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AUDITOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

ON

CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE

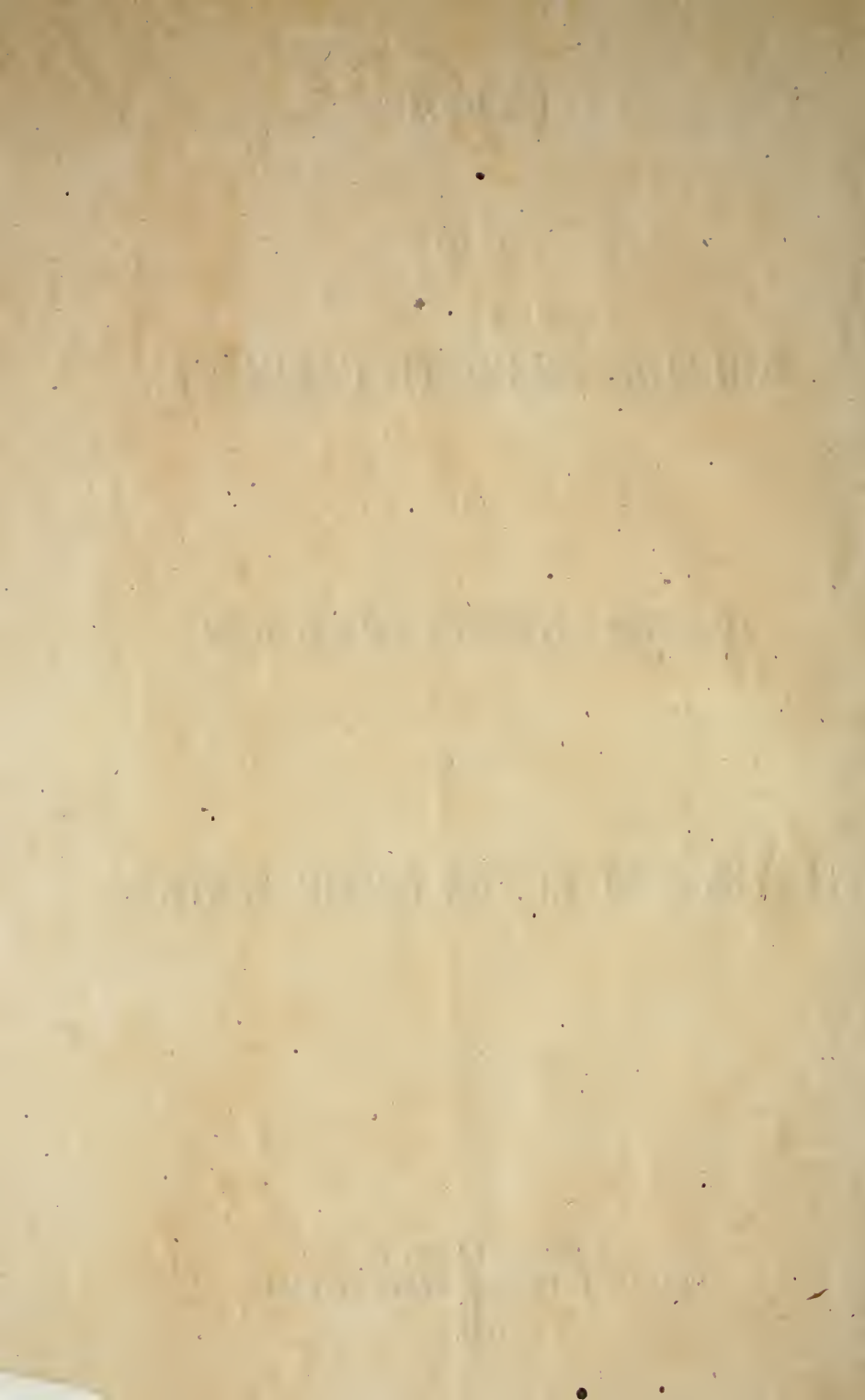
FOR

SLAVES LOST IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

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REPORT.

OFFICE OF STATE AUDITOR SOUTH CAROLINA,
COLUMBIA, December 3, 1864.

The Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives:

The General Assembly, by joint resolutions passed in January, 1863, directed that all claims for slaves lost in the public service, or "whose death or loss has been occasioned by reason of said service," should be presented to and audited in this office. And the Auditor was authorized to call for any additional proof that he might deem necessary to establish the said claims, and instructed "to report to the next session of the Legislature each claim allowed, with the evidence on which his judgment is based."

I have the honor to submit, in connection with this report, an Abstract of all the claims of this character which have been presented to this office, under the resolutions above referred to, since the last regular session of the Legislature. The whole number of claims so presented is 261, showing a loss of 267 slaves, valued at \$570,250. Of these claims I have allowed 218, amounting to \$452,150; and suspended for defects in proof 44, amounting to \$118,100. A separate report upon each of the claims allowed, together "with the evidence on which my judgment has been based," is also herewith presented. The suspended claims, with my reasons endorsed thereon for requiring additional proof, are also submitted.

In all cases I have required, as the condition of a final audit, that the facts of ownership; impressment by authority of the State; the death or loss of the slave while in the public service, or by reason of the said service; and the value of the slave at the time of impressment, should be clearly established by proof upon oath. In fixing the amount of compensation to be allowed, I have been exclusively controlled by the appraisements made under the 9th section of the Act of December, 1862, "to organize and supply negro labor for coast defence," in all cases in which the said appraisements have been before me. In cases where no evidence has been furnished by the State Agent, or by others, of such appraisements having been made, I have adopted the valuation of sworn disinter-

ested appraisers, appointed under the regulations of this office, which I had the honor to submit, in connection with this subject, in my first annual report.

• By reference to the Abstract, it will be seen that the valuations assessed by the sworn appraisers are much higher, in a large majority of cases, than that fixed by the appraisers under the Act. This difference arises mainly from the fact that the latter assessments are made in Charleston, while the former are made in the respective neighborhoods of the owners. At the last session of the Legislature, I had the honor of calling attention to the great inequality which resulted from the adoption of the appraisements under the Act, *in all cases*, where they had been made. I am still impressed with the view, that appraisements conducted under circumstances which practically deny to owners the privilege of appointing one of the appraisers, or of being present at the valuation of their slaves, are not in accordance with the *spirit* of the Act, and is clearly a departure from the established rule for the valuation of private property taken for the public use. The Act, however, only provides that the appraisements shall be made "before the slaves shall be employed in labor by the Confederate authorities," and declares that such appraisalment "shall be conclusive of the value of the slaves" so appraised. The valuations in Charleston are a *literal* compliance with the requirement that they be made "before the slaves shall be *employed in labor*," and I have therefore not felt authorized to exercise any discretion in cases where such valuations were before me.

In my general report, transmitted through the Governor to the Legislature at the present session, some facts are stated in respect to the impressment of slaves by the military authorities of the Confederate States which I consider worthy of grave consideration. These impressments are clearly in violation not only of the law of this State but of the Confederate States, and are continually made when no justification of military necessity can be pleaded in their defence. The law of the State amply provides for any amount of labor being furnished under any emergency that may arise. Nearly all the inequality and embarrassment which have attended the adjustment of claims in this office for compensation for slaves lost while employed on the military fortifications in the State, have grown out of these irregular impressments. The State properly recognizes its obligations to make such compensation when the loss has resulted from *her* act. But when the authority of the State has not been exercised in procuring the labor required, the obligation upon her to make compensation in case of loss does not exist. If the present system is continued, I respectfully recommend that

the law be so amended as to declare that no impressments of slave labor for military purposes shall be made in South Carolina, except as provided for under the law of the State, or as the same may be sanctioned by the Governor, and declared valid by his proclamation. And that in all such cases the impressments shall be made in accordance with the laws of the State, and by her own officers. In August, 1863, a public call was made upon the citizens of the State by the Confederate General commanding this Department, for voluntary slave labor to meet the emergency which then threatened the safety of Charleston. This call was sanctioned by the proclamation of the Governor, dated the 27th of that month, which is herewith submitted. The call was generally responded to, but no appraisement was made of the slaves sent down, as required by the Act of December, 1862. In all cases where claims have been presented for the loss of slaves thus furnished, I have considered the act of the Governor as binding upon the State, and in the absence of a regular appraisement under the Act, have adopted that made by sworn appraisers appointed by the owners from their respective neighborhoods.

Two claims have been presented for compensation for injuries to slaves who were wounded while employed on the military works, but where death has not resulted. Under the resolutions referring to this office all claims for slaves "who have died from diseases contracted in said service, and whose death or loss has been occasioned by reason of said service," I have not felt authorized to consider these claims, and they are submitted, with the evidence adduced in their support, without any judgment on my part. They are designated by the numbers 249 and 365.

Several of the claims "suspended" are defective in the proof as to the death of the slaves. This proof owners find much difficulty in obtaining. To relieve as far as possible this difficulty, an arrangement was made by which it was hoped that all deaths would be reported monthly to this office by the Confederate Surgeons having charge of negro hospitals and camps on the coast. But there is no authority in this office to enforce this regulation, and the returns are very partial and defective. If the present system is continued, I recommend that it be made the duty of the State Agent of slave labor to apply for certificates of the death of slaves to the said hospital and camp Surgeons, and to transmit them, when obtained, to this office, for the use of owners in establishing their claims.

In the event of the claims now reported as allowed, or any of them, being passed for payment by the Legislature, it is respectfully suggested that the papers appertaining thereto be returned to this office for record, in anticipation of the retention of the originals by the Confederate Gov-

ernment, upon their presentation to and allowance by the said Government. And that all payments advanced by the State upon the said claims be made, as heretofore, on the warrant of the Auditor drawn upon the Treasury, so as to insure duplicate vouchers of such payments, severally, being filed in this office, for the same purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES TUPPER,
Auditor of South Carolina.

TABULAR ABSTRACT.

*ABSTRACT of Claims for Slaves lost in the Public Service, consid-
of the Legislature, in December, 1863, and now reported as "allowed"*

Present num- ber.	Office num- ber.	Name of Owner.	District.	Name of Slave.	Date of Im- pressment.
1	156	Ashley, Wm	Barnwell	Isaac	16 Nov 1863
2	157	Adams, Thos	Chester	Lee	21 Sept "
3	158	Atwood, R F	Newberry	Travis	14 " "
4	159	Aiken, Wm	Chesterfield	Pino	16 Oct "
5	160	" "	"	William	16 " "
6	161	" "	"	Simon	16 " "
7	162	Adger, Robert	Anderson	Douglas	14 Sept "
8	163	Asbill, T B	Edgefield	Philip	16 Nov. "
9	164	Ashley, Wm	Barnwell	Alick	16 " "
10	165	Butler, David	Edgefield	Henry	
11	166	Brown, D W	Lancaster	Adam	21 Sept "
11	166	" "	"	Ned	21 " "
12	167	Buchanan, Robt P	Abbeville	Ephraim	14 " "
13	168	Bouknight Rev S	Edgefield	Allen	16 Dec 1862
14	169	Brooks, S B	Abbeville	Charles	16 Sept 1863
15	170	Burton, Henry	Newberry	Johnson	16 Sept 1862
16	171	Burch, James C	Chesterfield	Ellis	16 Oct 1853
17	172	Beckham, Mrs T H	Chester	Adam	22 Sept "
18	173	Bush, G W	Barnwell	Henry	16 Nov "
19	174	Cromer, Mrs D A	Abbeville	Jack	14 Sept "
20	175	Caldwell, Wm	Chester	John	21 Sept "
21	176	Cohen, Marx E	Charleston	Marcus	
22	177	Calmes, J McM	Newberry	Alick	16 Sept 1862
23	178	Carlisle, T A	Union	Priea	14 Sept 1863
24	179	Chaney, Simeon	Abbeville	William	16 Sept "
25	180	Calboun, J A	"	Gustavus	16 Sept "
26	181	Douglas, Robert	Chester	Wesley	21 Sept "
27	182	Douglas, Alex.	Darlington	John	16 Oct "
28	183	Davis, Wiley J	Fairfield	Anthony	16 Nov "
29	184	Epps, J M	Newberry	Nathan	14 Sept "
30	185	Fooshe, J W	Abbeville	Willis	Sept "
31	186	Frapp, John A	Charleston	Smart	25 Jan 1864
32	187	Floyd, James B	Newberry	Ephraim	16 Sept 1862
33	188	Fraser, Wm H	Darlington	Mack	16 Oct 1863
34	189	Geiger, E W	Lexington	Sam	14 Aug 1863
35	190	Goggans, Daniel	Newberry	Ralph	14 Sept 1863
36	191	Gunter, Richard	Lexington	Charles	17 Nov 1863
37	192	Glenn, Henry	Anderson	George	14 Sept 1863
38	193	Huger, Alfred	Charleston	Jesse	June or July
38	193	Huger, Alfred	"	Peter	" "
39	194	Hill, George W	Union	John	16 Sept
40	195	Hendrix, Mrs R	Newberry	Peter	14 Sept
41	196	Hanna, Samuel M	York	Isaac	22 Sept
42	197	Jones, Bekky J	Union	Reuben	25 April 1864
43	198	Johnson, Jesse	Orangeburg	Nelson	16 Nov 1863
44	199	Jones, R Y	Abbeville	White	16 Sept 1863
45	200	Kirksey, Robert	Pickens	Andy	16 Sept 1863
46	201	Kelly, James	Darlington	Stephen	16 Oct 1863
47	202	Lawton, W H	Abbeville	Lem	16 Sept 1863
48	203	Leapheart, Michael	Lexington	William	26 M'ch 1864

ered by the Auditor of South Carolina since the last regular Session or "suspended" by the said Officer.

Date of death	Valuation by Sworn Appraisers.	Valuation under Act.	DECISION OF AUDITOR.
12 ^d Dec 1863		2,000	Allowed \$2,000
15 Dec		1,900	do 1,900
3 Nov		1,400	do 1,400
10 Dec		1,800	do 1,800
11 Jan 1862		1,700	do 1,700
		1,800	do 1,800
26 Dec 1863	3,000	1,500	do 1,500
31 Jan 1864	5,000	2,200	do 2,200
19 Jan 1864	5,000	2,000	do 2,000
27 Feb 1863	2,200		Suspended for proof of State impressment.
22 Oct 1863	3,500		} Allowed \$7,500
Oct 1863	4,000		
12 Oct 1863	3,000		Suspended for appraisement under Act.
14 Feb 1863	2,000		Allowed \$2,000
10 Oct 1863	4,500	1,000	do 1,000
19 Oct 1862	1,400		do 1,400
9 Jan 1864		1,200	do 1,200
10 Dec 1863	3,500	1,800	do 1,800
15 Dec 1863	5,000	2,000	do 2,000
4 Nov 1863	2,500	1,700	do 1,700
28 Nov 1863		1,800	do 1,800
26 Jan 1864	6,000		Suspended for proof of State impressment.
Oct 1862	1,500		Allowed \$1,500
26 Dec 1863	3,000	800	do 800
17 Jan 1864	3,500	1,700	do 1,700
1 Jan 1864	3,500	1,900	do 1,900
25 Dec 1863		1,800	do 1,800
21 Nov 1863	2,000	2,000	do 2,000
5 Dec 1863	4,000	2,000	do 2,000
13 Nov 1863	2,000	1,900	do 1,900
26 Oct 1863	3,000	1,700	do 1,700
29 Feb 1864		2,200	do 2,200
11 Oct 1862	1550		do 1,400
17 Dec 1863		2,000	do 2,000
13 Sept 1863		1,600	do 1,600
11 Nov 1863	3,000	1,400	do 1,400
24 Jan 1864	4,000	1,800	do 1,800
13 Nov 1863	3,000	1,800	do 1,800
	3,000		} Suspended for proof of impressment by State.
	3,000		
22 Oct 1863		1,900	Allowed \$1,900
4 Nov 1863		1,800	do 1,800
24 Nov 1863		1,700	do 1,700
20 June 1864		2,000	do 2,000
17 Jan 1864	3,500	2,000	do 2,000
6 Nov 1863	3,000	1,800	Suspended for claimant's statement on oath.
		1,800	Allowed \$1,800
		1,900	do 1,900
7 Oct 1863	4,000	1,700	do 1,700
10 June 1864		1,200	do 1,200

Abstract of claims for Slaves lost

Present number.	Office number.	Name of Owner.	District.	Name of Slaves.	Date of Impressionment.
49	204	Lipscomb, Thomas C	Abbeville	Watt	16 Sept 1863
50	205	Lingshore A J	Newberry	Charles	16 Sept "
51	206	McKeller, Peter	Abbeville	Ab	16 Sept "
52	207	Montgomery, Jno D	Spartanburg	Peter	14 Sept "
53	208	Morgan, A	Horry	Henry	9 Sept 1862
54	209	McLeod, Wm W	Charleston	Limus	26 Jan 1864
55	210	Maybin, Estate Benj	Newberry	David	14 Sept 1863
56	211	Miles, Edward H	Richland	Dave	16 Nov "
57	212	Moore, Thomas B	Anderson	Julius	16 Sept "
58	213	Melton, Benjamin	Edgefield	Edmund	16 Nov "
59	214	McIntosh, Estate J H	Darlington	George	15 July "
60	215	Muldrow, E	"	Peter	16 Oct "
61	216	McClure, Mary	Chester	William	21 Sept "
62	217	Mobley, B	"	Solemon	22 Sept "
63	218	Nelson, S Warren	Clarendon	Dick	14 Jan "
64	219	Nowell, John L	Charleston	James	July "
65	220	Palmer, Dr	"	Joe	
66	221	Plowden, E Ruthven	Clarendon	Thomas	Sept "
67	222	Perry, N J F	Pickens	Tom	16 Sept "
68	223	Perrin, Samuel	Abbeville	Robert	16 Sept "
69	224	Perrin, Thomas C	"	Amos	16 Sept "
70	225	Perrett, Ellender	Pickens	Berry	16 Sept "
71	226	Parler, Jas A, Ex'or	Orangeburg	Newport	May 1862
72	227	Pitts, Thomas	Edgefield	Elisha	16 Nov 1863
73	228	Quattlebaum, J, Adm'x, Estate B McBride	"	Dan	28 Dec "
74	229	Robertson, A H	Barnwell	Dave	17 Oct "
75	230	Rosborough, R R	Fairfield	Tom	16 Nov "
76	231	Richardson, Jas M	Abbeville	Henry	16 Sept "
77	232	Renibert, Dr E T	Sumter	Frederick	17 July "
78	233	Read, B H	Charleston	Charles	
79	234	Rawlinson, J W	York	Lewis	23 Sept "
80	235	Rainsford, James	Edgefield	Bob	28 Dec "
81	236	Ravenel, Dr Edmund	Charleston	Jonas	
81	237	Ravenel, Dr Edmund	"	Solomon	
82	238	Rhett, Benjamin S.	"	Thomas	1 Aug "
83	239	Sale, Johnson	Abbeville	John	16 Sept "
84	240	Seay, James H	Richland	Bill	4 April "
85	241	Savage, William	Union	Stark	16 Sept "
86	242	Stoney, Dr James	York	Peter	22 Sept "
87	243	Sterling, John	Newberry	Martin	14 Sept "
88	244	Smith, William	"	Carey	14 Sept "
89	245	Smith, Thomas	Darlington	Boston	13 July "
90	246	Tadin, Count O	Colleton	Bony	15 July "
91	247	Tennent, Dr William	Abbeville	Robin	16 Sept "
92	248	Tygart, Silas	Union	Bill	14 Sept "
93	249	Whaley, William	Charleston	Tom	
94	250	Westfield, D G	Greenville	Aaron	14 Oct "
95	251	West, Capt William	Union	Lewis	23 Jan "
96	252	Ward, Joshua	Georgetown	Mickel	
97	253	White, Hugh	Chester	Dave	21 Sept "

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Date of death	Valuation by Sworn Appraisers.		Valuation under Act.		DECISION OF AUDITOR.
	Sworn Appraisers.	Valuation under Act.			
15 Nov 1863	3,500	1,700	Allowed	\$1,700	
27 Oct "	2,200	2,000	do	2,000	
8 Oct "			Suspended	for appraisement under Act.	
5 Dec "	5,000	1,800	Allowed	\$1,800	
	5,000		Suspended	for proof of liability of State.	
21 Feb 1864	2,200	2,200	Allowed	\$2,200	
11 Oct 1863	3,500	1,700	do	1,700	
24 Nov "	3,500	1,900	do	1,900	
15 Nov "		2,000	do	2,000	
26 Dec "	3,000	2,000	do	2,000	
18 Aug "		1,700	do	1,700	
29 Nov "	5,000	1,900	do	1,900	
20 Nov "		3,000	do	3,000	
9 Nov "		1,900	do	1,900	
1 Feb 1864	6,000		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
12 Aug 1863	6,000		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
13 Sept "	None		Suspended	for defect in form and substance.	
15 Oct "			Allowed	\$3,000	
		800	do	800	
		1,600	do	1,600	
14 Nov. "		1,700	do	1,700	
	1,700		do	1,700	
June 1862	1,050		do	1,050	
12 Jan 1864	4,000		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
17 Feb "	4,000		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
12 Nov 1863	3,000		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
18 Dec "	5,000	1,900	Allowed	\$1,900	
17 Oct "	4,000	1,900	do	1,900	
28 Sept "	4,000	1,800	do	1,800	
24 Oct "	None		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
22 Jan 1864		1,700	Suspended	for claimant's statement on oath	
9 Oct 1863	5,500		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
17 Feb 1864			Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
13 Aug 1863	None		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
17 Oct "	2,000	2,000	Allowed	\$2,000	
14 May 1864		1,700	do	1,700	
14 Nov 1863	2,500		do	2,500	
9 Nov "	3,000	1,900	do	1,900	
3 Jan "	2,600	900	do	900	
5 Dec "	3,500	2,000	do	2,000	
6 Sept "	4,000	1,800	do	1,800	
25 Sept "	1,800	1,600	do	1,600	
30 Dec "	2,500		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
15 Oct "		1,800	Allowed	\$1,800	
16 July 1864	3,500	1,700	do	1,700	
24 Nov 1863	None		Suspended,	no death from wound.	
3 Apr "	3,250		Allowed	\$3,250	
27 Mar "	1,500		do	1,500	
23 Oct "	2,000		Suspended	for proof of impressment by State.	
19 Feb "		1,900	Allowed	\$1,900	

Abstract of claims for Slaves lost

Present num- ber.	Office num- ber.	Name of Owner.	District.	Name of Slave	Date of Im- pressment.
98	254	Witt, Michael	Edgefield	Frank	19 Feb 1863
99	255	Waller, Nancy	Abbeville	Sam	16 Sept 1863
100	256	Wadlington, T B	Newberry	Hubbard	16 Dec 1862
101	257	Allen, O D	Barn'll or Char'n	Jacob	17 Oct 1863
102	258	Davis, Mrs Martha	Beaufort	Prince	26 Jan 1864
103	259	Gaskin, Thomas	Kershaw	Phil	16 Oct 1863
104	260	Hester, John B	Pickens	Tom	7 Sept 1863
105	261	Priester, William	Barnwell	Perry	14 Aug 1863
106	262	Tucker, Dr Daniel	Georgetown	Smart	13 Sept 1863
107	263	Barr, D D	Williamsburg	Joe	22 Feb 1864
108	264	Chappell, P G	Richland	June	5 April 1864
109	265	Lucas, Simons	Georgetown	Joseph	15 Sept 1862
110	266	Gadsden, Benjamin C	Charleston	Jack	11 Sept 1863
111	267	Adams, William	Laurens	Henry	23 April 1864
112	268	Ravenel, H W	Edgefield	Jim	2 Aug 1864
113	269	Wise, Jerry	Edgefield	Jacob	3 Aug 1864
114	270	Wilkes, Estate Richd	Chester	Mose	21 Sept 1863
115	271	Padgett, T D	Edgefield	Marshall	5 April 1864
116	272	Sullivan, John	Edgefield	Chandler	17 Nov 1863
117	273	Boyce, Mrs N E	Laurens	Mack	30 Aug 1864
118	274	McWever, George	Edgefield	Hal	17 Nov 1863
119	275	Byrd, George	Laurens	Frank	1 Sept 1864
120	276	O'Connor, Francis	Edgefield	Ben	4 Aug 1864
121	277	Lee, James B	Chester	Tom	16 Dec 1863
122	278	Whitaker, John	Kershaw	Joshua	15 July 1863
123	279	Johnson, R B	Kershaw	Brutus	20 July 1864
124	280	Cureton, John B	Kershaw	January	20 July 1864
125	281	Johnson, R B	Kershaw	Bill	20 July 1864
126	282	Jordan, Jonathan	Abbeville	Anthony	14 Sept 1863
127	283	Haysworth, R P	Clarendon	Simon	15 July 1863
128	284	Haysworth, R P	Clarendon	George	18 Dec 1863
129	285	Purvis, James	Edgefield	Jacob	4 April 1864
130	286	LaBorde, M	Richland	Brister	26 Meh 1864
131	287	Whitner, J N	Darlington	Balers	22 Feb 1864
132	288	Springs, A B	York	William	21 Sept 1863
133	289	Stuart, Mary J	York	Dave	21 Sept 1863
134	290	Hemphill, M G	York	Anthony	21 Sept 1863
135	291	Barron, Archibald	York	Tom	21 Sept 1863
136	292	Swan, James M	York	Elias	21 Sept 1863
137	293	Lenoir, Isaac N	Sumter	Edmund	17 Oct 1863
138	294	Thomas, W R	Union	Esau	14 Sept 1863
139	295	Lawton, William M		Tom	
140	296	Lawton, William M	Abbeville	Pardon	30 Aug 1864
141	297	Muldrow, J E	Sumter	Harrison	22 Feb 1864
142	298	Ferguson, Henry	Spartanburg	Willis	31 Aug 1864
143	299	Gantt, Jas L, Trustee	Charleston	Josh	26 Jan 1864
144	300	Whetsell, J W	Colleton	Billy	10 Sept 1863
145	301	Johnson, Harriet	Orangeburg	Tom	16 Nov 1863
146	302	Charles, E W	Darlington	Guy	22 Feb 1864
147	303	Matthews, J F	Charleston	Bob	16 May 1864
148	304	Williamson, Est T C	Darlington	Lewis	22 Feb 1864
149	305	James, Estate W E	Darlington	Frederick	23 Feb 1864

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Date of death	Valuation by Sworn Appraisers.	Valuation under Act.	DECISION OF AUDITOR.
14 Oct 1863	2,000		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.
4 Mar "	4,000	2,000	Allowed \$2,000
2 Nov "	1,400		do 1,400
9 Feb 1864	3,000		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.
23 Dec 1863		2,000	Allowed \$2,000
18 Dec "		2,000	do 2,000
12 Nov "	1,600		do 1,600
14 Oct "	3,500	1,700	do 1,700
25 Mar 1864	2,500		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.
30 Apr "		2,100	Allowed \$2,100
21 Nov 1862	3,500	2,500	do 2,500
19 Oct 1863	2,000		do 2,000
19 May 1864	2,500		do 2,500
19 May "		1,800	do 1,800
22 Aug "	3,500	2,000	do 2,000
4 Sept "	5,000	2,300	do 2,300
30 Oct 1863	4,000		do 4,000
24 May 1864	4,500		Suspended, appraisement incomplete.
12 Dec 1863		2,000	Allowed \$2,000
3 Oct 1864		3,100	do 3,100
5 Jan "		1,700	do 1,700
18 Oct "	5,000	3,000	do 3,000
29 Aug "	6,000	1,000	do 1,000
25 Feb "	5,000	2,500	do 2,500
21 Sept 1863		700	do 700
8 Sept 1864		2,800	do 2,800
15 Aug "		2,800	do 2,800
10 Aug "		2,800	do 2,800
19 Oct 1863		1,800	do 1,800
		1,800	do 1,800
18 Jan 1864	5,000		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.
29 Apr "		2,200	Allowed \$2,200
15 Apr "	4,000	2,100	do 2,100
20 July "	6,000	1,800	do 1,800
11 Nov 1863		1,900	do 1,900
22 Nov "		700	do 700
		1,900	do 1,900
20 Oct 1863		1,900	do 1,900
8 Jan 1864		1,800	do 1,800
10 Jan "	4,000	2,000	do 2,000
23 Oct 1863	2,500	1,400	do 1,400
5 Sept 1864	5,000		} Suspended for claimant's statement on oath.
18 May "	5,000	2,500	
15 Sept "		2,800	do 2,800
22 Feb "		2,200	do 2,200
29 Sept 1863	None		Suspended for statement of claim on oath.
Feb 1864	2,000	1,700	Allowed \$1,700
10 Mar "		1,800	do 1,800
10 June "		2,500	do 2,500
10 May "	4,500	1,800	do 1,800
12 May "	4,500	2,800	do 2,800

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Present number.	Office number.	Name of Owner.	District.	Name of Slaves.	Date of Impressment.
150	306	Wilson, Robert B	Sumter	Bob	27 Sept 1864
151	307	Wilson, S E, Trustee	"	Nero	24 Feb "
152	308	Wilson, A Flynn	"	Elison	24 Feb "
153	309	Goodwyn, Col A D	Kershaw	Henry	20 July "
154	310	Huntt, Mrs E J	Richland	Hope	2 Aug "
155	311	Nettles, William	Sumter	Bob	27 Sept "
156	312	Bigham, John F	Chester	Sam	30 Aug "
157	313	Barber, W G	"	Gib	28 July "
158	314	Walker, W P	Barnwell	Billy	14 Aug 1863
159	315	Adams, William	York	Alexander	21 Sept "
160	316	Whitesides, Robert	"	Ned	22 Aug 1864
161	317	Whitesides, Robert	"	Philip	10 Oct 1862
162	318	Gill, John G	"	George or Wash	28 July 1864
163	319	Moss, Joseph R	"	Stephen	21 Sept 1863
164	320	Singley, Jacob	Newberry	Henry	27 Apr 1864
165	321	Atkinson, James	Chester	Charles	28 July "
166	322	Culp, Mrs Sarah	"	George	28 July "
167	323	Norton, Alexander	Greenville	Nelson	30 Aug "
168	324	Heath, George G	Chester	Pance	27 July "
169	325	Sullivan, G W	Laurens	Billy	30 Aug "
170	326	Holland, Daniel	Edgefield	Jim	28 Sept 1863
171	327	Blair, Samuel	York	Isaac	21 Sept "
172	328	McCullough, J A	"	Irvine	30 Aug 1864
173	329	Hall, John R	"	George	30 Aug "
174	330	Tate, Hugh	"	Lawson	21 Sept 1863
175	331	Coker, J L	Darlington	Sam	22 Feb 1864
176	332	Tate, Hugh	York	Lewis	21 Sept 1863
177	333	McGraw, M	Fairfield	Jim	2 Aug 1864
178	334	Herron, R A	"	Jerry	4 Apr "
179	335	Curry, John	Edgefield	Lewis	4 Apr "
180	336	Lambright, B G	Spartanburg	Curry	25 Apr "
181	337	Brice, Mrs Agnes	Fairfield	Alfred	16 Sept 1862
181		Brice, Mrs Agnes	"	Lige	2 Aug 1864
182	338	Ellerbe, R G	Kershaw	Toby	15 July 1863
182		Ellerbe, R G	"	Richard	25 May 1864
183	339	Elliott, H L, agent for W H Ellison	Fairfield	Amos	16 Nov 1863
184	340	Lowry, James G	Chester	Jerry	21 Sept "
185	341	Owen, David	Laurens	Natus	14 Sept "
186	342	Jordan, Samuel	Abbeville	Dick	Sept 1862
187	343	Teague, Estate Jesse	Laurens	Tom	14 Sept 1863
188	344	Fair, Simeon	Newberry	Yorick	30 Aug 1864
189	345	Philson, William	Laurens	Sparks	14 Sept 1863
190	346	Gardner, S W	Edgefield	Stephen	1 Jan 1864
191	347	Vance, Robert S	Laurens	Aaron	14 Sept 1863
192	348	Mills, William	"	Pink	14 Sept "
193	349	Henry, Dr Nathan	"	Tom	20 Sept 1864
194	350	Milam, John	"	Jessie	14 Sept 1863
195	351	Seabrook, Col E M	Charleston	Joe	12 Feb 1864
196	352	Graves, George	Abbeville	Joe	30 Aug "
197	353	Swindler, R C	Newberry	Tom	26 Apr "
198	354	Edmonds, James E	Abbeville	Neel or Cornelius	25 Apr "

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Date of death	Valuation by Sworn Ap- praisers.	Valuation under Act.	• DECISION OF AUDITOR.
23 Oct 1864	None		Suspended for further proof of im't and death.
4 May "		2,500	Allowed \$2,500
14 Apr "		2,000	do 2,000
9 Aug "		1,500	do 1,500
1 Sept "		2,000	do 2,000
	6,000	2,400	Suspended for further proof of death.
2 Oct 1864		2,800	Allowed 2,800
	None	1,000	Suspended for further proof of death.
5 Oct 1863		1,700	Allowed \$1,700
13 Oct "		2,000	do 2,000
6 Oct 1864		1,500	do 1,500
17 Jan 1863	2,600		do 2,600
31 Oct 1864		2,400	do 2,400
30 Jan "		1,900	do 1,900
14 May "	5,000	2,100	do 2,100
6 Aug "	2,500	2,500	do 2,500
1 Sept "		2,500	do 2,500
10 Oct "	6,000	3,000	do 3,000
28 Aug "	3,500	2,500	do 2,500
15 Sept "		2,200	do 2,200
28 May "	4,000		do 4,000
19 Oct 1863		2,000	do 2,000
11 Oct 1864		3,000	do 3,000
30 Oct "		3,000	do 3,000
25 Dec 1863		1,800	do 1,800
4 Apr 1864		1,900	do 1,900
20 Dec 1863		1,800	do 1,800
22 Sept 1864		2,000	do 2,000
17 May "		2,200	do 2,200
16 May "		2,200	do 2,200
5 June "	None		Suspended for appraisement under Act.
Dec 1862		1,800	Allowed \$1,800
5 Sept 1864		2,500	do 2,500
		1,000	Suspended for further proof of death.
16 June "		2,200	Allowed \$2,200
	3,000	1,900	} Suspended for further proof of death.
Aug "		1,700	
			do 1,900
26 Oct 1862		750	do 750
20 Nov 1863		2,000	do 2,000
14 Sept 1864		3,200	do 3,200
23 Oct 1863		1,900	do 1,900
20 Jan 1864	4,000		do 4,000
11 Dec 1863	5,000	1,600	do 1,600
	6,000	1,800	do 1,800
	6,000	3,000	do 3,000
20 Oct 1863	4,500	700	do 700
30 Mar 1864		2,000	do 2,000
5 Oct "		3,000	do 3,000
14 May "	4,500	2,000	do 2,000
18 May "	5,000	2,300	do 2,300

Abstract of claims for Slaves lost

Present num- ber.	Office num- ber.	Name of owner.	District	Name of Slave	Date of Im- pressment.
199	355	Mobley, Samuel F	Fairfield	Spencer	1 April 1864
200	356	Boykin, Mrs M E	Kershaw	Glasgow	22 Feb 1864
201	357	Massey, S B	Lancaster	May	12 Sept 1863
		Massey, S B		Samson	12 Sept 1863
202	358	Milling, D C	Darlington	Mark	16 Oct 1863
203	359	Crawford, M N, admr	Lancaster	James	15 Sept 1863
204	360	Scarborough, J Z	Darlington	Jim	22 Feb 1864
205	361	Fountain, W J	Darlington	Sam	16 Oct 1863
206	362	Brunson, W C	Darlington	Thomas	22 Feb 1864
207	363	Creswell, James	Abbeville	Green	16 Sept 1863
208	364	Humphreys, David	Anderson	Dan	14 Sept 1863
209	365	Adger, Rev John B	Anderson	Ben	Sept 1863
210	366	Kilpatrick, Est F W	Pickens	George	14 Sept 1863
211	367	Smith, Elizabeth M	Pickens	Sidney	14 Sept 1863
212	368	Adger, Robert	Anderson	Wynder	15 Sept 1864
213	369	Kellar, Elizabeth	Abbeville	Murro	16 Sept 1863
214	370	Sibert, George	Abbeville	Calvin	14 Sept 1863
215	371	Calhoun, E R	Abbeville	Wesley	14 Sept 1863
216	372	Milec, Aquila	Edgefield	Boston	5 April 1864
217	373	Talbert, Estate Susan	Edgefield	Sandy	1 Oct 1862
218	374	Tucker, Landon	Edgefield	Dempsey	15 Nov 1863
219	375	Searles, E A	Edgefield	Lewis	25 April 1864
220	376	Freeman, Sterling S	Edgefield	Aaron	20 Meh 1864
221	377	Self, Huldah V	Edgefield	Morris	20 Meh 1864
222	378	Jennings, Washington	Edgefield	Dick	20 Meh 1864
223	379	Payne, Thomas	Edgefield	Henry	10 Nov 1863
224	380	Shaw, Pleasant	Laurens	John	Sept 1863
225	381	Davidson, Robert	Union	Harry	14 Sept 1863
226	382	Harling, Sr, Jacob	Edgefield	Jerry	19 Sept 1864
227	383	Gibson, Estate E	Edgefield	Reuben	4 Aug 1864
228	384	Watson, Mrs T	Edgefield	Tom	Sept 1863
229	385	Creswell, H H	Abbeville	Spencer	Sept 1863
230	386	Mims, Robert H	Edgefield	Adam	3 April 1864
231	387	Rushlin, Benjamin	Edgefield	Wade	16 Nov 1863
232	388	Rodgers, William	Edgefield	Stephen	2 Aug 1864
233	389	Dantzler, J P	Orangeburg	July	Aug 1864
234	390	Ward, Magham	Marlborough	Tom	22 Feb 1864
235	391	Trist, Thomas	Marlborough	Ned	22 Feb 1864
236	392	Lane, Dr James H	Marlborough	George	22 Feb 1864
237	393	Wood, W R	Barnwell	Prince	17 Nov 1863
238	394	Ellerbe, E B	Marion	Peter	16 Oct 1863
239	395	Garner, J C	Darlington	Charles	25 May 1864
240	396	Godbold, Asa	Marion	Ned	10 Sept 1863
241	397	Rast, G D, Guardian of Minors Harylers	Orangeburg	Shadrack	April 1863
242	398	Milhouse, J R	Orangeburg	Sam	14 Aug 1863
243	399	McLeod, John W, Trustee Mary Ellen Lewis	Marlborough	Abe	
244	400	Connor, Elizabeth	Charleston	Cæsar	15 July 1863 1 Sept 1863

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Date of Death	Valuation of Sworn Appraisers.	Valuation under Act.	DECISION OF AUDITOR.
2 Apr 1864		1,800	Allowed \$1,800
25 Oct 1863		2,000	do 1,300
16 Oct "			} do 7,000
9 Nov "		1,800	do 1,800
14 Oct "	4,000		do 4,000
15 Apr 1864		2,000	do 2,000
13 Nov 1863	4,500	1,500	do 1,500
30 Mar 1864		1,800	do 1,800
17 Oct 1863	2,700	1,600	do 1,600
1 Nov "	3,000	1,600	do 1,600
1 Oct "	2,500		Suspended, slave wounded, not dead.
1 Dec "	3,250	1,800	Allowed \$1,800
26 Oct "	3,000	1,700	do 1,700
16 Nov 1864	5,000	3,000	do 3,000
21 Nov 1863	2,800	1,900	do 1,900.
			Suspended, no appraisement.
11 Oct "		1,800	Allowed \$1,800
11 May 1864	4,000	1,800	do 1,800
	4,000		Suspended for proof of death.
7 Jan "	4,000	2,000	Allowed \$2,000
6 June "	4,000	2,200	do 2,200
5 May "	4,000	2,000	do 2,000
2 May "	4,000	2,200	do 2,200
1 May "	4,500	2,300	do 2,300
2 Dec 1863	5,000	2,000	do 2,000
Nov "	5,000	2,000	do 2,000
19 Dec "	4,000	1,800	do 1,800
	7,000	3,200	Suspended for proof of death.
25 Aug 1864	5,500	2,500	Allowed \$2,500
30 Dec 1863	4,500		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.
10 Oct "	2,800	1,700	Allowed \$1,700
12 May 1864	4,000	2,500	do 2,500
12 Jan "	5,500	2,200	do 2,200
26 Aug "	5,000	2,500	Suspended for proof of death.
9 Sept "	2,500	1,800	Allowed \$1,800
23 Apr "	3,000	1,000	do 1,000
11 Apr "		2,000	do 2,000
10 Apr "	6,000	2,500	do 2,500
4 Jan "	6,000	2,000	do 2,000
8 Dec 1863	4,000	1,700	do 1,700
31 May 1864		2,800	do 2,800
2 Nov 1863	4,000		do 4,000
30 May "	1,200		do 1,200
23 Sept "	3,000		do 3,000
29 Sept "	3,000	1,700	do 1,700
Oct "	1,200		do 1,200

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Present num- ber.	Office num- ber.	Name of Owner.	District.	Name of Slave.	Date of Im- pressment.
245	401	Abney, Mrs T	Edgefield	Henson	Sept 1863
246	402	Tomkins, S S	Edgefield	Primus	24 Sept 1863
		Tomkins, S S		Alick	24 Mch 1864
247	403	Sanders, S H	Sumter	Calvin	17 Sept 1864
248	404	Bowman, R A	Orangeburg	Wilson	15 Aug 1863
249	405	Briggs, R R	Clarendon	Polidore	27 Sept 1864
250	406	Prescott, W F	Edgefield	Robert	14 Aug 1863
251	407	Mouzon, D K	Williamsburg	Ben	15 July 1863
252	408	Harrison, J W, Ag't Col F E Harrison	Anderson	Mose	15 Sept 1863
253	409	Verner, Estate S J	Pickens	Freeman	17 Sept 1863
254	410	Hart, Thos W, Minor	Darlington	Dave	22 Feb 1864
255	411	Fountain, Thomas E	Darlington	Amos	19 Sept 1864
256	412	Baker, Joseph T	Abbeville	Tom	10 Sept 1862
257	413	Kirk, P C	Charleston	Lancaster	26 Jan 1864
258	414	Lide, Evan J	Darlington	Sandy	16 Sept 1864
259	415	Smith, John	York	Hampton	23 April 1864
260	416	Witherspoon, Est J D	L'ter or Fairfield	Anthony	15 Sept 1863
261	417	Aiken, D Wyatt	Abbeville	Sampson	1 Nov 1861

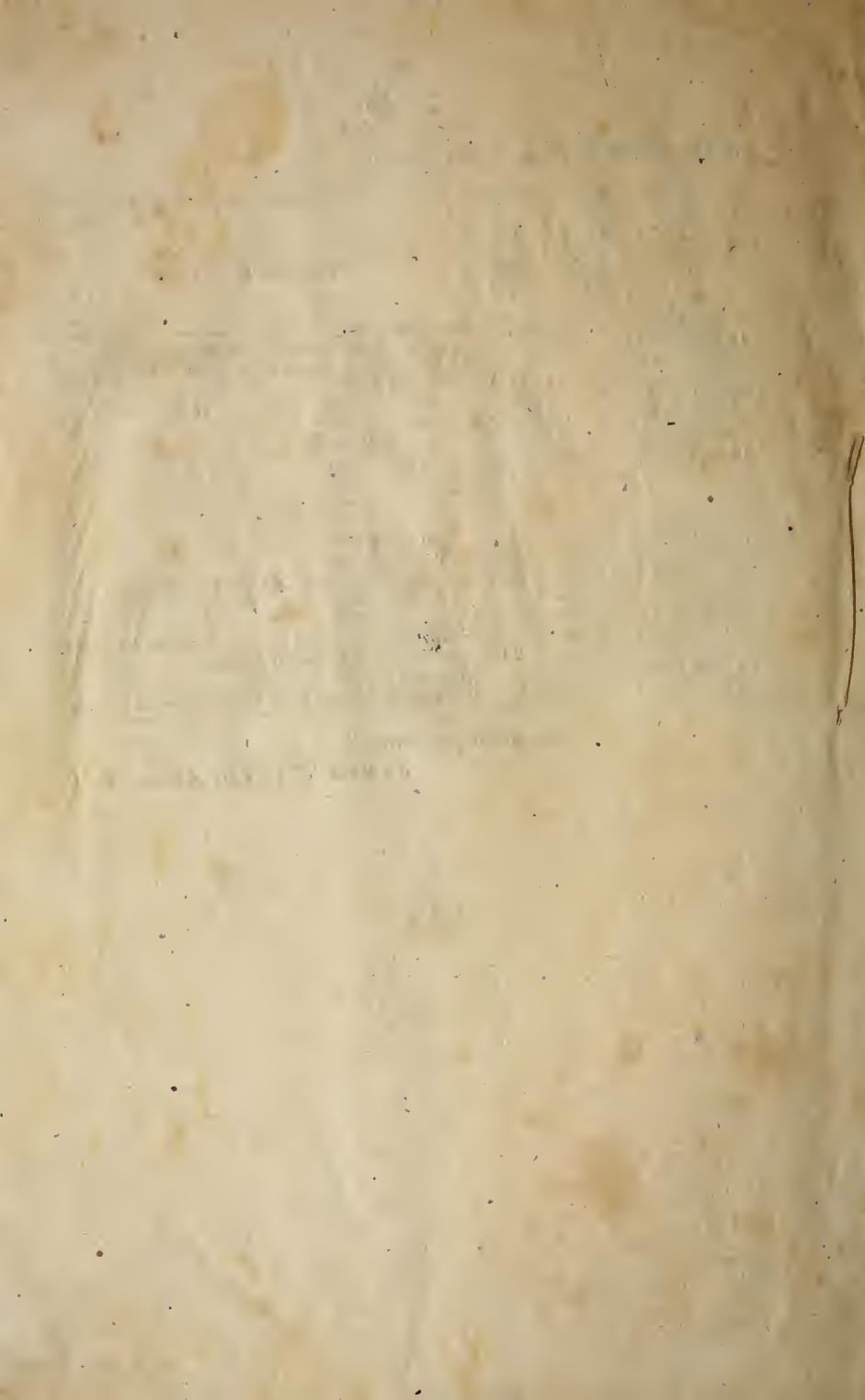
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Date of death	Valuation by Sworn Appraisers.	Valuation under Act.	DECISION OF AUDITOR.	
15 Sept 1863	3,000		Suspended for proof of impressment and death.	
Dec. 1863	2,500		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.	
June 1864	4,500	2,100	Allowed	\$2,100
28 Oct 1864		2,500	do	2,500
Sept 1864		1,700	do	1,700
Nov 1864	6,000	2,800	do	2,800
14 Sept 1863	3,000	1,800	do	1,800
1863		1,700	do	1,700
		1,900	do	1,900
4 Dec 1863				
28 June 1864	2,500		do	2,500
4 Nov 1864	5,500	2,000	do	2,000
23 Oct 1864	6,000	2,000	Suspended for proof of State impressment.	
23 Oct 1862	1,000		do	1,000
1 Mch 1864	2,000		do	2,000
19 Oct 1864	6,000		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.	
1864		2,000	Suspended for proof of death.	
24 Nov 1863	4,000		Allowed	\$4,000
26 Dec 1861	900		Suspended for proof of impressment by State.	

Respectfully submitted,

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