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## Tax Sale

Of Lands assessed to owners unknown in Choctaw County for the years 1872 and 1873.

W hlf of a q r sec 6 town 14 range 1  
Tax and cost \$11.08.  
Fractional sec 31 town 14 range 1 e, Tax  
and cost \$16.46.  
Fractional sec 2, town 15 range 1 w, Tax  
and cost \$16.46.  
S w q r sec 18 town 15 range 1 w, Tax  
and cost \$9.31.  
S e q of s e q r sec 30 town 15 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$9.29.  
Fractional e hf of sec 17 town 9 range 1  
w, Tax and cost \$16.46.  
N hf of sec 30, town 9 range 1 w, Tax  
and cost \$16.46.  
S w q of sec 31, town 9 range 1 w, Tax  
and cost \$16.66.  
N w q of s e q sec 31 town 9 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$9.29.  
N hf of s, hf sec 30 town 12 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$14.66.  
E hf of n w q r sec 30 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$11.08.  
S w q of a w q r sec 30 town 12 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$9.29.  
S e q of s e q sec 30 town 12 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$9.29.  
N e q and n e q of n w q r, sec 29 town  
12 range 1 w, Tax and cost \$16.46.  
S w q of n w q r of n w q r, sec 21 town  
12 range 1 w, Tax and cost \$16.46.  
S w q of s e q sec 21 town 12 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$9.29.  
N e q and s hf of s e q, sec 16 town 1  
range 1 w, Tax and cost \$13.84.  
S w q of s e q sec 16 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$11.08.  
S e q of sec 16 town 13 range 1 w, Tax  
and cost \$14.66.  
S w q of s w q and s e q of n w q r sec  
11 town 13 range 1 w, Tax and cost \$11.08.  
W hf of s w q r sec 14 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$11.08.  
W hf of s w q r sec 15 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$11.08.  
E hf of n w q r sec 21 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost \$14.66 and 8 cts.  
S w q of n w q r, sec 21 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 8 cts.  
W hf of n w q r, sec 21 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 1 dol and 8 cts.  
E hf of n w q r, sec 21 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 11 cts and 8 cts.  
N hf of s w q r, sec 27 town 13 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 1 l and 8 cts.  
W hf of s w q r, sec 3 town 15 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 8 cts.  
S w q of n w q r, sec 5 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
S w q of s w q r sec 8 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
E hf of n w q r, sec 11 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
E hf of s w q r, sec 11 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
E hf of s w q r of sec 16 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 28 dol and 29 cts.  
W hf of hf sec 17 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
E hf of n w q r, sec 17 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
S e q of s e q r sec 17 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
E hf of s hf and w hf of s e q r, sec 1  
town 15 range 1 w, Tax and cost 18 dol and  
24 cts.  
W hf of e hf of sec 20 town 15 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
E hf of s w q r, sec 3 town 15 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 18 dol and 29 cts.  
S w q of s w q r and s w q of n e q r, sec 2  
town 15 range 1 w, Tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
E hf of e hf sec 30 town 16 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
W hf of w hf and s e q of n e q r, sec 1  
town 15 range 1 w, Tax and cost 16 dol and  
45 cts.  
E hf of s w q r, sec 34 town 15 range 1 w,  
Tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
N hf of s w q r and s hf of n w q r, sec  
town 9 range 2 w, Tax and cost 14 dol and  
66 cts.  
W hf of n e q r and s w q of n e q r, sec  
town 9 range 2 w, Tax and cost 11 dol  
and 8 cts.  
N w q of n e q r sec 19 town 9 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
S w q of s w q r sec 31 town 9 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
S e q of n e q r and s w q of n e q r, sec 23 town  
9 range 2 w, Tax and cost 18 dol and 24 cts.  
N w q of n e q r sec 33 town 9 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
W hf of n w q r, n w q of s w q r, sec  
town 11 range 2 w, Tax and cost 12 dol and  
27 cts.  
N w q of n e q r sec 5 town 11 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
N hf of n w q r and s e q of n e q r, sec  
town 11 range 2 w, Tax and cost 12 dol and  
27 cts.  
S e q of n w q r, n w q of n e q r, sec  
town 11 range 2 w, Tax and cost 14 dol and  
66 cts.  
N w q of s w q r, sec 10 town 11 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
N e q of n e q r, sec 13 town 11 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
S hf of n w q r and n hf of s w q r, sec  
town 11 range 2 w, Tax and cost 14 dol and  
eighty-eight cts.  
E hf of s e q r and w hf of n e q r, n e q  
of s e q r and s e q of w q r, sec 14 town  
11 range 2 w, Tax and cost 18 dol and 24 cts.  
N hf of s e q r, sec 14 town 11 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 11.08.  
E hf of sec sixteen town 11 range 2 w,  
Tax and cost 31 dol and eighty-two cts.  
N hf of n e q r and s hf of n w q r, sec  
town 9 range 2 w, Tax and cost 14 dol and  
66 cts.  
S hf of sec twenty town 11 range 2 w,

Tax and cost twenty-one dol and eighty-two cts.  
N e q r of s e q r, sec 14 town II range two w, Tax and cost, nine dol and twenty-nine cents.  
E h f of w h f and w h f of s w q r, sec twenty-one town eleven range two w, Tax and cost 18 dol and twenty-four cts.  
E h f of s e q r and s w q r of s w q r, sec twenty-two town eleven range two w, Tax and cost twelve dol and 87cts.  
N e q r of n e q r, sec twenty-three town eleven range two w, Tax, and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
S w q r of n e q r, sec twenty-four town eleven range two w, Tax and cost, nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
E h f of n w q r and s w q r of n w q r, sec twenty-eight town eleven range two w, Tax and cost twelve dol and eighty-seven cts.  
W h f of w h f sec twenty-nine township eleven range two w, Tax and cost 14 dol and 66cts.  
N w q r and e h f of s e q r, sec 30 town II range two w, Tax and cost eighteen dol and twenty-four cts.  
N e q r and e h f of s e q r and s w q r of s e q r, sec 31 town eleven range two w, Tax and cost twenty dol and 3cts.  
W h f of n e q r, sec thirty-two town eleven range two w, Tax and cost eleven dollars and one cent.  
S w q r of n w q r, sec 33 town eleven range two w, Tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
N w q r and w h f of s e q r, sec 34 town eleven range two w, Tax and cost eighteen dollars and two cts.  
S w q r and n h f of s e q r, sec 1 township twelve range two w, Tax and cost eighteen dol and twenty-four cts.  
S e q r of e q r and e h f of s w q r; s e q r and s e q r of n w q r sec 2 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$21.82.  
N e q r and e h f of n w q r, sec 3 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$18.24.  
S h f of h f and e h f of n w q r; w h f of n e q r, sec 4 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$24.82.  
N e q r and n e q r of n w q r, sec 5 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$12.87.  
N h f of s e q r 9 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$21.82.  
N e q r of sec 11 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
S e q r of sec 12 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
W h f of s e q r and s e q r of w q r, sec 13 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$12.87.  
N h f of sec 17 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$31.82.  
S e q r of s w q r, sec 22 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$9.29.  
N e q r of n w q r and n e q r of n e q r, sec 23 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$11.08.  
N e q r of sec 24 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
N e q r of w q r, sec 27 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$9.29.  
S w q r of s e q r, sec 34 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$9.29.  
N h f of n e q r and s w q r of s e q r, sec 35 town 12 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$12.87.  
W h f of s w q r and n e q r of s w q r, sec 3 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$12.87.  
N w q r of n w q r, sec 13 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$9.29.  
S w q r and e h f of n w q r, sec 10 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$18.24.  
S w q r of s e q r, sec 20 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$9.29.  
W h f of n w q r sec 22 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$11.08.  
E h f of e q r sec 27 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$11.88.  
S h f of sec 32 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$31.82.  
S w q r and n h f of n e q r, sec 33 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$18.24.  
S h f of e q r sec 33 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$21.82.  
W h f less ten acres; w h f of e h f less 10 acres in end of s w q r, sec 34 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$28.07.  
N w q r of sec 36 town 13 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
N e q r less two acres of sec 3 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
E h f of s w q r and e h f of s e q r; s w q r of s e q r sec 7 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$16.45.  
E h f of e q r and n e q r of s w q r, sec 10 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$12.87.  
E h f of n w q r and s w q r of n w q r, sec 13 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$12.87.  
N w q r of sec 18 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
N e q r and e h f of s e q r, sec 20 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$18.24.  
W h f of n e q r, sec 21 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$11.08.  
E h f of s e q r sec 23 town 14 range 2 w, Tax \$11.08.  
S w q r and e q r of n w q r, sec 25 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$16.45.  
E h f of n e q r and n w q r and e h f of n e q r, sec 29 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$28.08.  
S e q r and e h f of n e q r, sec 32 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$18.24.  
E h f of n w q r sec 33 town 14 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$11.08.  
W h f of n e q r and w h f of s e q r sec 33 town 16 range 1 w, Tax and cost \$14.66.  
W h f and e h f of s e q r 1 town 15 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$9.29.  
S h f and e h f of n e q r sec 2 town 15 range 2 w, Tax and cost \$11.08.

w, tax and cost \$26,33.  
 N w q r o n w q r sec 7 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost \$9,29.  
 S w q r o n w q r sec 8 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost \$9,29.  
 E h f o n e q r sec 8 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost \$11,08.  
 W h f o sec 9 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost \$31,82.  
 N w q r o n w q r sec 11 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost \$9,29.  
 S w q r o n w q r sec 12 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost \$9,29.  
 W, tax and cost \$28 dol and 98 cts.  
 N e q r o f sec and s w q r o f e q r sec 13 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 S w q r o f sec 14 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 14 dol and 68 cts.  
 S w q r o f h f o n e q r sec 16 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 18 dol and 24 cts.  
 S w q r o f n e q r sec 18 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 21 dol and 39 cts.  
 N e q r o f sec 20 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 21 dol and 68 cts.  
 S w q r o f e w q r sec 23 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 39 cts.  
 N h f o n e q r and s w q r o n e q r sec 28 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 13 dol and 87 cts.  
 W h f o e h f o n e q r and 13 acres of u n w q r o f sec 31 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 10 dol and 64 cts.  
 E h f o e q r and s e q r o n e q r sec 34 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 13 dol and 87 cts.  
 W h f o w q r and s h f o n e w q r sec 35 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
 N e q r o f s w q r and s h f o n e q r sec 35 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 19 dol and 87 cts.  
 S h f o s e q r and n e q r o f e q r sec 35 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 12 dol and 66 cts.  
 W h f o w s w q r sec 36 town 15 range 2 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 N w q r o f e q r and s e q r o f e q r sec 36 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol, and 8 cts.  
 S h f o n w q r sec 36 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 N w, q r o f s e q r and s h f o n e q r and n w q r o n e q r and s w q r o f w q r sec 36 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 N e q r and e h f o s e q r and s h f o e w q r and n w q r o f e q r sec 4 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 23 dol and 61 cts;  
 S w q r o f 14 dol and 68 cts town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 S h f o s w q r and n e q r o f e q r sec 4 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 12 dol and 87 cts.  
 S w q r o f n e q r sec 11 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 S w q r o f n w q r sec 12 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 E h f o n w q r and n w q r o n w q r sec 13 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 12 dol and 87 cts.  
 S e q r o f w q r sec 14 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 S e q r o f e q r sec 15 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 S e q r o f s e q r sec 17 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 S e q r o f n w q r sec 18 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 N w q r o f e q r and n h f o s w q r and n w q r o f e q r sec 20 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 N e q r and e h f o n w q r and n w q r o f e q r sec 21 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 20 dol and 3 cts.  
 N w q r and s h f o n e q r sec 25 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 18 dol and 24 cts.  
 S w q r o f s w q r and n w q r o f e q r sec 26 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 12 dol and 87 cts.  
 N e q r and s e q r o f e q r sec 27 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 S w q r and n e q r o f e w q r sec 29 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 N w q r o f n e q r and s e q r n w q r sec 34 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 9 cts.  
 N h f o n e q r and s e q r o f n e q r sec 35 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost 14 dol and eighty seven cts.  
 S w q r o f s w q r section 36 town 9 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 S e q r o f n e q r sec 2 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 S w q r o f e q r sec 3 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
 S e q r o f e q r sec 5 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and 29 cts.  
 N w q r o f e q r sec 6 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 N h f o n e q r sec 7 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol and eight cts.  
 S w q r o f e q r sec 11 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 14 dol and 66 cts.  
 N e q r o n w q r sec 12 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 W, tax and cost 9 dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 S w q r o f e q r sec 14 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 9 dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 S h f o n e q r and s e q r o f e q r sec 15 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol and eight cts.  
 W h f o n e q r sec twenty-two town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 14 dol and eight cts.  
 S w q r o f s w q r and s h f o f e q r sec 22 town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 W h f o s e w q r and n w q r o f s w q r sec twenty-five town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost twelve dol and 87 cts.  
 N w q r o f n e q r sec twenty-seven town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 S w q r o f e q r sec twenty-eight town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 S e q r and s h f o n e q r o q t sec twenty-nine town 10 range 3 w, tax and cost eighteen dol and twenty-four cts.

N e q r and e q r of e q r sec 31 town  
 ten range 3 w, tax and cost sixteen dol and  
 48 cts.  
 W h f of n w q r and n e q r of n e q r sec  
 31 town ten range 3 w, tax and cost twelve  
 dol and eighty-seven cts.  
 N w q r of n w q r and n w q r of e q r sec  
 35 town ten range 3 w, tax and cost 11  
 dol and eight cts.  
 N e q r of e q r sec 35 town ten range 3  
 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine  
 cts.  
 S w q r of n e q r sec thirty-six, town ten  
 range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twen-  
 ty-nine cts.  
 N e q r of e q r sec one town eleven range  
 3 w, tax and cost eleven dol and eight cts.  
 N w q r of e w q r and w h f of n e q r sec  
 two town eleven range 3 w, tax and cost  
 ten dol and eighty-seven cts.  
 N e q r of e q r sec 5 town eleven range 3  
 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine  
 cts.  
 N w q r and e q r of n e q r sec eight town  
 eleven range 3 w, tax and cost sixteen dol  
 46 cts.  
 S w q r of n w q r sec nine town eleven  
 range 3 w, tax and cost eleven dol and  
 twenty-nine cts.  
 S e q r and n h f of n e q r sec 10 town 11  
 range 3 w, tax and cost \$18.24.  
 N h f of n w q r sec 11 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 N e q r of n e q r sec 12 town 11 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N w q r of e w q r sec 13 town 11 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N e q r of e q r sec 15 town 11 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N w q r and w h f of n e q r and n h f of  
 e h f of 19 town 11 range 3 w, tax and  
 cost \$25.38.  
 W h f of n e q r and e h f of s w q r and  
 s e q r of n w q r sec 10 town 11 range 3 w,  
 tax and cost \$16.45.  
 W h f of n w q r sec 20 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 N e q r of s w q r sec 21 town 11 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N w q r of e w q r and s e q r of n e q r  
 sec 22 town 11 range 3 w, tax and cost  
 \$11.08.  
 N w q r and n h f of s w q r and e h f of e  
 q r and s w q r of n e q r sec 23 town 11  
 range 3 w, tax and cost \$23.61.  
 N e q r of n w q r and n e q r of s w q r  
 sec 24 town 11 range 3 w, tax and cost  
 \$11.98.  
 S e q r of s e q r sec 24 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 E h f of n w q r sec 26 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 S e q r of e q r sec 27 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 S h f of s w q r sec 28 town 11 range 3 w,  
 tax and cost \$11.08.  
 S e q r of sec 29 town 11 range 3 w, tax  
 and cost \$14.66.  
 N h f of e w q r sec 35 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 S e q r of n w q r sec 36 town 11 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 S e q r of s w q r sec 22 town 12 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N e q r of n w q r sec 28 town 12 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N w q r of e q r sec 34 town 12 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 E h f of s w q r sec 15 town 13 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 S h f of sec 16 town 13 range 3 w, tax  
 and cost \$11.08.  
 S w q r of n e q r sec 19 town 13 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 W h f of n e q r sec 20 town 13 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 E h f of e q r sec 21 town 13 range 3 w,  
 tax and cost \$11.08.  
 E h f of n e q r sec 21 town 13 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 S h f of n h f of n w q r and e h f of n  
 e q r sec 22 town 13 range 3 w, tax and cost  
 \$21.82.  
 N e q r of e q r and s e q r of e q r sec  
 23 town 13 range 3 w, tax and cost \$11.  
 08.  
 E h f of e q r sec 24 town 13 range 4 w,  
 tax and cost \$11.08.  
 N h f of n w q r and s w q r of n w q r and  
 s e q r of e q r sec 25 town 13 range 3 w,  
 tax and cost \$14.06.  
 W h f of n w q r sec 28 town 13 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 E h f of n w q r sec 29 town 13 range 3 w,  
 tax and cost \$11.08.  
 N h f of e w q r and s e q r of s w q r; and  
 s w q r of e q r sec 33 town 13 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$14.66.  
 S w q r of n e q r sec 30 town 13 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 E h f of e q r and n e q r of s e q r sec 1  
 town 14 range 3 w, tax and cost \$12.87.  
 W h f of n w q r sec 6 town 14 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 E h f of n e q r sec 9 town 14 range 3 w,  
 tax and cost \$11.08.  
 N w q r of n w q r sec 11 town 14 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 W h f of n e q r and w h f of s w q r sec 16  
 town 14 range 3 w, tax and cost \$14.06.  
 E h f of e q r sec 23 town 14 range 3  
 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 N h f of s w q r and s w q r of s w h f sec  
 24 town 14 range 3 w, tax and cost \$12.  
 87.  
 N e q r and s e q r of s w q r sec 35 town  
 14 range 3 w, tax and cost \$16.45.  
 N w q r of e q r sec 1 town 15 range  
 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 W h f of e q r sec 3 town 15 range 3 w  
 tax and cost \$11.08.

E hf of s e q r sec 4 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 E hf of n e q r and w hf of n w q r sec 5 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 S w q r of sec 6 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$14.96.  
 N hf of s e q r sec 13 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 E hf of s w q r and s w q r of s w q r sec 14 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$12.87.  
 S w q r of s q r sec 15 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N hf of s e q r and w q r of s e q r sec 16 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$8.71.  
 E hf of n e q r sec 19 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 W hf of s w q r sec 20 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$14.08.  
 S e q r and n w q r of n w q r sec 22 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$16.45.  
 N e q r and h of s e q r and w q r of s e q r sec 23 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$18.24.  
 S e q r of n e q r sec 24 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 S hf and w hf of n w q r and w hf of n e q r sec 29 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$28.98.  
 S e q r and n hf of s w q r and s e q r of s w q r sec 30 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$20.03.  
 N hf of s q r sec 30 town 15 range 3 w, tax and cost \$21.52.  
 N e q r of s e q r sec 1 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 N e q r of n e q r and w q r of s w q r sec 2 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 W hf of n e q r and s w q r of s e q r sec 3 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 12 dol and 8 cts.  
 S e q r of s e q r sec 4 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 W hf of n e q r sec 5 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 W hf of s w q r and w hf of n e q r and n w q r of n e q r sec 9 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 E hf of n w q r and n e q r of s w q r and a hf of s w q r sec 13 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 E hf of n e q r sec 14 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 N w q r of n w q r sec 17 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 N w q r of s w q r sec 18 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 S hf of s e q r sec 20 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 11 dol and 8 cts.  
 W hf of s e q r and w hf of s w q r and n e q r of s w q r sec 21 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 16 dol and 45 cts.  
 S w q r and e hf of n w q r and w hf of n e q r sec 22 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 21 dol and 82 cts.  
 N hf of s w q r and e hf of n w q r and n e q r of n e q r and s w q r of n e q r sec 23 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 18 dol and 24 cts.  
 S w q r of s e q r sec 26 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 8 dol and 60 cts.  
 S w q r of s w q r sec 29 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 9 dol and 29 cts.  
 E hf of n w q r of n w q r and e hf of s w q r sec 31 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 28-98.  
 E hf of s e q r sec 32 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 N hf of sec 38 town 9 range 4 w, tax and cost 21.82.  
 S hf of n e q r and n w q r sec 1 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 N hf of n w q r sec 2 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 S hf of s e q r and n w q r of s w q r and n e q r of s e q r sec 3 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 18.24.  
 S hf of n e q r sec 4 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 E hf of n w q r and s w q r of n e q r sec 5 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 N w q r of s w q r sec 9 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 15.29.  
 N e q r of s e q r sec 10 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 14.08.  
 W hf of n w q r sec 23 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 W hf of s w q r sec 24 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 S w q r of s w q r sec 20 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 S w q r and s hf of n e q r sec 33 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 18.24.  
 S hf of s e q r and n e q r of s e q r sec 35 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost 16.45.  
 W hf of n e q r and n e q r of n e q r sec 3 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 E hf of s w q r sec 7 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 S end of n e q r sec 8 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 S e hf of s w q r sec 11 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts.  
 N w q r and s e q r of n e q r sec 10 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 16.45.  
 E hf of s e q r and s w q r of s w q r sec 12 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 N e q r of n w q r sec 18 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 S e hf of s e q r sec 19 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 N w q r of n e q r and s w q r of n e q r sec 14 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 16.45.  
 W hf of s e q r sec 20 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 21.82.  
 E hf of n w q r sec 21 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost 28.98.  
 N e q r of n e q r sec 10 town 10 range 4 w, tax and cost \$11.29.

$N \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n \frac{1}{2}$  w sec 1, town 11, range four w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 $E$  h of  $f$  w  $q$  r and  $w$  h of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 24 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$14.06.  
 $N$  w of  $q$  r sec 25 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$14.66.  
 $W$  h of  $se$  sec 27 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$21.82.  
 $N$  w,  $q$  r and  $n$  w of  $q$  r sec 28 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$16.45.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r and  $n$  h of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 29 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$18.24.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r of  $se$  sec 32 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$21.82.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r and  $n$  h of  $se$   $q$  r sec 33 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$18.24.  
 $N$  h of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 34 town 11 range 4 w, tax and cost \$14.08.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r of  $w$   $q$  r sec 8 town 12 range 4 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 $W$  h of  $w$  h  $f$  sec 16 town 12 range 4 w, tax and cost \$14.66.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 17 town 12 range 4 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r and  $n$  h of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 18 town 12 range 4 w, tax and cost \$18.24.  
 $S$  w of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 21 town 12 range 4 w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 $E$  h of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 25, town 12, range 4 w, tax and cost \$11.08.  
 $W$  h of  $n$  e  $q$  r and  $e$  h of  $se$   $q$  r, and  $n$  e  $q$  r of  $se$   $q$  r sec 26, town 13, range 4 w, tax and cost \$14.45.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 24, town 12, range 4 w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $N$  i  $w$   $q$  r of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 25, town 13 range four w, tax and cost \$9.29.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r of  $n$  w  $q$  r sec 30, town 13 range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r of  $f$  o  $q$  r sec 2, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $E$  h of  $se$  4, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 28.08.  
 $S$  w  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $e$   $\frac{1}{2}$  sec 7, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $N \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n \frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $e \frac{1}{2}$  of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  sec 8, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 14.66.  
 $W \frac{1}{2}$  of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  sec 9 town 14, range four w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 $E \frac{1}{2}$  of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  and  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  of  $ne \frac{1}{2}$  sec 11, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 $N \frac{1}{2}$  of  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  sec 21, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 22.  
 $N$  w of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  sec 22, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $N \frac{1}{2}$  of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  sec 23, town 14, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $N \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n \frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{2}$  sec 83, t 14, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $E \frac{1}{2}$  of  $ne \frac{1}{2}$  and  $n \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n \frac{1}{2}$  sec 4 town 15, range four w, tax and cost 12.86.  
 $E \frac{1}{2}$  of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  sec 9, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 $S \frac{1}{2}$  of  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  and  $ne \frac{1}{2}$  of  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  sec 11, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 $N$  e  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  sec 24, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $S$  e  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $ne \frac{1}{2}$  sec 16, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $W \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n \frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{2}$  sec 17, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 11.18.  
 $N$  e  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  of  $se \frac{1}{2}$  and  $se \frac{1}{2}$  of  $sw \frac{1}{2}$  sec 18, town 15, range four w, tax and cost \$18.24.  
 $W \frac{1}{2}$  and  $w \frac{1}{2}$  of  $e \frac{1}{2}$  sec 19, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 28.08.  
 $S \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n \frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{2}$  sec 20, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $E$  h of  $f$  o  $h$  and  $sw$   $q$  r of  $se$   $q$  r sec 25, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 30.45.  
 $N$  w of  $se$  26 town 15, range four w, tax and cost 14.96.  
 $E$  h of  $sw$  sec 31, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 2, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 34, town 15, range four w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r of  $e$  h of  $n$  w  $q$  r sec 35, town 15 range four w, tax and cost 18.24.  
 $S$  w  $q$  r sec 1, town 9, range 5 w, tax and cost 14.60.  
 $N$  w  $q$  r of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 2, town 9, range 5 w, tax and cost 9.29.  
 $S$  w  $q$  r of  $n$  w  $q$  r sec 2, town nine, range 5 w, tax and cost 9.30.  
 $W$  h of  $n$  w  $q$  r and  $sw$   $q$  r of  $n$  w  $q$  r sec 11 town nine, range 5 w, tax and cost 13.87.  
 $W$  h of  $se$   $q$  r and  $e$  h of  $sw$   $q$  r sec 11 town nine, range 5 w, tax and cost 14.66.  
 $N$  w  $q$  r and  $e \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 13 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 13.55.  
 $N \frac{1}{2}$  of  $sw$   $q$  r and  $e$   $q$  r of  $sw$   $q$  r sec 13 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 12.87.  
 $S$  w  $q$  r of  $se$   $q$  r and  $n$  e  $q$  r of  $se$   $q$  r sec 13 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 11.08.  
 $E \frac{1}{2}$  of  $e \frac{1}{2}$  sec 15 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 14.66.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r of  $se$   $q$  r sec 22 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 9.30.  
 $N \frac{1}{2}$  and  $se$   $q$  r sec 23 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 28 dol and ninety eight cts.  
 $E \frac{1}{2}$  of  $q$  r sec 24 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 11.0.  
 $W \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n$  w  $q$  r and  $e \frac{1}{2}$  of  $n$  e  $q$  r sec 21 town nine range 4 w, tax and cost 14.30.  
 $S$  e  $q$  r of  $w$  and  $sw$   $q$  r of  $se$   $q$  r sec 20 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 11 dol and eight cts.  
 $N$  e  $q$  r of  $se$  35 town nine range 5 w, tax and cost 14.66.  
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# Choctaw Herald.

M. L. Yeatman,  
W. E. Beggs,

Editors.

Thursday March 19, 1874.

OFFICIAL ORGAN FOR CHOCTAW  
COUNTY.

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New Hampshire has gone Democratic.

Livingston has street lamps.

Gov. Lewis returned on the 13th  
inst.

A. U. S. District Court will be es-  
tablished at Eutaw.

Hon. Chas. Sumner, U. S. Senator  
from Mass., is dead.

Col. Robt. Tyler is now editor-in-  
chief of the Montgomery Morning News.

J. Mc K. Sample son of Maj. H. C.  
Sample of Montgomery has been admitted  
to the Bar.

Col. Mike Woods and Capt. J. G.  
Finley have withdrawn from the demo-  
cratic party.

The name of Chas. Cooke, Esq., is  
mentioned in connection with the Probate  
Judgeship of Sumter.

The Demopolis News Journal is in  
favor of Hon. W. E. Clarke, of Marengo,  
for Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit.

A Democratic State Convention will  
be held in Montgomery on the 29th of  
July, to nominate candidates for various  
State offices to be filled.

The Demopolis News-Journal  
wants Gen. George S. Houston of North  
Carolina for Governor and Col. C. C. Lang-  
don for Lieutenant Governor.

Col. J. J. Jolley has been elected City  
Attorney of Birmingham. He gets a sal-  
ary of \$500 in addition to the fees of the  
office.

Why is a new born babe like the relief  
of Lucknow? Because it's the long expect-  
ed sucker.—Coneub-Deumbin Star.

Do you speak from experience or ob-  
servation, Frank?

An exceedingly modest young lady, de-  
siring the leg of a chicken, at the table  
said, "I'll take the part which ought to be  
dressed in pants." A young gentleman  
opposite immediately said, "I'll take the  
part which ought to wear the bustle!"—  
Hearst horn was administered to the young  
lady.

## OUR POSITION.

While our warmest sympathies have ever  
been, are now, and will remain enlisted  
in behalf of the Democratic and Conserva-  
tive party, as the only safe means by which  
a final restoration of our Government and  
country can be effected; and though we  
are utterly opposed to every thing pertaining  
to Radicalism—and regard some of its  
teachings as a direct violation of the law of  
Nature and odious in the sight of all hon-  
est and respectable men; yet we shall suffer  
no feeling, party or personal, to deter us  
from a fearless and unequivocal exposition  
of all dishonesty and corruption in office,  
wherever they may be found.

We have thus briefly defined our posi-  
tion, let there be those who do not rightly  
understand our political status.

The following extract from an edi-  
torial in the Cincinnati Trade List, is so  
full of truth, and is so applicable to many  
members of our own Legislature, that we  
can not refrain from giving it a place in our  
columns:

Points of order in a deliberative body  
involve an immense deal of strategy, and  
the highest degree of intellect known to  
man. They are the artillery of the bull-  
whacker, the small arm of the wire-puller,  
the foil of the hypocrite, but, more than all  
the utter mental caliber of those who have  
no opinions on points at issue, and no desire  
for might but meddling with things they  
neither care for nor comprehend. A person  
imbued with the genuine dog-in-the-  
manager spirit, and thoroughly alert in the  
very small technicalities of parliamentary  
usage, is generally enabled to delay impor-  
tant action on various questions until their  
agitation becomes tiresome to the commu-  
nity, or the whirling of time brings around  
something else for the exercise of these peo-  
ular abilities; and so it happens that  
much of the time of Congress, our State  
Legislatures, City Councils and other public  
bodies, is devoted to the discussion of "how  
not to do" the work they are appointed to  
perform.

The lady [?] who yesterday called the  
attention of another to her patched breeches,  
whereat they both laughed heartily is in-  
formed that a new pair will be purchased  
when her husband's "little bill" is settled.  
It has been due nearly a year. Don't criti-  
cize dress so closely while wear-  
ing head with money due him.  
—to send us twenty dol-  
lar.

"The South, as a section is blotted  
from the map. The West is now what the  
South was, and, in order to count in the  
scale, the South must throw its weight into  
the arm of the West."—Louisville  
Courier Journal.

If the above extract was the offering  
of an enemy to the South, we could pass  
it by as unworthy of notice; but coming as  
it does from a professed friend of the South  
and southern institutions, it demands at  
least some consideration.

It is to be hoped that the Courier Jour-  
nal did not intend to say as much as it  
did say, for, heretofore, notwithstanding  
our adversity, it has been our defender  
against Northern oppression and radical  
hatred. If it means to say that the South  
should as far as possible blot out sectional-  
ism and work for the general good of the  
union, the majority of the Southern people  
will say amen; for if we must live under  
a government in the administration of  
which we have little or no part, let us make  
the best of it. But if it means that the  
South shall be annihilated, or merged in  
the West, we, as southern people, must  
most seriously protest. We are willing to  
unite with the West in any question, or  
questions, which may redound to the good  
of the two sections, but can never consent  
to be "blotted out." Never! Never! With  
feelings of sorrow, yet in the spirit of ear-  
nestness, we bowed our heads and accepted  
the insults of the war; we bore the taunts  
of the yankee foe; we saw our country  
filled with carpet-baggers from the "Nor-  
thern-Hive," we tasted the bitter fruit of  
reconstruction, and, with hearts too full for  
utterance, "accepted the situation." Hav-  
ing suffered all this, endured all this, tell  
us not that the South must be blotted out  
and Southerners be no longer a distinctive  
people.

The character of the true southern gen-  
tleman, whether you find him in his office,  
driving the plow or at the counter, is dis-  
tinctive. You can not convert him into a  
Yankee, nor can you make of him a Wes-  
tern man; for he is only what he is, a sou-  
thern man with southern honor as his regis-  
ter of protection.

The South should say to the north what  
the boy said to his companion, "you let  
me alone and I'll let you alone." When  
this mutual letting alone policy is adopted  
and adhered to by the two sections, we  
can hope for, and expect all the blessings of  
good government. "Let us have peace,"  
uttered by our much beloved president  
when he was pushing the reconstruction  
war, will be realized. "Let us have peace,"  
may be the motto for nations now in-  
credulous upon the subject, that societies  
of men are capable of establishing good  
government from selection and choice and  
are not compelled to depend on accident or  
force for their forms of government.

## JAY.

Many journals and editors are from time  
to time finding fault with the manners of  
the house in debate, and some think it  
would be better to cease reporting their pro-  
ceedings unless the members can govern  
their tongues and tempers in decorous fash-  
ion. Coarseness and intemperance in de-  
bate do not, however, constitute more than  
a more moderate proportion of the offense  
of that body against good taste. The of-  
fenses of indecorous speech and churlish  
temper are simply in keeping with the per-  
sonal deportment of a considerable squad  
of members upon the floor. A glance from  
the gallery reveals to the eye of a gen-  
tleman or lady, if the sessions be a full one,  
the spectacle of members scattered here and  
there in every attitude of indiscretion and  
boorishness—some sprawled along the sofas,  
with one leg on the floor and the other  
protruding a foot of undue proportions over  
the back of the temporary couch, where it  
beams the delicate tints upon the wall;  
some smoking in the doors of the cloak  
rooms, and even at their desks; some  
chewing tobacco, and voiding their rank  
expectations upon the pretty carpet, or  
fring it wildly at the bright ventilating  
registers in the floor; some gathered in groups  
with their backs toward the speaker, or any  
other man whom it might concern, relating  
stories, stale snatches, or otherwise, and  
breaking into occasional whistles and gut  
faws; some gazing at the galleries, and  
strutting up and down the aisles and pas-  
sages with a consciousness of themselves  
and their new clothes that suggests a  
speckled circus horse on court week; some  
munching apples and the like, or diligently  
strewing the floor with bits of paper, torn  
very fine; some complacently combing  
their whiskers or parting their hair; some,  
and they were not a few, tilted back in their  
swivel chairs, with their feet thrust so far  
across their desks that the legs of their par-  
tisanous were pretty effectually shinned up  
over their bores, giving their shanks a pic-  
turesque effect; and all over the house goes  
on the endless scribbling, the reading of  
newspapers, the hand-slaying for errand  
pages, and the unintermitting jabber, gen-  
erally unnoted, of the man who despatches  
by a parliamentary fiction to be occupy-  
ing the floor.—Washington Herald.

A Kentucky editor tells this: "We  
hear of a gentleman in this city who, when  
he happens to get intoxicated, goes to his  
room, gives himself a scolding, after which  
he inflicts severe chastisement upon himself  
with a stout switch, and winds up by mak-  
ing himself promise himself to behave him-  
self, in default of which he will get another  
and more severe whippinging."

We learn that in a considerable por-  
tion of this county there is a feeling of de-  
cided opposition to holding County Con-  
ventions for the nomination of candidates  
for the combination of candidates  
Our columns are open to an intelligent  
discussion of this "much vexed question."

We have heard that one object of  
Gauges is, to encourage the planting of  
more corn and less cotton than has been  
the practice heretofore. But we entertain  
serious doubts whether this plan will be  
successfully carried out. We believe that  
a considerable number of farmers, thinking  
that corn and other grain will be raised al-  
most exclusively in the Southern States,  
and that the price of the fleecy staple will  
thereby be increased, have conceived the  
idea of planting enormous cotton crops  
hoping to make up in that way, for losses  
previously sustained.

## Steve Lowery.

How THE LAST OF THE NORTH CAROLINA  
"SWAMP ANGELS" WAS KILLED.

Stephen Lowery, the last and probably  
the worst of the Carolina Swamp Angels  
who rioted in and held such a high  
carnival of crime in North Carolina for so  
many years, was killed in the Southwestern  
region by three young white men, all farm-  
ers, named David Holcombe, Thomas  
Dutton and McNeill Patterson. The scene  
of the tragedy is located about two miles  
from Red Banks, on the Carolina Central  
railway, about sixteen miles west of Lum-  
berton, the county seat of Robeson county,  
and six miles from this point. It was along  
on the plantation, and not far from the  
house of Mr. John McNair, a gentleman  
who has repeatedly been robbed by the out-  
laws.

The three young men mentioned had  
been out searching for the outlaws for sev-  
eral weeks past. They were on this mis-  
sion together on Sunday, and at about mid-  
night approached a whisky camp on Mr.  
McNair's place, where there were a few  
gals containing whisky and tobacco, be-  
longing to a man named Burns, of Ran-  
dolph county. Here there was quite a crowd  
of negroes and a few white men drinking  
and carousing together. Among the num-  
ber was Steve Lowery, who seemed to have  
been imbibing pretty freely. The young  
men approached the outlaw and began to  
converse with him. He made many boasts  
of what he had done and what he could  
do, and said that he could show more gold  
than any other man in Robeson county.

After awhile the young men crossed  
and Steve got right up, saying that they  
were going home. After getting well out  
of the range of the camp, however, they  
made a detour and crept up to within  
twenty yards of the outlaw. Here they  
remained quiet for a long time, waiting for  
a shot, but were deterred for more than  
an hour by the fact that there were others  
near him. Finally they all captured, and  
Steve picked up a banjo and began thump-  
ing on it for the amusement of his friends.  
One colored individual kept near to him,  
but the young men were determined not  
to lose this opportunity, and a fatal signal  
they all three fired.

There was but one report from the three  
guns. The outlaw jumped from his seat  
and immediately afterward fell on the  
ground dead. The negro who was near  
him had his ear slightly scratched by the  
shot, but was rejoiced to find that he, too,  
was not killed. The young men then re-  
loaded their guns and advanced to the  
dead body, which they secured and bore  
away. A cart was hired and the body  
placed on it and taken to Lumberton. It  
was then taken to the court-house and  
placed on the table in the sheriff's office.

Immediately there was a wild commo-  
tion in the town, and the streets were soon  
filled with an excited crowd discussing the  
tragedy, and all rejoicing that the last  
of the outlaws had been killed. The body  
was perfectly riddled with balls and buck-  
shot. The head was perforated in several  
places, and there were three large wounds  
in the heart, any of which would have pro-  
ved fatal. There were found on the body  
but very few articles, among which were  
a bunch of keys and a copy of the Wilm-  
ington Weekly Post.

The outlaw was armed to the teeth,  
there being found on his person when he  
was killed, a Henry rifle, three pistols and  
a knife with a blade about twelve inches  
in length. He was only about twenty-eight  
or twenty-nine years of age. Like all the  
rest of the outlaws, his earthly career had  
been cut short before he had reached the  
prime of life. It is said to have been the  
most cowardly, and at the same time the  
most treacherous and vindictive of them  
all.

"Rhody" Lowery, the widow of the de-  
funct chief, Henry Berry Lowery, was  
among the crowd at Lumberton. It is  
said that she seemed actually rejoiced to  
learn that the last of the gang had gone to  
his last account. It is understood that  
Rhody wanted to marry again, but Steve  
had threatened to kill her if she did so.  
There are many persistent persons who  
believe that Henry Berry Lowery is not yet  
dead; it is even asserted that he has re-  
cently been seen in New York city.

The reward for the killing of Steve  
Lowery amount in all to \$5,200, and this  
amount will be paid over to the three  
young men who killed him. The dead  
outlaw is said to have been recently but  
the ghost of his former self. He was for-  
merly stout and robust, but had become  
pale and thin of late. Since the killing of  
Tom Lowery he has kept pretty close to  
the swamps; and the murmur of a tobacco  
and whisky caravanserai was more than he  
could resist. To his love of the ardent  
he may be directly traced his death. He was  
older than Henry Berry Lowery, who was  
in fact, the youngest of the brothers in the  
gang.

## THE TOAST.

The toast is 'Now blissing wine  
In lady's cup is seen to shine  
Before each eager guest;  
And silence fills the crowded hall,  
As deep as when the herald's call  
Thrills in the loyal breast.

Then up arose the noble host  
And smiling cried, "A toast I toast!  
To all our ladies fair;  
Here before all I pledge the name  
Of Stanton's proud and beautiful dame,  
The Lady Gudamere!"

Then to his feet each gallant sprang,  
And joyous was the shout that rang  
As Stanley gave the word;  
And every cup was raised on high,  
Nor ceased the loud and gladsome cry  
Till Stanley's voice was heard:

"Enough, enough," he smiled and said,  
And lowly bowed his haughty head,  
"That all may have their due,  
Now each in turn must play his part,  
And pledge the lady of his heart,  
Like gallant knight and true."

Then one by one each guest sprang up,  
And drained in turn his brimming cup,  
And named the loved one's name;  
And each, as hand on high he raised,  
His lady's grace or beauty praised—  
Her constancy and fame.

'Tis now St. Leon's turn to rise;  
On him are fixed those countless eyes—  
A gallant knight is he;  
Evidently by some, admired by all,  
Far famed in lady's bower or hall,  
The flower of chivalry.

St. Leon raised his kindling eye,  
Lifting the sparkling cup on high,  
"I drink to you," he said,  
"Whose grace never may depart,  
Deep green on this grateful heart,  
Till memory be dead."

"To one whose love for me shall last  
When lighter passions long have past,  
So holy 'tis and true:  
To one whose love hath longer dwelt,  
More deeply fixed, more keenly felt,  
Than any owned by you."

Each guest upstarted at the word,  
And laid his hand upon his sword,  
With fury-flashing eye,  
And Stanley said, "We crave the name,  
Proud knight, of this most peerless dame,  
Whose love you count so high."

St. Leon paused, as if he would  
Not breathe her name in careless mood  
Thus lightly to another;  
Then bent his noble head, as though  
To give that word its reverence due,  
And gently said, "My Mortimer!"

Public Larceny Practiced by the  
President.

The Washington correspondent of the  
New York Sun, writing under date of the  
2d inst., says: "The picking and stealing  
game, as practiced in the different depart-  
ments of the Government, has been pretty  
well illuminated. From time to time the  
Sun has been shown on these little villain-  
ies and brought them out in bold relief, un-  
til they are known of all men. Never-  
theless, many good, honest people, who have  
read with shame our exposures of the man-  
ner in which horses and carriages, with driv-  
ers and footmen, are kept at the public  
expense for the private use of Government  
officials, are reluctant to believe that the  
President countenances this robbery.

It is indeed sad to know that the Presi-  
dent of the United States sanctions petty  
stealing of this sort from the public treas-  
ury. But when he himself practices the  
same game, there is no longer room for  
doubt. His coachmen, footmen, barber,  
and all the male employees about the White  
House not provided for in the Congressional  
appropriations for the Executive Man-  
sion, are borne on the rolls of the Adjutant  
General's office as enlisted men, and are  
paid from the appropriations for the sup-  
port of the army.

These facts are so notorious in the City  
of Washington as they are incovertible;  
yet there is not a member of Congress on  
either side who has the courage to call  
attention to them, and introduce a bill to  
remedy the evil."

Our friends Dainwood's dry horse  
is suspected of sympathizing with the Tem-  
porance Crusaders, in that he ran away  
the other day and bursted the head out of a  
barrel of whisky. We couldn't see why so  
many who "can't bear the smell of whisky,"  
lingered so long at the scene of the catas-  
trophe.—Livingston Journal.

Why, they were mourning over depar-  
ted spirits of course.

## THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

CHOCTAW COUNTY.  
Probate Court, Regular Term, Mar. 14, '74.

A. Ferrell, dec'd. Estate of Final Settle-  
ment.  
THIS day comes Marilla Ferrell, Admin-  
istratrix of said Estate, a files in  
Court in writing, and under oath, her  
statements, accounts, vouchers and evi-  
dence for a Final Settlement of said estate.  
And the same having been examined, and  
found apparently correct, and being now  
reported for settlement. It is therefore  
ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the file  
be published in this court, so that all  
persons in interest may appear at my office  
in Butler, in said county, and contest the  
same if they think proper.

J. S. EVANS,  
Probate Judge.

March 14, '74.

## THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

CHOCTAW COUNTY.  
Probate Court Regular term, Jan. 17, '74.

George Mosley Dec'd.—In the matter of  
Substitution of the Papers and Records,  
of the administration of Joel M. Hill  
Adm'r.

In this case it is made to appear to the  
Court, by the affidavit of Joel M. Hill Adm'r,  
of the Estate of George Mosley Dec'd., that  
Milton Harvey is a non resident and resides  
in Arkansas of full age, James and Eliza-  
beth Harvey minors, over the age of four-  
teen years, and reside in Arkansas.

It is ordered, that publication be made in  
the Choctaw Herald a newspaper published  
in said county, for three successive  
weeks, notifying said non Resident, that  
said Joel M. Hill Adm'r as aforesaid, will  
move the Court on the 14th day of April  
1874, for an order substituting the Papers  
and Records of the Administration of Joel  
M. Hill Adm'r, of Estate of George Mosley,  
dec'd.

Extract from the minutes.  
J. S. EVANS,  
Probate Judge.

Mar. 17, '74

## THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

CHOCTAW COUNTY.  
Probate Court, Regular term Jan. 17, '74.

E. Trice, dec'd.—Matters of substitution  
of Decree of Final Settlement of Estate.

IN this case it is made to appear to the  
Court by affidavit of W. L. Mitchell, Guar-  
dian of the following minor Heirs of said  
Dec'd., to-wit: W. B. Thompson, Martha  
Thompson, Emma Thompson, Charlie Low-  
ery and James McLendon. That S. J.  
Trice late administrator of said Estate,  
Trice late administrator of said Estate, is  
a non Resident and resides in  
Clark County Mississippi, and that Sarah  
H. Stroud one of the Heirs is a non resi-  
dent and resides in Clark County Missis-  
sippi.

It is therefore ordered by the Court, that  
publication be made in the Choctaw Herald  
a newspaper published in this County, for  
three successive weeks, notifying them, the  
said Heirs, that the said W. L. Mitchell  
Guardian as aforesaid, will move  
the Court on the 14th day of April 1874,  
for an order substituting the Decree on  
Final Settlement of said Estate, by said S.  
J. Trice Adm'r as aforesaid, for the sum  
of seventeen hundred and forty dollars.

Extract from the minutes.  
J. S. EVANS,  
Probate Judge.

March 5th.

## Register's Sale.

BY virtue of a Decree of Hon., the Chan-  
cery Court for the Second District of the  
Western Chancery Division of the State of  
Alabama, rendered at the November Term  
1869, of said Chancery Court, in favor of  
Edward McCalk, administrator of the estate  
of James H. Bonnor deceased, and against  
George W. Bonnor, I will sell the highest  
bidder for CHSL, in front of the Court  
House in the Town of Butler, on the  
First Monday in April next, the following  
described lands to-wit:

The northeast quarter of the northeast  
quarter of section sixteen, and the east half  
of the southeast quarter of section nine, and  
the southeast quarter of the southeast quar-  
ter of section ten, all in township eleven  
range four west, containing one hundred  
and sixty acres, lying and being in the  
County of Choctaw, and State of Alabama.

J. C. CHAPMAN,  
Register.

Jan. 21, '74

## DR. J. R. MILLS,

Resident Physician

AND  
SURGEON

BUTLER ALABAMA.

When not professionally engaged  
will be found at his residence in Butler.

## THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

CHOCTAW COUNTY.  
NOTICE is hereby given, that I have  
this day been appointed by the Honorable  
the Judge of the Probate Court of Choctaw  
county Administrator of the estate of the  
Insolvent Estate of Henry Bass, Dec'd.

W. B. BALLEW,  
Feb., 26 1874.

## TRESPASSERS TAKE NOTICE.

We have been very much troubled in the  
past, by parties trespassing upon our lands,  
throwing down our fences and leaving  
them down to our detriment and serious  
injury. To avoid which, in the future, we  
do hereby notify and warn all persons  
against trespassing upon our lands in the  
future, either by passing through or over  
the same, throwing down our fences, or to  
enter upon in any way or for any purpose,  
the following lands to-wit:

Section 17 township 12 range 1 west.  
Section 20 township 12 range 1 west.  
Section 41 township 12 range 1 west.  
Section 28 township 12 range 1 west.  
Section 27 township 12 range 1 west.  
Section 23 township 12 range 1 west.

All situated in the County of Choctaw  
and State of Alabama.  
Those who in defiance of this notice shall  
be found trespassing upon our lands will  
be prosecuted to the extent of the law.  
J. H. STIMPSON,  
J. H. STIMPSON.

February 25th 1874.

## Sheriff's Sale.

To satisfy a f a in my hands issued from  
the Circuit Court of Choctaw county, against  
T. W. Coleman, S. P., I will proceed to  
sell on the First Monday in April, 1874,  
at the Court House door of Choctaw county,  
the following described property as the prop-  
erty of Lafayette Shoemaker, to-wit:

Southwest quarter of southwest quarter  
section nineteen, township ten, range 3  
west, as the property of L. Shoemaker, to  
satisfy execution in favor of O. C. Ulmer,  
adm'r.

R. M. HEARIN,  
Sheriff.

March 5th 1874.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration were grant-  
ed to the undersigned by the Hon. Probate  
Court of Choctaw county Ala. on the  
Estate of Isaac H. Simmons, dec'd., on the  
20th day of January 1874.

All persons holding claims against said  
Estate are hereby notified to present them  
within the time prescribed by law or they  
will be barred.

W. H. SIMMONS,  
Administrator.

Feb. 13th 1874.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration were grant-  
ed to the undersigned by the Hon. Probate  
Court of Choctaw county Ala. on the Es-  
tate of N. M. Barbour, dec'd., on the 28th  
day of January 1874.

All persons holding claims against said  
Estate are hereby notified to present them  
within the time prescribed by law or they  
will be barred.

D. M. BARBER,  
Administrator.

Feb., 12th 1874.

## NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

Section 808 of the Revised Code, reads as  
follows: The Tax Collector must report to the  
Commissioners Court at the February term  
in each year on oath, a list of persons, out-  
of whom he has been empowered to make the  
Taxes which shall be taxed, "List of In-  
solvent," and also a list of such persons  
as have been over-charged by the Assessor,  
which shall be termed "List of Errors in  
assessment," and the court after examining  
such lists and correcting the errors if any,  
must give him credit for the amount. Of  
county taxes due thereon, the Probate  
Judge must certify the same to the com-  
ptroller, who must allow the Collector credit  
on his final settlement for the amount of  
taxes due thereon, &c.

By an order of the Commissioner's court  
the Collector has the time for him to re-  
port such corrections extended until the  
1st Monday in April 1874. Tax-payers  
will therefore understand that the correc-  
tions must be made by the Collector and so  
reported by him at the April Term of Com-  
missioners court 1874 By order of the  
Court.

J. S. EVANS,  
Probate Judge.

March 12, 1874.

## THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

CHOCTAW COUNTY  
Probate Court Regular Term, Feb. 10, '74.

Estate of Geo. F. Smith, dec'd., Final  
Settlement of S. H. Smith's adminis-  
tration of Insolvent Estate of.

Said Estate having this day been de-  
clared Insolvent. It is ordered, that S. H.  
Smith, the administrator of said estate, do  
file his accounts, vouchers and evidences,  
for a final settlement of his administration  
of said Insolvent estate.

It is ordered by the Court that the 13th  
day of April 1874 be set as a day to hear  
and pass upon the same, and that notice  
of the time and nature of said settlement  
and of the day set to hear and determine  
the same, be given by publication in the  
Choctaw Herald, a newspaper published in  
said county, for thirty consecutive days,  
before said day above appointed, and by  
posting notices on the Court House door,  
and by forwarding notices by mail, postage  
paid and properly addressed, to all the cred-  
itors of said estate, when their pos-offices  
is known.

Extract from the minutes.  
J. S. EVANS,  
Probate Judge.

March 12, 1874.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration were grant-  
ed to the undersigned by the Hon. Probate  
Court of Choctaw County Ala., on the es-  
tate of Elinor Riley, dec'd on the 16th day  
of January 1874.

All persons holding claims against said  
Estate are hereby notified to present them  
within the time prescribed by law or they  
will be barred.

C. A. SPANGENBERG,  
Administrator.

January, 22nd 1874.

## Sheriff's Sale.

To satisfy a f a in my hands issued from  
the Circuit Court of Choctaw county against  
D. M. Williamson and in favor of The Ala.  
Life Insurance &amp

# Choctaw Herald.

Thursday, March 19, 1874.

## To Whom it May Concern.

In order to protect myself and sustain our business, we are compelled to establish the following

### RULE:

Hereafter no Legal Advertisement will be inserted in the HERALD unless accompanied by the CASH; or by such guaranty of prompt payment, as will be satisfactory to us.

M. L. Yeatman.

We disavow, in adopting this rule, any personal thrust. We base it upon the broad principle that "the laborer is worthy of his hire," and to prove that we have not adopted this system too soon, we can only refer to our Books, which we think would satisfy any reasonable man. If persons who are interested in Estates are not willing to advance the amount due for publication, how can they ask us, who have no interest in the matter, to do their work on a credit? Without we can get that which we work for we can not carry on our business. We have reduced our rates to the lowest living prices.

## Two Dollars and Fifty Cents.

This is the price to which we have reduced the subscription rates of the HERALD for the year 1874. We have done this in order that it might be within the reach of every man and woman in the county. In reducing our rates we will be compelled to require the cash for all subscriptions. No name will be placed upon our subscription book until paid for. Persons finding their paper discontinued will know that their time has run out.

### For Probate Judge.

TO THE VOTERS OF CHOCTAW COUNTY. I am a candidate for the office of Probate Judge, Election 3d day of November next. I respectfully solicit your suffrages.

B. H. WARREN.

February 19, 1874.

### For County Treasurer.

The friends of JAMES BRASWELL announce his name as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer for this County Election next November.

MANY VOTERS.

### For Collector.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HURST, as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector for Choctaw County. Election next November.

We are authorized to announce the name of O. H. WATSON as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector for Choctaw County. Election next November.

### County Superintendent.

We are authorized to announce J. J. Altman as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Education for Choctaw County. Election in November.

There has not been a prisoner in the jail at this place since the 13th ult.

The next term of the Circuit Court for Choctaw County, will begin on the 27th day of April prox.

We understand that Judge Saffold will preside, he and Judge Smith having exchanged Circuits.

For cash you buy more goods for less money at Abney's than anywhere in town.

There are only three boats running the Bigbee river now.

We understand the Bigbee river is rising rapidly, and the probability is that bottom lands along its line will soon be completely inundated.

The place to get the worth of your money, is at the store of A. Abney.

Steam-hoistsmen predict that the Bigbee river will be higher in few days than it has been for years.

Our genial and passably good-looking friend, S.H. Sprott, Esq., of Livingston, paid a flying visit to our town last week. He reports all quiet in Sumter.

By reference to our columns it will be seen that our townsman, J. J. Altman, Esq., is a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Education for this county.

Mr. Altman is both honest and capable, and if elected will make an efficient officer.

Every body is trying to save. This you can do, by buying your goods of A. Abney.

The weather for several days past has been very unfavorable to the farming interest. Up to Tuesday night there had been an incessant fall of rain since Saturday. To day, however, the rain has ceased, and though the clouds have not disappeared, we have had an occasional glimpse at Sol. There is still but little prospect of fair weather.

Some of our farmers are becoming a little dependent in consequence of the frequent heavy rains that have recently fallen. A large proportion of farm labor already performed will be entirely lost; for corn that was planted before the late rainy season began, has either been washed away, or will fail to come up because of the ground baking over it.

Bald Eagle.—While out hunting, a short time since, Mr. A. O. Mills killed a bald eagle in the southern part of this county. Its figure is well known at that with which our National seal is emblazoned. It measured seven feet from tip of tip and thirty four inches in length. It is supposed to be the same one that has been seen at intervals in the neighborhood for the last thirteen years. At the time it was killed it was feasting upon the carcass of a small porker.

BUTLER IMPROVING.—Mr. C. A. Spangenberg has recently erected around his entire lot, a splendid enclosure, which greatly improves the appearance of that portion of town. He has also, during the past few months, built one of the handsomest store-houses in the county. "Spangenberg" is one of the most energetic citizens in town, and we would gladly welcome more of his sort among us.

NEW TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT.—From a new temperance organization that has recently sprung up in our midst, we infer that the influence of "Crusaders" movement has extended even to Butler. The ceremony is very brief. To become a member the candidate has only to make a "p" on the door of the Circuit Clerk's office, in the presence of one witness, accompanying the act with the declaration: "Henceforth I am done with the ardent." No initiation fee required.

The following dialogue took place on our streets one day last week between two individuals, M and C, both of whom are personally known to us:

C.—"M, I've got one of the darndest dogs you ever saw."

M.—"You have."

C.—"Yes, There's a one serious objection to him though. He's subject to drapsy."

M.—"What! Why, I never heard of a dog having the drapsy. How is he affected?"

C.—"Why every time I try to make him catch a hog, he just draps right down to the ground, and the d—! wouldn't make him move an inch. Ha! ha! ha! Can you tell me what will cure him, M?"

M.—"Yes, 'tapping' would cure him. I factually—provided you hit him hard enough and use the right kind of an instrument."

We call the attention of the Commissioners Court to the fact that our County jail is sadly out of repair. We are informed that it needs re-roofing.

The law makes it the duty of the jailor to see that prisoners in his custody are comfortably provided for; but he can not discharge his duty in this respect, while the jail is allowed to remain in its present condition. We hope this matter will receive immediate attention.

Among the maxims of a Quaker printer we find this advice: "Do not stand and gaze at the copy on a printer's case, lest he become offended at thy imprudence and knock thee down."—Montgomery Advertiser.

And that Quaker's head was level. It is excessively annoying to a compositor for an outsider to come around him endeavoring to read the copy on his case, and occasionally picking up the type and after asking a dozen senseless questions, dropping it in the wrong box. Such persons deserve a striking illustration of the fact that their presence is not desired.

## STAPLES' HUNTING LAMP.

Patented April 2d, 1872,

BY

JAMES T. STAPLES.

Bladon Springs, Ala.

Sportsmen desirous of success in hunting, should procure one of these lamps. They are convenient, and are not affected by wind or rain. Price, \$25.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USING:

1. Trim the lamp wick square, so that the blaze will be equal on both sides.
2. When the lamp is on the left shoulder, the reflector should be turned to the left side, and when on the right shoulder, turn the reflector to the right by means of the wire lever on the top of the handle on the left hand side.
3. The lamp should be held on the opposite shoulder from the one shot from.
4. In hunting, you should always look in the light for eyes, and not in the shadow, as when hunting with the fire-pan.

## Patrons of Hubandry.

### Directory for Choctaw County.

Choctaw County Council, meets in Butler on the 2nd Monday in March, June, September and December. Call Session, 2nd Monday in April.

Sec'y. A. J. GRAY, M.

Butler Grange, No. 129, meets in Butler First Thursday, in each month at ten o'clock a. m. B. H. WARREN, M.

Desotoville Grange, No. 127, meets in Desotoville on Sec'y. A. J. GRAY, M.

Pneumata Grange, 125, meets in Pneumata on Sec'y. W. S. HORM, M.

C. R. WATSON, Sec'y.

Piscus Grange, No. 129, meets at Bathel Church Sec'y. W. GREEN, M.

C. W. MOODY, Sec'y.

Bladon Springs Grange, No. 130, meets in Bladon Springs on Sec'y. G. H. McKEE, M.

W. D. MILLIS, Sec'y.

Mt. Sterling Grange, No. —, meets in Mt. Sterling on Sec'y. D. F. MARSHALL, M.

Tompkinsville Grange, No. —, meets in Tompkinsville on Sec'y. W. R. HORN, M.

Pelham Grange No. 260, meets in Pelham on First Saturday in each month. W. WALTON, Sec'y. P. E. WALTON, M.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails

#### NORTHERN.

Arrives Monday's and Thursday's at 6 o'clock p. m. Leaves Tuesday's and Friday's, 6 o'clock a. m.

#### WESTERN.

Leaves Monday's 7 o'clock a. m. Arrives Tuesday's 6 o'clock p. m.

#### SOUTHERN.

Leaves Thursday's at 6 o'clock a. m. Arrives Friday's at 6 o'clock p. m.

### COURT CALENDAR.

The Regular Terms of the Circuit Court for Choctaw County are as follows: Spring Term—Fourth Monday after the Third Monday in March.

Fall Term—Fourth Monday after the Third Monday in September.

The Regular Terms of the Probate, County, and Commissioners Courts for Choctaw County are held as follows: Probate Court 2d Monday in each month.

County Court—First Thursday after the 2d Monday in each month.

Commissioners Court 2d Monday in February and August, and 1st Monday in April and November.

### COUNTY OFFICERS.

Probate Judge—J. S. EVANS, Sec'y.—W. E. BEGGS, Solicitor.—R. B. SMITH, Clerk of Circuit Court.—O. CHAPMAN, Tax Assessor.—HENRY POWY, Tax Collector.—F. S. ULMER, Sheriff.—R. M. HEARN, Coroner.—H. STOKES.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

#### THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

CHOCTAW COUNTY.

Probate Court, in Vacation, Feby. 4th 1874. A. Ferrell Decd's, Petition of Martha Ferrell, for Dower.

THIS day comes Martha Ferrell widow of said deceased, and files in Court, in writing, her petition alleging among other things that deceased died intestate in this county, in the year 1871, that she is the widow of deceased and as such, entitled to a third part of his real and personal estate therein the same being lands of which her said deceased husband was signed in fee during her marriage with him, and in and to which she never relinquished her right to Dower, and it not being shown to the court that the proper notice has been given to those interested adversely to the said widow, in her said claim for Dower, of the time when said petition would be filed and ordered for the assignment of Dower prayed for and it appearing from an inspection of said petition that the following heirs of Estate of said deceased, are non residents, to-wit: Melissa Lett wife of Geo. W. Lett, Levicy Rackley, wife of B. P. Rackley and Jno B. Ferrell, who reside in the State of Mississippi.

It is therefore ordered, that the 9th day of March 1874, be set as a day to hear and determine the matter of said petition. It is further ordered that thirty days notice of the further order of said petition and the day set to hear and pass upon the same, be given to the said non resident heirs, by publication in the Choctaw "Herald" a newspaper published in this county, so they may appear and contest said application if they think proper.

J. S. EVANS, Probate Judge. 4-4w.

Feby. 13th 1874.

### Sheriff's Sale.

To satisfy two \$15s in my hands issued from the Circuit Court of Choctaw county, against J. P. Sims et al in favor of J. H. Clegg. I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door in Butler on the first Monday in March 1874, between the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, attached as the property of J. P. Sims, to-wit: Fraction B of section 25 township 13 range 6 west, 60 acres, and northwest quarter of southwest quarter section 26 township 13 range 6 west, 40 acres.

R. M. HEARN, Sheriff. 5d-3w.

January 5th 1874.

The above sale has been postponed until the First Monday in April next, January 5, '74. R. M. HEARN, Sheriff.

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March, 5, 1874.

## Tax Sale.

The following Lands will be sold on the First Monday in April 1874, for the taxes due thereon for 1873.

W 1/2 of ne qr sec four, town thirteen, range one west, tax and cost nine dollars and twenty nine cents. Paid in 1873 by L. Alston.

W 1/2 of se qr sec 3, town 15, range one west, tax and cost nine dollars and twenty nine cents. Paid in '73 by A. Crenshaw.

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Ne qr of sw qr sec II town nine range 3 w, tax and cost nine dol and twenty-nine cts. Paid in '73 by Mrs. Julia Dickson.

E 1/2 of se qr sec 3 town 15 range 3 w, and w 1/2 of se qr sec four, town fifteen range 3 west, tax and cost II dol and 8 cts. Paid in '73 by Bertheus Moore.

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Rattlesnakes.

The formation of rattles upon the tail of a rattlesnake is a curious phenomenon. The notion that one is developed each year is incorrect. Young ones have been known to have six or more; sometimes two of them appear in a single year. The skin of one that was six feet long, now in the museum of the U. S. Nat. Hist.

Brocklyn, has thirteen rattles. DeKay cited, in 1842, the Clinton newspaper, published at Boston, New York, which stated that two men killed, in three days, in the town of Bolton, at Lake George, one thousand one hundred and four rattlesnakes, some of which carried from fifteen to twenty rattles. They were evidently killed for their oil. The same author states, on the authority of the Columbia Magazine for November 1760, that a rattlesnake was killed having forty-four rattles, which seems an incredible number. The use of the rattles is a subject of discussion. They are evidently well developed—not rudimentary merely—and the conclusion is irresistible that they are of service to the creature. We cannot suppose the organs which are constant in a class of animals could have originated, if entirely unserviceable and useless to it. Professor Aughey suggests that a whirling rattle is a call note by the animal to its mate. That it was thus used on one occasion which he was eye witness to or to paralyze its victim with fright, or to call assistance in danger. He says: "I once witnessed an attack by seven hogs on a rattlesnake. Immediately the snake rattled, and three others appeared; but the hogs were victorious."

## An Invincible Hand.

How FIVE JACKS HAPPENED TO BEAT FOUR ACES—THE WAY THEY PLAY IT IN THE CREEK NATION.

[Fort Smith (Ark.) Herald.]

During the session of the United States District grand jury, a witness was called before them named Scipio Choteau, a half-breed Creek Indian and negro, bright sharp and intelligent. He was the last witness to be called before adjournment that day.

After examination, some one of the grand jury who knew him asked if he was the man who had four aces beaten.

He answered, "Yes, sah; I see de man."

"Will you have any objection to telling it?"

"I see afeard it will get me into trouble; but if de judge is willing," appealing to the foreman, "I will tell it."

The judge consented, then Scipio said: "Yo see I live on de cattle trail from Texas through de Creek country to Kansas, and I was out on de road one day, and I meets a gentlemen ahead of a big drove of cattle."

"He says, 'Old man, do you live in dis country?'"

"I say, 'Yes sah.'"

"He says, 'It's a mighty poor country, how do you make a living?'"

"I says, 'Sah, 'tis putty good country; we has plenty meat and bread, and I makes a good livin' a—'"

"He says, 'Old man, do you ever play kards?'"

"I says, 'Yes, sah; I does, sometimes.'"

"He says, 'Would you have any objection to play a little draw?'"

"I says, 'No, sah.'"

"So we gets off our horses along side de road, and sat down, and pulled out de kards. Well, in a short time I beat de gentleman out of sixty-two dollars and a half, and I thought I had him; so I puts up a hand on him—for I is, do I say it myself, a mighty smart hand at kards—and I know'd he would have tree jacks and I would hab tree aces, and in de draw I know'd he would get de oder jek and I would git de oder ace. So he raises a bid, an I raises on back, till at last I put up all de money I had winned from de last gemmen and all de change I had, and I know'd I had him. Well, in de draw de gent got de oder jek and I got de oder ace. De gent wanted to bat, but I claimed a sight for de money, and told him I had an invincible hand dat couldn't be beat."

"He says, 'Old man, dem is right good briches you is got on; how much did day cost?'"

"I says, 'Yes, sah; day cost me ten dollars.'"

"He says, 'I puts up ten dollars agin dem.'"

"I says, 'Berry well, sah; but I tell you I got a invincible hand.'"

"He puts up de money, and I holds up my legs and he pulls off de briches and lays dem down."

"Now, sah, I says 'I told you I had a invincible hand. I's got fo' aces.'"

"De gent says, 'Old man, did you over hear of five jacks beatin' fo' aces?'"

"I says, 'I's heard it, sah, but I's never seed it; and if you convicts me ob it, de money's yours.'"

"Berry well," he says, laying down one keerd: "ain't dat de jek ob clubs?"

"Yes, sah," I says, "dat am de jek ob clubs."

"He lays down another keerd; 'aint dat de jek ob spades?"

"Yes, sah, dat is de jek ob spades."

"He lays down another; 'aint dat de jek ob diamonds?"

"Yes, sah, dat is de jek ob diamonds."

"He puts down a oder, and says, 'aint dat de jek ob hearts?"

"I says, 'yer, sah, dat em de jek ob hearts.'"

"Den he runs his hand in his pocket, and pulls out a great long pistol and points it at me, and says, 'aint dat jek Paul?'"

"I says, 'Yes, sah.'"

"And he says, 'aint dat five jacks? and don't dat win de money?'"

"I says, 'yes, sah, dat is jek Paul, and dat is five jacks, and five jacks beats an invincible hand.'"

"So he puts de money in his pocket and, ties my briches on 'hind ob his saddle, and tells me to scatter—and I did."

"You see, it served me right; for I thought de man was a green Misourian when I put up de hand on him; but he was a Arkansaw chap, and I finds dem mighty sharp, judge."

The above is vouched by the foreman and several members of the grand jury as fact—every word of it.

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