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MEMORIAL

A NUMBER OF CITIZENS OF MISSISSIPPI,

SETTLERS

In the Choctaw purchase, praying to be allowed the benefit of a pre-emption law.

FEBRUARY 5, 1838.

Laid on the table, and ordered to be printed.

To the honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, in Congress assembled :

The undersigned, citizens of the State of Mississippi, and of the Choctaw purchase, would respectfully present ourselves before you in the humble attitude of memorialists. Viewing our Government *paternal*, and you the heads and guardians thereof, and ourselves members of the same great family; and further, that we have only to lay before you our wants and grievances, and that they will be supplied and redressed with promptitude and despatch. With this confidence, therefore, we proceed :

We are emigrants, mostly, from the northern and middle States. We have located ourselves on the wild and forest land. We are mostly poor men, and men with dependant families. We have undergone all the toils and hardships of settling a wild and uncultivated country; all for the purpose of securing a home for ourselves and families. By our indefatigable industry and perseverance, we have opened farms sufficient to make a support for our families. It is now with your honorable body to say whether we shall have those homes, and whether we shall reap the fruit of our toil and labor.

If you compel us to buy our own labor, at a public sale, it is virtually saying we shall not have them at all. We are not able to compete with the capitalist, or the speculator. We, your memorialists, believe that we have a right to claim favor and indulgence at your hands.

1st. Because this Government has always held out the presumption that liberal changes in the existing laws would, from time to time, take place. The present Executive has gone into power as favorable to this principle and our cause as any other. In his letter to Mr. Williams, under date of August 8th, 1836, he says, in regard to the public lands, "That Congress should, in my opinion, act upon the principle, that the people of the United States have a greater interest in an *early settlement* and *substantial improvement* of the public lands, than in the amount of revenue which may

be derived from them. To accomplish this object, the accumulation of large tracts of lands in few hands should be discountenanced, and *liberal facilities* afforded to the acquisition of small portions by such of our citizens, wherever residing, as are in good faith desirous of possessing them as homes for themselves and families."

2d. Inducements have certainly been held out to the people to emigrate to the wild and waste lands. Promises have been made, again and again, to them, that something should be done in their favor. They have been looking out with confidence to your honorable body for those benefits heretofore extended to settlers upon the public lands. And whilst some have been warm in their favor, others have denounced them as squatters and transgressors, and must be driven off. This, indeed, would seem hard. To give them an inchoate title, allow them to take possession, and, after having cut down your forests, opened roads, built towns and court-houses, and brought the country to public view, and greatly enhanced its value by their enterprise and industry, you eject them without trial or compensation, and some without sympathy itself, houseless wanderers over a soil created for their benefit, and enriched by their industry, to seek for a home in a foreign land, where the clangor of arms and the sound of the bugle still float over the land. What, we ask, would an enlightened world say of such a course? Would they not denounce it as an act of cruelty, heartless cruelty, in a Government professing to be paternal?

What, then, must be the views and feelings of the suffering west, should the Government continue to disregard their entreaties on this important subject, we leave your honorable body to determine.

3d. We claim your favorable legislation upon this subject upon another ground, and that is, upon the ground of impartial legislation. When we examine your statute books, we see them teeming with acts for the benefit of some classes of society. We see acts for the benefit of wealthy merchants, for the endowment of colleges, where a poor boy never enters. We see you supporting a military establishment, at a great expense, monopolized by the rich and opulent; for the erection of custom-houses, improving harbors, turnpikes, and canals, distress by fire, &c. To all which we do not object; but from these facts we deduce our right, as a part of the same great family, to claim some legislation in our favor. We do not ask for large appropriations, but we humbly ask your honorable body that a change in the public land sales may be so made as to confine the sales to the cultivator of the soil only—that monopolies in the public lands may be stopped. Our country is now greatly cursed by thousands of sections of our best lands, held by those speculators, and destined to remain in their wild and uncultivated state, perhaps for half a century, now held up to the cultivator at a price which he is unable to give. Unless you make some speedy change in the land system, all the public domain, worth cultivating, will be monopolized by a few capitalists. Your land offices will be superseded by private offices; as an evidence of which, we hereto annex the advertisement of two individuals in our State. Many more, of similar character, might be produced. From official documents, it is evident that the speculators have not given, on an average, more than from $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 per cent. above the minimum price. This small sum cannot be an inducement for any Government to protract a system so injurious in its effects. You wish to reduce the revenue to the economical expenditure of the Government. A change in the land system would effect all that purpose. Confine the sale of the

public lands alone to the cultivator, and prevent the honest laborer from having to buy his home at so dear a rate, and that too from the speculator. In addition to a general change of the land system, we, your memorialists, would humbly request your honorable body to favor us with another pre-emption law, regarding those who are actual and bona fide cultivators of the soil. We know that many have had objections to a pre-emption law, because of the frauds that have been practised through them. This we are free to acknowledge; but the greatest injury has been to the individuals themselves. The matter is with them and their God. The Government has lost but little by the many pre-emptions that have been granted. She has not lost more than from two to four cents per acre. This is a sum too insignificant for a Government to contend for. We know that great good has been done by the pre-emption laws. Many families have homes that, otherwise, could never have owned them. We ask if the principle upon which the pre-emption law is founded be a good one? We say it is. Then let us hold to a principle that is good in itself, and correct bad practice. We furthermore ask your honorable body to pass a law confining designing and unfeeling men from laying their Indian floats, under the 14th article of the treaty with the Choctaws at Dancing Rabbit creek, upon our settlements. These floats, at least many of them, have been gotten up by fraud. They have gotten into the hands of speculators, under the pretext of acting as agents for the Indians, and for which the Indians have received but little or no value. Many of them are located on the best Mississippi lands, and on farms too. It is not equity to suffer them to bring their floats from the poor lands of the country, and locate them on the richest land in the State, and thereby annoy settlers. We believe that your honorable body will say it is unjust, and consequently will secure the settler, and confine them to similar rate land to that lost by the Indian, if any was ever due him. All of which your memorialists would most respectfully submit, and as in duty bound will ever pray, &c.

A. S. Campbell
 A. H. Ferguson
 J. A. Young
 G. G. Harvey
 Robert Thrasher
 Edmund Jenkins
 Geo. I. Walsh
 Peter B. McDaniel
 Calvin Jones
 Robert Dorn
 W. D. Rone
 Timothy Porter
 Joseph G. Stone
 Nathan Nellson
 Wm. Metcalfe
 J. L. Watkins
 Wm. Lote
 G. W. Johnson
 Griffin Ross
 David Ross
 Wm. Meredith

Elias W. Porter
 James Gupton
 William Wooton
 James Steele
 Joseph B. Houston
 Wm. Roan
 W. W. Drinkwater
 Radding Womble
 Alexander Wooton
 Alex. Laughlin
 John Kelso
 Joseph M'Comb
 Wm. A. Meek
 Abram Allen
 R. Coleman
 Thos. Johnson
 C. Bowen
 James Buckley
 Richard Buckley
 Thos. Buckley
 John Sutton

Rob't Robson
 L. H. Paytress
 Jas. B. Ashmun
 Wm. A. Brown
 James Bailey
 John C. Baney
 H. P. Wamble

John Depreast
 Wm. Sutton
 James M. Davis
 Anderson Craige
 Thos. Hambleton
 Moses Newman

John W. Fulton
 Lewis G. Taylor
 William W. Brown
 James S. Smith
 Joseph B. Hinton
 Wm. Ross
 Wm. W. Taylor
 Richard W. Smith
 Alexander W. Smith
 Alex. I. Taylor
 John Ross
 James B. Taylor
 Wm. A. Ross
 Adam Ross
 H. G. Taylor
 Thos. Taylor
 E. Taylor
 James Taylor
 Richard Taylor
 Thos. Taylor
 John Taylor

DESOTO COUNTY
COTTON LANDS FOR SALE.

The subscribers offer for sale the following described lands, chiefly reservations in the Chickasaw nation, State of Mississippi. One or both can be always found at their office in Pontotoc.

HENRY ANDERSON.
EDWARD ORNE.

N. B.—All persons are hereby forbid cutting timber upon said lands.

WEST OF THE BASIS MERIDIAN.

MARSHALL COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
1	1	1	17	5	2	25	2	4	35	3	5
12	2	1	12	1	3	33	2	4	3	4	5
8	3	1	13	1	3	4	3	4	15	4	5
31	5	1	4	1	3	34	3	4	3	6	5
19	6	1	5	1	3	36	3	4	N. W. 1	2	1
Lots 3, 4, 5, 6 of 4, 5, 6, of)	1	2	9	1	3	1	4	4	S. E. 1	1	2
Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, of)	2	2	32	1	3	12	5	4	S. E. 6	2	2
	1	2	35	1	3	12	6	4	N. E. 31	2	2
	2	2	10	2	3	15	1	5	N. E. 8	4	2
	1	2	11	2	3	22	1	5	S. W. 6	3	3
	1	2	15	2	3	22	2	5	S. E. 31	3	3
	1	2	8	3	3	23	2	5	S. E. 5	4	3
	1	2	9	3	3	25	2	5	E. 23	4	4
	1	2	16	3	3	3	3	5	E. 2	4	3
	1	2	18	3	3	10	3	5	N. W. 21	1	4
	1	2	19	3	3	11	3	5	N. W. 22	1	4
	1	2	21	3	3	14	3	5	N. W. 30	2	4
	1	2	33	4	3	22	3	5	S. W. 26	5	4
	1	2	5	1	4	23	3	5	N. W. 36	5	4
	2	2	13	1	4	24	3	5	N. W. 22	4	5
	2	2	27	1	4	26	3	5	N. W. 15	5	5
	2	2	28	1	4	27	3	5			
	3	2	29	1	4	34	3	5			

DESOTO COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
9	2	5	4	6	5	17	1	6	25	2	6
8	3	5	9	6	5	24	1	6	36	2	6
17	3	5	16	6	5	25	1	6	17	3	6
19	3	5	17	6	5	28	1	6	18	3	6
21	3	5	18	6	5	32	1	6	25	3	6
9	4	5	South div. 3	1	6	33	1	6	26	3	6
16	4	5	1	1	6	3	2	6	27	3	6
17	4	5	8	1	6	4	2	6	28	3	6
20	4	5	10	1	6	5	2	6	29	3	6
30	4	5	11	1	6	7	2	6	5	4	6
31	4	5	13	1	6	9	2	6	10	4	6
32	4	5	15	1	6	10	2	6	11	4	6
5	5	5	16	1	6	12	2	6	12	4	6

DESOTO COUNTY—Continued.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
14	4	6	14	3	7	17	3	8	9	3	9
20	4	6	20	3	7	18	3	8	22	3	9
21	4	6	29	3	7	19	3	8	25	3	9
22	4	6	31	3	7	23	3	8	34	3	9
24	4	6	32	3	7	24	3	8	35	3	9
25	4	6	1	4	7	25	3	8	36	3	9
26	4	6	2	4	7	26	3	8	2	5	9
27	4	6	7	4	7	30	3	8	5	5	9
28	4	6	12	4	7	31	3	8	7	5	9
29	4	6	13	4	7	32	3	8	18	5	9
32	4	6	14	4	7	33	3	8	24	5	9
35	4	6	23	4	7	34	3	8	26	5	9
36	4	6	32	4	7	35	3	8	27	5	9
18	5	6	34	4	7	19	4	8	29	5	9
27	5	6	7	5	7	20	4	8	6	2	5
28	5	6	13	5	7	26	4	8	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	2
8	6	6	16	5	7	27	4	8	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	28	2
12	6	6	22	5	7	29	4	8	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	29	2
13	6	6	16	6	7	11	5	8	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	30	2
1	1	7	21	1	8	14	5	8	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	6	3
South div.	5	1	22	1	8	22	5	8	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	3
6	1	7	23	1	8	23	5	8	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	3
8	1	7	26	1	8	26	5	8	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	9	3
10	1	7	27	1	8	33	5	8	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	9	3
11	1	7	32	1	8	36	5	8	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	32	3
25	1	7	34	1	8	1	6	8	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	30	5
26	1	7	35	1	8	2	6	8	E. $\frac{1}{2}$	15	4
36	1	7	5	2	8	12	6	8	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	3
9	2	7	9	2	8	13	6	8	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	15	4
10	2	7	10	2	8	14	6	8	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	8	5
11	2	7	11	2	8	F. S.	19	1	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	13	5
12	2	7	14	2	8	20	1	9	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	5
14	2	7	15	2	8	30	1	9	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	5
16	2	7	18	2	8	11	2	9	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	6	6
21	2	7	19	2	8	13	2	9	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	6
23	2	7	20	2	8	18	2	9	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	4	3
26	2	7	21	2	8	19	2	9	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	3
28	2	7	22	2	8	22	2	9	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	29	1
29	2	7	27	2	8	35	2	9	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	30	3
3	3	7	3	3	8	36	2	9	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	22	5
5	3	7	5	3	8	4	3	9	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	3
10	3	7	7	3	8	5	3	9			
12	3	7	8	3	8	7	3	9			
13	3	7	10	3	8	8	3	9			

CHICKASAW COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	33	13	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	4	13
		1			1

LAFAYETTE COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
19	6	1	27	7	3	13	7	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	2	7
20	6	1	2	7	4	35	7	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	7
24	7	1	4	7	4	34	8	5	E. $\frac{1}{2}$	15	10
24	6	2	5	7	4	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	10	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	22	10
24	10	2	7	7	4	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	11	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	34	9
20	6	3	22	6	5	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	18	7			
95	6	3	12	7	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	7			

PANOLA COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
21	6	5	17	10	6	12	10	7	28	8	8
9	10	6	18	10	6	18	10	7	35	8	8
19	6	6	19	10	6	19	10	7	5	9	8
20	6	6	16	7	7	20	10	7	8	9	8
21	6	6	17	7	7	28	10	7	13	9	8
22	6	6	25	7	7	30	10	7	14	9	8
23	6	6	28	7	7	20	6	8	26	9	8
26	6	6	31	7	7	21	6	8	34	9	8
29	6	6	33	7	7	22	6	8	30	10	8
36	6	6	10	8	7	23	6	8	36	10	8
1	7	6	15	8	7	24	6	8	1	7	9
21	7	9	17	8	7	12	7	8	2	7	9
22	7	6	18	8	7	13	7	8	4	7	9
25	7	6	22	8	7	14	7	8	11	7	9
26	7	6	35	8	7	23	7	8	12	7	9
34	7	6	1	9	7	24	7	8	13	7	9
36	7	6	2	9	7	3	8	8	14	7	9
4	8	6	16	9	7	4	8	8	15	7	9
5	8	6	19	9	7	5	8	8	23	7	9
30	8	6	22	9	7	10	8	8	24	7	9
2	9	6	29	9	7	11	8	8	28	7	9
3	9	6	32	9	7	17	8	8	S. E. † 4	7	5
8	9	6	33	9	7	20	8	8	S. † 34	9	6
9	9	6	36	9	7	21	8	8	S. E. † 34	9	6
24	9	6	7	10	7	26	8	8			

PALOBUSHA COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
8	11	4	35	11	6	N. E. † 5	11	4	N. W. † 32	11	4
3	11	6	1	11	7	S. E. † 26	11	4	S. W. † 14	11	5
25	11	6									

EAST OF THE BASIS MERIDIAN.

TIPPAH COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
1	1	1	19	5	2	S. E. † 2	2	1	E. † 34	5	2
33	1	1	2	6	2	W. † 17	2	1	W. † 35	5	2
34	1	1	3	6	2	E. † 23	3	1	E. † 35	6	2
10	2	1	25	6	2	S. W. † 34	3	1	N. W. † 8	2	3
2	3	1	36	6	2	N. † 1	2	2	S. W. † 11	2	3
20	3	1	20	4	3	S. E. † 1	2	2	N. W. † 23	2	3
24	5	1	24	4	3	S. E. † 18	2	2	S. † 3	3	3
6	1	2	25	4	3	E. † 8	4	2	N. W. † 3	3	3
8	1	2	26	4	3	S. W. † 14	4	2	S. E. † 10	3	3
19	1	2	23	2	4	W. † 15	4	2	N. W. † 13	3	3
9	4	2	20	4	4	S. W. † 24	4	2	S. E. † 13	3	3
23	4	2	24	5	4	S. W. † 25	4	2	N. E. † 13	3	3
18	5	2	19	6	4	E. † 27	5	2	S. † 15	3	3

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Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
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E. † 24	3	3	S. W. † 18	4	3	E. † 23	5	3	N. E. † 8	2	4
S. E. † 29	3	3	S. E. † 18	4	3	S. W. † 23	5	3	S. E. † 10	2	4
N. E. † 5	4	3	N. W. † 21	4	3	N. E. † 26	5	3	S. E. † 12	2	4
S. W. † 9	4	3	N. E. † 22	4	3	S. E. † 31	5	3	N. E. † 17	2	4
S. E. † 11	4	3	N. W. † 30	4	3	W. † 1	6	3	S. E. † 24	2	4
N. W. † 17	4	3	S. W. † 30	4	3	N. W. † 2	6	3	W. † 31	2	4
S. E. † 17	4	3	N. E. † 31	4	3	N. E. † 10	6	3	E. † 6	4	4
N. E. † 17	4	3	N. E. † 1	5	3	E. † 11	6	3	N. E. † 27	4	4
S. W. † 17	4	3	N. W. † 17	5	3	S. W. † 13	6	3	N. E. † 18	5	4

TISHOMINGO COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
11	1	6	11	2	7	20	4	8	N. E. † 34	6	6
26	2	6	13	2	7	34	6	8	N. W. † 35	6	6
22	3	6	14	2	7	13	4	10	N. E. † 21	2	7
23	3	6	15	2	7	22	4	10	S. W. † 23	2	7
22	4	6	18	2	7	23	4	10	S. † 14	3	7
23	4	6	7	3	7	S. W. † 4	2	6	N. † 23	3	7
24	5	6	18	3	7	N. E. † 4	2	6	S. † 30	3	7
36	5	6	23	3	7	S. W. † 13	2	6	N. E. † 14	4	7
9	6	6	2	4	7	N. W. † 11	2	6	E. † 30	4	7
10	6	6	9	4	7	S. † 21	2	6	S. W. † 36	4	7
14	6	6	21	4	7	S. W. † 15	3	6	S. E. † 6	5	7
15	6	6	29	4	7	E. † 12	3	6	S. W. † 7	5	7
16	6	6	3	5	7	S. † 31	3	6	N. W. † 35	5	7
21	6	6	18	5	7	S. E. † 22	5	6	S. E. † 7	2	8
22	6	6	18	6	7	N. W. † 23	5	6	N. W. † 22	5	8
24	6	6	19	6	7	S. E. † 23	5	6	S. E. † 33	5	8
33	1	7	28	1	8	N. W. † 25	5	6	N. E. † 24	2	9

PONTOTOC COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
6	7	1	10	7	3	26	11	3	7	11	4
12	7	1	11	7	3	23	7	4	13	11	4
2	6	1	19	7	3	30	7	4	24	11	4
11	8	1	29	7	3	8	8	4	13	7	5
26	8	1	30	7	3	2	9	4	14	7	5
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23	7	2	6	8	3	9	9	4	24	7	5
25	7	2	23	8	3	13	9	4	36	7	5
36	7	2	21	9	3	19	9	4	1	8	5
2	8	2	22	9	3	3	10	4	12	8	5
3	8	2	23	9	3	5	10	4	13	8	5
10	8	2	27	9	3	11	10	4	14	8	5
11	8	2	12	10	3	14	10	4	33	8	5
14	8	2	13	10	3	16	10	4	34	8	5
5	9	2	21	10	3	25	10	4	4	7	5
10	10	2	22	10	3	31	10	4	8	9	5
8	7	3	23	11	3	36	10	4	13	9	5

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Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.			
14	9	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	26	8	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	4	11	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	36	8	4
15	9	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	4	9	2	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	36	9	4
18	9	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	4	9	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	2	8	3	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	25	9	4
23	9	5	E. $\frac{1}{2}$	9	9	2	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	36	8	3	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	20	10	4
29	9	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	25	9	3	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	3	11	4
32	9	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9	2	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	3	10	3	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	4	11	4
35	9	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	9	2	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	3	10	3	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	11	4
36	9	5	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	15	9	2	E. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	11	3	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	10	11	4
6	10	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	17	9	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	18	11	3	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	18	11	4
7	10	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	18	9	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	19	11	3	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	20	11	4
13	10	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	22	9	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	12	7	4	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	22	11	4
22	10	5	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	23	9	2	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	7	4	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	22	11	4
27	10	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	26	9	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	7	4	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	29	11	4
32	10	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	27	9	2	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	7	4	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	32	11	4
33	10	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	30	9	2	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	7	4	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	35	11	4
34	10	5	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	34	9	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	6	8	4	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	36	11	4
3	11	5	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	34	9	2	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	6	8	4	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	2	11	4
4	11	5	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	9	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	8	4	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11	4
9	11	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	10	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	8	4	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	27	11	4
11	11	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	15	8	4	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	10	7	5
17	11	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	10	2	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	22	8	4	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	17	7	5
19	11	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	10	2	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	8	4	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	21	7	5
20	11	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	16	10	2	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	8	4	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	32	7	5
21	11	5	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	15	10	2	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	25	8	4	E. $\frac{1}{2}$	10	8	5
29	11	5	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	23	10	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	27	8	4	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	9	5
32	11	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	10	2	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	34	8	4	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	9	5
33	11	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	28	10	2	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	34	8	4	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	17	9	5
34	11	5	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	30	10	2	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	35	8	4	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	25	9	5
S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	2	9	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	33	10	2	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	36	8	4	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	26	11	5

ITAWAMBA COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	
7	7	6	2	11	6	5	9	8	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	8	10	8
8	7	6	6	11	6	19	9	8	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	10	8
10	7	6	7	11	6	23	9	8	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10	8
15	7	6	10	11	6	30	9	8	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	18	9	9
19	7	6	12	11	6	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	13	7	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	7	10	9
32	7	6	15	11	6	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	20	7	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10	9
5	8	6	21	11	6	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	29	7	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	10	9
6	8	6	6	7	7	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	23	8	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	24	10	9
17	8	6	22	7	7	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	3	10	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	25	10	9
19	8	6	24	8	7	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	28	10	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	26	10	9
26	9	6	22	10	7	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	20	11	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	10	9
8	10	6	30	11	7	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	9	7				
30	10	6	21	8	8	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	30	8				
1	11	6	34	8	8	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	31	8				

CHICKASAW COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
13	13	2	34	12	3	27	14	3	15	12	4
12	12	3	36	13	3	18	15	3	21	12	4
14	12	3	23	14	3	6	12	4	22	12	4

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Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	
25	12	4	31	12	5	13	14	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	12	2
26	12	4	34	12	5	14	14	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	12	2
33	12	4	35	12	5	15	14	5	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	21	12	2
36	12	4	1	13	5	23	14	5	W. $\frac{1}{2}$	8	13	2
23	13	4	2	13	5	26	14	5	S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	13	2
26	13	4	7	13	5	32	14	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	12	13	2
36	13	4	12	13	5	33	14	5	E. $\frac{1}{2}$	14	13	2
2	14	4	13	13	5	34	15	5	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	11	12	3
2	12	5	14	13	5	34	15	5	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	5	12	4
3	12	5	15	13	5	7	16	5	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	27	12	4
4	12	5	18	13	5	17	16	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	12	13	4
7	12	5	24	13	5	18	16	5	N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	17	15	5
8	12	5	36	13	5	19	16	5	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$	18	15	5
28	12	5	1	14	5	28	16	5	S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$	28	15	5
29	12	5	10	14	5	30	16	5				
30	12	5	12	14	5	E. $\frac{1}{2}$ 10	12	2				

MONROE COUNTY.

Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.	Section.	T.	R.
5	12	6	36	13	6		16	6	16	14	7
8	12	6	1	14	6	10	16	6	17	14	7
9	12	6	2	14	6	10	16	6	18	14	7
16	12	6	3	14	6	20	16	6	6	15	7
21	12	6	7	14	6	22	16	6	7	15	7
25	12	6	9	14	6	23	16	6	8	15	7
30	12	6	10	14	6	29	16	6	13	15	7
31	12	6	41	14	6	30	16	6	18	15	7
32	12	6	12	14	6	31	11	7	18	16	7
3	13	6	16	14	6	5	12	7	19	16	7
4	13	6	17	14	6	6	12	7	22	16	7
5	13	6	18	14	6	10	12	7	28	16	7
8	13	6	19	14	6	24	12	7	30	16	7
10	13	6	21	14	6	31	12	7	19	12	8
15	13	6	22	14	6	F. S. 2	13	7	30	12	8
16	13	6	1	15	6	3	13	7	7	15	8
20	13	6	2	15	6	6	13	7	F. S. 8	15	8
21	13	6	11	15	6	17	13	7	8	15	8
28	13	6	12	15	6	21	13	7	S. $\frac{1}{2}$ 17	13	6
28	13	6	18	15	6	22	13	7	N. E. $\frac{1}{2}$ 17	13	6
31	13	6	19	15	6	3	14	7	W. $\frac{1}{2}$ 35	13	6
34	13	6	30	15	6	7	14	7			