



# The Headlight.

THOS. E. PENN. : Publisher.  
Gray Georgia, Saturday, Dec. 8

Next Monday will be the Colored people's day at the Augusta Exposition, and it is estimated that the number will reach 10,000.

Miss Ethel Ingall, a daughter of Senator Ingall, is going to take charge of the Washington society column of a New York newspaper. She says she wants to make money in order to buy her father a new library in the place of the one that was burned.

Up to this date forty-four babies, two gas wells, a mountain and a new variety of apples have been named for Harrison. At this rate there is likely to be considerable confusion before Harrison makes way for his successor. Why not give Levi Morton a share of the honors?

The largest and most fruitful gourd vine yet on record is reported as having been grown this year by Mr. Frank Burton, a few miles from Oglethorpe. From it has been gathered one hundred and thirty-six water gourds with handles averaging eighteen inches, and besides these were fifteen or twenty gourds broken before they were ripe.

"Do not spit your snuff and tobacco on the stove, and neither behind the rear. No loafers is allowed in here; all on the outside. And no boys at all, only those who have business here. And do not lie on the seats." This printed notice was posted in the depot at Griffin by the porter, and brought to Macon by a gentleman who thought it too good to be kept in Griffin.—Macon Telegraph.

## THE CANDIDATE.

Mother, who travels our road so late?  
Hush, my child, 'tis the candidate.  
Fit example of human woes,  
Early he comes and late he goes.  
He greets the women with courtly grace,  
He kisses the baby's dirty face;  
He calls to the fence the farmer at work,  
He bosses the merchant, he bosses the clerk.

"Howdy, howdy, how d'ye you do,  
How is your wife and how are you?  
Ah! it fits my fists as no other can  
The horny hands of the working man."

Charley, who is that at the gate?  
Hids, my love, it's the candidate.  
Charley, why can't he work like you,  
His be nothing stall at home to do?  
My dear, whenever a man is down,  
Croy in the grass and laborers gone to town,  
Too plain to preach and too proud to beg,  
Too timid to plough and too lazy to dig,  
Then over his horse his legs he flings  
And to the dear people this song he sings:

"Howdy, howdy, how d'ye you do,  
How is your wife and how are you?  
Ah! it fits my fists as no other can  
The horny hands of the working man."

Brother, who work early and late?  
Ask these things of the candidate.  
What is his record, how does he stand  
About Independantism, matters not  
his hand.  
Be it hard or soft, so it is not prone  
To close over money not his own.  
Has he in view some lively plan  
To help public schools and the working man?  
Ocher such a man till the welkins rings,  
Join in the chorus while he sings:  
"Howdy, howdy, how d'ye you do,  
How is your wife and how are you?  
Ah! it fits my fists as no other can  
The honest hand of the working man."

Jasper County News.

## TO OUR PATRONS.

We feel grateful to our friends who have come up and settled their subscription to this paper, and take this method of reminding others, who are in arrears, that we are patiently (?) waiting for them to do likewise.

# Jones County Sheriff's Sale.

GEORGIA—JONES COUNTY.

By virtue of an order from Court of Ordinary of Jones County, Georgia, I will sell at Court House door in Clinton on the first Tuesday in January next, within legal hours of sale sixty seven and 1/2 acres of land more or less as the property of Estate Wyatt Patterson (col) deceased, situate near Lavender on the line of Central Rail Road. Common pine land with small improvements thereon. Sold to pay debts and expenses. Terms cash.

W. W. BARRON, Administrator.

Nov. 27th 1888.

Ordinary's Office, Jones Co., Ga.

Nov. 17th 1888.

Whereas, Pleasant H. Bird, Executor of Estate John W. Bird, deceased, applies to me for Diversion. These are to cite all persons concerned to show cause if any they have to the contrary at this office on or by the first Monday in March next.

Witness my hand officially.

R. T. ROSS, Ordinary

GEORGIA—JONES COUNTY.

By virtue of an order from Court of Ordinary, I will sell at the Court House door in Clinton within the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in January next, one hundred and seventy two (172) acres of land more or less belonging to estate of Thomas J. Messer deceased. This is good land in Township Thirt, three miles from the C. & M. R. Road, on waters of Hog creek, in a good state of cultivation, with good dwelling and other houses, adjoining estate of James Barnes, D. T. Middlebrooks and others—is an excellent investment.—Sold for Division and to pay debts. Terms one half cash, the other at 12 months. Nov. 18th 1888.

L. W. JOLLY, Adm'r.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

JONES COUNTY LANDS.

By virtue of an order from the Court of Ordinary of Jones County, Georgia, I will sell at the Court House door in Clinton within the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in December 1888. Fifty acres of land belonging to the Children of C. L. Bidley, Jr. Situate on Falling Creek in North-west part of Jones county, good land, and sold for support and education of said minor children. It adjoins H. R. Baker and the public road from Salisbury to Clinton. Terms Cash.—Oct. 16th 1888.

C. L. RIDLEY, Guardian.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

JONES COUNTY LANDS.

By virtue of an order from the Court of Ordinary of Jones County, Georgia, I will sell at the Court House door in Clinton within the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in December 1888. Three hundred acres of land more or less, belonging to estate of Martin H. Malone deceased. Some good land plenty water and timber no improvements. Situated three miles from C. & M. R. R. in North west part of Jones county. Adjoins Middlebrooks, Gordon, Crutchenfeld and others. Sold for Distribution. Terms Cash.—Oct. 15th 1888.

JOHN F. ANDERSON, Adm.

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25-3m. H. A. MORGAN.

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## TOWN AND COUNTY.

**Mrs. E. G. HARDEMAN, Local Editor.**

Now is the time to plant your Christmas advertisements.

Congress is in session again and promises to be a lively one.

Col. John T. Glenn has been recently elected Mayor of Atlanta.

The Legislature will send a committee next week to inspect the Lunatic Asylum at Milledgeville.

The propriety of annexing Canada to the United States has become a national issue, and will probably be considered during the present session of Congress.

Read the new advertisement of Clarence H. Cubbedge in 20-days issue. His stock of goods has been selected with care, and are offered at prices to suit the times. Give him a call when you visit the Central City.

Mr. J. W. Adams sold two fox hounds to a gentleman in Washington county, who writes back nothing in the shape of a fox can out speed them—that their dogs are as nothing compared with the Putnam dogs.—Messenger.

Another mysterious murder has occurred in Newton County in which Mr. W. G. Jones was the unfortunate victim. He was found dead in the woods near his home, eight miles west of Covington, a few days ago, with several bullet holes in his head. As yet the affair is a mystery and no clue to the murderer has been found.

The Covington and Macon railroad is about completed to Athens, and we learn a schedule for the running of regular trains into the classic city will be arranged in a few days. Perhaps the work on the extension to Covington will then be commenced. We are anxiously awaiting the return of Capt. E. C. Machen to our city, to arrange for the work. Let him come along—Covington Star.

At Washington, D. C. the chaplain, for Congress, in his opening prayer offered the following petition in behalf of President elect Harrison: "Amidst the perplexities by which he is beset under the solemn sense of the responsibility of his great trust, grant him the sense of thy presence, and comfort and guard his person from all peril and danger; preserve him in perfect health of body and of mind; vouchsafe him light and cheer; and be thou the strength of his heart and his portion forever."

Mr. Israel F. Brown, brother of the late Judge E. E. Brown, is visiting his nieces and nephew, at the Ridgerton Hotel. Mr. Brown was a citizen of Macon as far back as the 1825-26, and was living in Clinton, Jones county, when LaFayette made his memorable visit through Georgia. He was superintendent of the first cotton gin manufactory in Georgia, which was located at Clinton. He is now over 80 years of age, and is the inventor of the famous Brown gin factory, at New London Conn., the largest shop of that description in the country. His gin is used throughout every cotton state. The health of the enterprising and venerable gentleman is remarkably good, and his energy and activity are wonderful.

## CLINTON LOCALS.

Judge R. T. Ross visited Macon Thursday.

Mr. Robt. V. Smith died at his home near Plantation last Thursday.

Miss May Stewart is spending the week with little friends in Clinton.

Mrs. Park and little grand daughter, of Haddock's, are visiting Mrs. Greaves.

Frank, Robert and Gordon Hardeman spent Thanksgiving and Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bragg are quite proud over a new boy who has been with them for the last few days.

Messrs. Holmes Johnson and Cater Etheridge, of Macon, came out as far as Gray hunting on the 29th.

Mr. Jule Wynne, of Ala., and Miss Mattie Horne, of Jones county, were married by Rev. J. R. King, on Sunday last.

Mrs. M. A. Phillips is spending this week with Haddock friends, during Rev. Phillips' absence at Conference.

Miss Gene Adeuck, of Rome, Ga., is visiting the Misses Stripling and with Miss Minnie was in town to see us Wednesday.

Mr. J. C. Powell who died last week in Macon was formerly Miss VanBuren of Griswoldville and was a lovely lady.

Judge J. C. Barron has begun the work of remodeling and improving the Kluge house, preparatory to moving into the same.

Messrs. Henry Bonner, James Sloumb and Thomas Morris visited Rev. M. A. Phillips prior to his departure for Conference.

Tuesday was sale day. Some lands were sold but little other property sold. A sale of some stock was postponed until Thursday.

Mr. Joe Willburn, with Coleman, Ray & Co., Macon, came out for a hunt. Thanksgiving day, carried back quite a string of birds and enjoyed the day finely.

Who'll be the generous friend to send the HEADLIGHT a Christmas gobble? Our Thanksgiving "turkey" was a home raised chicken of the Plymouth rock species.

Flora Jones, convicted last term of Jones county and sentenced for one year in Penitentiary, has been pardoned by the Governor and left for home Saturday full of rejoicing.

A little bird whispers that our Clinton and Gray lads and lassies are "hatching up" great plans for general jubilation on the nights of Dec. 24th and 25th. We hear they intend to "paint the old town red."

The young gentlemen of Clinton and Gray who attended the party at Mr. B. D. Lester's at Haddock's are loud in their expressions of the delightful time enjoyed by them. They pronounce the supper as one "par excellence."

Glad to hear that our genial and versatile young friend, Ed Coleman, of Haddock's, is up after a severe spell of sickness. The Clinton girls are anxious he should be completely restored to accustomed liveliness by the Christmas holidays.

Remember Mr. Ellis, of Ellis & Co., Macon, has just returned from the market, where he bought an immense stock at low prices. The holder of Ticket No. 1,099 will please call on the Music Box. Be sure when you Jones county folks go down to call on Ellis & Co., new Dannenberg Building.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Dr. Thos. Gibson, mother of Mrs. Will and Obie, is still quite ill at her home in the lower part of the county. Dr. Walker, of Macon, visited her Monday. She has been suffering for several weeks with typhoid fever. We hope she will soon recover for she is a most excellent lady.

Monday was regular county court day and the town was full of people. The court house presented a regular Superior court day appearance.

Judge Blackwell of Jasper county court presided for Judge Barron during Monday and returned to Monticello that P. M. Court was continued until noon on Tuesday.

Judge Richard Johnson was also in attendance and argued several cases.

We will publish the new schedule next week.

Rev. Sam Jones will visit Clinton is the 1st of January.

The cry is "hard times" and it is always so just about the time for paying city, state and county taxes.

President Cleveland has declined to visit the Augusta Exposition owing to a pressure of business that requires his steady attention.

Mr. E. S. Steadman, the popular Editor of the Lithonia News Era, was married last week to Miss Maggie Clark, a charming young lady of Covington.

Sending kisses by photograph has its advantages, too. The man who eats cloves because he likes them can not travel faster without stumbling over a divorce.

It is an old story that over a million dollars cash has been offered by a large railroad system for the Covington and Macon road, and the same was refused.—Macon News.

The people generally are poor and poverty is no disgrace. But if poverty comes by waste, by extravagance, then poverty is a righteous punishment.

We are in receipt of a letter from Superintendent Melroy stating that a new schedule will be placed on the C. & M. R. next Monday the 10th inst, when the trains will run into Athens. Hurrah for the C. & M.

In front of Ellis & Co.'s store on Cherry street is the figure of a negro thumping a banjo. It is life-like and attracts almost as much as the policeman who keeps up a constant tapping on the window of Goodwyn & Small's drug store next door.—Macon Telegraph.

A lady of intelligence, told us a few days ago that if it was very hard for young men to marry now on the small salaries they get, and if women compete with them for business places, she could not see much chance for any girls to get married unless they were daughters of rich men.

Angus E. Orr has drawn school statistics on Georgia, and shows that "she is the banner state of illiteracy, periless in prisonism." In the ratio of taxes for school purposes, no other state ranks so low as Georgia. Kansas gives four times as much, Virginia and Colorado three times, and even Utah doubles this empire state of the South.

Every lady wants to know what to wear and how to make it. Godey's Lady's Book tells all that, and much more. The December number is peculiarly rich, both with illustrations and literary matter; fashions, stories, poetry, shopping hints, and all that a refined and practical lady wants to know. Every lady ought to be a subscriber. Only \$2 a year, with a variety of premiums and other inducements. Address, "Godey's Lady's Book," Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. W. W. Jones and lady of this county, were in the city shopping last Wednesday. We might not have noticed this fact had it not been that Mr. J. related to us that wonderful collard story. It was cut and cooked a few days since at his house, and was of huge dimensions, enough to fast the family two days and then leave a hamper basket full for the cow. It was a collard from Collardtown, and if you don't believe it ask Mr. Jones.—Madison Advertiser.

The following complimentary notice of James H. Blount, Jr. son of our highly esteemed Congressman, appears in the Macon Evening News.

**ATTORNEY BLOUNT.**

Mr. Jim Blount, the very talented son of Congressman James H. Blount, was admitted to-day to the practice of law in Bibb Superior Court. He was given a most rigid and thorough examination, which he stood most excellently, showing him to have been a close, faithful and able student. The friends of the young gentleman predict for him a brilliant and enviable future.

## FROM HADDOCK'S.

The beauty and charity of the district, supplemented with several from abroad, were right regally entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Lester, last Wednesday night. It is conceded by all who were present that it was a very recherche affair, and indeed waited for nothing to make it "the occasion" of the season. It goes without saying that Mrs. L., as a hostess is par excellence, with all that that implies. It is to be regretted that space will not permit us to individualize, for seldom has there been such a bouquet of fair ones that embellishment could not adorn.

Miss Johnston, of Atlanta, is the guest for a few weeks of the Misses White. When together they bring to mind the Three Graces.

The accomplished Miss Florrie Outley, of Thomas county, is making a visit to her sister, Mrs. Rhode Lester.

Many and sincere are the regrets expressed at the closing of the season presided over by Miss Norman. Her abilities were fully appreciated by the many patrons, as shown in the advancement of the pupils.

Miss Ola Lamar, of Macon, is with Miss Hattie Moughan for a week.

Miss Annie Clark has her charming cousin Miss Chandler, with her for a brief season.

It will be a pleasure to the many friends of Marshall Norman to know that in lieu of merchandising, he will remain at his old post. May his relinquishment be very, very far off.

Under the guise of Rheumatism, Ed Coleman indulged a week or so in *dolce far niente*.

One of the "set" who loved not wisely, but too well, and who has been on the ragged edge for some time, is again proclaiming himself the preferred. Go it B. my young friend, these little episodes are essential to the vagaries of life and love.

Thanksgiving day was very generally observed by the merchants and others. All of the stores closed by agreement, thereby permitting the employees to have a day off. Some hunted game, mostly, however, "twas a hunt for turkey dinner."

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**CAMPBELL & JONES.**  
**For Nineteen Years Past**  
We have conducted Cotton Factorage at our Warehouse, corner of Second and Poplar Streets, Macon, Ga., and now at the opening of another season, once more offer our services to planters and shippers of cotton, pledging close personal attention to the interests of our patrons. Grateful to old friends and desiring to make new ones, we are yours truly  
Oct 20th.

**Campbell & Jones.**  
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AND  
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