8469.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 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 March 13, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas B. Swink; Homestead 7836, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 14 s, R 6 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ottery, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Peeks Hill, Oakley Brown, of Ohatchie, Ala.

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Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court, at Jacksonville, Ala, March 4, 1889; viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead entry No 2472, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SE qr, Sec. 18, Tp 14 S, R 9 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gabourr, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.
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LIFE'S WANDERER.

Pass on, O tired wanderer!
Upon thy lonely way;
Thou must not pause a moment,
Till the closing of the day.

Out there upon thy pathway,
The land is white with snow,
But ever, ever onward,
Thy weary feet must go.

Why dost thou stand here, wanderer,
And weep with bitter fear?
Why dost thy not go bravely on,
Without a sigh or tear?

Dost thy not know, O wanderer,
That just beyond thy sight
The soft, green grass is growing
And the sun shines warm and bright?

And when, at last, thou seest
Gold and purple in the west,
Thou mayst lie down, O wanderer,
To a long, long, peaceful rest!

And then wilt know of grander things
When thou wakest from thy sleep;
Then, wanderer, thou wilt wonder
Why it was that thou didst weep.

Pass on, pass on, O wanderer,
Upon thy toilsome way!
Thou wilt rest in peace and happiness
At the closing of the day.

—Zola M. Boyle.

THE DESERTER.

It was the last year of the civil war—a year full of anxiety, suspense and privation of every kind. Down here in Louisiana we were beginning to realize that our cause was hopeless, and that the Confederacy was near its end. I suppose it was that knowledge which made people so reckless. Men had lost all sense of responsibility in the whirl of events, and acts were constantly committed which, in the light of a calmer day, seem the acts of madmen.

New Orleans, in possession of the Federals, had quited down to a certain extent, but the country parishes were in a ferment, occupied as they were in turn by Confederate and northern troops. The ravages of irresponsible, plundering bands had become so terrible in some of the western parishes that, at the urgent invitation of Judge Maxwell, who was a distant relative of mine, I took refuge with him at Boscabel, a plantation in the Red River country.

This district, it is true, was occupied by Federal troops, but they were well disciplined and committed no outrages. After the terrors and uncertainties of the "debatable ground," there was a comfortable feeling of security in finding ourselves within the lines and not in danger of capture. Several ladies, friends of Judge Maxwell, had collected at Boscabel, so our social life was far from dull.

Beautiful Adela Maxwell was our host's young daughter-in-law. She had only been married a week when her husband, who had enlisted in Gen. Taylor's army, was compelled to leave her.

She was a lovely, irresponsible child—a spoiled one, too. At 16 years of age she had married Theo Maxwell, who was not then 20. It was due to the recklessness so common at that period that the marriage of the young pair was sanctioned by the two families.

Theo was grave and thoughtful beyond his years; brave, as were all the Maxwells, almost stern in his ideas of duty, and only weak where his beautiful little bride was concerned.

Most southern women were brave and high spirited, ready to make any sacrifice for a cause they considered sacred, but Adela had not a grain of patriotism in her soul. She did not care a straw which cause conquered so that the war might end and Theo return home. Her standing grievance was that he had joined the army as a private instead of marching forth in all the glory of a general's paraphernalia.

At times she would give way to a perfect passion of grief, and eat nothing for days. Then the mood would change and she would be in the wildest spirits, laughing, singing, dancing. She reminded me of a butterfly I once saw lighting on the rim of a cannon the moment before it was discharged.

One morning she burst in upon us in the breakfast room in an irritable and impatient mood.

"I can't stand this!" she cried. "I never closed my eyes all night thinking of Theo. I can't eat, I can't sleep, and I shall die if Theo doesn't come home! I must see with my own eyes that he is alive and well."

"But how can you expect him to come?" cried Dora Maxwell, the judge's daughter, a sensible, spirited girl, who had not too much patience with her sister-in-law's childish ways. "He is a soldier, a private, too, and they are not allowed a furlough every time their wives happen to cry for them. With all this skirmishing going on around us you surely don't think there's any chance of his getting off? I do wish, Adela, you would try to be reasonable—for Theo's sake, if for no other reason.

"Look at Mrs. Rogers," she continued. "Her husband is in constant peril, and see how brave and cheerful she is! She says that is the only way in which she can imitate him."

"Don't talk to me of Mrs. Rogers!" Adela looked like a small fury. "Do you pretend to compare my love for Theo with hers for her husband? Easy enough to be quiet when she doesn't care a picayune for him! Didn't she actually hurry him off last week, when he hadn't been with her for more than an hour? Don't compare us and set that cold hearted thing up as my model!"

"I don't compare you," Dora said dryly. "Mrs. Rogers is utterly unselfish, a noble woman, to whom the honor of her husband is as dear as his life. She hurried him off because she knew if he waited until daylight his risk of being made a prisoner would be great. Besides, he had promised his captain to be back that night and he was in honor bound to keep his word."

Adela burst into a flood of angry tears.

"Honor! honor!" she repeated, petulantly. "I just hate the word! Honor made Theo join the army and leave me here to be wretched! Honor keeps him away! Some day honor is going to leave him on the battle field with a bullet in his heart. What will it do for me, if I lose him I'd like to know? Nobody here feels for me. Nobody loves Theo as I do!"

She hurried from the room, but stopped on the threshold and turned her pretty, tear stained face to us.

"Theo shall come back to me in spite of you all!" she cried.

Dora sighed deeply as the door closed behind Adela. "Poor Theo!" she said, softly. "He always seemed to feel such a contempt for women! Yet that girl can make him do anything!"

"She is such a child!" I interposed.

"Yes, and that makes her so unfit to be a wife. We are going to have an opportunity of sending letters through the lines today, and Heaven only knows what Adela will write to her husband! Enough to make him wretched, I dare say, for she won't spare him a single tear of hers. He'll fancy her pining to death, and before night, I dare say, she'll be laughing and singing."

But for once Dora was mistaken. Adela complained of a violent headache, and after writing her letter went to bed, and did not make her appearance until late the next day. Then she wore a subdued, rather frightened look, not natural to her. She appeared like a mischievous child who had done something naughty and was afraid of being found out.

For the two following days she was in a state of perpetual excitement almost hysterical. She would rush from door to window, or to any place which commanded a view of the long front avenue. At any unexpected sound she would spring up, listen breathlessly, and then sink back in her seat with a sigh.

"I am afraid my little girl is getting nervous," said Judge Maxwell on the second evening, putting his arm affectionately around her. "Come, it won't do when Theo returns for him to find a wife with her nerves unstrung. The women of our family were as brave as the men, and I can't have a Maxwell a coward."

"But I'm not an out and out Maxwell," she answered with a hysterical laugh; "and I'm an awful coward. Oh, why don't Theo come home!"

This was followed by a violent burst of tears, and she rung her hands as if in despair.

"Dora, you had better take your sister to her room and make her lie down," the judge said, gently. "Adela, my dear, you must try to control yourself. Remember that your tears will not bring your husband back one day sooner. You are only injuring your health and for Theo's sake you must take care of that."

After they left the room, the judge and I sat silent until the lamps were lighted. Suddenly he sprang to his feet, for we heard the hurried steps of a man on the long veranda in front of the house.

Then the door was violently thrown open and Theo stood before us. Theo pale, wild eyed, and covered with dust. He looked in our faces strangely, inquiringly and uttered a deep groan. His parched lips strove to speak, but the words died in a gasp.

"My son! what is the matter?" cried the judge, taking his hand.

"Adela, my darling! Is she dead?" the son managed to articulate. "Am I too late?"

"Adela? Why, she is in perfect health—never has been ill. She was in this room five minutes ago.

The judge stopped suddenly, terrified by his son's look. He had grown ghastly pale and sank into a chair.

He covered his face with his hands, shaking as if in an attack of ague. In a moment he controlled himself and tried to speak calmly. "Read that," he said, drawing a letter from his pocket, and handing it to his father, "and tell me if I could have stayed away?"

Months afterward I read the letter. In it Adela told her husband she was dying and he must come to her immediately if he would see her alive, but, ill as she was, no one should write to him but herself. If he loved her, come! The letter was written in faint, tremulous characters, as if the hand was too weak to hold the pen and the eyes too dim to see the lines.

Judge Maxwell's face was very stern when he laid down the letter.

"It was an unjustifiable deceit," he said, "but you must try to forgive her. You must not let it embitter your visit."

"Father, do you not understand!" cried the young soldier. "I asked for permission to visit a dying wife, but the general positively refused. They expect a battle at Pleasant Hill, and not a man was allowed to leave. I came without permission."

"A deserter! you, Theo Maxwell!" cried the judge, looking stunned.

"Yes, a deserter on the eve of battle," Theo cried, with a bitter laugh. "I've done for myself now, father." There was a hurried step in the corridor, and in a moment Adela was in her husband's arms, crying and laughing hysterically.

"I heard your voice, darling," she cried. "Why hadn't I been called? Didn't I tell you all he should come back to me? And now I've got him! I've got him! I've got him!" her voice rising shrill and strained with excitement. But what is the matter, Theo? Why do you look at me like that? What is the matter with you all?"

"The matter, madam," cried Judge Maxwell, sternly, "is disgrace to my son and your husband. By your falsehoods you brought him from his post—made him a deserter. Do you know what that means? A disgraceful death! Yes, that is what you have brought upon the man you professed to love."

He got no further, for Adela's head fell back on her husband's shoulder in merciful unconsciousness. He strained her to his bosom and pressed a kiss upon her white lips.

"Dora, take her to her room," he said. "Be gentle with her for my sake, sister. She is only a child and did not know what she was doing. I must get away from here before she revives." He tightened his belt and pulled his cap over his eyes.

The old judge laid a trembling hand on his son's arm.

"Theo, my son," he said, tremulously, "don't go back! There is a squadron of northern soldiers camped just back here in Miller's field. You can be taken prisoner by them, you know, and you'll be safe from, from"——

He stammered and choked.

"I understand you, father," Theo said, quietly. "You mean if I am taken prisoner I will escape a deserter's fate. It would add cowardice to desertion. No, sir, I will get back the soonest I can, and bear my fate as your son should. I had to run a cordon of Federal troops coming here, and I fear it will be hard work getting back through the lines."

"But Gen. Taylor is my friend." The old man's speech was growing inarticulate. "I will write to him, I will go to him. He must listen to me. No court martial could condemn you under such circumstances."

Theo smiled sadly.

"I hope for little leniency. I left on the eve of a battle, you must remember. Farewell, father! Be kind to my poor little wife. Dora, don't unman me." She was clinging to him and sobbing convulsively. "If you love me you will go back to Adela. Do not tell her what may happen to me. I leave her to you all as a sacred charge," he added, solemnly, and before any one answered had gone.

"I will go myself," stammered the judge, trying to rise from his seat. "I will explain to Gen. Taylor. My boy shall not be sacrificed." A convulsion passed over his face, his feet refused to support him and he sank back in his chair.

We knew well what was the matter. A year before he had had an attack of paralysis, a slight one, and his old enemy had him once more in its relentless grip. For three days and nights we watched beside him until the end came.

A week afterward our cruel suspense as to Theo's fate was over. In trying to pass the Federal pickets he had been shot.

"Thank God!" sobbed Dora, "he was spared the ignominious fate of a deserter. I think he wanted to be killed."

Adele's grief at first was violent. She soon returned to her father's house. In a few months I saw her there as lovely, as irresponsible and as gay as if she had not caused the disgrace and death of the man who had loved her more than his duty.—Marie B. Williams.

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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Washington Society.

Perhaps you think I exaggerate. I don't mean to say every woman makes forty calls a day or every day. But the congressman's wife above quoted said to me: "I often make thirty or thirty-five calls in an afternoon. The greatest number I ever made was thirty-eight. I think I could make more if I had a better driver. I've heard of ladies making forty-five or fifty." Mrs. Fuller, the chief justice's wife, says she has made thirty-one calls between luncheon and dinner, and that she knows of a senator's wife who has made forty-eight in two hours. Mrs. Fuller could not keep up with her obligations, she says, if she didn't have four lively daughters to help her. She has 300 or more callers every Monday. The cabinet ladies have found it simply impossible to return calls, having often as many as 1,500 cards in a day, and last December they concluded to give up returns except their calls of etiquette on the wives of the supreme court justices and senators.—Washington Letter.

British Red Tape.

It is doubtful if anything in the "red tape" line can excel two instances recently brought to public notice in connection with the military service of England. So minute are the reports required that Sir Evelyn Wood, commander at Aldershot, recently had occasion to record the momentous fact, with all the paraphernalia of imposing official document seals and the like, the thrilling fact that a private soldier had fallen over a stone and skinned his nose. Another instance of puerile inefficiency is seen in the case of a soldier who, while in Egypt in 1884, had an overissue of rations amounting to seventy cents. This has been the subject of a vast amount of official correspondence, involving reams of paper and rolls of red tape, and it has finally been settled by the discovery that the soldier held a certificate in full for the provisions in dispute.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Niagara Falls Measurements.

The following are the latest statistics concerning the cataract. The outline of the American falls is about 1,000 feet, and the height about 165 feet. The descent in the rapids above the American fall is about 40 feet to the half mile. The outline of the Horseshoe fall is about 2,600 feet, the height about 158 feet, and the descent in the rapid above about 55 feet to three-quarters of a mile. The volume of water passing over both falls is about 15,000,000 cubic feet per minute, or about one cubic mile per week, or 54 cubic miles per year.—Buffalo Courier.

Brought Them Out in Sections.

One of our county physicians, who lives at Tazewell, was called to see a very tall gentleman who lives in the neighborhood of Brantly, and who was sick with the measles. On account of the exceeding height of the man the doctor advised him to paint a ring around his body with iodine and he would proceed to bring the measles out on him one end at a time, as it would be impossible to accomplish the whole job at once. Our informant states that the ring was drawn and the measles brought out in sections.—Buena Vista (Ga.) Patriot.

An Old Family.

Mr. De Pink—My dear, I've found a husband for you.

Miss De Pink—Does he belong to an old family?

Mr. De Pink—Yes, indeedy. All his brothers are over 50 and he's gray headed himself.—Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Winks (looking over the paper)—Cheap Drugg & Co. are selling all sorts of patent medicines at half price.

Mrs. Winks—Just our luck. There isn't anything the matter with any of us.—New York Weekly.

CHATTANOOGA SOUTHERN

NO LONGER A PROBABILITY, BUT A CERTAINTY.

The Company Quietly but Actively at Work, Asking No Favors Except the Mere Right of Way—Something of the Section Through Which It will Pass.

No railroad has ever been built in this section on which the work has been done as quietly and with as little asked on the part of the company as in the case of the Chattanooga Southern.

They have gone on quietly until they have their road in condition to be built at once, and then they make the modest request for a right or way, asking no subscription whatever.

The trouble as to the right of way at Blowing Springs delayed the company, but this has been settled and everything is now ready for business. Ten miles of the road is graded, and work will be pushed rapidly forward.

It is pre-eminently the mineral road of this section. It opens up to Chattanooga almost inexhaustible beds of the richest iron ores, while lead, copper and silver are found along its line. Chattanooga will receive more benefit from this line of road than from almost any line that could possibly be built. Being the terminus of the road and in a position to handle the vast mineral and timber wealth of the region through which it passes, it will be a most valuable acquisition and the wealth that it will bring cannot be estimated.

The money is ready to build the road and it will be pushed through as fast as money can accomplish it.—Chattanooga Times.

Emin Pasha.

There was a small telegram in yesterdays Age-Herald about a big man.

A dispatch from Cairo intimated that Emin Pasha had administered a sound drubbing to the fanatical dervishe and was in excellent health after the job.

The tangled reports that come from the Soudan leave us in doubt as to whether Stanley found and relieved Emin Pasha or Emin Pasha found and relieved Stanley. At any rate, when together they make, in the slang of the day, a good pair to draw to. Everybody knows Stanley's history, in fact, a good deal more of it than himself, but information as to the German savant is not so generally diffused.

An Austrian by birth and of the highest scientific attainments, this remarkable man attracted the attention of Chinese Gordon, then Governor of the Soudan, and the future martyr assigned him the task of breaking up the slave traffic in the Lower Soudan.

Gordon is dust, the Egyptian Government has undergone several transformations, but Emin, the first Bey, and now full-blown Pasha continues his task with a pertinacity and a placidity that argues a remarkably well strung nervous system.

Surrounded on all sides by cruel and fanatical foes, with treachery stalking in his camp and its shadow ever falling upon the walls of his tent, this hero has not only checked and chastised his enemies and maintained an iron grasp upon his followers, manufactured implements of warfare and ammunition for his rifles, but has continued a patient and assiduous study of the fauna and flora of the wierd region that is at once his kingdom and his prison. In the silent watches of the night, when all his dusky followers, save the outposts, are locked in slumber, he bends over the microscope and reads the life of some tiny insect with as much interest as though in his studio at Vienna, and unconcerned by the thought that some far reaching rifle may flash out of the darknesss and still that busy brain forever.

If providence permits him to complete his work, humanity will owe Emin Pasha a lasting debt for the abolition of hideous cruelty, and science will receive from his hands invaluable contributions to her stores.

Those who have followed his career are heartily glad to know that he is alive and well.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

An Evident Hog.

The average Black Belt negro is a remarkable animal any way, and causes no end of trouble—in politics. His complaint is and has been that he can't get his vote counted, and on this complaint of his, presidential elections have been fought and lost and won. Yet, in truth, his vote is counted oftener than that of any other known description of the animal who votes.

He gets it counted at the polls in August for the Democratic ticket. It is next counted in the Democratic State Convention, and on the third and last call he gets it counted again in the Republican State Convention. The Black Belt negro is an evident hog.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Her Life Saved by Her Garter.

LITTLE ROCK, March 25.—Ida Lynch started to drown herself by jumping from the lower bridge across the Arkansas river, but the watchman caught her as she jumped, his hand catching in her garter, which was strong, and thus saved her life.

A ROSEATE EPISODE.

We find, in the Clay County (Ala) Advance the following:

"The dreamy clank of the creaking press and the hasty click of the jingling type in the influential monotony of an editor's career, are frequently relieved by an agreeable diversity. Especially do these grave duties flit from our care, when we are aroused by the musical voice of beauty, and our gaze meets the perfected charms of fairness. The presence of ladies is enobling and estimable, and we make our profoundest bow of the week in acknowledgement of a recent call from Misses Clara Smith and Annie Gilbert, gracefully thanking our visitors for the courtesies extended."

Ah! brother, deep and cunning, truly art thou! We perceive in these reverberating periods, not only the gallant acknowledgement of an ecstacy already experienced, but the ardent expectation of happiness still to come. Not for you the dreamy clank of the creaking press, the hasty click of the jingling type, the influential monotony of running the whole shop—not much! In the pauses of your change from editorial thunderer to a one-elbow power on the Washington press, and whilst you pass from setting up a leader to justifying a joke, your jocund fancy gallops o'er many a flowery mead of imagination. You picture other calls from lovely women. You hear the musical voice of other beauty and conjure up the perfected charms of other fairness. "Courtesies extended," forsooth! You have not told us what these courtesies consisted of—you don't intend to. And who shall blame you? But you harbor visions of other "courtesies extended" all the same. You dream of syllabub and sandwiches and fresh-laid eggs and, preadventure, cake—not the common church-fair article, but fine, strong, searching, nightmare cake; that will remain with you for many days and keep your memory fresh. You think of such things, brother, as you weave these beauteous meshes of eloquence wherewith to beacon further visitors from the fairy land of grace and loveliness. You are wise in your generation and your name is not Dennis—not by any means.—Montgomery Dispatch.

THE NEW COLLECTOR.

J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, the Successful Man.

Candidates can now go home and sleep sweetly for the next two years, for J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, was last night elected Tax Collector vice J. F. James, resigned. Mr. Marion did not announce for the office until yesterday morning, and it may be considered a case of the office seeking the man. He was born in Jacksonville and for a number of years has been connected with the Georgia Pacific Depot at this place as one of the clerks, and has made a most faithful and acceptable officer. He is chuck full of energy, and is well qualified to fill the position in every respect. He will discharge his duties to the entire satisfaction of the public. His genial, winning ways will enable him to collect the taxes out of "slow pay" parties without offending them in their long established habit to "stave off the government" as long as possible, but once arouse him and he is not the man to let justice sleep too long.

In selecting Mr. Marion for the position the council has done an eminently wise thing. We predict that he will make a model officer and will not "let the grass grow under his feet" in keeping the city's exchequer well filled to meet current expenses.

We are heartily in accord with the council in selecting Mr. Marion, and shall stand up to him as long as he does his duty faithfully and conscientiously—and any other officer who does the same thing.—Anniston News.

STILL THEY COME.

The Rogers Locomotive Works Likely to Be Removed to Birmingham.

It is likely that the great plant of the Roger Locomotive Works, now located in New Jersey, will soon be removed to Birmingham.

A well known broker said yesterday that he knew that twenty acres of ground at Gate City had been offered the company if they would establish their works there. Representatives have been here and looked over the ground and expressed themselves highly pleased with the surroundings. In fact, they said they were in favor of removing the works to Birmingham, and information received from them since their return home indicates that this will be done and at no very distant day.

This means another big enterprise for Birmingham, and others will follow.—Birmingham Herald.

Election of Directors for the Dummy Line.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Anniston, Oxford & Choccolocco Dummy Line was held at Oxford yesterday, and nine-tenths of the subscribed stock was represented. The following officers and directors were elected: E. Locke, President; R. J. Riddle, Vice-President; T. M. Draper, Secretary; C. D. Woodruff, Treasurer. Directors: R. S. Riddle, W. G. Ledbetter, Anniston; T. C. Hill, D. C. Cooper, Oxford; L. L. Allen, J. T. D'Armin, of D'Arminville; S. N. Milligan, J. [illegible] M. Davis of Choccolocco; C. S. Whiteside, W. C. Scarborough, White Plains.—Anniston Hot Blast.

The Republican.

L. W. GRANT, Publisher.

MARCH 30, 889.

Chattanooga has voted seven hundred thousand dollars to improve her streets and the Times goes wild over the result.

The editor of the REPUBLICAN acknowledges an invitation to attend the annual dinner of the physicians of Anniston, at the Inn, April 2nd.

The White Plains, Choccolocco, Oxford & Anniston Dummy Line is about to materialize. Subscriptions along the line have been liberal and but little money remains to be raised.

Some of the Alabama newspapers are suggesting Mr. Thos. Welsh, of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, for Inter-State Railroad Commissioner vice Commissioner Walker, resigned. Mr. Welsh is thoroughly competent for the place and President Harrison could not make a mistake by appointing him. But is there any possibility of the appointment coming to Alabama?

Duncan Parker, son of Mr. D. T. Parker, of Anniston, died of pneumonia, Tuesday after an illness of twenty-five days. He was an only son. He was greatly beloved by the people of Anniston for his quick intelligence and bright and winning ways. The sympathies of friends of the parents here go out to them in this hour of their great loss and sad bereavement.

The Government will build a navy yard on the Gulf coast for the construction of war vessels, and a commission appointed for the purpose has been to Mobile to look into the claims of Mt. Vernon and other points near there. When accomplished this will give a great market for Alabama iron and coal, and will give Mobile a tremendous push forward. It looks like a good time is coming to all parts of Alabama.

The Oklahoma country will be open to settlement this month and two United States Land offices have been opened in the territory. For months people haae been crowding to the territory and it has taken a small United States army to keep them out. When the land offices are opened there will be a grand rush for homesteads. The territory is said to be very fertile.

Mr. Sam Morgan, of Rome, Ga., passed Jacksonville Thursday to Choccolocco valley to attend the funeral of his father Mr. G. C. Morgan. Mr. Caleb Morgan (the name he was best known by) was one of the earliest settlers of this county. He was a man of correct principles and high character and during his long life enjoyed the esteem and confidence of his neighbors. His death must have been unexpected, as Mr. Samuel Morgan received a dispatch notifying him of his father's death only a few moments before the departure of the down train of the E. T. Va., and Ga., from Rome.

The Anniston papers want a county fair at some point in the southern end of the county. They will never have it if they wait for the farmers to organize it. They should not wait on the farmers. Such a fair would be a good thing for the business men of Anniston, Oxford and Oxanna, and these should put up the necessary funds to provide grounds and buildings, and advertise the show and pay premiums. The farmers will make exhibits and attend, and while doing so will spend amply enough with the business men of those towns to compensate them for their subscriptions. The succeeding year the fair would be almost all clean gain to the business men, for they would have the buildings and grounds paid for. The farmers of Calhoun tried a fair once and supported it three years, without very satisfactory pecuniary result, and they will not try it soon again, though some of them in best circumstances would no doubt now subscribe. The business men of Montgomery will put up twenty thousand dollars for a State fair in that city this year. That is the way to do business. One fat subscription list is worth any number of editorials. We hope Bro. Nunnally will constitute himself a committee of one to raise funds, and then raise them, even if he has to do it at the end of his old Mexican horse pistol.

NOT LIKELY.

The only paper in North Alabama making a strenuous opposition to the legislative basis, outside of Birmingham, is THE JACKSONVILLE REPUBLICAN. We are sorry to see such a staunch Democratic journal as the REPUBLICAN indulging in the kind of sophistry it uses. It ought to know and to do better. The legislative basis is the only broad, equitable thing, a fact borne out by party practice in the whole country. The REPUBLICAN, we are sure, will change its opinion after reading the arguments that have been made on both sides.—Montgomery Advertiser.

The Advertiser calls a demand for fair treatment of Democrats in Democratic convention, sophistry. An objection to allowing Dallas, with not so large a Democratic vote as Calhoun, twice the representation in a State Democratic convention that Calhoun has, is all sophistry with the Advertiser. The Advertiser on this subject of representation. The REPUBLICAN desires to stir up no strife in the party. It would rather endure the ills we have than see the party split in Alabama; but it does not believe a manly demand on the part of the Democrats in this section for that representation in the State convention to which they are entitled, will have that effect. On the contrary we are led to hope from the brave letter of Gen. Pettus that such a demand will be conceded without any serious opposition by the patriotic Democrats of the Black Belt. The Advertiser is the only paper in the State, we believe, which is kicking at Gen. Pettus' generous and manifestly just proposition. The Advertiser will have to come to the fair thing "will or nill."

HOW WE PROGRESS.

THE MANUFACTURER'S REVIEW OF SOUTHERN INDUSTRIES.

The Money Invested During the First Three Months of 1889 Away Above the Record—Industries Large and Small Springing Up as is by Magic—The Outlook.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 26.—The Manufacturers' Record of this week will publish its quarterly report of Southern industrial progress, giving the name, location and character of business of 1,259 new industrial enterprises that have been organized since January 1st.

The amount of capital and capital stock represented by this list of new enterprises and the enlargement of old plants during last three months as compared with the same time in 1888, was as follows, first three months.

	1889	1888
Alabama	$10,078,000	4,093,000
Arkansas	3,652,000	1,950,000
Florida	764,000	1,313,000
Georgia	4,755,000	2,393,000
Kentucky	8,555,000	5,466,000
Louisiana	1,926,000	1,233,000
Maryland	4,118,000	2,069,000
Mississippi	769,000	491,000
North Carolina	212,000	306,000
South Carolina	856,000	184,000
Tennessee	4,839,000	3,519,000
Texas	6,945,000	6,424,000
Virginia	5,296,000	299,000
West Virginia	3,396,000	1,447,000
Total	$58,227,000	$38,668,000

These figures show a gain of nearly $20,000,000. The comparison of new enterprises organized or projected during the last three months as compared with the corresponding time in 1888, gives the following.

First three months.

	1889	1888
Iron furnaces	19	8
Machine sh'ps and founry	41	36
Agricultural implement factories	4	4
Flour mills	39	35
Cotton mills	33	32
Furniture factories	22	16
Gas Works	6	10
Water Works	25	26
Carriage and wagon factories	14	27
Electric light companies	63	42
Mining and quarrying enterprises	141	139
Wood-working factories, including saw and planmills, sash and door factories, stave factories, etc.	325	353
Ice factories	31	12
Canning factories	40	103
Stove foundries	1	2
Brick works	52	38
Miscellaneous iron works, rolling mills, pipe works, etc	12	12
Cotton compresses	5	7
Cotton seed oil mills	16	62
Miscellaneous enterprises not included in the foregoing	354	277
Total	1,259	1,075

The Manufacturers Record says: A bare recapitulation of minor enterprises and industries, outside of the mines, railways, furnaces and factories undertaken of enlarged in the South during the past three months is a task in itself but what with the projects that are forming, many all but executed and the building outlook in almost every city and town, the industrial record for the year, promises to be the greatest in the South's history. The range of enterprise is vast and really embraces the whole field of industry.

Scarcely a week has past since the opening of the year that has not witnessed the formation of companies backed by millions of capital to prosecute great enterprises.

The whole number of smaller but none the less important ventures, have surprisingly multiplied. The fact is that the south's "real boom has come."

A rather novel cure was effected a few days ago. M. W. M. Bailey, living two miles south of Rutledge, who has had catarrh of the head for several years, was cured by a plain, simple remedy, which came to him in a dream. He dreamed that a man came to him and told him that two parts of fresh tar and one of grease would cure him. The remedy being simple and harmless he tried it, and to the astonishment of himself and friends a cure was the result Mr. Bailey was as deaf as and oyster and had been for five years.—Rutledge Enterprise.

There are now 1091 inmates of the Alabama Insane Hospital, located at this place. Of this number about 800 are white and 200 colored. Dr. Bryce informed the Gazette yesterday that the present is the largest number that he has ever had in the hospital at

NOT TO BE TRUSTED.

The Bagging Combine More Complete Than It Was Last Year.

The business men and merchants of this country who keep the run of such things, expect to see another bagging trust come down on the farmers like a thousand bricks again before the next cotton crop gets white unto the harvest.

In order to keep out a of a squeeze one firm of Montgomery merchants have already bought over 3,000 rolls of bagging for the trade next fall.

THE REORGANIZATION.

A dispatch to the New Orleans Times Democrat from St. Louis says:

The reorganization of the jute bagging combine caused a sensation here among cotton factors and southern shippers.

The opionion was expressed among these people that, while the combination does not partake of a regular trust so much as last year, it is a great deal more perfectly formed, and will have more absolute control of the market than its predecessor.

There were several mills last year which were out of the trust and which became very hostile to it in throwing bagging on the market under trust prices. The biggest of these was the Ludlow Mill in Boston, which has been tied up so that no fear is entertained of its breaking the market.

Several others have been placed in the same position, while the mill at Peru, Ind., has been completely taken into the combine. This mill sold a great deal of bagging in St. Louis last year, but inquiries made now by the firm which bought from it most heavily brought the reply that it is out of the market and not in the business.

It was also said that the mills which are to remain idle are to receive bagging to the amount of their capacity from the combination mills. The price agreed upon depends upon the price of jute butts, so much above their cost, and there is no limit as to what the mills shall sell for.

The corner in the jute butts will allow the combination to run the price up to anything desired. This was regarded as to a very important point, as it gives the combination the power to advance prices, so that outside mills in the agreement cannot cut below their prices, while at the same time the inside mills can be making a good profit.

It was also learned that this year's price has already been advanced to 9⅝ cents per yard. This is for two-pound bagging, the standard commercial weight.

A Rival for Jute.

One of the characteristic features of the industrial discoveries and inventions of the day is the development of new fibers. Jute, for many years, has held a prominent place, and has acquired such importance that it has come to be looked upon as a necessity. A combination of manufacturers and dealers have, to a great extent, controlled the market, but now it is said that the pine needle has proved sharp enough to prick some very serious holes in the trust. Unquestionably the pine needles contain a fiber, but the problem of economically extracting it without impairing its length or tenacity, was hard to solve. A typical patent is one granted to W. Latimer, of N. C. He proposes to utilize the fiber principally for the manufacture of bags for inclosing cotton bales. As a material for the latter purpose, jute has long reigned supreme. The treatment of the "needles" is a simple one. The outer coating of the leaves is silicious in composition, while the inner parts are resinous and pulpy. Hence Mr. Latimer proposes to energetically attack and destroy the outer coating first, and then to apply a more moderate treatment to the easily disposed of chlorophyl and resin of the inner portions of the leaf.

Physicians Confess.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admits its superiority over ALL other blood medicines.

Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmart, Ga., writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of the best blood mecicines."

Dr. A. H. Rosson, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is truly wolnderful."

Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes: "I confess B. B. B. is and quickest medicine for rheumatism I have ever tried."

Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes; "I cheerfully recommend B. B. B. as a fine tonic alterative. Its use cured an excrescence of the neck after other remedies effected no perceptible good."

Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Jacksonville, Ala., writes: "My mother insisted on my getting B. B. B. for her rheumatism, as her case stubbornly resisted the usual remedies. She experienced immediate relief, and he rimprovement was truly wonderful."

A prominent physician who wishes his name not given, says: "A patient of mine whose case of tertiary syphilis was surely killing him, and which no treatment seemed to check, was cured with about twelve bottles of B. B. B. He was fairly made up of skin and benes and terrible ulcers."

Dr. E. J. Hagler, a merchant and a prominent citizen of Vance's Station, died at his home at this place on Saturday night, the 23rd inst., of inflammation of the bladder.

MEN WHO HATE WOMEN.

A PHYSICIAN TELLS HIS EXPERIENCE WITH MISOGYNISTS.

A Mad Musician's Flight from His Family—Frightened by the Sight of a Woman—Prejudiced by Being Annoyed. Strange Cases of Aversion.

"Women haters? Plenty of them!"

A Journal reporter had met a well known physician in an uptown cafe and interrupted a conversation that the doctor was holding with a friend over a cigar and a bottle of claret. He spoke easily and with confidence that he knew his subject.

To hate a woman, especially one of the dainty, loving kind, upon whose glances men hang enthralled, or for whose kindly glances men would sacrifico their souls, seemed incredible. Perish the thought! And yet the visitor's mind brought into remembrance cases in which men had sworn they hated women, only to be captured and put in bondage by a pair of bright eyes.

The physician struck a fresh match and watched the smoke from his cigar curl lazily upward as he related a few strange incidents that had come under his observation professionally.

THE STORY TOLD BY HOLMES.

"One case that I recall," said the doctor, "was that of a German, a member of all the musical societies, who late in life acquired and betrayed an intense hatred of all women. He had been happily married, and no one suspected him of this new feeling that began to creep over him and destroy the love he had felt for his wife and the respect for his mother.

"He struggled against it and fought it, but it was no use, and the disease, if such it may be called, began to show itself to his family and friends, and an instant estrangement from his wife was the result. He ran away from his home and was finally returned hopelessly insane.

"Now," concluded the doctor, "there was a man who was a woman hater, only he did not know it because he was insane. The physicians had diagnosed his case aright."

The conversation turned then on a case that had been mentioned by Oliver Wendell Holmes in his book. A very young boy had been left in charge of a nurse, and she had suddenly gone insane. In her maniacal frenzy she tried to strangle her innocent charge, and only desisted when she thought she had succeeded in her object. Then she killed herself with a razor, which left her a most shocking sight. The boy revived, and the first thing his eyes fell upon was the corpse.

From that day throughout his childhood and up to the day of his death the sight of a woman was enough to throw him into convulsions. His nurses were men, and his family decided it best to seclude him. No woman ever entered his apartments, but all the work of taking care of him devolved upon men. He died in those rooms.

"Yes, that is very strange," said the physician, meditatively. "But I think I know of one nearly as remarkable," and he went on to relate the following:

"In the spring of '81 I was called in by a prominent banker to attend to his son, who had suddenly become afflicted with a strange state of mind, which proved to be a hatred of women. This his family could not understand, as he had always been a leader in social events and fond of ladies' society.

"I found the young fellow's constitution very much run down, and made him admit that he was a victim of the opium habit. He also confessed to me an adventure that had happened to him, but which I will not repeat, as it is too long, in which he had been scared nearly out of his wits by a woman.

"It was easy enough for me to see that unless the impression caught and retained by his mind in its enfeebled state could be removed, he would remain a woman hater all his life."

"Was it ever removed, doctor," asked one of the listeners.

"Never," was the answer, and the party relapsed into silence for a moment.

THEY ANNOYED HIM.

A diversion was caused by the waiter's removal of an empty bottle and the substitution of a fresh one, and the conversation was resumed.

"Tell us another, doctor," insinuated the newspaper man.

"I could tell you several more, but would have to do so briefly, as a patient is waiting," he responded. "I recollect a man who stood very high in all affairs connected with education in New York. He, too, was a woman hater. As his opinion on school affairs was considered valuable, many teachers, especially ladies, used to run to him for advice, but as he was deeply engaged in study, their calls were a source of annoyance to him and irritated him into the state of mind that I have mentioned.

"He was a bachelor, but he finally discharged all women servants, substituting men. And orders were given that no woman was to be allowed to set foot within his doors. He has often told me that women had prevented his reaching the highest rounds of science and that he could never regain the time lost.

"I knew another case where a man intrusted his entire fortune to a woman and she made away with it and made a woman hater out of him. He would never address one.

"But," concluded the doctor, impressively, "I think that designing mothers are responsible for many of the woman haters, as they frequently prevent their daughters from marrying the men of their choice, and when a girl deserts the man she loves and marries another, it is very apt to do mental injury to the first."—New York Journal.

Clear Proof.

Merritt—Nice smoking jacket, that. Kind of your wife to make it for you.

Young Husband—Why, how do you know my wife made it for me?

Merritt—I notice that the buttons are sewed down the wrong side.—Woman's World.

NOTICE NO. 8671.

Land office at Montgomery Ala, March 19th, 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 April 20th, 1889, viz: Thomas Sparks, Homestead Entry No. 15384, for the SW¼ of SE¼, SE¼ of SW¼ Sec. 10, T. 16, south R. 8 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Michael D. Forbes, Anniston, Alabama; John R. Garrett, DeArmanville, Alabama; Frank Hanna, Oxford, Alabama; William M. Haynes, Jacksonville, Alabama.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.

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Pine Fibre Bagging.

The Acme Manufacturing Company have received all the machinery necessary for the manufacture of pine fibre bagging now being adjusted and placed in position at the factory. By the 15th, inst, at the farthest, everything will be ready and the manufacture of the bagging will begin on an extensive scale. A number of capitalists from the North will then visit the factory to examine thoroughly into the process. They will remain a week or ten days and if convinced that it is a success, steps will be immediately taken to build and equip factories throughout the pine regions of the Southern States; and if this plan is carried out, quite a number will be in operation in time for the next cotton season.

The Acme company are so thoroughly satisfied of the success of their invention that they entertained no doubt of their ability to enlist the cordial co-operation of the capitalists. This will be very gratifying both to the members and the friends of that corporation.—Wilmington Star.

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NOTICE.

Re-Registration of Fine and Forfeiture Claims, Under an Act of the Legislature Approved Feb. 27, 1889.

All persons holding claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county, Alabama, which were registered previous to January 1st, 1884, are required by said act to present them to the county treasurer of said county, within twelve months from the passage of said act, viz: Feb. 27, 1889, for re-registration, or they will be barred. All parties who hold such claims are urgently requested to look them up and bring or send them to the undersigned for re-registration. It puts our fine and forfeiture account in better shape, and costs you nothing only to hand them in.

I. L. SWAN,
County Treasurer,
mar 28 6t Calhoun County, Ala.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA, } Calhoun County. }

In probate Court for said county. Special Term, March 21th, 1889.

This day came John P. Weaver, Commissioner for the sale of the Real estate which was owned jointly by Mrs. J. A. Adams and Jas. A. Gladden, and filed in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of the proceeds of the sale of said realty.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the 15th day of April 1889 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 15th day of April 1889 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

E. F. CROOK,
mar 21-3t Judge of Probate.

County Claims.

The holders of County Claims, series of 1885, and up to No. 774 series of 1886, are requested to present them to me for payment. They will not draw interest after the publication of this notice.

I. L. SWAN,
County Treasurer,
mar 9t5 Calhoun County, Ala.

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Sheriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the City Court of Birmingham on the 4th day of February 1889, in favor of Samuel H. Harris and against J. S. Martin, I will proceed to sell on Monday the 18th day of April 1889, at public outcry, before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, to the highest bidder, for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property to-wit: One house and lot No. 4, block 186, on Glenn Addie street, in the city of Anniston, in Calhoun county, Alabama, as the property of J. S. Martin for the satisfaction of said execution.

L. P. CARPENTER, Sheriff.

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Tax Decrees.

The Tax Collector of Calhoun county, Ala., D. Z. Goodlett, filed in my office on March 9th 1889, a list of lands and lots upon which the taxes and costs were unpaid for the year 1888, and back years. Notice is hereby given, unless the owner or agent comes forward and pays off the taxes and costs accrued on said lands and lots, or show cause why the Decree should not be rendered against said lands and lots for the sale thereof a decree will be rendered on the 8th day of April 1889, being the 2nd Monday in said month and a Regular Term of the Probate Court of said county, for the sale of said lands for the payment of the taxes assessed against them, and costs for the year 1888 and previous years for which they escaped taxation, as follows:

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—Half mineral interest in the S½ of SW¼, Sec. 7, T. 14, R. 8; E½ of NE¼ and part of W½ of NW¼ Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8.

Taxes for 1888,	$ 40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	2.00
Total	$3.60

Owner Unknown, Pre No 2—SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 7, 40 acres.

Taxes '87 & '88	$1.28
Costs	1,20
Advertising	1.40
Total	$3.88

Mrs. E. Smith, Pre. No. 5—NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 2, T. 15, R. 6.—40 acres.

Taxes for 5 years,	$6.00
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.45
Total	$8.65

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 6—W½ of SE¼ Sec. 25, T. 14, R. 6.—80 acres.

Taxes for 5 years	$6.40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
	$8.95

L. B. Bunney Pre. No. 9—Lot in Piedmont one-eighth of an acre, bounded south by C. I. Sharp, north by Jacksonville road, west by J. A. Woolf and east by I. J. Sharp.

Taxes for 5 years	$3.00
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.80
Total	$6.00

P. P. Houston, Pre. No. 13.—Lot 8 Block 5, Division 1, in Oxanna, Ala., and Lot 8, Block 27, Division 1, Oxanna, Ala.

Taxes for 1888	$6.40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.50
Total	$9.10

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 10, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$28.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.30
Total	$31.00

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 22, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888

Taxes for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 28, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala. of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$24.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$27.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 10, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Owner Unknown Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 13, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Taxes for 1888	$28.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$31.05

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 8, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala., of 1888.

Tax for 1888	$16.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.35
Total	$19.05

Henry Wyatt, Pre. No. 15—Lot No. 16, Block 5, map of Anniston Ala. of 1888.

Tax for 1888	$12.50
Costs	1.20
Advertising	1.30
Total	$15.00

EMMETT F. CROOK,
Judge of Probate,
Calhoun Co. Ala.

March 16, 1889-3w

NOTICE NO. 8641.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala. March 4, 1888.

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, Ala., on April 22, 1889, viz. James A. Dickinson, Homestead entry No. 1527, for the E½ of NW¼ Sec. 18 T. 13, south of R. 8 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: Able B. Hollingsworth, William C. Hollingsworth, Elisha B. Dickinson, Julius M. Rhodes, all of Mack, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.

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

Nick, Nickel, Nickels.

Spring is fairly on us and the gardeners are busy.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker-mouth. For sale by Hough & McManus.

Gen. Burke went to Washington this week.

Rev. J. M. McLean will preach at the Presbyterian church in Jacksonville Sunday at 11 o'clock.

For dyspepsia and liver complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's vitilizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Splendid weather for farming and the farmers are making the most of it.

For Sale.—Three milch cows with young calves for sale. Apply to S. J. Stevenson, 2 miles south of Jacksonville, Ala.

We are agents for the "Nickel Ante" cigars. Guaranteed to be clear Havana filled.

ROWAN, DEAN & Co.

A party of gentlemen went out to the mountains turkey hunting a few mornings ago, but were unsuccessful.

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

Mr. John Jelks and Mr. Robt. Adams are making improvements to their houses.

Shiloh's cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis.

Mr. Fred Wolfe and a party of gentlemen from the Northwest were in Jacksonville Wednesday and Thursday prospecting.

A nasal injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's catarrh remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Hough & McManus.

The Excelsior Lumber Company got their machinery to work Thursday. As soon as a large boiler now on the way for their 40 horse power engine arrives, the company will make things hum. At present a smaller engine is in use. At this establishment all kinds of building lumber will be prepared.

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

Special Mail Order Department.

We beg to inform our friends and patrons that we have opened a "Special mail order department," under the personal supervision of our Mr. Alec. Ullman. Orders sent to us by mail will receive prompt and careful attention. Resp'y,

ULLMAN BRO'S.
3t Anniston, Ala.

Judge Crook's family have gone to Florida, the Judge is stopping at the Warlick House, (formerly Jacksonville Hotel) during their absence.

Cotton Seed.—Four hundred bushels of cotton seed, for planting, for sale. J. M. Vansandt & Co.,
Jacksonville, Ala.

Baptist Church.

You are respectfully and cordially invited to attend the following services at the Baptist Church to-morrow (Sunday). Sunday School 9 a. m. Col. James Crook, Supt.

Preaching 11 o'clock a. m. Subject: "Faith and Sacrifice of Abel."

Preaching 7:15 p. m. Subject: "Cain."

Monthly business meeting of the church at 3 o'clock p. m.

M. H. LANE, D. D.
Pastor.

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

The debate at the State Normal School last Saturday night was largely attended and was very interesting. The question was "should not the 15th amendment to the constitution be repealed?" Messrs. Sox and Connor had the affirmative side and Messrs Bynum and Usry the negative. The decision of the committee was that the negative side won in the argument. Prof. McKee delivered a graceful address on Language as a vehicle for thought and Mr. Whetstone declaimed with credit a very fine selection. The music and song by the ladies was very fine.

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.

Religious Services.

The Presbytery of North Alabama will hold its Spring session in the Presbyterian church at Jacksonville Ala., commencing at 7:30 p. m., April 17th 1889, and by order of Synod the said Presbytery will hold a convention in the interest of Foreign Missions in said church, commencing Tuesday April 17th (day preceeding Presbytery) at 7.30 p. m., with like services Wednesday 17th at 9:30 a. m., and 2:30 p. m. All christian people and the public generally are cordially invited to attend these services.

WM. M. HAMES.

Rev. H. M. Lane, County Superintendent, has received the school money for Calhoun and would like to pay it out to the teachers at once.

Miss Minnie has just closed a three months school at Mount Olive church, beat 7 of this county. We are requested to state by the patrons of the school that they are well pleased with her methods and will be glad to have her teach again.

Judge M. J. Turnley, died in Chattanooga some days ago, at the home of his daughter. Judge Turnley was a citizen of Jacksonville for twenty-five or thirty years before his removal to Gadsden.

HONOR ROLL.

State Normal School, March, 1889.

Clifford Adams,
Ida Arnold,
Goldie Ayers,
Marie Burke,
O. E. Bynum,
Maggie Clark,
Cora Crow,
Annie Davenport,
Ethel Davenport,
Cora Lee Driskill,
John Forney,
Emily Goodlett,
Bluebell Lane,
Dolly Lane,
Undine Lane,
Eula Matthews,
Floy Montgomery,
Carl Monk,
Theresa Nisbet,
Lizzie Privett,
Frank Privett,
Nannie Ross,
Katie Ross,
Jeff Sox,
Forney Stevenson,
Sammie Swan,
Lutie Weems,
Lillie Weems,
Madgie Wilkerson,
Gus Williams,
Ida Woodward,
Tim Walker,
Lee Ward,
Mary Ward,
Jessie Warlick,
Willie Whisenant,
Frank Williams,
Thomas Wright,
J. F. Whetstone,

Married in Calhoun.

Jeff Price and Mary Crankfield col.

Carter DeArman and Winnie Rutledge.

W E Baldwin and Kate L. Stein.

L. L. Chestnut and Florie Williams.

W. E. Saxton and Debbie Atkinson.

Gil Berry, col., and Ella Mitchell, col.

Spencer Franks, col., and Kate Ramsey, col.

Wm. W. Johnson and Mrs. Nancy C. Brown.

Jas. Russell and Willie G. Heath.

Geo. S. Owen and Hattie Cochrane.

M. G. Hewitt and Nannie Williams.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Artemus Ward's Suggestion.

From the New York Tribune.

A black list has been prepared by the Atlanta Constitution of railroads "whose trains are constantly coming into Atlanta behind time." One of the best of stories that were aitributed to Artemus Ward relates to a railroad whose trains were exasperatingly slow and untrustworthy. Said Artemus to one of the conductors of this road, as he was riding along at a snail's pace upon "the morning express," "Does this road allow passengers to make suggestions in regard to its management, in case the suggestions are submitted in a friendly spirit?" The conductor replied he was prepared to listen to any hints on railway management that passengers chose to tender him. "Well," Artemus went on, "I've been thinking it over, and it occurs to me that you ought to transfer your cow-catcher from the front to the rear of this train. For of course we're not likely to overtake a cow but a cow might stray into the train from the rear and bite a passenger." It is to be hoped that no train that runs into Atlanta needs to have its cowcatcher reversed.

The great among the children of men must die, like the least and most insignificant. Within five days we have recorded the deaths of Justice Matthews, Congressmen Neal and Mahoney in this country, and of John Bright and the duke of Buckingham in England, at the rate of one for each day.—Chattanooga Times.

The Florence Wave says that a $400,000 cotton mill that will give employment to 1000 operatives, has been located at Florence by wealthy cotton men of the Keystone State, and that work will be commenced at an early day.

WHITE HOUSE SERVANTS.

Colored Domestics and Retainers Fired —Virginia Negroes Excited.

RICHMOND, Va., March 27.—The most intense excitement prevails among the negro population here over the announcement that Mrs. Harrison had dismissed all the colored servants at the White House and employed white domestics in their stead. All over the city the utmost gloom and despondency seems to have settled over the colored people, who discuss among themselves the extraordinary change instituted by the mistress of the White House. If such a thing had been done by Mrs. Cleveland, the wife of a Democratic President, they could have understood and could have explained it satisfactorily to themselves as a measure directed against themselves on strictly party grounds. Coming, however, as it does, before republican Mr. and Mrs. Harrison are well settled in the White House, it is incomprehensible.

All of the negroes approached on the subject refused to be interviewed. They mutter and become irritated when asked any questions on the subject. It is hard to say now what will be the outcome of Mrs. Harrison's act. She has set an example which, if followed throughout the North and South, may result in changing the whole political situation in the country.

Chew Hygeia tobacco. Cures heartburn. For sale by Porter, Martin & Co.

In the case of Johnson Ellis, at Troy, charged with murdering his half brother, Justice Reeves has rendered a decision remanding the accused without bail, to await the action of the grand jury.

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

George Crouch, a notorious prisoner, has escaped from Center jail.

Porter, Martin & Co. sell the Hygeia Tobacco. Cures heart burn.

L. Richardson & Co.,

Manufacturers of

Lumber and Lathes,

Hays' Station, East & West R. R.

Three and a half miles north of Jacksonville.

Orders Solicited.

SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Attalla R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON.
JNO. D. HAMMOND, President
Secretary.
feb 23-30d.

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

NOTICE.

Having leased the Wool Carder and Gin formerly run by A. J. Richey, three miles west of Jacksonville, I have had all of said machinery thoroughly overhauled and am now prepared to execute all work in first-class style. Satisfaction guaranteed. All wool shipped to the depot by railroad will be received and returned promptly and with utmost care.

aug11 H. J. & JNO. A. COBB.

NOTICE NO. 8469.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 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 March 13, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jowers, widow of Jonas B. Swink, Homestead 7846, for the W½ NE¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 14 s, R 6 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ottery, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of Peeks Hill, Oakley Brown, of Ghatchie, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS,
Register.
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WOOL CARDER,

(At Aderholt old Mills.)

J. Aderholt & Co., have their carding machine newly clothed with Mr. Jas. Glenn in charge. Good work guaranteed.

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For Sale.

Several thousand stalks of sugar cane for seed, on my farm in Alexandria Valley, from the 15th of March until the 5th of April at $2.00 per hundred or $15.00 per thousand stalks. On suitable soil yields 400 to 500 gallons per acre and sells readily at nearly double the price of sorghum syrup. Terms cash.

L. D. MILLER.
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Imitation Wines.

We have never yet heard of a wine merchant quixotic enough to deal avowedly in "imitation wines," says a London journal, or even to inform his customers that the champagnes and clarets, sauternes and burgundies with which he supplies them at so many shillings a dozen, were imported into France for conversion from Spain, Italy, Hungary, Greece, or even far California. It is still less agreeable, from the purchaser's point of view, to reflect that these so called wines were manufactured of all sorts of heterogeneous ingredients at Hamburg, the headquarters of continental falsification—a city in which more "vin de Bordeaux" is annually produced than in the whole department of the Gironde, just as more "Havanas" are fabricated than go to three times the entire yield of all the Cuban tobacco plantations.

With respect to these malpractices, heavy charges, we regret to say, only too solidly founded on fact, have of late been brought against the wine trade, by persons manifestly well acquainted with the nefarious maneuvers in which growers and shippers, importers and retailers alike, are leagued together with the common purpose of defrauding the consumer. Their victim being the only honest man connected with the whole transaction—that is, if he pays his wine bill—is necessarily at the mercy of so formidable a hostile coalition, and is fore condemned, so to speak, without benefit of clergy, to exchange good money for worthless wares, deliberately palmed upon him under false pretenses.—Boston Herald.

What She Gave.

"Oh dear, I've nothin' to put in the box for foreign missions!" complained a little girl of our acquaintance. "No," said her friend, as she gave the little maid a caress, "but you are a little home missionary."

And was she not? She spent an hour that morning amusing her baby sister, who was cross with cutting teeth. She sewed up a tear in brother Ned's ball, and hunted up some twine for his kite string, and she did it with a smiling face, and not a word of being bothered.

Yesterday this little home missionary attended the door bell for Mary, the housemaid, and let her go to visit her sick child. Meantime she wrote a letter to her absent father, who was away on business, in which she told him all the home news in a frank, artless way, giving the man a thrill of loving pride and pleasure in his little daughter.

She listened to one of grandma's old stories, told many times before, with patient attention. She laughed just at the right time to please the old lady, and when it was ended, she said:

"That's one of your good old stories, grandma."

In many ways did this little maid help and cheer her mother. So, though she could not contribute to the aid of foreign mission, she gave what could to add to the happiness of those about her, and who can do better than that?—Youth's Companion.

How to Deal with Diphtheria.

A committee of the Massachusetts Medical society, appointed to confer with the state board of health relative to diphtheria, officially recommends that the society, both collectively and individually, should foster as far as they can a proper sentiment in the community as to the contagious nature of the disease, and more especially should encourage its earliest possible recognition and report to the board of health in each individual case. By these methods a public sentiment will sooner or later be created justifying and requiring from the proper authorities a suitable separate hospital for the treatment of infectious and contagious diseases; such, for instance, as are required by law in England, with ample means for support, and over which there shall be absolute authority, as already exists over the hospital for smallpox. In the absence of these necessary facilities for thorough isolation it is impossible to exercise an efficient control over the various dangerous diseases that from time to time become epidemic in the city, and which have gained a permanent foothold here.—Boston Journal.

Carried the Proofs with Them.

Two ex-Confederates who applied for allowance under the maimed soldier act showed strong proof that they were badly hurt during the war. About 2 o'clock Mr. Lucius Maxwell walked in, and taking from his pocket an old Confederate passport slowly unwound it and laid before Col. Tip Harrison six pieces of his skull. Mr. Maxwell was a member of the Forty-second Georgia regiment, and received a terrible wound in the head in one of the battles around Atlanta in July, 1864. About 4 o'clock Mr. Josephus Riden came in and took from his pocketbook a piece of his own skull which he has preserved all these years. Mr. Riden was a member of the Thirty-fourth Georgia regiment, and was shot in the top of his head at the battle of Jonesboro. To this day these unfortunate veterans still suffer from the effects of their dangerous wounds, and have never been able to do steady work since they were received. It is hardly necessary to add that the applications of both were promptly allowed.—Atlanta Constitution.

Lady Travelers.

A great deal is said and written tending to show that the gentler sex know as little about traveling as the sterner sex know of fashion plates, but it is about time to call a halt on that proposition. Traveling by rail has become so common that there are very few ladies, emigrants excluded, and among that class the men know as little as the women, who are not perfectly capable of taking care of themselves on a journey of a few hundred miles. They are as speedily served with tickets as the average man, and more readily disposed of than many of the latter, and ask fewer questions as to when the train will depart, where it can be found, how often they will be compelled to change cars, etc. The age is progressive, and in railroad traveling the ladies are keeping right up with the procession.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

E. M. REID, J. P.

MORRISVILLE, ALA.,

Keeps Marriage Licenses for sale. Courts the 1st and 3rd Saturdays in each month. tf.

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THE ROTHSCHILDS.

Characteristics of the Parent Heads of the Financial Family.

Some ten years ago old Baron Rothschild passed away full of years, leaving behind him a gigantic fortune. His three nephews, Nathaniel, Leopold and Alfred, sons of Baron Lionel Rothschild, inherited the city business, while his vast riches in cash, lands, house property and securities were for the most part bequeathed to his daughter, the Countess of Rosebery. The three London Rothschilds of today bear little resemblance, either in face, form or business habits, to either their late father or uncle. The elder, Nathaniel, lately created Lord Rothschild, is a far seeing man of great business capacity, and under his guidance the great house still maintains its supremacy in the world of London finance. He is, however, a man who devotes his attention only to great enterprises, and consequently a vast amount of minor business of a very profitable nature that used to be executed by the Rothschilds has of late flowed into other channels.

His lordship excels as a diplomat, and his relations with Gladstone's government during the Egyptian affair were close and invaluable to his house. Simple British tax payers who paid any attention to the part England was playing in the khedive's affairs for a year or two previous to the slaughtering of the heroic Gordon at Khartoum, roundly asserted that her expensive interference in Egypt would never have been pushed so far but for the vast interests of the Rothschilds and their clients there at stake." The head of the firm does not inherit his uncle's love of sport; he neither breeds nor runs thoroughbred race horses, and is rarely seen in the hunting field, though in a perfunctory manner he still keeps up the famed pack of staghounds. His counsel in financial matters is highly esteemed by her majesty's government, and his life, like that of his predecessor, is devoted to money getting. More Jewish in appearance than either of his brothers, his character and habits also more clearly indicate his Hebraic origin.

Alfred de Rothschild is also very regular in his attention to business in "the lane." He is not generally credited with any particular aptitude for playing the great game of finance, but has charge of the routine business of the firm. Almost any morning on the stroke of 11 his neat brougham may be seen pulling up at the corner of Cannon street and St. Swithin's lane, whence its elegantly attired owner proceeds on foot to his office. He is a handsome man, of medium stature and dark complexion, and his features are only slightly indicative of his Semitic origin. In private life he is something of a sybarite; his taste in works of art is highly cultivated; he is a liberal patron of some of the first painters of the day, and an ardent and discriminative collector of old china and bric-a-brac.

Leopold de Rothschild does not resemble his brothers either in his features or mode of life. The younger brother takes but little part in the business of the great house, and rarely puts in an appearance in St. Swithin's lane. He is a somewhat delicate looking man, of fair complexion, with a mild, kindly face.

A liberal patron of the drama, he is rarely absent from his box at the opera or his stall at the theatre on "first nights," and he numbers among his friends many of the leading members of the profession. He is in the Prince of Wales' set and is on terms of intimacy with the heir apparent. But it is as an owner of race horses that Leopold de Rothschild is, perhaps, best known to the English people. While lacking his late uncle's enthusiasm in his pursuit of the national sport of Britons, he maintains a large stable of thoroughbreds at Newmarket, where he also has a residence, and it may fairly be said that there are no colors more popular on the turf than the Rothschild blue and yellow.

One estimable characteristic of the English Rothschilds may be noted as the common possession of each of the three brothers. Their charity knows no limit, their sympathy once enlisted on behalf of a worthy object. Their names are never missing from any public subscription list, while their private benevolences are ever dispensed with open hand and presumably cheerful heart.—Philadelphia Times.

Compressed Sawdust for Fire Wood.

"I'm thinking of making a dryer for drying sawdust," said a well known Lewiston man, Tuesday. "It will be a big business some day. A firm down in Bangor is taking the lead. Their purpose is, you know, to press it by hydraulic power into about one-tenth its bulk, and sell it for fuel after all the moisture has been excluded. You see the effect of moisture. The intense strain created by burning would burst the adhering structure and make it inefficient as fuel. When you come to think of the enormous waste of sawdust it is apparent that modern economics has hold of the right end of a long clew."—Lewiston Journal.

An Arizona Indian Shampoo.

The hair of both sexes is worn long, reaching nearly to the waist, and is cut squarely across. Do the dusky children of the desert profane their ebon locks with brush or comb? Not to any great extent. They follow a device at once economical, unique and effective. They make a thick paste of the adobe soil and water, and, having wound the hair closely around their heads, they smear it from brow to occiput with sticky gray mud and let it dry. When thoroughly dry it is cracked off and the hair emerges therefrom clean, smooth and glossy as the proverbial raven's wing. Compared to this the shampoo of civilization is foolishness.—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Hobbs' Blue Book.

Hobbs—Where're you going with that dress?

Mrs. Hobbs—Out calling; this is my new directory costume.

Hobbs—Ah, I see, it helps you remember the names of the people you want to call on. Those directory publishers have long heads.—Detroit Free Press.

Jas. S. Kelly

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Being fully represented, and marked at PRICES LOWER than any WOULD BE COMPETITOR. We guarantee to SAVE YOU MONEY on every purchase made.

Carrying by far the largest stock of DRESS GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, Etc., of any house in the city enables us to undersell all competition, and by selling EVERY LINE we can make shorter profits than any

Exclusive Line House in Alabama.

Our stock is complete in Fine Dress Goods, Clothing, Millinery, Gents Furnishings, Shoes, and a fine and extensive line of

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ULLMAN BROS.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick headache has been the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

ACHE

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills makes a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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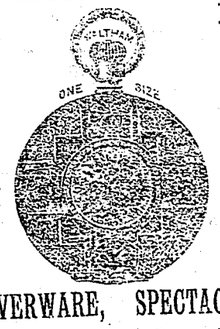

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TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.
11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.
16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.
8 Allsup Friday March 15.
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.
4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.
18 Ohatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.
6 Peek's Hill, Friday April 5.
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

J. V. RHODES,
feb. 16-3t Tax Assessor.

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. Largest sizes for men, at my shop on Main street, south from the public square, Jacksonville Ala.

JAMES CROOK, Jacksonville, Ala.
S. D. G. BROTHERS, Jacksonville, Ala.
J. V. WILLETT, Anniston, Ala.

CROOK, BROTHERS & WILLETT

Attorneys at Law

Jacksonville and Anniston

ALABAMA IN BRIEF.

Childersburg has a new paper called the "Gleaner."

The Geneva Record has passed into the hands of A. L. Blizzard.

Adam R. Baker, a prominent citizen of Montgomery, is dead.

The grand jury of Bullock county returned only nine true bills.

The Mobile and Girard railroad has renewed its charter and the line will be completed.

The Rome and Decatur railroad will be extended from Gadsden to Decatur at an early day.

A Weatern syndicate are about to establish a furniture factory in Birmingham.

$260,000 have been invested in manufacturing industries in Sheffield in the last four months.

The initial copy of the Sumter Sun, published at Livingston, is a very creditable sheet.

J. C. W. Rogers, one of the oldest citizens of Opelika, died in that city on Monday morning.

Mad dogs are numerous about Fort Deposit, and several animals and persons have been bitten.

John M. Gayle, well known in Montgomery, committed suicide in Galveston several days since.

Col. T. J. Goldsby, formerly of Selma, died at the Cliett House in Childersburg on monday morning, rather suddenly.

The horse shoe nails manufactured in Decatur are earning an enviable reputation in St. Louis and other markets.

Huntsville wants the Alabama Press Association to meet in that fair city, between the 15th June and 15th July.

The whole line between Ozark and Newton is now covered with the grading forces of the Midland, hard at work.

Subscriptions to the Bullock County Cotton Mills to the amount of $24,000 were raised in Union Springs in one day.

The ax-handle factory at Union Springs has about completed arrangements for doubling its capacity.

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Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court, at Jacksonville, Ala, March 1, 1889: viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead entry No 2172, for the SE qr of NW qr, E½ of SW qr, SW qr of SE qr, Sec. 18, Tp 14 S, R 9 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Gaboury, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

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