#### Alexandria Gazette 28 Jun 1828

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John Macrae June 23, 1828

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THE SALE OF THE ABOVE PROPERTY (except) five slaves, which were disposed of on the 1<sup>st</sup> inst) had been adjourned to the first Monday in October next, when, or during the same week, it will positively be closed. Persons interested in the property are, therefore, invited them to attend the sale. The opinions of eminent lawyers with regard to the nature and quantity of Mr. Alexander's Estate in the property will be shown to those who may desire to see them.

The Effingham Farm, and the Slaves are very valuable, and the precedent life estate in them is far spent. A most advantageous investment of capital may be made in the purchase of this property.

John Macrae September 9, 1828

#### Alexandria Gazette 27 Jul 1833

LAND FOR SALE – That tract of land called EFFINGHAM, lying in Prince William County, Virginia, about three miles from the Court House, containing about 700 ACRES.

The quality of this land is good; near one third is low ground, lying on Cedar Run, which might be made a first rate meadow. There is a sufficient quantity of good timber on this land, which is now under a good fence. The improvements are large and very convenient two story

Frame House, a good Barn, and all other necessary Out Houses. There is a well of excellent water in the yard, and a large orchard of choice fruit. This is the most beautiful and healthy situation in that part of the county; it lies about 30 miles from Alexandria, 25 from Fredericksburg, and 16 from the thriving Town of Occoquan, which is a good market for grain.

Also, A TRACT OF LAND, called CEDAR HILL, in Fauquier County, about four miles from Effingham, containing about 1500 acres. About 200 acres of this land is in a high state of cultivation, and equal to any land in the county, the balance is good improvable land, a large portion of the land is in wood. The improvements are a tolerable good FRAME HOUSE, a large BARN, and all other necessary out houses. This tract was originally in three, and lies well to be divided, which will be done to suit purchasers.

Also, A TRACT OF LAND of about 1000 ACRES, lying in Prince William County, Va. about 40 miles from Alexandria and 2 miles north of Hay Market, on the road leading to Leesburg.

This Farm, for grazing, is equal to any, being fine grass land, and very susceptible of improvement. Plaster acts with as much power on this land as any in the County of Loudoun. It lies well for dividing, which will be done if required. This Tract will be shown by Mr. Carnall, living on the farm; Cedar Hill and Effingham by Mr. Green, living at Cedar Hill. Possession will be given in time to seed a crop in the fall.

The terms will be – One third cash; the residue in one and two years, with interest, and a deed of trust to secure the payment. It is desirable that these lands may be sold at private sale before the  $12^{th}$  day of August; if not, they will then be offered at public sale on the premises, viz; Cedar Hill and Effingham on the  $12^{th}$  and the Tract near Haymarket on the  $14^{th}$ . For further particulars inquire on the subscribers.

Gibson Foote Richard R. Foote near Warrenton, Fauquier County John W. Massie F. Foote

# **Public Sale**

Having decided to discontinue farming, I shall sell by way of public auction at my farm, (known as Effingham) situated about one and one half miles south-east of Aden on the

# Nokesville-Independent Hill Road, on Monday, October 16, 1939 at 9:00 A. M., Rain or Shine

the following personal property, to-wit:

| one iron gray horse, six years old, weight 1650 pounds<br>one black mare, twelve years old, weight 1400 pounds<br>one bay horse, twelve years old, weight 1600 pounds<br>one bay mare, twelve years old, with mare colt by her side, weight 1600 pounds<br>one dark gray mare, three years old, weight 1500 pounds<br>one black colt, coming two years old |                        |                                    |
|--|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 18 cows  | 1 yearling steer       | 9 calves weighing about 400 lbs    |
| 1 Roan Durham bull 1400 lbs  | 3 heifers              | 3 steers coming 3 years old        |
| 42 shotes  | 2 sows                 | 1 sow and five pigs                |
| 7 fat hogs (heavy)   | 2 feed grinders        | 1 corn sheller, forks & shovels    |
| 1 seven foot binder  | 2 corn cutters         | 1 eleven disk Superior grain drill |
| 1 John Deere corn planter  | 1 corn harvester       | 13 inch Papec ensilage cutter      |
| 1 spring tooth harrow  | 1 lime drill           | 2 riding corn cultivator           |
| 1 walking corn cultivator  | 1 mower                | 500 shocks of corn standard cut    |
| 20 tons of hay in barn   | grindstone             | wheat, rye and barley by bushel    |
| 1 New Oliver manure spreader   | 1 hay rake             | 1 wagon and bed $(3 1/4)$          |
| 1 turnbull wagon and bed   | 2 sets lead harness    | 3 sets breaching harness           |
| 1 Oliver turning plow  | 1 Buggy                | new Syracuse plow # 361            |
| 1 pair of check lines  | collars & bridles      | shovel plows, axes, log chains     |
| wood saw   | cultipacker            | single trees, double trees         |
| 1 Home Comfort range   | 1 safe                 | 2 iron pots, 3 skillets, 1 griddle |
| 3 heating stoves   | 1 iron kettle 15 gal   | 1 copper kettle 40 gallons         |
| 1 charcoal iron  | 1 lard press           | 1 sausage grinder, 1 separator     |
| 2 wooden wash tubs   | 8 gallon crocks        | 13 half gallon crocks              |
| 1 ten gallon jar full of pickle  | 25 cans of fruit       | 4 bushel of sweet potatoes         |
| 2 cans of lard, 1 swing  | 2 clocks               | 2 five gallon cream cans           |
| 1 small drop leaf table  | 1 drop leaf table      | 1 extension table (ten feet)       |
| 5 stand tables, 2 settees  | 4 chairs, 5 rockers    | 6 split bottom chairs              |
| 6 dining room chairs   | 6 chairs, 2 hall racks | 1 graphaphone and records          |
| 75 yards homemade carpet   | 1 hanging lamp         | 40 yards straw matting             |
| 10 yards step carpet   | 2 wooden beds          | 4 iron beds and springs            |
| 1 chest (antique)  | picture frames         | 8 feather pillows, organ, dishes   |
| Fifty pounds homemade soap   |                        | comfort & Quilts                   |
|  |                        |                                    |

J. P. Kerlin, Auctioneer V. P. Zirkle, Clerk

Mrs. D. H. Horn, Owner.