

# The Limestone County Antebellum Trail



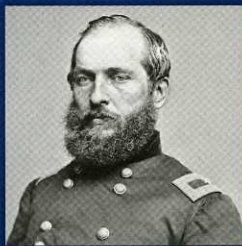
*Trinity School, a school for freedmen, established 1865*

Two of Alabama's oldest towns, Athens and Mooresville, are located here. Fine homes, built of native materials, abound throughout the county.

President Andrew Johnson apprenticed himself to a fine tailor in Mooresville. Another president, James Garfield, who enjoyed our hospitality during the Civil War, once preached in one of our churches. Even Margaret Mitchell visited us for a time, doing research for *Gone with the Wind*. Follow Margaret's lead and come see us soon. Take our ante-bellum

Home of statesmen, scientists, scholars, and soldiers, Limestone County boasts a fascinating history of pioneers, town speculators, cotton planters, and even presidents.

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*General James A. Garfield*

trail and hear our stories on audio cassette or compact disc. Enjoy our scenic views while you learn about our antebellum homes and about the people who built them and lived in them. Ya'll come soon - and be sure to stay for supper!



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