

Help Your Brothers. The race of mankind would perish did they cease to aid each other.

Old Virginia. The Richmond Whig says that the following letter, written in London on Aug. 21, 1762, to a colonist of Virginia, is still in existence there:

Curing Hay. The Paris correspondent of the American Farmer says an analysis made in Belgium of two samples of hay, derived from the same field, mown at the same time, but saved differently, one left thirteen days exposed to wind and weather and the other housed in three days showed nine per cent. difference in the soluble elements of what was originally the same grass.

Value of "Charms." Perhaps the ensuing anecdote may teach some people the folly of superstition; A negro killed a white man, in Texas. The negro was very much alarmed, knowing that should he be caught he would be hanged to the nearest tree convenient for the purpose, there being no hope for a fair trial in that section.

To Corn Beef. The Country Gentleman says: Pack the beef, cut into pieces weighing not over six or eight pounds, into a cask, using 2 pounds of salt to 100 pounds of beef.

Winters & Nelson. In obedience to a decree rendered at the September term, 1874, of the Chancery Court at Washington, Tennessee, in the above stated cause, I will sell at the Court-house door, in Washington, Tennessee, on the 26th day of December next, the following described tracts of land to-wit: One tract of 5000 acres, granted to Addison Locke, by grant No. 30245.

To My Patrons, One and All. The first of January will soon be here, and I now take this method of informing you that I shall immediately after that time, adopt whatever course may be necessary, to collect what is due me.

WILLIAMS & CO. CANTRELL'S X ROADS, WISH TO BUY all the seed Cotton in this section of country, for which highest market price will be paid.

THAT SAME OLD COON. WILLIAMS & CO. WANT TO BUY all the Coon, Opossum, Fox, Mink, Otter, and other merchantable Furs, for which the highest market price will be paid.

THE ATLANTA HERALD prints a letter from Gen. Bragg, now railroading in Texas, to a gentleman of that city, advising Georgians to stay at home.

An infant found in the doorway of a New York church, recently, was taken into the building, baptised, and adopted by the congregation.

The State Teacher's Association meets in Nashville on the 20th and 21st instants.

Chancery Sales. S. J. Knox, et al vs. Amanda J. Hall, et al. IN pursuance of a decree of the Chancery Court at Athens, Tennessee, pronounced at its November term, 1874, in the above stated cause, I will sell to the highest bidder, by public outcry, at the Court-house door, in Athens, Tennessee, on Saturday, 24 day of January, 1875, a certain tract or parcel of land, containing 120 acres, more or less, situate in the 11th civil district, McMinn county, Tennessee, Hiwassee District, &c., and being the lands Jackson Smith, dec'd, willed to the heirs of Emily E. Lowry.

Chancery Court, Athens, Tenn. B. F. Lillard, guard'n, vs. G. D. Buckner, et al [Original Bill.] IT appearing from complaints Bill, which is sworn to, that James Buckner, J. A. Owens and wife, Bettie Owens, are citizens of the State of Texas: It is therefore ordered that publication be made for four consecutive weeks in the Athens Post, requiring the above mentioned non-resident defendants to appear before the Chancery Court at our next Chancery Court to be held at the Court-house in Athens, for McMinn county, Tennessee, on the 4th Monday of May, 1875, then and there to plead, answer or demur to complaints said Bill, or the same will be taken as confessed and set for hearing ex parte as to them.

CHANCERY SALE OF LAND. Euclid Waterhouse vs. Nathan Whittenburg and Burton Leuty. IN obedience to a decree rendered at the September term, 1874, of the Chancery Court, at Washington, Tennessee, in the above stated cause, I will sell at the highest bidder, at the Court-house door, in Washington, on the 26th day of December next, the following described tract of land to-wit: One tract of land on which Nathan Whittenburg now resides, and said tract contains about 100 acres, lying on the waters of Wolf Creek, in Rhea county, Tennessee, on the east side of the road leading from Washington to Sulphur Springs, and bounded by the lands of George Smart, the lands of the Smart estate and others.

CHANCERY SALE OF LAND. S. L. Fondron vs. Jesse P. Thompson et al. W. G. Allen vs. S. L. Fondron, et al. IN obedience to a decree rendered at the September term, 1874, of the Chancery Court at Washington, Tennessee, in the above stated cause, I will, on the 26th day of December next, at the Court-house door, in the town of Washington, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, two lots, to-wit: Lots No. 95 and 96, in the plan of said town of Washington, Rhea county, Tennessee.

CHANCERY SALE OF LAND. W. N. Ault and others, vs. James H. Locke and others. IN obedience to a decree rendered at the September term, 1874, of the Chancery Court, at Washington, Tennessee, in the above stated cause, I will sell at the Court-house door, in Washington, Tennessee, on the 26th day of December next, the following described tracts of land to-wit: One tract of 5000 acres, granted to Addison Locke, by grant No. 30245. Also, a second tract of 5000 acres, granted to said Addison Locke, by grant No. 30244—both of said tracts lying on Walden's Ridge, in Rhea county, Tennessee.

CHANCERY SALE OF LAND. Young Colville vs. John Peterson and others. IN obedience to a decree rendered in the above stated cause, at the September term, 1874, of the Chancery Court, at Washington, Tennessee, on the 26th day of December next, Lot No. 66, in the plan of said town of Washington, Rhea county, Tennessee.

WINTERS & NELSON. Young Colville vs. John Peterson and others. IN obedience to a decree rendered in the above stated cause, at the September term, 1874, of the Chancery Court, at Washington, Tennessee, on the 26th day of December next, Lot No. 66, in the plan of said town of Washington, Rhea county, Tennessee.

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BALMORALS; a splendid assortment of Men's and Boys' Wool and Cassimer and Brush HATS, Ladies, Misses and Children's VELVET HATS,

a large stock of Pocket and Table Cutlery, Shears, Locks, Hinges, Apple Parers, Shovels, Horse Shoes, Nails, and a complete assortment of STAPLE HARDWARE. The whole embracing the best and most complete stock of General Merchandise ever offered in the Southern country.

Direct from the Manufacturers, in large quantities, enables us to compete successfully with the very largest houses in the United States. COWAN, McCLELL & CO. Knoxville, Sept. 11, 1874-225

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SATPLE DRY GOODS LINE, as we have a complete stock of ALPACAS, DEAINES, SHAWLS, FLANNELS, DOMESTICS, PRINTS, JEANS, SATINETS, CASSIMERS, Also, a full stock of Boots & Shoes, HATS, Queensware, GROCERIES, ETC., ETC.

HENDERSON & DEMENT. Agents for Russell's Celebrated Family Flour. Oct. 31, 1873-ly-233

JNO. E. GIBSON, DEALER IN PURE MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PERFUMERIES, DRUGS, PAINTS OILS AND PURE WINES & LIQUORS FOR MEDICINAL USE. Athens, Feb. 20, 1874-15-225

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CHEAP FOR CASH, or exchange for almost any kind of Produce the farmer has to sell. Their motto is LIVE AND LET LIVE. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere

Athens, Oct. 31, 1874-4f-300

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Fisk's Metallic Burial Cases FOR SALE BY BAKER & RIDER, ATHENS, TENNESSEE. Also, WOOD COFFINS of all kinds. Athens, April 19, 1873-3m-229

JOHN T. READ, PROPRIETOR OF THE READ HOUSE, FRONTING PASSENGER DEPOT, Chattanooga, - - Tennessee. W. G. GANT, Clerks, W. N. LEWIS Jan. 10, 1874-1f-230

THOS. J. EVANS, DENTIST, OFFERS HIS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES to the citizens of Calhoun and Charleston. [April 10, 1874-ly-202

MISS BRIDGES' SCHOOL. ATHENS, TENNESSEE. THE NEXT SESSION WILL COMMENCE on Monday, August 31, 1874. Miss B. teaches all the English Branches. Pupils desiring to have instruction in Music at the usual rates.

Prices of Tuition: Preparatory Class, \$10.00 Advanced 12.50 Music on Piano and Guitar 20.00 Contingent Fee 1.00 Latin and French will be taught when desired. No deduction made for loss time, except in cases of protracted sickness. Good boarding can be had in the family of the teacher, where the pupils will receive all the attention and care necessary to their comfort and well conduct.

TAILORING. L. E. FERNANDEZ PERFECTLY INFORMS THE CITIZENS of Athens and vicinity, that he has opened a Tailor's Shop on the west side of the Public Square, adjoining Charley Gibson's Provision and Grocery Store, and is prepared To Cut and Make Garments, on short notice. His long experience in the business justifies him in saying that all work will be guaranteed to give satisfaction. Athens, Nov. 6, 1874-4f-362

WILLIAMS & CO. KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND A large lot of Coffins—all qualities, styles and prices—made to order when desired. Also, all kinds of burial material. Cantrell's X Roads, June 26, 74-4f-313

SCIENTIFIC & CLASSICAL INSTITUTE Sulphur Springs, Rhea Co., Tenn. THE CURRENT SESSION OF THIS INSTITUTE opened August 24th, 1874, to continue forty weeks, under the care of the undersigned. The session is divided into a short and a long term of eighteen and twenty-two weeks respectively, at the following Rates of Tuition:

Short Term. First Class \$ 8.25 Second Class 7.00 Third Class 5.75 Fourth Class 4.50 Incidental Fee—Payable in Advance. 40 cents. Long Term. First Class \$ 8.25 Second Class 11.00 Third Class 13.75 Fourth Class 16.50 Incidental Fee—Payable in Advance. 60 cents. One half tuition payable on entrance, other half at close of term. Pupils are charged from entrance to close of term. No deduction made except for protracted sickness. French and Music are taught by a first-class instructor, at usual rates. Board is easily obtained at from \$2.00 to \$3.00. The discipline is healthy, having for its object the highest interest of the pupils. The system of instruction is of no stereotyped pattern, but such as (under the circumstances) will best develop the mental and moral powers and enrich the mind. To train the pupil to think and teach him how to study are primary and leading objects; therefore all systems that treat the mind as a mere receptacle are assiduously avoided as not recognizing the mind's intrinsic worth, and wholly inadequate to its symmetrical and natural order of development, and hence wanting in the essentials of true education. The Mineral Waters at this place are unequalled for their curative qualities. The place is beautiful and healthy. All the leading religious denominations are represented here. For further particulars apply to the Principal, J. B. STEPHENS. Oct. 26, 1874-4f-360 ESTABLISHED IN 1841.

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