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## REPORT

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## THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING,

In compliance with a resolution of the Senate, a statement showing the number of acres in the States of Alabama and Mississippi, embraced in the treaty of Dancing Rabbit creek.

## JANUARY 10, 1839.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands, and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, January 9, 1839.

SIR: In compliance with the resolution of the Senate of the 12th ultimo, directing the Secretary of the Treasury "to report to the Senate, at as early a period as practicable, the number of superficial acres within each of the States of Alabama and Mississippi, embraced in the treaty of Dancing Rabbit creek with the Choctaw Indians, designating, in said report, what quantity of said land in each of said States has been surveyed, what quantity still remains unsurveyed, what portion has been offered at public sale, how much has been sold, and what quantity is now subject to entry at private sale, in each of the said States," I have the honor to transmit, herewith, a statement prepared by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, which, it is believed, contains the information required by the resolution.

I remain, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

LEVI WOODBURY, Secretary of the Treasury.

The Hon. the PRESIDENT of the Senate.

GENERAL LAND OFFICE, January 9, 1839.

Sir: In answer to the resolution of the Senate of the United States of the 12th ultimo, "that the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to report to the Senate, at as early a period as practicable, the number of superficial acres within each of the States of Alabama and Mississippi, embraced in the treaty of Dancing Rabbit creek with the Choctaw Indians, designating, in said report, what quantity of said land in each of said States has been surveyed, what quantity still remains unsurveyed, what portion has been offered at public sale, how much has been sold, and what quantity is now

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subject to entry at private sale, in each of said States," which was referred to this office for report, I have the honor to transmit, herewith, a statement, marked A, containing the information called for by the resolution.

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I am, sir, with great respect, your obedient servant,

JAS. WHITCOMB, Commissioner.

The Hon. Levi Woodbury, Secretary of the Treasury. Statement showing the number of superficial acres within each of the States of Mississippi and Alabama, embraced in the treaty of Dancing Rabbit creek with the Choctaw Indians; what quantity of said lands in each of said States has been surveyed; what quantity still remains unsurveyed; what portion has been offered at public sale; how much has been sold; and what quantity was subject to entry at private sale, in each of said States, on the 30th of November, 1838, the date of the latest returns to the General Land Office; prepared under a resolution of the Senate, bearing date the 12th day of December, 1838.

| STATE.                 |                          |                                   | Unsurveyed.          | Offered at public sale.        | Of the lands offered at public sale.    |  |  |   |  |
|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--|---|--|
|                        | Whole surface.           | Surveyed.                         |                      |                                | Sold, up to the 30th of November, 1838. | One thirty-sixth part appropriated for common schools. | Chickasaw school<br>lands, per act of<br>the 4th July, 1836. | Located for Indians under the treaty of Dancing Rabbit creek. | Quantity subject<br>to private entry<br>on the 30th No-<br>vember, 1838. |
| Mississippi<br>Alabama | Acres 9,675,384 999,406. | Acres. 40 8,845,944.40 999,406.38 | Acres.<br>829,440.00 | Acres. 7,502,495,35 999,406.38 | Acres. 4,216,965.91 727,265.85          | Acres. 245,720.67 27,761.19                            | Acres. 177,280.00 12,072.00                                  | Acres. 329,412.46 48,799.00                                   | Acres. 2,533,116.31 183,508.34   |
| Total                  | - 10,674,790.            | 78 9,845,350 78                   | 829,440.00           | 8,501,901 73                   | 4,944,231.76                            | 273,481.86   | 189,352.00   | 378,211 46  | 2,716,624.6  |

GENERAL LAND OFFICE, January 9, 1839.

JAMES WHITCOMB, Commissioner.

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