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Public Hire of Negroes.

ON the 1st day of January, at the late residence of Ballard P. Smith, dec'd, I will hire to the highest bidder for the ensuing year, about 15 or 20 Negroes, men and women. Hiring to commence at 12 o'clock.

JOHN A. REABRIGHT. Dec. 4, 1863—4w

AN ACT

To amend the 11th section of the act for the production and distribution of salt, passed March 30, 1863, as amended by the act passed September 18, 1863. [Passed October 30, 1863.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly, That the eleventh section of the act passed March 30, 1863, entitled "An act to provide for the production and distribution of salt," as amended by the act passed September 18, 1863, entitled an act amending and re-enacting the sixth and eleventh sections of an act passed March 28, 1863, entitled "An act to provide for the production and distribution of salt" be, and the same is hereby amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Section 11. The salt so manufactured shall be sold at cost for cash, and to be distributed to the different counties, cities and towns, through duly accredited agents, to be appointed by the county and corporation courts respectively, or when said courts cannot meet, because of the presence or proximity of the public enemy, by the Board of Supervisors, or the recommendation of any three or more justices of said county, or of the Senator and Delegates or Delegates representing such county in the General Assembly. And, in order to do so, it shall be the duty of the Board of supervisors, from time to time to ascertain as near as may be, the actual cost of production and distribution, and fix the price accordingly, so as to cover such entire cost. But no agent of any county or corporation hereafter appointed, shall be entitled to act as such, until he shall have given bond with sufficient securities, in the penalty of not less than ten thousand nor more than thirty thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful distribution of salt received by him, among the people of his county or corporation. Said bond shall be taken by the said courts, when the appointments are made by them, and in all other cases by the Board of Supervisors, and such agents shall distribute to refugees and to persons temporarily sojourning in their counties, cities and towns, as well as to permanent citizens thereof. Provided, however, That the said courts and the said board shall respectively have power to revoke any appointment of agents heretofore or hereafter made by them, whenever they deem it proper to do so, and shall, in like manner, appoint another agent in place of the one so removed.

This shall be in force from its passage. A copy from the rolls.—Tests, W. F. GORDON, JR., Clerk House Del. and keeper of the Rolls. Nov. 27, 1863.—2w

NOTICE.

ASSESSORS are required, under a late decision of the Secretary of the Treasury, to assess all cut up Corn Fodder, and the time for the assessment of all grain not previously severed, as also the assessment of neat Cattle, Horses, Mules, &c., having arrived, and being required under instructions to attend to it immediately, I have appointed the following times and places to meet the people of my District, where all are most positively enjoined to attend and render their accounts.

Many registered persons, and as many business men, who have failed to register according to law, have already forfeited considerable sums by their neglect. I will be found at Newton Logan's on Wednesday, the 16th Decr; at Saltville, the 17th; at Mahanaim Church, the 18th; at Emory & Henry College, the 22d; Old Glade Spring Church, the 28d; at Friendship, 28th and 29th; at Debush's Mill, the 30th; at Rambo's Mills, the 31st; at Cedarville, the 2d January, 1864; at Spencer White's the 6th; at my house, the 7th, and at Capt. James Cole's Mill, the 8th.

JOSEPH W. DAVIS, Assessor.

I am requested to say that B. C. Clark, D. S., and D. A. P. Campbell, D. S., will be with me at my respective meeting places; and all those who have not paid their State taxes, will please come prepared to lift their ticket.

JOS. W. DAVIS, Assessor E. District. Dec. 4th, 1863—2w

Wanted Immediately,

At our Furnace, near Marion, 30 laborers, men liable to conscription, but not now in the army, will be detailed if they will attend to their work closely. A. THOMAS & SON. Nov. 20, 1863—6w

1 BARREL Turpentine received and for sale. WM. M. G. SANDOR. Abingdon, Nov. 27—2w

AUCTIONEERS.

As there may be some misapprehension as to who are entitled to offer property for sale at auction, I think it proper to say that: Any person whose business it is to offer property for sale to the highest and best bidder at public outcry, is an auctioneer within the meaning of the act whether a neighborhood or in the country, or a regular auctioneer in the city. But any person not registered as an auctioneer may cry the official sales of executive officers, personal representatives, &c., without being subject to the taxes on auctioneers. If an auctioneer "purchases, rents, hires or sells real estate or negroes" privately, he will be chargeable with an additional specific tax as a commercial broker.

Any person offering property at public sale, whether sold or not, will be required to pay the usual tax upon sales. JAS. C. CAMPBELL, Collector &c. Nov. 27, 1863—3w

THE VIRGINIA HOUSE.

THIS old house of entertainment, but recently closed, has been re-opened for the accommodation of the public. Mrs. White will be assisted in the management of the house by Dr. Whipple, and they will do all in their power to give general satisfaction.

Abingdon, Dec. 4th, 1863—1m

Lynchburg Republican please copy four times and send account to this office for collection.

\$250 REWARD.

RAN away from the subscribers on the 25th of July, from Glade Spring Depot, a negro man named ALFRED, about six feet high, weighs about 200 pounds, has a thumb off either right or left hand, don't recollect which, black, and talks slow. We will give the above reward for his confinement in some jail so we can get him. CARLISLE & HENDERSON, pr. M. BEACOME, Agt. Glade Springs, Aug. 14, 1863—1f

\$300 REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Saturday night, the 30th ult.

Two Negro Boys,

by the names of Lindsey and Ben. Lindsey is a copper color, about 24 years old, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high. Ben is a mulatto, his hair black and straight, somewhat like an Indian's, about the same height as Lindsey, but heavier and stouter, and 18 or 19 years old. Clothing not recollect. They took stanchels and blankets with them. Ben had a pair of new brown jeans pants, and probably wore them off. He was raised in N. W. Virginia. I will give the above reward for the apprehension and delivery to me, or their confinement so that I get them, of both, or \$150 for either. SAMUEL PRESTON. Nov. 6, 1863—1f

Russell County, to wit:

To the Clerk of the County Court of said County:

WE, M. G. Garrett, E. B. Garrett and John Alexander, three freeholders of said county, do hereby certify, that by virtue of a warrant to us directed by Joel Fields, a Justice of said county, we have this day, on our oaths, viewed and appraised one Cow, taken up by Wm. S. Garrett, on his premises, as an estray, and assess the value of said cow at Seventy Dollars. The said cow is about four years old, and is red and white speckled, and white pieled, marked with a swallow fork in each ear, and no other particular distinctions. Given under our hands, this 17th of November, 1863.

M. G. GARRETT, E. B. GARRETT, JOHN ALEXANDER. A Copy.—Tests, G. R. COWAN, c. c. Nov. 27, 1863.—3t. Prs. fee \$7.00.

Strayed or Stolen,

LARGE light roan Cow, red about the neck, giving milk. She was driven from my stable, near the Abingdon Depot, on Friday last, by a boy dressed in brown jeans, and was traced as far as Shallow Ford on the Middle Fork. I will give \$25 reward for the return of the Cow, or information by which I can get her. Nov. 27—3t. S. F. HURT.

NOTICE.

PERSUANT to a decree of the District Court of the Confederate States for the Western Division of Virginia, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder at Abingdon, on the 28th day of December, 1863, in parcels of from one to two thousand acres, a large body of land lying chiefly on the White Top and Iron Mountains, sequestered as the property of George Douglas, William Douglas and H. D. Cruger and wife. Plots of the land may be seen at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Washington county. TERMS—Three equal instalments, the purchaser giving bond and security with interest from date, or cash at the option of the purchaser. JOHN W. JOHNSTON, Receiver District No. 8, Western Division of Va. Nov. 20, 1863—4w

Arrest the Deserter.

REWARD of \$30 will be paid for the arrest and confinement in Jail, of Private Thomas Hare, Irishman, aged about 24 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, florid complexion, dark hair, dark eyes, heavy set, weighs about 160 pounds. Said Hare was on the 4th inst., ordered to report to his company, by Dr. Woodville, Surgeon in charge of Hospital at Montgomery Springs. He was heard from at Wytheville, Va. J. T. LEVI, Capt. Commanding Battery, Gen. Jackson's Brigade, A. of E. Tenn. Nov. 27, 1863.—4t

10,000 LBS. Bar Iron, 2,000 lbs. Tire for two and four horse wagons, which we wish to exchange on favorable terms for any or all of the following articles:—Wool Feathers, Tallow, Wax, Bacon, Flaxseed or Lard. Call early at T. G. McCONNELL & CO. June 5, 1863.

200 BOXES Chewing Tobacco, 20 Packages Smoking Tobacco, 5,000 Segars. Feb. 27, '63. T. G. McCONNELL & CO.

Piano Wanted.

WANTED to purchase or hire a good Piano. A good price will be given. Apply at this office. [Oct. 20.—1f

MARTHA WASHINGTON COLLEGE

WILL commence its next Annual Session, the 13th of August, 1863. The President will be assisted by an efficient corps of instructors in the several departments of the College. The price of almost every article of provisions having advanced one thousand per cent. above former prices, the Directors of the College are therefore compelled to increase very largely the rate of charges. The following will be the charges for the Fall Term, beginning the 13th of August, and closing the 25th December, 1863:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. For Board and Tuition, \$265.00; For Tuition in Preparatory Course, 30.00; Collegiate Course, 40.00; Music, 40.00; Contingent Fee, 3.00; Matriculation Fee, 3.00; Use of Piano, 4.00. Each Boarder will be required to furnish her own light. For this purpose, let each pupil bring with her a few pounds of candles. All pupils entering in the month of August will be charged for Board and Tuition from the beginning of the term. All pupils entering within the first two months, will be charged for Tuition from the beginning of the term. No deduction for Board or Tuition on account of the absence of the pupil, unless her absence is caused by protracted sickness. Patrons who will furnish the College provisions at old prices, can have board at \$10 per month, and Tuition at the same diminished rate. For further information, Address WM. A. HARRIS. July 10, 1863.

Patrons who will furnish provisions at the old prices, will be charged according to the following diminished rates for the term from the 13th of August to the 25th of December: Board and Tuition Collegiate course, \$65.00; Tuition in Preparatory course, 15.00; Tuition in Collegiate course, 20.00; Music, 20.00; Latin and French, each \$7.50, 15.00. While we charge the above rates in order to encourage payment in provisions, we will allow an advance of 50 per cent. above the old prices for the articles of butter, bacon, meal, lard and dried fruit. WM. A. HARRIS.

ALMANAC FOR 1864.

Will be published on November 15th. It will contain besides the Almanac proper, a large amount of interesting matter, statistical, miscellaneous, &c., and a useful Record of Important Events, for 1863. The trade supplied at \$32 per hundred; \$17 per fifty; \$4 per dozen. Single copies 50 cents. Orders addressed to either of the undersigned will be promptly filled. D. B. PAYNE, Or H. C. VICTOR, Dealers in Books, Stationery, &c., Lynchburg, Va. Nov. 18.—1f

\$150 REWARD.

STOLEN from the subscriber on Sunday night last, one Horse and two Mares. The Horse is a light sorrel, between 14 and 15 hands high, heavy and well set, one white foot, a good many color marks about his neck, and 14 or 15 years old. One chestnut sorrel Mare, with blaze face, one hind leg white to the hock, one white fore foot, considerably saddle-marked all along her back, thin in order, and about 8 years old. The other Mare is bay, 4 years old, heavy set, near 15 hands high, with heavy mane and tail and long fore-top, very thick through the shoulders. I will give the above reward for all, or \$50 for either of them, or for information enabling me to get them. JACOB MILLER. Nov. 14th, 1863.—1f

Exchange Notice, No. 7.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 16, 1863. The following Confederate officers and men are hereby declared duly exchanged: 1. All officers and men captured and paroled at any time previous to the 1st of September, 1863. This section, however, is not intended to include any officers or men captured at Vicksburg, July 4th, 1863, except such as were declared exchanged by Exchange Notice No. 6, Sept. 12th, 1863, or are specifically named in this notice. But it does embrace all deliveries made at City Point or other places before Sept. 1st, 1863, and with the limitation above named, all captures at Port Hudson or any other place where the parties were released on parole. 2. The Staff of Generals Pemberton, Stevenson, Bowen, Moore, Barton, S. D. Lee, Cummings, Harris and Baldwin, of Col. Reynolds, Cockrell and Dockery; the officers and men belonging to the Engineer Corps and Sappers and Miners, and the 4th and 46th Mississippi Regiments, all captured at Vicksburg, July 4th, 1863. 3. The general officers captured at Vicksburg, July 4th, 1863, were declared duly exchanged July 13th, 1863. RO. OULD, Nov. 6.—6t Agent of Exchange.

BAILIE NURSERY.

100,000 Fruit Trees for sale at my Nursery in Abingdon. Apple Trees at \$20 per hundred, delivered at my Nursery in Abingdon. If packed and sent to the Depot, a reasonable charge will be made for packing and unloading. Catalogues will be sent by mail on application. S. W. CARRAHAN. Nov. 6, 1863.

\$100 REWARD.

THE above reward, in Confederate money, will be paid for the apprehension and delivery to me, in Russell county, of Green Irvin, the thief who stole David Cowan's gray horse, on or about the night of the 30th of October. He is a low, heavy built man—a Kentuckian—belongs to Col. Clay's command, but is now with Capt. Everett, camped near Zion Camp Ground, Washington county, Va. G. R. COWAN. Nov. 13, 1863—1f

Dr. H. M. GRANT, DENTIST,

ABINGDON, VA. OFFICE nearly opposite Martha Washington Female College, west end of town. Feb. 20th, 1863.

WE will exchange Leather for Hides.

July 10. G. W. MANTZ & CO.

37th Va. Regiment.

RECRUITS are wanted for this Regiment. All men owing military service, or young men about arriving at the age of eighteen, by reporting to me, will be assigned to any company in the command. A bounty of \$50 dollars will be given, and pay, commutation of fractions and clothing from the day of enlistment. Members of the Regiment, absent without leave, will do well by reporting to me. They will be furnished with the necessary papers to take them to the command without the attendance of a guard. BEN. P. MORRISON, Capt. and Recruiting Officer 37th Regt. Va. Infy. Nov. 20, 1863—1f

POST HEADQUARTERS,

Abingdon, Aug. 24th, 1863. No. 1. I. By order of the Secretary of War, the undersigned assumes command of this Post. II. It is made the duty of all officers and men on arriving at this Post to furnish their names to this office, and their authority for being absent from their commands. III. Officers who are improperly absent from their commands, will be reported at once to their Commanding Officers. The men will be arrested and sent to their respective commands. IV. Citizens enlisting here, are required to furnish evidence of their loyalty that they may obtain permits, or they will be arrested and so retained until their loyalty can be established. J. G. MARTIN, Capt. and A. A. G. Comdg. Post. Aug. 28, 1863—1f

SODA FOR SALE.

IN lots of from 1 lb. to 10 lbs. at \$5 per lb.; in lots of from 10 lbs. to 50 lbs. at \$4 per lb.; in lots of 50 lbs. and upwards \$3.50 per lb. We want to buy Bacon, Beef, Mutton, Corn, Wheat, Chickens, Turkeys, Butter, Eggs, Jams, Linsay, Feathers, and the products of the country generally. GAINES & GATES, Spring Valley Works, Washington Co. Va., Oct. 30—3m Saltville P. O.

Soda! Soda! Soda!!!

SODA for sale in large or small quantities, at the Spring Valley Works, near Mr. M. Hay Buchanan's, Washington county, Va. This soda is superior in quality to and more beautiful in appearance than the best English sub. carb. soda. Bread made with it is free from that disagreeable odour so often observed in that made from English Soda. GAINES & GATES, Oct. 2, 1863—3m Saltville P. O. P. S.—Wanted to hire a good Cook, Washer and Ironer for a small family at the above works. P. D. GATES.

Alum Well and Farm

FOR SALE.

THIS valuable property is offered for sale. It lies on the North Fork of Holston, about 13 miles Northwest of Abingdon. The Alum Water is equal to any in the State, and would be extensively patronized if opened for visitors. The Farm contains about 360 acres. It has only tolerable improvements, including several cabins for the accommodation of visitors. For further particulars, apply to Dr. Ed. M. Campbell, Abingdon, or Dr. J. L. White, Farmville, Va. Aug. 7—1f

J. O. HARRIS, of Va. P. F. JONES, of Ga.

HARRIS & JONES,

General Commission Merchants,

MARIETTA STREET, Atlanta, Georgia,

Solicit consignments and orders of all kinds of MERCHANDIZE and PRODUCE, To which they will give prompt and personal attention. July 24—1f

New Concern.

GEORGE W. MANTZ & Co.

WILL Tan Hides on the shares, or pay Shoes & Boots, Money or Merchandize for Hides, upon as good terms as can be had in this country. They respectfully solicit a trial. Their Shoe Shop is one door east of the Washington house, where George W. Mantz will be found ready to accommodate all who may call. Their Tan Yard is about eight miles Northeast of Abingdon, Va., where R. A. Lipford will be found ready to receive hides, and pay for the same, or take them to tan on the shares. Persons wanting Shoes and Boots made, or money, in exchange for hides, will call on Mr. Mantz. GEO. W. MANTZ & CO. Feb. 27, 1863.

JACOB STOKBERGER,

Clock and Watch-Maker.

HAS located in Abingdon, immediately opposite the Book Store, where he is prepared to repair

Watches and Clocks in the very best manner possible, and upon reasonable terms. Work repaired by him will be warranted for TWELVE MONTHS. Thoroughly understanding his business, he hopes to be encouraged, and promises satisfaction to all. September 23th, 1860.—6m.

H. MOORE, P. BAYNE, C. B. HOOD.

MOORE, BAYNE & CO.,

No. 147 MAIN STREET, LYNCHBURG, VA.

WHOLESALE Grocers and Commission Merchants, and Agents for the sale of Manufactured and Smoking Tobacco, will receive and sell Sugar, Molasses, Wheat, Corn, Flour, Bacon, Leather, and all kinds of Country Produce. All sales promptly reported and accompanied with the nett proceeds. Jan. 23, 1863—1y

VIRGINIA & TENN. RAILROAD.

Change of Schedule.

ON and after Thursday, the 4th of September, the Mail and Passenger trains on this road will leave Lynchburg daily at 4 o'clock a. m., and arrive from the West at 4.30 p. m. THOS. DODANEAD. Sept. 5, 1862.

SMOKING Tobacco at

GEO. W. MANTZ & CO'S. Feb. 27, 1863.