Forgotten Mississippi Towns
Historic Newspapers Resource Packet

Objectives
Using digitized historic Mississippi maps students will find forgotten towns. Students will gain an understanding of changing Mississippi geography, how to use historic maps to plot forgotten towns on current state maps and to write brief histories on these towns. Students will use the current state map, historic maps, historic digitized newspapers and their written histories to make their own museum exhibit.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

W. S. Howard & Company, Hazlehurst, Miss. (The Old Reliable House)

Dried Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Clothing, Staple and Fancy Groceries

At Prices to suit the times.

We always pay the Highest Market Price for Cotton.

Here’s Your Opportunity.

I am not selling out, not best friends, I am, but fully trade and am willing to pay $5.00 for the stampede bill of goods you ever bargained to.

W. C. ELLIS, Steen's Creek, Miss.

J. W. TEAM'S
Kentucky Stables, Headquaters for Buggies, Wagons and Harness

Buggies, Carriages, Phaetons, Farm Wagons, Harness, Collars, etc.

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spread the news that a man has been assassina-
ted by Sommers’ cornet band. The buildings of the city were decorated
with bunting and flags—in truth the city was in holiday attire and every-
body ceased their labors to honor the returning soldier boys.

New Steamboat Line.

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guard against inconvenience and delay.

Capt. Hunneycutt Drowned.

Capt. Jack Hunneycutt was drowned one night last week at the mouth of the
Sunflower river, below Satoria. Capt. Hunneycutt went to step from the
steamboat Mildred on to a barge and fell, going down into thirty feet of water.
For years he had been in the employ of the Yazoo City Transportation

THE WESTVILLE NEWS

Dollars Do Double Duty at the Racket Store.

We have the largest stock of goods ever brought to Westville and want to sell them. We carry every thing, and every department is full of big bargains. Call and see us.

RACKET STORE,
Westville, Miss.

Watch F. E. SHIVERS’ STORE For Latest Styles.
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AN INTERESTING TRIP

NOTABLE ENGINEERING FEAT.

WHERE LINCOLN DIED

TO THE BIGGEST RIDDLES

TALK OF STARS

FIGHT IN GERING MARCH

Mr. George W. Cooper, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railroad, has been at the Westville News. He has been in this city for several days, and is expected to remain here another week. His visit here is purely a pleasure trip, as he has never before been to this part of the country. He has been welcomed by the people and has enjoyed himself very much. He is said to be a very pleasant and agreeable man, and his presence in this city has been a pleasure to everyone who has had the opportunity of meeting him.


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1899.

A New Year is upon us and finds the
Racket Store
in a better position to give its
Numerous Customers better
Values than ever before.

Thanking you all for your liberal
patronage in the past and
asking its continuance in the
future, we wish you a happy and
prosperous New Year.

W. M. Durr.

A TRIAL WILL
CONVINCE YOU THAT
F. E. Shivers’ Store
LEADS ALL FOR...

 Styles and Satisfaction.

YOU—that are looking for better prices on all goods,
Cosy, Look, Pink and Comfortable have the
LARGEST, MOST STYLISH and CHEAPEST STOCK
this side of railroad.


Idle Talk

In cheap, very cheap, this's why we do not linger long to chat with you. We deal in Facts, and Only.

Our Stock of
General
Merchandise

- Is Complete -
In Clothing, Dry Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods. Hats, Shoes and Notions we can supply your every want with goods that are stylish and reasonable. In Groceries we can serve you with fresh, sweet goods at all times. Your Continued Patronage Solicited.

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and the extraordinary appearance is gradually but sensibly diminished; at last they meet, and perhaps the person he had taken for a monster proves to be his own brother.

A New Invention.—The Auton, Massachusetts, Whig, states that a gentleman in Boston, who owns a large chemical establishment, has discovered a new species of fire, which produces a most intense heat. It is produced by the mixture of tar and water. With this kind of fuel, a steamboat can pass the Atlantic, with the greatest safety. The discoverer declares that he can carry a steamboat from Providence to New York by using this fuel, for five dollars. It is said that the invention of the cotton gin doubled the value of every acre of land in the southern states, and we are of opinion that the discovery above mentioned, will double the value of the steam engine. It will be especially important to the engines which are employed upon rail roads, and will remove one of the greatest obstacles to the general use of locomotives upon our common roads.

At the time when Lee was manager of the Edinburgh Theatre, he was determined to improve upon stage thunder. For this purpose, he procured a quantity of nine...
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Coast Beacon

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Homestead Notice.

LAND OFFICE AT JACKSON, MISS.
JUNE 11, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the circuit clerk of Harrison county, at Mississippi City, Miss., on July 18, 1892, viz: James Hatten, David Harris, Brooks Krohn, E. J. Williams, all of Perkinsville, P. O., Harrison county, Miss.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joel Perry, George McHenery, Amos Decker, Kermit McDonald, all of McHenry P. O., Harrison county, Miss.

Henry Kernaghan, Register.

P. CURTIS,
Dealer In
Family Groceries, Notions
HARDWARE, WOODENWARE
Wines, Liquors, Feed Etc
Pass Christian, Miss.

Long Beach Lumber Co.
MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN
Long Leaf Yellow Pine Lumber.

Our timber comes direct from woods to mill, and is not water soaked. It consists of the finest substance, and is therefore most durable.

Orders for the Pass may be left at the Drug Store of J. B. E. Mann, which will be promptly attended to.

LAND FOR SALE

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Dale Baker was over Sunday as Cron обо was a Sunday visitor. His T. McDonald is in the race for executive.

McRedmond was a Sunday visitor to the Pass.

Sgt. Chadwell was a visitor to Pass Tuesday.

Edward Hathen is a candidate for sheriff and ranger.

McRedmond, of New Orleans, for a short stay.

Mrs. Harriet E. Moss, of Milwaukee, visited these here Sunday.

A Simpson is a business visitor to New Orleans this week.

Ir. Jno. Terry and little son, Rubble, were Sunday at the Pass.

Ir. and Mrs. Ed. Theobald, of Biloxi, and Mrs. P. Budde on Sunday.

Ir. M. A. Alsop spent several days week and friends in Handsboro. The visitors to Mississippi City this week were very numerous.

W. W. Finley of Atlanta, visited mother, L. E. Finley, on Sunday.

Vincent and family, of New Orleans, were visitors to the Pass this week. The Misses Cassilly of New Orleans, spending a while at the Crescent Inn.

Miss Carrie Massey returned last week after 16 pleasant months in New Orleans.

Jno. J. Connely and his little crew, Curtis Perry, were Sunday visitors to Mr. P. Curtis.

J. V. Lussier, of Biloxi, was at the Pass a few days, being called by the fees of his mother.

Lawyers Humberman, Curtis and upon attended Circuit Court at the city's capital this week.

Jno. Jno. M. Kelly of the Mississippi, was the Misses Cassilly of New Orleans, spending a while at the Crescent Inn.

Ir. Langh of Venice and dressed at the other, Shalons, McFarland, Lackt and Coal.

Jno. J. Lee and children came from New Orleans last Saturday to visit their mother, Mrs. B. F. Collum.

Christopher Cornish, a Pass boy who is employed for the Traction company, of New Orleans, spent his week with his father's family here.

The West End School Club was flailed by Miss Kate Thornton at the home of Mrs. Thibodeaux Thursday. All who attended had a very pleasant time.

Bernard Chard, who now holds the position of the Sweet Water Park at Lillie Springs, Co., is not a it to his mother and sisters at the time. Bernard's numerous friends here are glad to see him.

J. W. Rosser, superintendent of the coins Co., is a native of Miss., and is superintendent of the American Life Insurance Co., of New Orleans, with his wife and daughter, were guests at the West End Cottage Sunday.

If a meeting of the new branch of the Association held at the office of Dr. Robertson; following officers were appointed: Jno. B. Moore, secretary; W. V. Robertson, junior warden. The T. Robertson, senior warden.

J. E. Bole, of the Bar, is a member of the Masons of the city of W. Va., and is to be congratulated on his recent recognition.

J. L. Johnson, is a member of the Masons of the city of W. Va., and is to be congratulated on his recent recognition.

The following bills were submitted to the finance committee and ordered paid: Mr. S. E. Smith, laborer, 100 dollars; Mr. J. L. Robinson, laborer, 150 dollars; Mr. J. L. Bowers, laborer, 150 dollars; Mr. J. L. Jones, laborer, 100 dollars; Mr. J. L. Johnson, laborer, 100 dollars.

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AUGUST 7, 1839

Grand Gulf Advertiser


Schools have flourished and genius has executed her most glorious achievements. That our states are now a matter of a temporary exile to the north, to breathe a Hyperborean air, catch the impregnation of northern manners, and receive their finish at the northern institutions, combined with the established belief, that we of the south, cannot maintain any plan for home education, are among the strongest and most rational principles of our state. We have at all times been exposed to the charge of neglecting our pecuniary difficulties to live in grand hoe, the most resistless of arguments, but we must as trustees, as parents, and as Mississippians, enter our honest and solemn protest against such unfounded and injurious though long cherished opinions, and we confidently believe, that our acolytes and other similar institutions will soon annihilate the miserable prejudice, that home education is impracticable.

We regret the absence of so many members of our board, and I sign this report upon our individual responsibility.

P. HOOPES,
D. H. HOOPES,
H. N. SPENCER,
Z. BUTLER.

Aug. 1839.

Four out of the Crop—Five bales of the new crop of cotton were brought in on Tuesday and Wednesday last. One of the bales, from James D. Scott, of Copiah County, is No. 891. The other four bales were from the plantation of James McRae, of Copiah County, No. 890, 891, 892, 893.

Great Pickin’—On the 29th ult., a negro girl, James Payne’s plantation, four miles from Aidery, and three others, had picked 206 pounds each. If any body else can pick that early, I will be glad to hear from them.

Rocky Cotton Press,—The directors of the Rocky Cotton Press Company have contracted with Mr. McRae for the erection of their press. The work is commenced, and all the machinery being on the spot—expect it will be completed by the following Saturday. The number of pounds taken four days ago amounted to 4077. Mr. Conrad Harrison produced 883 bales himself. The press has been in use about one month.

Columbus (Miss.) Democrat.

New Books of Poetry.—Among the works shortly to appear in New York, we note a Hyperion, a romance, by Professor Longfellow; the Poetical Works of Walt Whitman, and Tales of Fate, by Mrs. Osgood.

To the lady of the pen who, in her letter to the Monitor, states that she has seen the paper “in a very fine state”, our price is higher than hers a square.

Free Trade Mornings, Mississippi. At the commencement of the session Monday last, to visit several of the gardens set in which the Mulberry (Morus Multifilis) was planted, and found them in a very fine condition. Some of the trees, from cuttings put in this season, had grown to the enormous height of seven feet, with leaves that were large and numerous.

Our sentiments on “The New American” for the New South; and the present state of the American, for an article on the subject of the press and the press in the South, and the press in the North; and the press in the West, is to prove that Gibson’s was the chief and proprietor of the True American, at the post office, and that the True American was the public paper, and that the True American was the public paper, and that the True American was the public paper.

Your question was a real pose to the witness, and a pose upon oath, truth compelled him to say, "I have not paid this thing lately." There is a thousand readers of the Sun who have not paid any thing lately.

The proprietors of the republican party are in constant and pressing difficulties. The people of New England, and will probably increase in the next session, and it is calculated that a very large number of their republican representatives at the coming election of August—the candidates are the same men in Indiana. The elections in Indiana are being held, and it is expected that the number of men elected will vary from 30 to 40. The returning of the elections will test the character of the people, and the efforts of the two parties to gain the support of the people will be decided.

We think the South Carolinians, and those of the South, will be pleased with our new paper. We are sure that the True American will be a valuable newspaper, and that it will be a great benefit to the people of the South, and that it will be a great benefit to the people of the South, and that it will be a great benefit to the people of the South.
Depository Sentinel: W. H. Welch, Owner.

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The following candidates for county offices are, we understand, nominated by the Democratic Central Committee.

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