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Summary Information

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Biographical/Historical Note

The Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands was established by Congress in 1865 to provide relief assistance to freed slaves and poor whites in the South. This ledger details transactions at Leek Plantation in accordance with the contract with W.R. Vaughan and Company, approved by the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, District of Little Rock. The ledger lists the names of the freedmen working at Leek's Plantation in eastern Pulaski County, Arkansas, in 1867, and recorded the supplies and cash they were paid.

Scope and Contents

This ledger records of the amounts of provisions, clothing, medicines, ginning, extra labor, and interest advanced to freedmen working at Leek Plantation during 1867.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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