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Armstrong Academy March 26
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Col Pickens

Sir

Enclosed please

find a notice the Cooperites has on hand - they die heard "Allen Wright worked a day and a night no man worked like he did he being a preacher of the gospel had a grate influence and being Ex Chief and Chaplain in Coopers Army during the war - Edward Dwight a partner in the Merchantile Business of Capt Heuston Coopers son in law and a Capt - in the Army during the war John P. Turnbull Nations Secretary and one of Coopers Soldiers - T. P. Turnbull President of the Senate and a Church member of - Wright's and David Perkin U S Interpreter Capt in Coopers Army and a Church member of (Wright's) John P. ^{awigaty} May' in Coopers Regiment first Regiment) and Translator G. W. Hartins Capt in Coopers Army and a lawyer and Coopers right hand bowyer he is the man making the big noise as he is a fitt subject for a fool for the occasion

Elis Tolson Capt in Coopers Army now a Suprem Judge sharp as steel can out work them all a perfect Yankee "answer a question by asking one" G. W. Thompson Capt in Coopers Army and was a heavy merchant but flat as a flounder Rufus Tolson the old state horse untruly a Representative in Coopers man out and out Lulus Tolson full of Country Notion Coopers favourite Dr J. L. Bond Cooper man a two face Yankee

and a Sergeant in Cooper's Army
General Perveyor in Cooper Army

Colman Cole always on the wrong side
Cooper Man Oklah Capt in Cooper ^{Representative}
Army Mcurtin a Soldier from ^{Lincoln} ~~Fort~~
in Cooper Army Bacon Belvin Soldier
in Cooper's Army very influential Representative
Alfred Wright Capt in Cooper Army
and Journalist in the house William Hampton
Clerk in the house

Allen Wright
had a grate many at work his Church
members

No news since the
Council Adjourned Only a grate
Rejoicing about the Claims being brought
up for Settlement I will start for
Kasbill Tenn to see Rhoads as soon as
I gather up my stock

No more from Y
L J W Talson