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Allowance in Dollars per month [Column 6]

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[month/day] [name & family] [captain] [#] [\$/mo]

Mar 16 Jas. Wilson Hall 9 10⁵⁰
Wife, 8 children
pay wife per mo 10⁵⁰

" S A Davenport " 2
wife & child
pay M R Burt per mo (8⁰⁰)
he says a mistake
has meat & cows

" A Hubbard Hall 3 3
Mother bro & Sister
pay Mother per mo 3⁰⁰

" J S Mumfee " 2 5
wife & child
pay T Mumfee per mo 5⁰⁰

" David Roy " 4 5⁵⁰
wife 3 children
pay E Pressby per mo 5³⁵

" John Roy " 3 6
wife & 2 chil.
pay J Roy per mo 5⁰⁰

This ends the statement from
Capt Halls Company

1862 Jesse B H Parrish " 3 7
Apr Wife & 2 children
scanty means

May 1st T Jeff Mills Ready 2 7
1861 wife & child
no means

Nov 20 Ed H Lewis " 3 8
Wife 2 children
but little means

Sept 15 J Marion Gray (dead) Faulkner 6
Wife 5 children
No means [\$]10

" W^m E Johnson " 1 5
wife
some means, need more

" George Lewis (dead) " 1 5
Mother
Some means, need more

Sept 15 Rich^d Lewis " 4 5
wife 3 children
some means, need more

" J M Timmerman " 2 5
wife & child
some means, need more

Nov 1 Geo & Jasper Green [sic] " 4 5
Mother & his 3 children
some means, need more

July 1 Clayton Rogers Wood 2 5
Mother & sister
but little means

May 1 Leander Bryan Ready 1 5
Mother
Some means need more

1861 James White Davies 1 3
June 1 Mother
Some means need more

May 1 James Gunn Ready 4 8
Wife & 3 children
Some means need more

" James Rhodes " 1 5
Mother
but little means

" W^m E Dennis " 5 10
Wife 4 children
but little means

[month/day] [name & family] [captain] [#] [\$ /mo]

May 1	E P Miller wife & child but little means	Ready	2	7	May 1	E W Parker wife & 3 children but little means	Cox	4	8
"	Paris Robinson wife & child no means	"	2	6	Sept 15	W ^m E Durden (dead) wife but little means	"	1	6
"	A Scroggins wife 2 children not much means	Cox	3	7	"	T J Davenport Wife & child but little means	Faulkner	2	6
"	A T Mitchell wife 2 children but little means	"	3	7	"	J E Dickens Wife & 3 [sic] children not much means	"	2	8
"	Isaac Cox wife but little means	"	1	5	"	Jacob Ellis wife & child not much means	"	2	8
"	Geo Ward wife & child but little means	"	2	6	"	Geo Keys wife & child not much means	"	2	6
1861 May 1	W G Martin wife & 3 children but little means	Ready	4	7	"	Richard Miears* wife & child scanty means	Oliver	2	6
"	Benj. Gorie [?] wife 8 children but little means	"	9	10	*[Editor's note: Later killed in battle, Richard Miears was the son of Elijah and Parthenia Ray Miears.]				
"	John Statnaker [?] (dead) Mother Bros & sisters but little means	Cox	9	8	"	John Averhart wife 3 children but little means	"	4	8
Nov 1	Henry Jones wife & child but little means	"	2	6	May 1	W ^m E Risor wife 3 children scanty means	"	4	8
Oct 1	Lovie Odom wife child & Sister Pay wife per mo 7 ⁵⁰	"	3	7	1862 Jany 1	Bolling Anthony wife 3 children small means	Butts	4	8
May 1	W ^m Herbut wife 3 children but little means	"	4	8	"	Thos Johnson Mother [sic] Scanty means	Butts	2	6

[month/day]	[name & family]	[captain]	[#]	[\$/mo]
1861 Jany 20	Jacob Hughs Mother small means	[Butts]	1	5
"	W W Chavers wife small means	Davis	1	5
"	S J Heath wife scanty means	"	1	5
1861 June 20	Milford Scott wife & child but little means	Davis	2	4
Sept 15	W L Heath wife small means	Faulkner	1	5

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Sept 15 [1861] Thos Hurst Faulkner 1 5
Wife
small means

“ S Mason “ 3 7
wife 2 children
but little means

“ Stewart “ 1 5
wife
no means

“ C C Guin “ 1 5
wife
small means

June 20 Henry Saunders Davis 2 6
wife & child
scanty means

Sept 15 J W Millender Faulkner 2 6
wife & child
small means

“ G W Shumaker “ 1 5
Wife
scanty means

Sept 15 W^m [?] & J W Durden “ 5 5
father & his children
some means but not enough

May 1 John Wainwright Cox 2 7
wife & child
no means

“ J T Chavers Davis 2
mother & sister
have means for the present

Sept 15 J M & S Fuller Faulkner 3 5
mother & sisters
Some means but not enough

“ B J Carter “ 3 7
wife 2 children
but little means

“ J V Moore “ 5 10
Mother & his children
scanty means

Sept 15 James Risor Faulkner 2 6
wife & child
but little means

1862 W C Nelson Hester 3 7
Mar 25 wife Mother & Sister
No means

“ Thos & Reuben Durden “ 9 10
Father Mother & their children
but little means

Mar 31 Perry Daniels Davis 2 5
wife & child
some means need more

“ W S Hill “ 4 7
Wife & 3 children
some means, need more

“ T C Hill “ 4 7
wife & 3 children
Some means, need more

[month/day] [name & family] [captain] [#] [\$/mo]

1862

Mar 31 Thos Chavers Davis 7 8
wife & 6 children
but little means

" J T Hollowell " 2 5
wife & child
but little means

" B Rawlinson " 8 3
wife & 7 children
have corn & meat enough
for this year, need clothing

Aprl G W Grier DeBar 8 10
wife & 7 children
no means

Mar 31 W R Carter Davis 3 3
wife & 2 children
corn & meat enough for
this year, need salt

Mar 1 Alex Ray [killed] Posey 5 8
wife 4 children
no means

" John McCord (Vol 90 days) 3 5
wife 2 children
some means need more

Mar 31 Ben Simpson Davis 2 6
wife & child
but little means

" Frank Wilder Pugh 1 5
wife
no means

" Joseph Miller " 6 10
wife 5 children
no means

Mar 31 N. C. Deas Davis 1 5
wife
no means

Mar 31

Jas Hughs Davis 2 5
wife & child
means enough at present

" Jas Manning " 3 7
wife 2 Small children
no means

" Geo & Jacob Hughs " 1
Mother
no means

" John L Judy " 2 5
wife & child
some means but will need more

" W^m Curtis Howard 1 3
wife
has meat needs corn

" J G Skipper " 4 8
wife 4 children [sic]
no means

" S G Spigner " 4 8
wife 3 children
no means

" Biglescomb " 4 8
wife 3 children
no means

" N B Dodson Jackson 2 6
wife & child
no means

" Perry Hester " 8 10
wife 7 children
corn - no meat

" Thos Smith Howard 3 7
wife 2 children
no means

" W^m Millis " 2 5
wife & child
corn, no meat

[month/day] [name & family] [captain] [#] [\$/mo]

Mar 31	Jeff Wright wife & child corn, no meat	Howard	2	5
"	Geo W Dodson Mother Sister & c provisions, Need Clothing	Jackson	3	4
"	E W Turner Wife 3 children provisions, need clothing	"	4	5
"	William Hinton wife 2 children no means paid \$12 out allowed again 1 st Sept	Howard	3	6
"	W ^m T Jones wife 6 children some means, not enough	"	7	6

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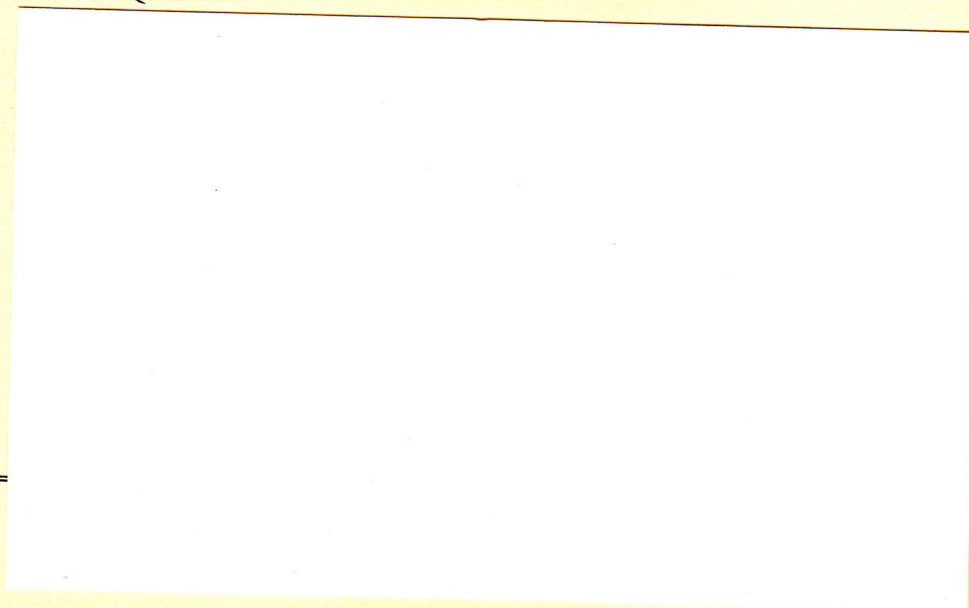
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[month/day] [name & family] [captain] [#] [\$ /mo]	Mar 26	James Sager wife & children no means	North	[?]	5
Mar [1862] David Harper wife & 4 children meat & corn			Hall	5	5
“ James Driver wife & 6 children need shoes			“	7	2
“ Thos Murrah wife & 2 children no means			“	3	5
“ A J Dennis wife 5 children corn & 1 cow			“	6	6
1861 Sept 15 W ^m Shumaker (dead) Faulkner 1 Mother scanty means				5	
“ J W Millender wife & children no means			“	[?]	6
1862 Mar John Rollins wife & children no means			Hall	6	8
1861 Sept 15 Sock Johnson wife & child but little means			Faulkner	2	6
	1862 Mar 16	Hansford Chitty wife & 2 children but little means	Hall	[3]	7
	Mar 26	Thos Aldridge wife & several children not much means	North	6	6
	Mar 26	Rollin Ausborn dead wife & 8 children some means, not enough	“	9	6
	Mar 26	W ^m H Ausborn wife & child not much means	“	2	5
	Mar 26	N D Foreman wife & 3 children not much means	“	4	6

[month/day]	[name & family]	[captain]	[#]	[\$/mo]	[month/day]	[name & family]	[captain]	[#]	[\$/mo]
1861 May	Geo W Grier wife & 6 children no means	DeBar.	7	8	[Mar]	Elijah Mims wife & 2 children some means, not enough	[North]	3	6
Mar 26	Chas Edwards wife & 5 children some means, not enough	North	6	7	"	J T Hurst wife & 2 children but little means	Hall	3	8
[Editor's note: Charles Edwards survived the war and is buried at Chestnut Creek Baptist cemetery; according to an obituary, 22 [!]] of his children attended the funeral.]					Prattville List [sic]				
Mar 26	W ^m Grier Mother & his 2 children no means	Hall	3	5	"	Tho J Moody wife (Martha)	WHN	1	5
Mar 16	Thos Murrah wife & 2 children no means	Hall	3	7	"	G W Edwards wife (Caroline E)	"	[1]	6
Mar 26	Thos Post wife & 2 children no means	North	3	6	1862 Mar 12	Geo T Wilkins Mother (Margaret) & 3 child	Pratts	[4]	8
1861 Apl	Geo W Gay wife & 2 children no means	Pow [sic]	3	7	1861 Sept 16	Thos Devinport wife (Mahala J) 2 childrn	Faulkner	[3]	8
Mar 26	James Miears wife but little means	North	1	5	Mar 7	J C Hearn wife (Martha) 3 children	"	[4]	5
Mar	Gideon Dennis wife & child but little means	Coe [?]	2	6	"	John A. W. Long Mother & father Mem[ber] on Prattville list says "Able to do without"	Hall	2	5
"	John Dubose wife & 3 children some means	North Conscript Sept 62	4	7	"	Jacob Ellis wife (Rebecca)	"	1	8
"	Francis Dubose wife & 4 children very little means	" [5] Conscript Sept 62			"	James Miears Wife (Rebeee but little means	Oliver Crow	1	6
Mar	Elijah Robinson wife no means	North	1	5	"	David Smith wife & child	North	2	7
					"	Garrett Youri [?] wife & 2 children but little means	Hall	3	3
					1862 Mar 7	P-C Janies Herndon wife & 2 chil but little means	Pratt	3	8

[month/day]	[name & family]	[captain]	[#]	[\$/mo]
[1862] [Mar 7]	J D Ray wife	[Pratt]	1	6
"	J H Fitzgerald wife & 3 children	WHN	[4]	8
1862 Mar 7	Milton Hancock wife & 3 chil	Pratt	4	7
1862 May 15	M Farmer wife (Martha)	WHN	[1]	5
1862 Mar 7	A J Thompson wife & 4 children	Pratt	[5]	10
"	Silas Rawlinson wife	Sample	1	5
"	Giles Luter disch ^d wife	WHN	[1]	5

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