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Mrs. Isaac Alexander furnished meals 1st of each month; Mrs. T. J. Ancrum one shoulder of meat, peck of meal, bowl of flour, jug of milk, mess of beans and one dish of butter; Mrs. W. D. Anderson \$3 cash in July; Mrs. G. V. Anker meals on 3d, instant; Mrs. Lewis Anker on the 25th July; Mrs. Bouney meals 11th July; Mrs. Edward Boykin 30th do.; Mrs. Burwell Boykin, two hams, bushel of meal, one small jar of butter; Mr. John Boykin one ham 2 chickens, Irish potatoes and okra; Mrs. Hamilton Boykin half bushel rice, do. of flour, 3 pounds of lard; Mrs. Bonneau \$5 cash; Mrs. Burnett \$6.65 cash; Miss Chesnut meals on 12th July; Mrs. James Chesnut cash \$26; Mrs. T. M. Campbell meals 23d July; Mrs. Conner, sr., cash \$3; Mrs. Chapman cash \$3; Mrs. Chaten meals on 6th of each month; Mrs. Courtney cash \$5; Mrs. James Davis meals 18th July, half bushel meal, one tongue, bowl of flour, plate of lard; Mrs. H. DeSaussure meals 26th July; Mrs. Deas meals 27th do.; Mrs. T. F. Davis sr. meals 14th do.; Mrs. T. F. Davis jr. meals 15th do.; Mrs. J. Dunlap meals 4th do., also 4 day of August; Mrs. G. Douglas meals 21st July; Mrs. Gatewood \$1; Mrs. Gayle meals 24th; Mrs. W. E. Johnson 13 pieces of crockery and washing for soldiers; Mrs. James Jones meals 31st, one shoulder meat, half bushel meal, 3 candles; Mrs. A. M. Kennedy meals 5th of each month, one peck of rye, one peck of meal and hominy; Mrs. W. Kennedy one ham and Irish potatoes; Mrs. A. M. Lee, paid \$75 for 3 months; Miss Rezia Lee \$15 for 3 months; Miss E. R. Lee \$3 cash; Mrs. B. M. Lee \$5 cash; Mrs. McDonald 19th July meals; Mrs. McCreight \$2 cash; Mrs. Amelia McGee cash \$15 for 3 months; Misses McDowell meals 25 July; Mrs. Jos. Oppenheim meals 10th; Mrs. Myer \$5 cash, 5 candles; Mrs. Perkins one ham, one jar of lard, one bowl flour; Mrs. Reynolds meals 29th July; Mrs. E. G. Robinson cash \$3; Miss Salmond meals 13th July; Mrs. A. C. Salmond half peck rice; Mrs. T. A. Salmond four candles; Mrs. Sutherland meals 26th July; Mrs. Sebring \$10 cash and one gallon syrup; Mrs. H. S. Greiggs one large package of rags; Mrs. Stakely meals 22d July; Mr. S. Shiver cash \$5; Mr. Somers cash \$10; Mrs. Stoekton cash \$10; Mrs. Tweed 7 candles; Mrs. J. Villipige one load lightwood; Mrs. L. Whitaker two shoulders and one side of meat, one bushel meal, three pecks sifted hominy; Mrs. Withers one quart of rice, two of flour, one cup of lard; Mrs. R. Young meals 16th July, and one load of wood; Mr. John Young one load of lightwood; Mrs. W. R. Young meals; Miss Young one large mattress; Dr. Zemp one bushel meal; Mrs. Beach cash \$20, one bundle of candles; Mr. Baum meals 2d July, and August; Col. Kennedy sending Soldiers home from time to time, also Mrs. R. Young for the same kindness; Mrs. Crosby one stone bowl; Rev. T. F. Davis cash \$10; Miss Milling one shoulder of bacon, one half bushel of meat; one basket of Greens from Mr. Owens; Mr. Charles Perkins half bushel of rye, meal, half bushel rye for coffee, one ham; Mrs. Arthur meals, piece of meat for soup; Mrs. Baxley meals 10th July; Rev. E. T. Winkler Charleston, through Mrs. H. S. Greiggs, 10 pounds of coffee, 20 pounds sugar; Mr. N. M. Porter 5 pounds coffee; Mrs. Mcandless 4 cups, one bowl, two plated forks; Mr. Hocott meals 9th July; Mrs. Bouney 4 saucers; Ladies Aid Association 38 1/2 yards homespun for sheets and pillow cases; Mrs. Shaw cash \$5; Mr. J. K. Witherspoon for carrying soldiers from depot free of charge.

Mrs. Elliot a basket and bucket of vegetables; Miss H. Lang one peck of Rice; A lady two months cash \$6, half a bushel of corn; A lady one dish of lard; Mrs. C. C. Lee two tumblers, one cup and saucer, one bowl, two towels; Mr. Hocott kindness in advertising for us.

Any donations in the way of crockery, tumblers, knives and forks, spoons large and small, mattresses, pillows, and bedding of any kind will be very acceptable, as we often have more soldiers than can be comfortably accommodated.

CAMDEN, S. C. August 8

An Explanation of "Edmund Kirke" about his Visit to Richmond.

A card from "Edmund Kirke," whose real name is James R. Gilmore, 37 West Adam street, Boston, was published in the Boston Transcript Friday evening. Mr. Gilmore says, of the ex-reverend, now Col. Jaques, as follows:

With his (Jaques) supposed "mission" I had nothing to do. I went with him—or rather he went with me, for my pass directed ("Grant to allow J. R. Gilmore and friend to pass out

lives to go South")—to Richmond—on Saturday last, and I can say unequivocally that the President knew nothing of his accompanying me.

Mr. Lincoln, though an old time friend and acquaintance of Col. Jaques, has not even seen him for now nearly three years.

How the newspaper statements in reference to our visit to Mr. Davis originated I do not know. Until 12 o'clock last night, when I returned to my home in this city, I had communicated to no human being, except Generals Butler and Grant and the President, the fact of having been in the Rebel Capital at all.

I am not, and never have been, connected with the New York Tribune. At the earnest solicitation of Mr. Ed. Howard Gray, the managing editor of that journal (who is a very dear and intimate friend of mine), I did consent, nearly two years ago, to the Tribune Association, publishing cheap editions of my books (but that arrangement was long since discontinued); and I did, in July last, write half a dozen articles for that paper.

I have not, however, exchanged a word with Mr. Greeley, or even seen him for fully three months, and I have no connection with him; in fact, I know absolutely nothing of his "negotiations." This much, however, in reference to that much-talked of matter, being a Yankee, I can guess. It will result in nothing. Jefferson Davis said to me last Sunday (and with all his faults I believe him a man of truth):—"This war must go on till the last of this generation fall in his tracks, and his children seize his musket and fight our battles, unless you acknowledge our right to self government. We are not fighting for slavery. We are fighting for independence, and that, or extermination, we will have."

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MONDAY MORNING, AUG. 15.

York District reports fifteen bushels of rice produced—one and a half bushels for tithing.

The *Carolinian* of the 12th inst., published the list of Assessors of the Tax in Kind, recently appointed by the Governor. Among them we notice the name of Wm. Wallace, Esq., who has been appointed Assessor for Kershaw District.

Colorado Jewett telegraphs the New York Herald, that Ben Wood, Dean Richmond, and a number of other Democrats, are now at Niagara Falls, consulting with Clay, Holcombe, Sanders and other rebel agents. Since Greeley and Lincoln failed, these Democrats want to see what they can do towards making peace.

Arrivals at the Soldier's Rest

ON 11TH 12TH AND 13TH OF AUGUST.

John W. Wilson—Co. C, 12th S. C. Regiment—on furlough—from Kershaw.

H. Bass—Co. C, 12th S. C. Regiment—on furlough—from Kershaw.

J. Williams—Co. K, 7th S. C. Battalion—sick—from Kershaw.

Wesley Allen—Regiment—not enlisted—from Kershaw.

Samuel Mackey—Co. B, S. C. Siege Train—sick—from Charleston.

M. S. Veney—Co. D, 2d S. C. Regiment—sick—from Virginia.

J. A. Gregory—Co. E, 43d Alabama—wounded—from Alabama.

J. J. Funderburk—Co. E, 22d S. C. Regiment—wounded—from Lancaster.

Chapman Estridge—Co. E, 22d S. C. Regiment—wounded—from Lancaster.

RAIDING ITEMS.—Gen. Stoneman, the leader of the captured Yankee raiders, is a large, tall, thin man, with a face very much bronzed and rough, somewhat haggard features; sandy whiskers and hair, dark, keen lowering eyes and look, darting sharp, piercing looks occasionally, at his interrogators. He bears the appearance of a man of iron will, who exacts implicit obedience to his commands and is stern in his decrees. His strong, powerful frame, seems capable of enduring any amount of hardships. His every feature and powerful, wiry notions, indicate the endurance of a Hercules and mark him the leader of desperate enterprises the character of which, have made him his reputation as an invincible raider.

Stoneman states he left Atlanta July 27, and was engaged in active operations up to the time of his capture.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

REPORTS OF THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Entered according to the Act of Congress in the year 1863, by J. S. THURASER, in the Clerk's office of the District Court of the Confederate States for the Northern District of Georgia.

FROM ATLANTA.

ATLANTA, August 13.—The enemy, yesterday evening, advanced his right about one mile, at the same time extending his left a short distance, but suddenly withdrew both to his original position. Their line officers attempted frequently, at different points along the lines, to communicate with ours, proposing a cessation of picket firing, which was not entertained, in consequence of the proposal not coming from proper officers.

No shells were thrown into the city last night or to-day. Only slight artillery firing to-day.

Brig. Gen. John C. Brown has been appointed, temporarily, Major-General. Lieut. James Kennard has been assigned as Chief of Ordnance of the department of the army of Tennessee.

NORTHERN NEWS.

RICHMOND, August 12.—Baltimore papers of yesterday say that the Yankee cavalry had recrossed at Martinsburg.

Sheridan reports his forces moving up the Shenandoah valley, against the enemy. At 4 o'clock on Wednesday skirmishing was going on 10 miles from Winchester.

Grant has returned to City Point. It is ascertained that Stanton has tendered his resignation, which was promptly accepted by Lincoln. Other cabinet changes are reported, but there is no doubt about the resignation of Stanton, caused by a quarrel with Blair.

AN IMMENSE REVENUE.—A few days ago Lord Beresford, the Protestant Archbishop of Armagh died—a very old and respectable man. The Archbishop entered the church very young, with powerful friends, who placed him in good livings. For the first seven years he was Dean of Clogher, and received in that time 4,000l. Then he was two years Bishop of Cork and Ossory, and received 10,000l; then two years Bishop of Raphoe, and received 18,000l; then Bishop of Clogher for 11 years, and received 121,000l; then Archbishop of Dublin two years and received 24,000l; then he reached the top of the tree as Archbishop of Armagh, and he found it a very good place, for he lived forty years in it, and received 600,000l; making a total of 777,000l.

Mercer's brigade is assigned to Cleburne's division, Gist's brigade to Cheatham's division, and Stephen's brigade, commanded by Major Arthur Scheaff, to Bates' division. Thus, in a few days, has Walker's division been broken up, and its glories and its deeds will only live now (though the men who helped to achieve its reputation still live,) among the memories of the past. Walker is gone, his glorious Georgia division is numbered "among the things that were," in the army of Tennessee; but the individual representation of the brigades which compose it will continue, and the gallant men of the Empire and Palmetto State will, wherever placed, win new laurels with which to deck their brows.—*Cor. Savannah Republican.*

The Democracy of Ohio, in the selection of delegates to the Chicago Convention, seem to have taken care of those who have been the victims of arbitrary arrests. Mr. Vallandigham, who was arrested and tried by a mock military court, and sent out of the country, without crime and without law, represents his old Congressional district in the Chicago Convention—Governor Medary, lately arrested and released on bail, is elected from the capitol district—Dr. E. B. Olds, arrested and confined in the Old Capitol prison, and subsequently released without knowing the crime charged, is a delegate from the Fairfield district—A. M. Jackson, of Crawford, and Archibald McGregor, of Starke, both imprisoned at Camp Mansfield, are delegates from their respective districts.

"The Mayor Wants to see Thee."

A young man had been to sea, and on his return was narrating to his uncle an adventure which he had met with on board ship. "I was one night leaning down on the tall rail looking down into the mighty ocean," said the nephew, "when my gold watch fell from my fob, and immediately sunk out of sight. The vessel was going ten knots an hour, but nothing daunted, I swung over the rail, down, down, and after a long search, found it, and came up close under the stern, and climbed back to the deck, without any one knowing that I had been absent." "William," said his uncle, slightly elevating his broad brow and opening his eyes to the widest capacity, "how fast did thee say the vessel was going?" "Ten knots, uncle." "And thee dived down into the sea, and came up with the watch, and climbed up by the rudder-chains?" "Yes, uncle." "And thee expects me to believe all the story?" "Of course! You would not dream of calling me a liar, would you, uncle?" "William," replied the uncle gravely, "thee knows I never call anybody names; but, William, if the mayor of the city was to come to me and say, 'Josiah, I want thee to find the biggest liar in Philadelphia,' I would come straight to thee, and put my hand on thy shoulder, and say unto thee, 'William, the Mayor wants to see thee.'"

The four officers of the Alabama who landed at Cherbourg as prisoners on parole surrendered themselves on board the Kearsage when that vessel left the port. Advice from Cherbourg state that the Kearsage had been replaced in the roadstead by the Federal corvette Sacramento. The latter is built on the same model as the Kearsage, and like her, is armed with very large pivot guns. After having taken on board coal and provisions, the Sacramento is to go in quest of Confederate vessels cruising on the coast of Europe. Captain Semmes left Southampton on Thursday for London, on a visit to Mr. Mason, the Confederate envoy. Captain Semmes is much better in health, but he still feels acutely the loss of his ship.

THE KEARSAGE PRISONERS AT CHERBOURG.—A NEW QUESTION.—Paris correspondence of the London News says a question of importance has arisen between the Captain of the Kearsage and the Naval authorities at Cherbourg.

Captain Winslow sent eight wounded Confederate sailors, from motives of humanity, to the Marine Hospital at Cherbourg. He claims that, in his absence they shall be sent as prisoners of war to the Sacramento. The authorities say that the moment that a prisoner of war sets foot upon the soil of France he is, by French law, *ipso facto* free. Four officers of the Alabama, who were there on parole, claim exemption from arrest on the same grounds.

Administrator's Notice.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Moses Romig late of Kershaw District deceased, will present them to the subscriber properly attested, and those indebted to said Estate will please make payment, at as early a day as possible to JOHN BRAXTON, Adm'r August 19

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER THIS DAY, I WILL SELL MY loaves of bread at 40 cents—the price heretofore being 50.
August 12. W. DAASCH.

Garden Seeds.

A SMALL SUPPLY OF THE FOLLOWING Garden Seeds are for sale at the Post Office: Early York, Drumhead Savoy and English Cabbage; Yellow Dutch, White Stone and Red Norfolk Turnips; Beets, Carrot and Parsnip.

These Seed were imported by the Confederate Government, and are believed to be fresh and genuine.

—ALSO—
Ruta Baga, White Norfolk and country Turnip.
July 29

Depot Soldiers Board of Relief.

CAMDEN, S. C., August 6, 1864.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE AND UNTIL further notice my regular days for delivering corn, &c., will be on Tuesday and Friday of each week. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.
August 6. J. M. CAYLE, Agent.
Confederate please copy.