THE APPEAL.

OUR FRAILTY.

From the Orangeburg Southron.]

Like the mist on the mountain at dawning of day,
Like the drops form the fountain, or dew from the spray,
Like the faint flush of crimson that mantles the East,
Or the rich golden yellow adorning the West
We're passing away.

Like the chaff which the winds in their wrath pursue,
Like the shadows of night, or the gossamer dew,
As the silvery cloud on the bosom of air
Melts away, and is lost in the sun's bright glare,
We're passing away.

Like the sweet summer flowers that beautify earth,
Like a burst of glad song from the gay halls of mirth,
Like the bright hours of sunshine to memory dear,
Like the tube of a harp-string broke soft to the ear,
We're passing away.

As the glittering frost of a winter's night,
Or the snow-flake melts in the sun's bright light,
As the leaves of the forest when Autumn has come,
Or the last golden garlet when day is done,
We're passing away.

NELLY.

THE OVERLAND MAIL ROUTE

REPORT TO THE POSTMASTER GENERAL BY MR. BAILEY, SPECIAL AGENT OF THE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, October 16, 1858.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith, in conformity to the instructions issued from your department on the 28th of June last, the result of my observations while passing over the mail routes between New York and San Francisco, via Aspinwall and Panama, and between San Francisco and the Mississippi river, via Fort Yuma and Franklin, (El Paso.)

I left New York on the 6th of July, in the *Moses Taylor*, and arrived at Aspinwall on the morning of the 14th. I crossed the Isthmus the same day, and left Panama on the 15th in the *Sonora*. We touched at Acapulco on the 21st, and again at Manzanilla, and arrived at San Francisco on the morning of the 29th, making the trip in about 23 days.

I returned by the overland route, taking passage in the first stage sent across from the Pacific to the Mississippi, via Fort Yuma and Franklin, under the Butterfield contract.

I have no suggestions to offer in regard to the mail service on the first of these routes. It is performed with great regularity, and, so far as my observation extended, the arrangements for the safe-keeping of the mails are all that could be desired.

The establishment of a regular and permanent line of communication, overland, between the Atlantic States and California, being a matter of general interest, some desire may naturally be left to know how far the enterprise recently inaugurated under the auspices of your department has succeeded. I am induced, therefore, to depart, since somewhat in detail, the notes I took while accompanying the first mail from the Pacific under the contract with the Overland Mail Company.

The stage, with the mails, started from the Plaza, at San Francisco, at precisely ten minutes past midnight, on the 14th ultimo, and arrived at Tipton, the present termination of the Pacific railroad, at five minutes past 9 o'clock, on the morning of the 9th inst. The distance, mails were transported by the Pacific railroad to St. Louis, where they arrived the same day at forty-five minutes past 8 o'clock, P. M. The entire distance between these two termini of the route was thus accomplished in twenty-four days twenty-hours and thirty-five minutes, apparent time. From this there should be deducted two hours and nine minutes for the difference of time between San Francisco and St. Louis, leaving twenty-four days eighteen hours and twenty-six minutes as the time actually consumed on the trip.

The service then has been performed within the contract time, and as this pioneer trip was attended with many difficulties and embarrassments, which each successive trip will gradually remove, there is no reason to apprehend that a longer period will be required in future. On the contrary, I feel safe in expressing the opinion that a continued exertion of the same energy and perseverance which have thus far characterized the operations of the Overland Mail Company, will enable the contractors to reduce the time to twenty days.

Herewith is enclosed a memorandum (marked A) of the stations on the route, showing the distance between them, and the time made on each division. This was compiled with great care, chiefly from data obtained on the road, and, although it doubtless contains some errors, may be regarded as approximatively correct.

It will be seen that the aggregate of these distances greatly exceeds that specified in the contract with the Overland Mail Company owing to the fact that the route has the flexible necessity of keeping within reach of water, and beyond the usual range of hostile tribes of Indians, has compelled the company to follow on the first, second, fourth and fifth divisions, a route varying materially from that contemplated in the contract.

The first of these divergencies occurs in California. Crossing the Sierra, not the Tejon Pass, but through the Canada de las Uvas, twenty-five miles to the east, the road re-enters the edge of the desert, crosses the San Bernardino range through the San Francisquito Canon, and thence runs by the San Fernando Pass to Los Angeles. Thence the road runs southeast, crossing the Colorado at Carrizo Creek with the old San Diego trail, which it follows to Fort Yuma. The route specified in the contract runs by San Bernardino, and is shorter by about eighty miles, but, as the road has since been made to find water at points it have proved unsuccessful, the present route was necessarily adopted. It was reported at Los Angeles on the 18th ult., that an exploring expedition, which had been fitted out by the citizens of Bernardino, had succeeded in finding a good road, with an adequate supply of water, on the east side of San Jacinto range. Whether this proves to be true or not, I would respectfully suggest that a small amount of money might be judiciously expended in making a line of water stations from Vallecito to the Colorado. Apart from the obvious advantage of shortening the mail route over the Colorado desert, there are other considerations to justify an expenditure for this purpose. This is the route by which southern emigration seeks the Pacific, and the abandoned wagons, the carcasses and the whitening bones by the road-side, too painfully attest the suffering heretofore entailed upon the emigrants by the scarcity of water.

The most material variance from the contract route occurs in Texas. An inspection of the accompanying map of the route, (marked B,) will show that a saving of nearly one hundred miles might be made by running directly from Pope's camp, on the Pecos, to Fort Belknap, along the route followed by Lieut. Garrard and Capt. Pope, in 1854. It is alleged, however, by the company, and with reason, that unless government should interpose for their protection by establishing a line of military posts along the northern frontier of Texas, it would be impossible for them to maintain the necessary stations.

From Fort Belknap the road follows Capt. Marcy's trail, portions of which the company have greatly improved at their own cost, and passing through Gainesville and Sherman, crosses Red river at Colbert's Ferry. From Colbert's Ferry there is a direct road to Fort Smith, which would seem to be the natural terminus of the route on the East.

At this point the route branches, as you are aware, the mails being forwarded simultaneously to St. Louis and Memphis. It had been my intention to return by the Memphis branch, as being the shortest and most direct route, but I abandoned the idea on learning at Fort Smith that I should probably be subjected to some delay.

It is to be regretted that the contractors on this route have exhibited so little energy in meeting the comparatively trifling difficulties they have had to encounter. It is impossible that any road could be worse than that from Fort Smith to Springfield, Missouri, and a glance at the map will show that, so far as distance is concerned, theirs has greatly the advantage of the SE. Branch route, yet they have been behind time on all their trips from Memphis to Fort Smith. So, at least, I was informed while at the latter place.

In conclusion, I have to report, that, with the exception mentioned above, the company have faithfully complied with all the conditions of the contract. The road is stocked with substantially built Concord spring wagons, capable of carrying conveniently four passengers, with their baggage, and from five to six hundred pounds of mail matter. Permanent stations have been, or are being, established at all the places mentioned in the memorandum before referred to; and where, in consequence of the scarcity of water, these are placed far apart, relays of fresh stock are kept, and will be forward with the stage to insure its prompt arrival. The various difficulties of the route—the scant supply of water—the long sand deserts—the inconvenience of keeping up stations at points so remote from those points from which their supplies are furnished—all these, and the many minor obstacles, naturally presented to the successful management of so long a line of stage communication, have been met and overcome by the energy, the enterprise, and the determination of the contractors. Thus far the experiment has proved successful. Whether this success is to be permanent, whether this great artery between the Atlantic and Pacific States is to pulsate regularly and uninterruptedly, does not, however, depend entirely upon the Overland Mail Company. They have conquered the natural difficulties of the route, but they have yet to encounter an enemy with whom they cannot successfully cope unaided. I refer, of course, to the tribes of hostile Indians through whose territory they necessarily pass. Their stations in Arizona are at the mercy of the Apache, and the Comanche may, at his pleasure, bar their passage through Texas.

The deep interest you have always manifested in this great enterprise renders it unnecessary for me to argue the importance of taking proper measures to guarantee its permanent success. What these measures should be it is not my province to suggest. My duty is ended with laying the facts before you, and adding my testimony to that already in your possession as to the necessity which exists for a prompt and official intervention on the part of government for the protection of the route.

With great respect, your obedient servant,

G. BAILEY, *Special Agent.*

Hon. A. V. BROWN,
P. M. General, Washington, D. C.

☞ The N. Y. Post tells an amusing story of a clergyman who saw Bourcicault's play of Jessie Brown in New York, and used the plot as an illustration in a sermon, which he subsequently preached to his congregation in Connecticut. He told the tale graphically. He gave a most pathetic narrative of the successive reverses which reduced the little garrison to the last extremity—the anxiety of the defending women for the safety of the men, and faith and patience of the women. He told how the last crust was divided, and how hope and courage yielded to exhaustion and despair. But as he came to speak of the instrument of that merciless heroine, who translated the earliest echoes of the pibroch and slogan of the Highland regiments into messages of life and protection, his tremendous accents rose to defiance as he fell to tell the story of the fatered fortn, "I shall not venture to describe the emotion of that hour—that agonized delight and glad revulsion of feeling which thrilled the hearts of those tender women and helpless babes as they beheld her eagerly listening for the advancing column, and heard at least her frantic and exculting cry, 'Dinna ye hear it noo? Dinna ye hear it noo? *the sloghrach! the sloghrach!!*' and relapsed into the pulpit, overcome by his emotions. The overwrought attention of the hearers, which, up to this point, had kept pace with the eloquence of the preacher, gave way to the hilarious enjoyment of his blunder, and instead of beholding them dissolved in sympathetic tears, the doctor was confounded to observe the irreverent laughter spreading through the house; and it was only upon inquiry of the deacons, after meeting was out, that he learned he had so ridiculously blended up the pibroch and slogan, and he then relished the fun as much as anybody else. However, he determined to set matters right in the afternoon, and convince the people his error was "merely clerical." He did so, in the following words: "I did not understand, my friends, why you laughed at my version of Jessie Brown's terrible experiences, till Deacon —— informed me. I said that when the Scottish maiden heard the Highland regiments marching to the relief of that beleagured city, she characterized their wild music as that of the sloghrach! the sloghrach! This was manifestly incorrect. I should have said the pigeon! the pigeon!!"

FALL 1858.....FALL 1858.

THE LATEST.

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Fashionable Clothing!

HAS just returned from the East with the largest and best assorted Stock of

CLOTHING of all grades, shades and prices;
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And a general assortment of all Goods appertaining to his line, to which he calls the attention of every purchaser, more especially,

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As his facilities cannot be surpassed by any House in the city, and his Wholesale Prices will convince. Remember the place,

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62 Front Row, corner of Jefferson street,
under the Commercial Hotel

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WATSON & BEARD,

NO 313 Main street, have just received an extensive assortment of MEDICAL BOOKS, which they are now selling at a reduced price, a number of new and interesting publications, Religious, Literary and Scientific.

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J. FELLOWES,

TAILOR,

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Clerk's Sale of Real Estate.

BY virtue of a decree rendered at the July Term, 1858, of the Chancery Court of Memphis, Law and Chancery Court of Memphis, in the case of Silas Lawrence, Trustee, vs. Lawrence and others, Lawrence, by their next friend, J. A. Brown, executor, petition, I will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, for Cash on

Thursday, 28th of October next,

at 10 o'clock, A. M., in front of the court-house, all the right, title and interest, that the petitioners or Wm. Vance, Jr., have to a certain lot of Land, known as lot No. Seven (7) in the division of the estate of the late Wm. Lawrence, deceased, taken by M. A. Kerr, Surveyor. It being situated some two miles from Memphis, on the road to Memphis and Germantown, and on the Plankroad. Said lot contains three and eighty-eight one hundredth acres.

For further particulars, reference can be had to that on file in my office.

MARCUS J. WRIGHT, C. & M.
sept25-4w By A. J. WHEELER, D. C. & M.

Petition for Divorce.

Hat 'ell Christie, vs. In the Law Side of the Common
Verdis Law and Chancery Court of
Dg. ne Christie, the city of Memphis.

It appearing to the undersigned, Clerk and Master in Chancery, from the Complainant's petition, that the defendant, Dorcas Christie, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that publication be made for four successive weeks in the MEMPHIS APPEAL, a newspaper published in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, commanding him to appear before the Judge of said court, at the court house in Memphis, on the FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER NEXT, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of said Complainant, or it will be taken for confessed and set for hearing *ex-parte* as to him.

Attest, MARCUS J. WRIGHT, Clerk.

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Petition for Divorce

William Stevenson, vs. Common Law and Chancery
Nancy M. Stevenson. Court of Memphis. (Law Side.)

IN this cause it appearing to the Clerk and Master in Chancery, by the petition of William Stevenson, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee: it is therefore ordered by the said Clerk and Master, that publication be made four successive weeks in the MEMPHIS DAILY APPEAL, a newspaper published in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, commanding the defendant to appear at the November Term, commencing on the first Monday in November next, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and set for hearing *ex-parte*.

MARCUS J. WRIGHT, C. & M.
By A. J. WHEELER, D. C. & M.

COTT & DIXON, Solicitor for Plaintiff. sept25-4w

LAND FOR SALE.

PERSONS desirous of purchasing good homes within two and half miles of Court Square, would do well to call on H. Vollintine, at the Commercial Hotel. He will sell 140 or 160 acres in lots to suit purchasers—not less than 20 acres.

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WM. T. JONES,

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I have now on hand, a full and complete assortment of GOODS in our line, and will be receiving weekly, fresh additions to our stock, all of which I will sell

CHEAP FOR CASH,

as the same quality of Goods can be purchased either in Memphis or St. Louis. We would specially invite COUNTRY MERCHANTS and dealers to an examination of our stock, as we are prepared to put up their orders at the shortest notice.

All Goods manufactured in the House, warranted.

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Just Received.

200 50 bags W. S. Butter;
100 baskets Piper Heidsieck Champagne, quart pints
50 tubs Old Bourbon Whiskey;
70 grass Garrett's Snuff, Rottles and Papers;
Also, Sugar, Molasses, Coffee, Tea, Tobacco, Cigars, Bacon, Lard, Lemons, Brandies, Wines, &c., &c.

For sale by J. P. FRANK,
oct9 No. 35 Front Row.

Estrays---Shelby County

TAKEN up by Fletcher Taylor on the 28th day of September, 1858, a light bay MULE, with a black streak down its back and small in its ears. Scar on the left foreleg; about 3 years old; 14½ hands high; appraised at $100. Said Taylor resides in the Shelby Civil District, 7½ miles northwest of Raleigh.

Taken up by W. M. Stewart on the 18th day of September, 1858, a bay HORSE about 10 years old, 14½ hands high, with a star in the forehead, branded on the right ear; left hind foot white with an enlargement on the right hind foot; valued at $35. Said Stewart resides in the Shelby Civil District, 3 miles Southeast Memphis and Char-ston Railroad.

Taken up by Allen Godwyn, on the 24 day of October, 1858, a bay horse STEER, about 3 years old, 13 hands high and valued at $60. Also, a sorrel COLT with an ear in the face and right hind foot white, about a year old last spring—valued at $35. Said Godwyn resides in the Eleventh Civil District, two miles West of Germantown.

A. S. THOMAS,
Raleigh Shelby County.

$50 Reward.

RANAWAY on or about the 15th of July DAVID, a stout well-made negro, of dark brown color; will weigh near 160 pounds; about 5 feet 10 inches high; some of his front teeth out. I will give the above reward if delivered to me in Memphis, or lodged in any jail so that I get him in the State. He is a waiter by trade.

M. N. BALDWIN.

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STRAYED OR STOLEN

FROM the Cane Ground at Oakland on the night of the 20th inst., a dark bay HORSE MULE, about 6 years old, with a round mane notched, tail trimmed close, with the letter T branded on the left shoulder. A liberal reward will be paid for the delivery of the mule or thief.

G. W. HOOD.

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Jailor's Notice.

A NEGRO man calling his name SIMWOOD WILLIAM, says he belongs to Jno. Simwood in the Memphis City Jail as a runaway slave. He says he lives in Lexington, Ky.; that his master is a hack driver by trade; is about 21 years of age; will weigh near 170 pounds; of mulatto color; about 6 feet 2 or 3 inches high. Interested will pay charges and take him away.

G. A. MALLORY, Jailor.

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S. F. ALFORD,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Napoleon, Arkansas, will attend to business in the counties of Jefferson and adjoining counties, in the Supreme Courts at Little Rock, and in Bolivar county, Miss.

REFERS TO MESSRS. Lowden & Lyons; Col. S. S. Bowers; Chalmers, Mississippi; Hon. Thos. Hickman, Pres. Bank of Mississippi; Hon. Daniel Mayes, Mayes, Tyler & Banks, Greenville; Francis Cockrill, Jackson, Miss.; W. W. Allen, Mayes, Tyler & Chapin, Vicksburg, Miss.; Hon. R. B. Yerger, Judge of the Third Judicial District of Mississippi; Gen. A. H. Bradford, Bolivar, Miss.; Messrs. Wm. Wilson & Fleming, Mission, S. C. Ark.; S. Richs & Co., New Orleans, La.; Hon. Henry A. Ford, E. M. Avery, Esq., Memphis, Tenn.

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Real Estate.

HERNANDO HOTEL

FOR SALE.

THE above valuable property, the largest and best arranged house in Hotel property in Hernando, together with a large and commodious Stable and Granary adapted to it, will be offered for sale on the 1ST MONDAY of November next at the Court House door in Hernando, to the highest bidder. The above is sold for a division, and may be bought privately before the day of sale. Terms as usual. Apply to J. C. LOSHER, Horn Lake,
or T. W. WHITE, Hernando.

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COURT STREET

HOUSE AND LOT

FOR SALE.

THE HOUSE AND LOT on Court Street, immediately opposite Sommer's new buildings, at present occupied by Dr. H. J. Holmes, Sr., is offered for sale.

Size of lot 40 by 160 feet front by 160 feet back to the alley. The house has 12 rooms and is in good repair.

Apply to S. H. Parkin, Esq., LaGrange, Tenn., or to Messrs. Parham, Pickett & Ward, Rusty & Hunt's Building.

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Mississippi Bottom

Land on Island Forty,

For Sale.

ON THE THIRD DAY OF NOVEMBER, in front of the Chancery Clerk's Office, between the hours of 11 and 4 o'clock, I will sell at public auction, to bigest bidder, for Cash and Barlon, a valuable tract of land, containing 600 acres, being a part of Island 40, lying about three hundred and eighty-eight miles above Memphis, containing 600 six hundred acres, more or less.

A good WOOD-YARD on the river bank, and a house with a large amount of Ash, Cotton Wood and other timber.

Titles believed to be good, but only such title as is in me vested as Trustee, will be made. For terms apply to

sept2-dawtd Trustee for Preston and Martha.

Valuable Plantation

For Sale.

I OFFER for sale my Plantation, lying one mile south of Senatobia Depot, in the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, containing Four Hundred Acres, two hundred and fifty under cultivation, well with a good log dwelling house, gin-house, negro cabins, and all necessary out buildings. I will sell the place low. Any one wishing to purchase, can learn the price and terms by coming down or writing to me at Senatobia, Mississippi.

[sept26-dawtm] S. L. WALKER

Land for Sale.

I HAVE for sale two tracts of Land, a section of one-half mile from Canton on White river, adjoining a plantation I have just sold to Jas. Upshaw, of Memphis—no improvements but some cleared Land, and among first shore overflow. The other, two miles from Aberdeen on the stage road to Little Rock has 160 acres of land in cultivation, 100 in all. Its improvements are good, with a dwelling, negro cabins, &c. Jas. K. Upshaw, of Memphis, or A. J. Turner, near Canton, will give any information desired.

H. H. WELLBORN.

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White River Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale the following tracts of Land, lying near White River, in Arkansas: One tract within two miles of Duckett's Bluff, containing 320 acres, 80 acres cleared, 35 acres improved and one cabins. Tr-ts land is rich, level close to navigation, above overflow, is in good neighborhood and convenient to perpetual stock range.

One tract four miles from Cane county, containing 640 acres, 100 improved, good cabins and good hewn house. This is a delightful upland farm, remarkably healthy location, free range, good neighborhood and close to constant navigation. Mr. Price, living on the premises, will show it to persons who wish to examine it.

Also one tract in St. Francis county, twelve miles east of Fort Ark., containing 400 acres, over 160 improved, with good cabins, &c. It is sufficient to say of this place that it is one of the best in the State. Its contiguous to one of the principal roads in the State and is favorably situated for a public stand. There is a female academy going up within half a mile of the house. There is also a fine church convenient. Mr. Davidson, on the place, or Col. Bagby will show the land. Col. Bagby is authorized to sell. Persons wishing further information will address me at Waterford, Miss.

F. H. MOORING.

P. S.—If you want bargains apply soon. I am determined to sell.

[sept7-dawtm] F. H. M.

Cheap Plantation for Sale.

I OFFER my plantation for sale, lying three miles northwest of LaGrange, Tenn., containing Eight Hundred and Ninety Acres, about 300 of this place was formerly owned by Capt. Thos. J. Polk, and at present is rented by Mr. N. H. Cotland. It is now in a high state of cultivation, and well adapted to the profitable cultivation of cotton and all kind of grain usually grown, and could easily be converted into one of the most valuable stock farms in the west, being divided into four large fields. The improvements are comfortable the dwelling is one story of log, and has five rooms, a necessary outdoor (comfortable) for twenty or thirty negroes, corn cribs, stables, and all other necessary buildings; a good well of water, and one of the best springs in this part of the country. This is one of the most commanding and beautiful sites to build a fine house in the country, being high and elevated and surrounded by a beautiful grove. The purchaser will be convenient to both the male and female colleges in LaGrange, and can avail himself of the advantage of educating his children as well as having the pleasure of their company at home. I have moreover that I can offer to sell which is the only one in Fayette county. Any one wishing a bargain in land can not do better in West Tennessee. Call and examine the land as I am determined to sell. I can be found at my residence three miles north of LaGrange, and will take pleasure in showing it to any one wishing to purchase.

C. M. SWIPT.

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Land for Sale.

320 ACRES OF LAND, eleven miles from Memphis, lying on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, one mile north of Arlington Depot. 100 acres cleared and in a high state of cultivation; 220 acres timber land entirely above overflow and very heavily timbered. The improvements consist of two settlements of double Log Houses, with negro cabins &c., and one of the best springs in the country. A house and lot in Memphis, fronting two hundred yards of railroad, with a track laid to the mill. This tract of land is well adapted for a stock farm, being a never failing stream running through it. Any one desiring to purchase a small farm, will do well to call soon on

J. W. SHAW & CO.,
or J. S. STANTON
Memphis, Tenn.

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SALE OF

LAND AND NEGROES,

IN SOUTH ARKANSAS.

BY virtue of authority given in a deed of trust executed by G. M. Watson, on the day of 1856, and recorded in Columbia county, Arkansas, I offer for sale about

2 500 Acres of Land,

Lying in Columbia county, on the waters of the Smackover Creek, about thirty miles from Camden. One half of this land contains some two thousand acres—three or four hundred of which are cleared. There is on it some five hundred acres, ha, perhaps, a hundred opened. On the latter is a Water-gin, and other buildings for the accommodation of a large plantation. The machinery and negroes living upon the larger tract, have heretofore cultivated both together. There are

Forty-Five or Fifty Slaves,

About twenty of them boy hands. None are very old. They have been well treated, are more likely than common, and are increasing rapidly.

I will also sell the Crops (except Cotton) made this year, the Stock, Plantation Tools and all other personal property on the Estate.

I would prefer selling Land and Negroes to one purchaser; and if arrangements satisfactory to me are made, such a purchaser can get a long credit on portions of the money. But having determined to sell, I offer the Negroes—in families—for cash; and the Land and Crops, cash, the balance to be equally divided on a credit of two and three years, bearing eight per cent. interest—the interest on the deferred payments to be paid annually.

A portion of the land and slaves are under mortgage to secure a debt of about eight thousand dollars to I. W. Moon, of New Orleans.

J. H. Apperson is manager upon the place, and to him and to C. L. Baker, of Camden, I refer for information. I refer persons, he wish to examine the property. I expect to be on the place, or in that neighborhood, by the middle of December next.

My post office is "Trevillian's Depot, Louisiana." When in Arkansas, my post office will be "Lisbon, Columbia county, Ark."

THOS. S. WATSON,
Trustee.

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FINE PROPERTY

FOR SALE.

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In Chancery at Memphis.

STATE OF TENNESSEE—At Rules held in the Clerk's office, Chancery side of the Common Law and Chancery Court of the City of Memphis, on Monday, October 4th, 1858.

George W. Winchester, guardian of Helen M. Winchester, Complainant.

vs.

James W. Breedlove, Sr., Pierce A. Hardy, Ophelia Hardy, Ursula Smith and others, Defendants.

It appearing from affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, James W. Breedlove, Sr., Pierce A. Hardy, Ophelia Hardy, Ursula Smith, Napoleon Breedlove, James W. Breedlove, Jr., Mary Breedlove, Andrew J. Breedlove, Jesse Breedlove, Martin Breedlove, H. W. Hills and wife Susan W. Hills, Lucillius J. Winchester, Amanda Simpson, Henry Hood and wife Laura C. Hood, and John C. Shelby, are non-resid