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SATURDAY, FEB. 28 1874.

We are authorized to announce the name of L. W. CANNON, Esq., as a candidate for the office of PROBATE JUDGE, of Calhoun County. Election first Tuesday after first Monday in November next.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. B. DOUTHITT, Esq., as a candidate for the office of CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT of Calhoun County, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. M. J. TURNLEY, as a candidate for JUDGE OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, composed of the counties of Cherokee, Blount, St. Clair, Calhoun and Cleburne.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. O. ELLIS, Esq., as a candidate for JUDGE OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, composed of the counties of Cherokee, Blount, St. Clair, Calhoun and Cleburne.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOSHUA DRAPER, Jr., as a candidate for re-election to the office of TREASURER of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of THOS. L. WAKELY, as a candidate for the office of TREASURER of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of Wm. DEFRESE, as a candidate for the office of TAX COLLECTOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. McCLURE, as a candidate for re-election to the office of TAX COLLECTOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY FITZ, as a candidate for re-election to the office of TAX ASSESSOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of L. W. GRANT, as a candidate for Member of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES for Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOSEPH BORDEN, as a candidate for TAX COLLECTOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. O. BOLLES, as a candidate for TAX COLLECTOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. O. STEWART, as a candidate for SHERIFF of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of SEAB. MATTHEWS, as a candidate for SHERIFF of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of R. F. LESTER, as a candidate for SHERIFF of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of AUGUSTUS B. LEDBETTER, as a candidate for TAX COLLECTOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of M. T. LEDBETTER, as a candidate for TAX ASSESSOR of Calhoun County.

We are authorized to announce the name of HON. ALEXANDER WOODS, as a candidate for JUDGE OF THE 12th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, composed of the counties of Cherokee, Blount, St. Clair, Calhoun and Cleburne.

Democratic State Convention.

Just as we go to press, we learn by telegram from a member of the State Executive Committee that the Democratic State Convention will be held in the city of Montgomery on the 29th day of July next.

The Oxford Intelligencer of this week has gone back to first principles and produces another anonymous correspondent styling himself "Joe Dab," who confines himself exclusively to the junior editor of this paper, and, as might be expected, indulges in gross exaggerations and misstatements. As an evidence that the Intelligencer's anonymous correspondent No. 2 does not know what he is talking about, it is only necessary to say that the public printing of this county never was sent to Gadsden, and the only proposition ever made to do the public printing for nothing, that we have any knowledge of, had relation to the public printing of Blount county, and the proposition was made by the Gadsden Times, then owned by the junior editor of this paper. His other statements are about as badly "mixed" as, as easily answered, but as they relate solely to the junior editor personally and have nothing whatever to do with the subject of controversy, we shall give them no notice in this paper. They will be disposed of in this paper. They will be disposed of in this paper. They will be disposed of in this paper.

There are a great many kinds of dabs, the most numerous of the family abounding principally in the vicinity of cowpens, and as we have always heard that a man who wrestles with one of these will surely get be-fouled, we must do the tussel with the Intelligencer's "Dab."

We have received the first and second numbers of the Birmingham Iron Age, under the management of Messrs. Dugal, Roberts and Persinger. The paper though devoted to the industrial interests of that part of the State, is Democratic in tone, its reading matter is choice and its editorial management brilliant. We welcome it to the ranks of journalism most heartily.

The National Grange Platform, Grange Orators and Politics.

Last week we alluded to a portion of the Platform of the National Grange, as touching one particular point. This week we publish the Platform in full, and wish particularly to draw the attention of our readers to that part of it touching the absolute non-political complexion of the order. Here again the spirit of the platform conflicts with expressions of public speakers of the order, who, while declaring the Grange to be non-political, have publicly advised the formation of an exclusive farmers' party, predicting that all other classes of men would fall into line and follow from motives of self-interest—the lawyer that he might do the farmer's practice—the merchant that he might sell him his goods—the doctor that he might be called in to wait upon his sick—the teacher that he might have the intellectual training of his children; thus, as stated last week, discarding the mutual dependence of all these named classes, one upon another, the farmer included.

It would be no more ridiculous to assert that the physicians could form a party, and compel all other men to fall into line, on pain of being left to languish when sick and die for want of medical attention, and then perpetrate themselves in power by an absolute refusal to render the necessary aid in bringing any future suffragist into existence until first pledged by a "loyal" god-father to become, upon attaining his majority, a zealous member of the Progressive Party of Physicians!

This mutual dependence of these honorable occupations in life could be illustrated in a thousand ways to show the shallow reasoning of men who speak as some of these orators speak; but in nothing is it more striking than when viewed in the light of the present political condition, and the relative attitude of the two political parties, of the State.

These parties are mainly distinguished by two striking dissimilarities—white and black, tax-paying and non-tax-paying. The farmer belongs almost exclusively to the two former (white and tax-paying) classes, together with the mass of mechanics and those of the professions and callings named. These political parties are arrayed in antagonism to each other, the one under the name Democratic, the other under the name Radical.

These parties, moreover, are very nearly equally divided in Alabama, victory being first to one and then to the other in our State contests. Let either be divided, and the other wins. Hence, if the Democratic White Man's party, or, as it may be termed, the Tax Payers' party be divided through any such silly counsels as we have alluded to, the Negro party or non-tax-paying party can walk over the track; and the hitherto of taxation will not only be fixed, but grow more grievous with time.

These are self-evident facts, and ought to be at once strike every reflecting mind with force; and any man in Alabama who counsels differently will be found at bottom a sympathizer with the Radical party, or, what is as bad, an indifferent to the welfare of the tax-paying people of the State, so long as he may ride into some office of present profit to himself through such pretended devotion to one particular interest.

In the Illinois Farmers' Association, an organization, somewhat modeled upon the Grange, a resolution was forced through repudiating all present political organizations in the interest of a farmer's party, and it killed the Association. In this State, where nearly all Grangers are Democrats, but not all Democrats Grangers, it would not only kill the Grange, but also kill the Democratic party, or, at least, so cripple it as to leave it an easy prey to its vindictive and unscrupulous antagonist.

The National Organization of Patrons of Industry, therefore, has wisely eschewed politics as a body, leaving each member to freely exercise his political preferences in that way shall suit him best. The Grangers, and indeed all our farmers, as a part of the Great Democratic party of the State, can exercise that influence their numbers and importance entitles them to in shaping its action, both in the nomination of party principles and in the choice of standard bearers. By this course the Grangers can more effectively remedy present political evils complained of, and at the same time escape the odium which a different course would attach to them as a secret political party. The Democratic party of this State offers all the requisites that can be asked by tax payers of the State, for it is no more nor less than the tax payers' party. Let us, therefore, exclude these class party followers, or these no party followers and cleave fast to our already well organized party until Radicalism is dead in Alabama. Then and only then will we begin to talk of other arrangements.

The Indiana Farmer, the leading organ of the Grange in Indiana, speaks thus of a third or Farmers' party: "We would," it says with moderation and justice, "resist the attempt to found a party based upon a class if proposed by any other class, and what he would contend in others we will not tolerate in ourselves. Such an attempt upon the part of the farmers would instantly unite every other industry and profession against us."

The New York World commenting on this says: "There is no fear of the result so long as such sound doctrine as this is preached in the Grange. There may be men and journals to advocate the disruption of all party ties, but on inquiry their motives will appear. There is the zeal of the communist who rises against all order in the hope that he may gain something and with the certainty that he has nothing to lose. They will not hesitate to lead—if they can secure them as followers—the white agricultural class into a contest where their votes will be squandered uselessly, so that the politicians can secure for themselves a State Treasury to plunder or a few seats in Congress to sell. These advocates of the new party take an interest in the farmer, not to quote Master Adams 'there is the interest of the hawk in the sparrow.'"

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It is about time for campaign lies to start, and we would warn readers of the Republican to believe nothing they hear until the proof is produced. It is a sad truth, but falsehood enters in and makes up a large part of the campaign material nowadays.

The Radicals have failed to carry the city election of Euftala, the State Journal discovers that it was not legally conducted and therefore void. That old game was tried on one time too many in Texas, Mr. Journal, and won't begin to stand.

One million dollars worth of cotton is stolen annually in New York by cotton samplers, or at \$60 per bale, 16,666 bales. Who can blame the Grangers for wishing to avoid these thieves, and sell direct to England? Until we do get direct trade with Europe, it may be considered broken up some days ago by the police, and that the thing is at least stopped for awhile.

For counties in Georgia where the Radicals are in sufficient force to gain possession of the county offices, the Legislature appoints Boards of Commissioners to supervise the affairs of such counties and see that too much of the people's money does not stick to the hands of officials. Not a bad idea for the central and some of the Southern counties of this State, where the negroes and carpet-baggers have things their own way.

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Narrative of Military Operations, the most authentic account of the war between the States, will be issued in about two weeks, as will be seen by reading the following letter from Gen. Johnston to J. H. Francis Esq., Agent for the 5th. Congressional District for the sale of the book, which is only sold by subscription:

SAVANNAH, GA., Feb. 24, 1874. J. H. Francis, Esq.—I send you by to-day mail two specimen books for subscription. If you want more please inform me. It is the book which will appear in something more than two weeks. Yours Truly, J. E. JOHNSTON.

FROM EUFAULA. THE CITY ELECTION. AN ELECTION FIGHT. THE ENTIRE DEMOCRATIC TICKET ELECTED.

Special to the Advertiser.

EUFAULA, ALA., Feb. 23, 1874. We had a small election fight about 11 o'clock this morning. A negro, brother to an idiot whom he was using to vote, but whose vote was challenged, waited with a drawn knife over the ropes arranged to protect the polls from the crowd. He was violently repelled by R. A. Solomon, one of the challengers, after he had refused to leave on notice. Bill Flagg, a negro, took offense at this and continued the difficulty. Some words passed between him and a member of his own party, and a Democrat who was endeavoring to suppress the difficulty, which resulted in the peace-making Democrat receiving several blows, which he thought he would recover. The first shot, it is said, was fired by a white man. Two or three other negroes received slight wounds. Mr. T. J. Everett, of the firm of Everett & Hart, received a wound in the left temple from a pistol shot, the ball making its exit about an inch from the place of entrance—not serious. R. D. Locke, County Solicitor received a flesh-wound in the left wrist. The "Great Mogul," Keils, commanded the peace after peace was restored. He experienced no loss of hair.

Second Dispatch. The entire Democratic ticket was elected to-day by an increased majority.

The Signs of the times. The note of preparation for the approaching political conflict comes up from almost every county and town in the State. It reminds us of the people's hour and which a few years ago could be heard in every camp when the order to advance upon the enemy was communicated to the troops. It is a busy note of men bustling about, and the portent which the communications is inspiring. It breathes courage into the wavering, fortitude into the weak, energy and hope into the straggler. This note, clearly awakened, will swell into a shout of triumph before the November next—unless we have overestimated the patriotism of the Conservative masses of the State, the Radical party will be swept from Alabama as the west wind of Egypt swept the departing locusts into the Red Sea.—Mont. Ad.

An idea of the magnitude of the negro exodus from Alabama to Mississippi may be derived from a statement which we find in the letter of a correspondent of the Wilmington Journal. The writer was telling what he saw and heard while on the railroad between Meridian and Jackson, Miss., and said: "I saw the exodus of the negroes, and he told us that he had four cars loaded with that night, and that it was the lightest load he had carried out for six weeks."

He gives an amusing account of the "negro" witnessed in the transfer of the negroes' language, of which dogs almost invariably formed a lively and troublesome part.

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We copy this from the Shubuta Mississippi Times: "The Columbus Democrat (by the way, one of our best exchanges) is opening a pretty severe fire on those landed proprietors who are dodging the Mississippi bottoms with Alabama and Georgia negroes. Their conduct is certainly to be reprehended, is this influx of negroes will fix our political condition for years to come, as one of the new Africa established by reconstruction. But may be so, the cholera yellow fever, meningitis, and some other friendly dispensation of an all-wise Providence, may come to the relief of Mississippi and 'thin them out to a stand.' So mote it be."

"An English gentleman has trained a hog for hounds purposes." In this country the hounds have a fair average success in hunting garden vegetables, and such "thin them out" any large sums of money being wasted on their education.

NEW YORK, FEB. 17.—A dispatch from Sing Sing states that a fire there this morning destroyed 26 places of business. The fire commenced just before the termination of a German ball, which was held at Olive Hall last night and by the 12th minute the safety of the dancers was assumed. It was too late to check the flames, and owing to the scarcity of water the fire spread rapidly. Engines were brought from Yonkers and Peekskill and after burning about six hours the flames were subdued. The loss amounts to nearly \$125,000.

The Bodies of the Stamese Twins are on their way to Philadelphia, in charge of the medical commission recently sent from that city. According to our special dispatch, printed elsewhere this morning, the widows made the anatomy conditional that the remains of their late husbands should not be unnecessarily mutilated. The curiosity of the scientific world will soon be satisfied.

N. Y. Herald.

"Where are our forefathers—the Pilgrim Fathers—the heroes of '76?" shouted an orator the other evening. "Dead," responded a sad looking man sitting on the platform.

A new manufactory for musical instruments has been established at Schowhegan, Me., and it is understood that the next insane asylum will also be built there.

—A negro, never known to tell a lie, who resides near Huntingdon, Tenn., says that he is the father of sixty-five children. Brigham Young is still one ahead.

To the Young Men of the 6th Congressional District of Ala.

HERE is a vacancy at West Point from the 5th Dist. of Alabama. The privilege of appointing a young man to fill said vacancy, there will be a competitive examination of those who desire the position, at Gadsden, Blount County, Ala. on Friday the 10th day of April, 1874. Competitors must be between the ages of seventeen and twenty-two, not less than five feet high—and must reside in said 5th Cong. District. The examination will be conducted by a Board of competent and impartial judges, consisting of twenty-two Civil Engineers, giving thorough information relative to the appointment and admission of Cadets, will be forwarded to those who will notify the undersigned of their intention to compete. J. H. CALDWELL, Washington, D. C.

Feb. 23, 1874. Papers of the District will please give the above two insertions, and forward their accounts to this office for collection.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA. Calhoun County. Probate Court, 26th day of Feb. 1874. THIS day came John A. Fleming, Guardian of Wm. McIntire Whiteside, Emma F. Whiteside, and Martha T. Whiteside, minors, &c. and filed his statement, accounts, vouchers and evidence for an annual settlement of his guardianship.—It is ordered that a day on which all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA. Calhoun County. Probate Court, 26th day of Feb. 1874. Estate of Wm. H. Smith, dec'd. THIS day came Benj. L. Archer, Administrator of said estate and filed his statement, accounts, vouchers and evidence for an annual settlement of his administration.—It is ordered that a day on which all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Notice to Creditors. LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION upon the Estate of Elizabeth A. Brown, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Hon. A. Woods, Judge of Probate of Calhoun County, Ala., on the 26th day of February, 1874. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them, legally authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred; and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

M. J. TURNLEY, Adm.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Probate Court, 26th day of Feb. 1874. THIS day came John A. Fleming, Guardian of Mary C. Mosley, formerly Mary C. Whiteside, and daughter of J. A. Whiteside, dec'd, and filed his statement, accounts, vouchers and evidence, for a final settlement of his guardianship.—It is ordered, that the 21st day of March, 1874, be appointed a day on which all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

TAX SALES.

List of property advertised for sale for Taxes of 1872 and 1873. ASSESSED AS FOLLOWS:

To owner unknown. Bounded north by W. Wilkingsham, 40 acres known as the Nancy Morris place. State and county tax, \$1 16 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To owner unknown. Bounded west by Ab Littlejohn 80 acres known as Hopkins place. State and county tax, 2 30 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To owner unknown. Bounded south by Hoke & Co. 40 acres known as Holter place. State and county tax, 1 15 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To owner unknown. Bounded north by Smith in sec. 11, T. 13, range 7, 40 ac's. State and county tax, 2 00 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To Mrs. Milbra Walker. Bounded south by Milligan, 80 acres, in Sec. 10, T. 13, R. 7. State and county tax, 2 00 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To Wm. P. Nealey. Fraction 6 Sec. 35, T. 12, R. 9 40 acres. State and county tax, 57 1/2 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To Owner Unknown, Lot in Cross Plains known as the Hudson place. State and county tax, 1 15 Cost and charges, 2 00 Same for 1873.

To H. H. Johnson & Bro. House and lot in Oxford. State and county tax, \$7 80 Assessors fee, 2 75 Cost and charges, 11 55

To Mrs. Martha Timberlake. S. W. 1/4 of sec. 21, T. 16, R. 8 160 acres. State and county tax, \$84 40 Cost and charges, 2 75 Assessors fee, 7 50

To Mrs. M. E. Eams deceased of Henry Eams. N. E. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of sec. 1, T. 14, R. 8. State and county tax, \$19 50 Cost and charges, 2 75

To Sharpe Prater, [c.] N. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, S. E. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4, S. W. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of sec. 1, T. 14, R. 8. State and county tax, \$49 50 Cost and charges, 2 75

To B. D. Meharg & Bro. W. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 sec. 35, T. 14, R. 6, 200 acres. State and county tax, \$11 10 Cost and charges, 3 00

To A. H. Lipscomb. N. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, S. E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4, S. W. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, N. E. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4, W. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 sec. 34, T. 14, R. 6. State and county tax, \$81 50 Cost and charges, 8 75

To Deatz & Shultz. House & lot in Jacksonville. State and county tax, 12 80 Cost and charges, 2 75 Same for 1872.

To A. H. Lipscomb. N. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, S. E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4, S. W. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, N. E. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4, W. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 sec. 34, T. 14, R. 6. State and county tax, \$81 50 Cost and charges, 8 75

The above described property will be sold for delinquent taxes of Calhoun County, before the Court House door, in the town of Jacksonville, on the FIRST MONDAY in APRIL next, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Tax C. C.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County. Probate Court, 26th day of February, 1874. Estate of Wm. Baber, dec'd. THIS DAY came M. J. Turnley, administrator of said estate, and filed his statement, accounts, vouchers and evidence for a final settlement of his administration.—It is ordered, that the 4th day of May, 1874, be appointed a day on which all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

A. WOODS, Judge of Probate.

Change of Terms. FROM and after this date, Jan. 3rd, 1874, the undersigned will execute all work in his line in the

Wood and Blacksmith Shop, for cash only or its equivalent. Those indebted for work heretofore done, must pay up their old accounts before making new ones. Work as usual will hereafter be executed faithfully and promptly, at the same place and on the same reasonable terms.

The cash system having been generally adopted, I am compelled to conform to it, and those indebted must positively pay up, if they wish to save cost.

L. A. WEAVER, Jacksonville, Jan. 3, 1874.—3t.

FIRE INSURANCE.

Home Protection of North Ala. Huntsville.

Policies issued only to respectable parties and for small lines. STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1874. CAPITAL, \$100,000.00. SURPLUS, \$37,711.88.

ASSETS. United St's B'ds, 1868, \$7,140 00 Tenn. State Bonds, 15,000 00 M. & C. R. Bonds, 1st, 9,900 00 Bonds, 2d, 9,000 00 Hunt's G. L. Bonds, 5,500 00 Jac'v C & W. Bonds, 2,400 00 \$59,940 00

Liabilities. Bills Receivable, (less doubtful \$58.00), 4,458 70 Cash in Bank, 5,501 91 Real Estate, Property S. W. cor. pub. sq. 8,900 13 Due on call, 1,454 95 Bonds of 130 Stockholders, specially secured, 53,370 00 Premiums per agents, current accounts, 5,425 20 Office Furniture, 1,144 00 Dividend account, 2,500 70 Other A/c at cash value, 2,500 70 Stock owned by the Co., 6,085 00—\$99,058 59

It will be perceived that our Surplus would go far toward cancelling our Stock Bonds. We pay out no cash dividends—our earnings are all retained for the security of our Policy Holders.

ROBT. E. COXE, Pres. H. P. DILLARD, Sec'y. Policies issued and losses paid by W. T. ALEXANDER, Jacksonville, Ala. Feb. 28, 1874.—1t.

SHERIFF SALE. BY virtue of two f. fa. in my hands, issued from the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, Alabama, in favor of A. W. Kirby and others, and against Allen Bryant as Defendant, I will sell before the Court House in the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, on the first Monday in April next, 1874, the following described land to-wit: the north west fourth of south east fourth, and the north east fourth of the south west fourth of section 6, township 14, range 6, lying in said county, levied upon as the property of Allen Bryant to satisfy said f. fa. in my hands.

C. P. READ, Shff. C. C. Feb. 28, 1874.—5t.

Sheriff Sale. BY virtue of an execution to me directed, issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, Ala. in favor of John M. Brewster, against Pinkney Harrison; I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash, between the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in March, 1874, before the Court House door in the town of Jacksonville, Ala., all of Pinkney Harrison's interest in the following described property, to-wit: one town lot in the town of Oxford, containing one acre more or less, and dwelling house; lot No. 7, known as the Creed lot—this 30th Jan. 1874.

C. P. READ, Sheriff.

Sheriff Sale. BY virtue of two Executions, to me directed, issued from the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, Ala. in favor of the State of Alabama, and against William Cook, Jr. and William Cook, sen.; also one in favor of the State of Alabama and against William Cook Jr. I will proceed to sell all William Cook junior, William Cook sen. and S. W. Cooke's interest in the following described property, to-wit: the south half of north east fourth, south west fourth of south east fourth, north east fourth of south west fourth and south east fourth of north west fourth, section 35, township 12, range 8—north half of north west fourth, section 6, township 13, range 8—two hundred and eighty acres more or less, lying in Calhoun County Alabama—sale before the Court House door in the town of Jacksonville, or, cash, on the first Monday in March, 1874—this 30th January the 30th, 1874.

C. P. READ, Sheriff.

JAMES LEFFEL'S IMPROVED DOUBLE Turbine Water Wheel.

MANUFACTURED FOR THE SOUTH & SOUTHWEST. Nearly 7000 now in use, working under heads varying from 2 to 240 feet 24 sizes, from 5 1/2 to 96 inches. The most powerful Wheel in the Market, and most economical in use of Water. Large illustrated Pamphlet sent post free. MANUFACTURERS, ALSO, OF Portable and stationary Steam Engines and Boilers, Bunkers & Wilson Patent Tubular Boilers, Blumhagen's Crusher for Minerals, Saw and Grist Mills, Flouring Mill Machinery, Machinery for White Lead Works and Oil Mills, Shafting Pulleys and Gears. SEND FOR CIRCULARS. Feb. 28.—Om.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned, as the Executors of the Estate of John Borders, deceased, will proceed to sell, at the residence of A. J. H. Borders, On Tuesday the 17th day of March, 1874. The following described Personal Property, to-wit:

Seven Bales of Cotton, One Buggy and Harness, One Bureau, one desk, one clock, Three Chairs, one Candle Stand, One Bed, Bedding and Bedstead and perhaps other articles not here mentioned.

Terms of Sale.—The Cotton and all sums under five dollars cash, all sums over five dollars on a credit of twelve months, interest from date. Note with approved security will be required to secure the purchase money.

A. J. H. BORDERS, S. G. JENKINS, S. K. BORDERS, Ex'rs. Feb. 24, 1874.—1t.

RHEUMATISM. RACIS SWORN TO.

THE partnership heretofore existing between Carroll & McCain has this day ended by expiration of time.

Therefore all parties owing them, are earnestly requested to come forward at once and settle.

We would return thanks to our friends and customers generally for their liberal patronage.

Our Mr. J. M. CARROLL will continue business alone, at his Red Store House, west side of Public Square.

CARROLL & MCCAIN. Jan. 28th, 1874.—1t.

Strayed or Stolen. From the subscriber, on the night of the 17th inst. a large Dark Chestnut Sorrel HORSE, about six years old—had on a black Saddle, said horse is about 16 hands high, and has the brand "O" on his left fore shoulder. I will pay a liberal reward to any person giving me information that I may get him.

Address DR. HUGH TOLAND, Munford, Ala.

N. F. WRIGHT, House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER.

I am now prepared to do all kinds of work in this line, such as painting houses, signs, bridges, carriages and every variety of vehicles. Prompt attention given and work guaranteed. Jan. 24, 1874.—1t.

To the Granges of Alabama.

I WILL SELL THE BEST Cotton Planter.

In existence in lots of one half dozen or more on board of cars, for J. J. Jonesboro, Ga. to the Secretary of any Grange for \$10 00 each, with a discount of 15 per cent. off. These are cost prices. When cash accompanies the order I will make them \$8 25.

D. P. EBERGUSON. Jan. 31, '74.—2m, Jonesboro, Ga.

HARNESS & SADDLERY AND Saddlers' Hardware ESTABLISHMENT.

(One Door Below Woodward's Corner.) JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

D. J. PRIVETT, PROPRIETOR.

Republican

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A Very Desirable Farm

OF 160 Acres near Jacksonville, FOR SALE.

The undersigned will sell at a bargain, the above named land in lots of 80, 100 or 160 acres. Sixty acres of it is cleared, the remainder is heavy woods and rich.

Also, FOUR HOUSES AND LOTS IN JACKSONVILLE, containing six rooms each, in good repair, and titles perfect.

TERMS—one third cash, balance in one and two years.

Jan. 17 '14. L. J. FARR.

Large Crops and Plenty of Money.

Col. FARR is Agent for the following GUANOS, and will sell at the prices stated opposite to each.

Soluble Pacific Guano, cash, \$52.50 per Ton. Payable 1st Nov. with option, \$63.00 " " " "

Payable 1st Nov. with option, \$68.00 " " " "

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Five Buffalo Fish for sale every few days at the Post office.

Apply to JIM FARMER.

We had the pleasure of a visit yesterday from Mr. O. G. Samuel, of Rome, formerly of this State. From him we learned that Messrs Sullivan & Samuel have leased the splendid Flouring Mills of Mr. J. J. Cohen, on Silver Creek near Rome.

Mr. S. showed us a specimen of most beautiful white wheat, of which they have purchased five thousand bushels, and will shortly have an agency in this place for the sale of a most superb article of superior flour.

An error occurred in the Border's estate sale last week, in the terms of sale, which we this week correct. The cotton is to be sold for cash as also all articles bringing sums less than five dollars. The remainder on time as stated.

A State Convention of Justices. Notaries, Marshals and Constables. Has been called by the first Monday in August next, for the purpose of memorializing the General Assembly to repeal some existing laws, amend others and fix upon the Code generally. For further information the call advises parties to address "Justice," Box 103 Montgomery, Ala.

A Lecture will be delivered at Calhoun College by Col. S. H. Lockett, on Saturday evening Feb. 23rd, beginning at 7:30 P. M. The subject will be "The Earth and the materials which compose it. There will also be a large number of experiments. The public are invited to attend.

Some of our subscribers at Alexandria complain that they cannot get their papers regularly, on account of non-subscribers calling for and taking away their papers before they can get them. It is not a regular office, and of course this may happen, but we had much rather that our subscribers call and get their papers than let them be taken away by non-subscribers.

A new disease, something similar to the Epizooty has attacked the horses in New York. At first they are seized with great stupor and weakness, their eyes are swollen and discharge matter, the fore and hind legs also become swollen and the animal refuses all food offered. So far very few horses have died.

Our citizens will remember a shrubbery and tree trimmer named Houghton who came to Jacksonville some six weeks ago and was engaged about town for something over a week by some of our residents. He left here and went to Dalton, Ga., where, we learn from Capt. Peter Hines, he lost his life in a most tragic manner.

At Dalton he got on a spree and while in this condition was struck by a passing engine on the track of the Ga. & E. T. Road and fearfully mangled. When picked up he was quite dead.

We had the pleasure of meeting last week in our office, Mr. W. G. Leebetter, the handsome and genial representative of the firm Jehiel Reed & Co., New York. We are always glad to greet him with his kindly smile and quiet gentlemanly ways, and cannot understand how a merchant could well refuse to give him an "order" upon solicitation.

In due course that many of them do. The house of Jehiel Reed & Co., are particularly fortunate in securing his services and the best luck we can wish them is that they may always be able to retain him.

The circulation of the REPUBLICAN is increasing more rapidly now than at any previous time during the year, we having to put in press nearly fifty extra papers this week; which fact goes to show a lively interest in the approaching campaign. Our subscribers, likewise, are paying their subscriptions more liberally than at any time during the year; which goes to show that money is getting easier.

It affords us pleasure to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement in another column, of Messrs. Poole & Hunt, Baltimore, Md., whose reputation as Manufacturers of first-class machinery is preeminent in the South, and second to none in the United States. For nearly a quarter of a century they have been prominently before the public, year by year strengthening their claims to public confidence, until, to-day, with an immense establishment, as to be placed in its appointments as experience and mechanical skill can make it, they can send forth every article of their manufacture perfect and accurate in all of its parts, as tested by the fixed and high standards by which their works are regulated. They have used their machinery on best vouch for the truth of what we have asserted.

THE REPUBLICAN WILL BE FURNISHED CASH SUBSCRIBERS FROM NOW UNTIL AFTER THE NOVEMBER ELECTIONS FOR ONE DOLLAR.

R. O. Randall, the efficient Agent of the Mobile Life Insurance Company passed through here Friday en route to Oxford to look after the interests of his Company.

We have been shown specimens of iron ore by Messrs Isbell and Williams, abounding two miles from this place, which we think is the richest we have ever seen.

Our old friend John H. Crawford has received the largest and handsomest lot of Furniture ever brought to Jacksonville.

Our thanks are tendered our generous young friend, JIMMIE FAIRMER, for a very fine Buffalo Bill, weighing some twelve pounds. May his next "catch" be the prettiest girl in the county.

We are now prepared to print the out of the play on aprons of the Patrons of Husbandry at almost nothing, having in the office a set, the exact duplicate of the design on the aprons furnished from Washington.

Dick Weaver's Livery Stable

is now complete, except the painting, and is the handsomest one in the state.

Hon. John M. CALDWELL, has been handed into this office: The following ticket for town officers: Intendant, Geo. I. Turney, Councilors, W. H. Dean, W. H. Fleming, J. D. Hammond, R. P. Weaver, J. L. Whisenant and A. M. Landers.

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claiming from thirty-five to forty thousand victims per day.

The total number of deaths so far is 807,000. Fifty thousand persons have abandoned their homes to seek refuge in the open country. The President of the Republic has also fled from the contaminated capital for a more healthy residence on the island of Carapachay. This act of Sarmiento is unfavorably commented on by the press.

WHISKY WAR!!

A Herald special from Xenia, Ohio, says the woman's anti-whisky crusade is progressing vigorously. On Friday, though the weather was bad, at the different places in the city, bands of women could be seen in the streets before the doors singing and praying. At one time the streets could be broken with rum, and hundreds of broken bottles, showing that the woman's war had been partially successful.

The movement will be inaugurated in New Albany to-morrow. The matter will be taken up in Trinity Church. Many of the old members, especially the women, have remonstrated with the trustees against letting the property of the church for the sale of liquor, and it has been decided that in the future the property shall not, under any circumstance, be let for such purposes, and that as fast as the present leases expire the holders engaged in the objectionable business must vacate. Under this rule about forty retail dealers some of them keeping well known places, will be obliged to retire on this 1st day of May.

It is also stated that the lady members of a Methodist church are making inquiries to ascertain if any members of their church own houses used for the sale of liquor, gambling or for more nefarious purposes, in order that a change may be effected.

Great preparations are being made among the ladies in Xenia, Ohio, to attend the State Temperance Convention, to be held Tuesday next, at Columbus, Ohio.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

General Joseph E. Johnston's narrative of campaigns in Virginia, Georgia and the West. Illustrated by maps and steel engravings of the most distinguished commanders of the Confederate and Federal Armies. Printed by the Appleton, in the elegant and solid style of their best and standard works. The most interesting, able and authentic record of the late war between the States. For sale by subscription only. Price—Cloth, binding \$3; Leather binding, \$6; Morocco, strong, superfine, \$7.50.

Leave orders with Ed. L. Woodward, or address in person by letter, J. H. Francis, Jacksonville, Ala. Agent for Calhoun, Clinch, Cherokee, Etowah, St. Clair, Marshall and Dekalb counties. All orders must be accompanied by the cash.

CHALLENGE.

We challenge the world to produce a more powerful and penetrating compound than the Magic Arctica Liniment. It will cure the rheumatism, neuralgia and paralysis as well as the more common aches and pains of every description. For the former disease there is no chronic case that can resist it when used in conjunction with Mansfield & Higbee's great internal remedy, the Rheumatic Compound. Read the testimony of a physician:

UNIONTOWN, ALA., Nov. 5, 1870. Messrs Mansfield & Higbee, Memphis Tenn: DEAR SIR: Please send me six bottles of Magic Arctica Liniment and one bottle Rheumatic Compound on receipt of this. I have been using Magic Arctica Liniment in a severe case of paralysis with very beneficial effects. Sincerely, C. O. D.

Very respectfully yours, JNO. H. WEBSTER, M. D.

GO TO TEXAS VIA THE LONE STAR ROUTE.

(INTERNATIONAL AND GREAT NORTHERN R.R.)

Passengers going to Texas via Memphis and Little Rock, or via Shreveport, strike this line at Longview, the best route to Palestine, Houston, Waco, Austin, Huntsville, Houston and all points in Western, Central, Eastern and Southern Texas.

Passengers via New Orleans will find the Lone Star Route, Tyler, Dallas, Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso and all points in Western and Central Texas, thoroughly equipped with every modern improvement, including New and Elegant Day coaches, Pullman Palace Sleeping cars, Westinghouse Air Brakes, Miller's Patent Safety Pumps and couplers; and wherever else can be made so completely dependent on a speedy, safe and comfortable journey.

The LONE STAR ROUTE has admirably answered the query "How to go to Texas" by the publication of an interesting and truthful document, containing a valuable and correct map, which can be obtained, free of charge, by addressing the GENERAL TICKET AGENT, International and Great Northern Railroad, Houston, Texas. Feb. 7, 1874—ly.

PAIN-KILLER.

1840 For over 30 Years 1874. Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain-Killer Has Been Tested in Every Variety of Climate, and By Almost Every Nation Known to Americans.

It is the constant companion and estimable friend of the missionary and the traveler, on sea and land, and on one should travel on any lakes or rivers without it.

It has been before the public over thirty years, and better reputation than any other proprietary medicine of the present day. At this period there are but few unequalled.

No 136 High Street, Providence, R.I.

Sole Proprietors, Cincinnati, O. FERRY DAVIS & SON, General Agents, Providence, R.I. Sold by Dr. J. C. FARRIS, Jacksonville, Ala. Jan. 2-1874—lm.

Go West Through St. Louis.

To all who are seeking new homes in the West, or who are desiring to visit Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico, Nebraska, Oregon or California, we recommend a cheap, safe, quick and direct route by the way of St. Louis over the Missouri Pacific through Line.

It is equipped with fine Day Coaches, Buck's Reclining Chair Cars, Pullman's Palace Sleepers, the famous Miller Platform, and the celebrated Westinghouse Air-Brakes and runs its trains from St. Louis to principal points in the West without change.

We believe that the Missouri Pacific Through Line has the best track of any road west of the Mississippi River, and with its superior equipment and unrivaled comforts for passengers, has become the great popular thoroughfare between the East and the West.

Trains from the North, South and East connect at St. Louis with trains to the Missouri Pacific. The Texas connection of this road is now completed, and passengers are offered a first class all-rail route from St. Louis to Texas, either over the Missouri, Kansas and Texas R.R., via Sedalia, or over the Atlantic & Pacific R.R., via Vinita. For maps, time tables, information as to rates, routes, etc., address E. A. Ford, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo. Questions will be cheerfully and promptly answered.

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Tax Assessor's NOTICE.

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