

To Subscribers.

Parties remitting us ten dollars, will please take notice, that this amount will only pay for two months, the subscription price having been raised to fifteen dollars.

J. D. A., Columbia, is informed that we have not a copy of Gen. Johnston's Report on hand. The supply is out.

Bad Luck to Him.

The individual who stepped in to our office on yesterday morning and appropriated an exchange paper lying on the table to his own use, while we were for a moment absent, is an unmitigated purloiner of small things, and we would dislike to trust him with anything valuable. The loss to us of the paper was most serious.

Preliminaries of Peace.

Lieut. Col. HENRY, bearer of despatches to the Trans-Mississippi Department, passed through town yesterday, on his way to Augusta. He goes to stay further offensive operations. Col. H. says that the preliminaries of peace have been agreed upon between General Johnston and General Grant—that the terms are, as understood, to return to the Union with the old status of States—slavery to be left to the vote of the Southern States. A new president to be elected. This is substantially as understood, and coming from Col. Henry.

True—Falsely.

Capt. McF., who claims kin to "reliable," says that Gov. Brown, of Georgia, during a late raid of Wilson's, to prevent two brigades of militia falling into the enemy's hands, placed them in an empty cotton ware house, and set fire to the building. Each man being provided with forty rounds of cartridge, of course there was an explosion, and the whole party went up, thus preventing the disgrace that would have attached to the capture. Mc. says he had it from "special."

Rumors Prevalent Yesterday.

It is currently rumored that terms for peace have been agreed upon, and that reconstruction is the basis.

Another is that Gen. Lee is to be President and Gen. Grant, Vice-President of the consolidated governments.

Gen. Johnston's army is said to have dwindled down to about four or five thousand men, while that of Sherman has melted away to a mere corporal's guard. Both armies taking advantage of the truce granting themselves unlimited foraging. "Coming events cast their shadows before."

Knucks.

From the bottom of our heart, in weariness of spirit, we are forced to exclaim that the game of knucks is of diabolical invention, and the players of it agents of our enemy. It seems to have been originated especially as an annoyance, or rather it was put into the heads of the noisy crowd, who hourly indulge in it, to come right under our window, and before the door, to play it, and with loud shouting, swearing and every imaginable noise, to annoy and worry us while at work. It is almost next to impossible to fix one's thoughts upon any kind of business, for at the most particular point, a yell is heard equal to that of wild cancanes, and knucks, knucks, scatters every idea. It is horrible. In tears we beseech the boy population, whose name seems legion, to pick another spot for knucks, or we will be forced some day to run down and use our knucks on their craniums. Mothers and fathers of, perhaps, some future president of the Confederacy, we appeal to you to keep your "hopefuls" at home, and not let them prow about at will to the annoyance of quiet folks.

Charleston Items.

All persons who wish to recover any captured animals or vehicles, must take the oath, and swear to have been loyal during the war to the United States Government.

Parties bringing goods into Charleston must register, under the penalty of confiscation.

All buildings, lands and tenements owned by persons who have failed to comply with Lincoln's proclamation of December 8, 1864, and who are absent from the city, are taken possession of by an agent of the Treasury Department and claimed as abandoned property. All occupants of such property must report to the registry office, and all rents must be paid to the United States agents.

The Yankees have established a negro recruiting office at Summerville, twenty-two miles above Charleston, and a negro brigade garrisons the town.

Enjoy the glory of the sun, and not put out your eyes by trying to count the spots upon its face.

Sherman's General Order

ON THE

DEATH OF LINCOLN.

Particulars of the Death of Lincoln and Seward.

HEALON'S, MILITARY DIV'N OF THE MISS., In the Field, Raleigh, April 17, 1865.

SPECIAL FIELD ORDER, No. 50

The General commanding announces with pain and sorrow, that on the evening of the 11th inst., at the theatre in Washington City, his Excellency, the President of the United States, Mr. Lincoln, was assassinated by one who uttered the State motto of Virginia. At the same time, the Secretary of State, Mr. Seward, whilst suffering from a broken arm, was also stabbed by another murderer, in his own house, but still survives, and his son was wounded, supposed fatally.

It is believed by persons capable of judging, that other high officers were designed to share the same fate. Thus it seems that our enemy, despairing of meeting us in manly warfare, begins to resort to the assassin's tools. Your General does not wish you to infer that this is universal, for he knows that the great mass of the Confederate army would scorn to sanction such acts, but he believes it the legitimate consequence of rebellion against rightful authority. We have met every phase which this war has assumed, and must now be prepared for it in its last and worst shape, that of assassins and guerrillas; but woe unto the people who seek to expend their wild passions in such a manner, for there is but one dread result.

By order of

Maj. Gen. W. T. SHERMAN.
L. M. Dayton, Maj., and Asst. Adj. Gen'l

The latest Nashville and Chattanooga papers received through the lines contain full and interesting particulars of the tragedy in high life, which recently occurred in Washington City, resulting in the death of President Lincoln and Secretary Seward.

It appears that on the evening of the 11th, Lincoln, much against his will, was persuaded to visit the theatre in the Federal capital, where was to be represented a popular piece, entitled "Our American Cousin." He occupied as usual on such occasions a private box, accompanied by his wife. The representation had hardly begun, when a pistol shot was heard, but the noise created no stir in the large assemblage, and no excitement was manifested until far above the hum and buzz of the many-voiced multitude, came the screams and cries of Mrs. Lincoln.

Immediately a man jumped from the box in front of the foot lights, brandishing a dagger, exclaiming "Sic semper tyrannis! Virginia is avenged!" The crowd, as if panic-stricken, offered no obstacle to the egress of the author of this doughty deed, and he escaped.

Great excitement prevailed when the nature of the catastrophe was understood. Lincoln was shot through the head, and survived till next day.

About the same hour this little dramatic spectacle, not announced in the bill, was being presented at the theatre, a gentleman called at the residence of Mr. Seward, and called for the right honorable Secretary. The servant responded to the bell, stating that his master was sick, and had refused company. The gentleman persisted, stating that he had a prescription from an eminent physician at Washington, and must see him.

At this juncture, Mr. F. W. Seward appeared upon the scene, and denied the visitor admission. Some little parleying ensued when the unwelcome visitor struck young Seward over the head with a bludgeon, fracturing his skull.

He immediately rushed through the hall and entered the room of Secretary Seward. In this apartment there were collected five gentlemen, including the Paymaster-General of the Army. The visitor did not stop to explain his business, but approached the bed upon which Seward was reposing, and cut his throat. A general melee then ensued, in which a Mr. Hansall was also killed.—Augusta Constitutionalist.

There is great rejoicing throughout the North. Washington dispatches say that the war is over. In New York there were continuous firing of salutes, and in Philadelphia, large processions paraded the streets, locomotives whistled, the Independence Bell was rung, with other demonstrations. In Baltimore, the Mayor caused the bells to be rung. In Cincinnati, there was a general suspension of business, and a grand display of fireworks in the evening.

The city of Raleigh is now occupied by Sherman's troops. We can hear nothing concerning operations in that direction, as we have received but one newspaper from East of Charlotte in 20 days.

A Yankee correspondent says that at Camden, S. C., in a newly made grave in the burying ground, was found over sixty thousand dollars in specie.

As to the female sex, it was quite unnecessary for the President to exhort them, in one of his speeches, to prefer an armless sleeve to one which has never been used in battle. That sex has too accurate an instinct of what constitutes a man to need any counsel on that point. The maimed body is an evidence to them of an unmaimed soul, of a heroism and unselfishness that can make a man with one arm a better protector and more genial friend through life than many men who are all arms and legs. A half a man, who has lost his other half in battle, is entitled to a better half in the shape of a wife; and he will get it against all rivals. Even if he is a candidate for office, he will run better on one leg than other men on two. No one but soldiers need expect to have any choice hereafter either in politics or love. A grey coat is the symbol of all that is noble in the human heart, and whenever it makes its appearance, the best black broadcloth will be left in the cold. When Grey Coat, with or without arms or legs, summons a female fortress, after the war, the Union flag will be displayed for the first time, and confiscation, subjugation, unconditional submission, be granted without a murmur.

The best history of the present war that has been, or ever will be, written, is already penned. It will be found in the newspapers of the Confederacy. Any man who has a complete file of any good newspaper that has been published uninterruptedly during the war, has the best and most complete history of the revolution that will ever be written. He owns an invaluable piece of property, which will serve to teach his children not only the great events that occurred in the progress of this unparalleled war, but to afford them a narrative more intensely interesting than any romance that was ever written. And yet how little importance is attached to a newspaper by many people. It is read and thrown away as lightly as a squeezed orange.

[Milledgeville Union.]

A letter before us states that in Chickasaw county, Mississippi, within thirteen miles of West Point, fifty thousand bushels of corn may be bought for one dollar and fifty cents a bushel. The Government stock is being fed on this material, and plenty abounds undisturbed.

MULES, MULES.

YOUNG MULES will be exchanged for COTTON, NEGROES or CONFEDERATE MONEY.

Apply to T. D. Davis, at the Depot, W. J. Duffie at Newberry, or A. B. Bowden, at Walthalla.

April 26, 17—34

HEADQUARTERS.

BATTALION STATE CADETS.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., April 17th 1865.

SPECIAL ORDERS NO. 9.

ALL members of Companies "A" and "B" of this Battalion, who are now absent from their companies without leave from these Headquarters, are ordered to report without delay to CAPT. H. S. THOMSON, Co. A, B. S. C., at Greenville, S. C.

By command: Major J. B. WHITE, AMORY COFFIN, 2nd Lieut. and Adj. B. S. C. April 27, 17—34

A CARD.

DR. B. F. WATKINS, respectfully offers his professional services to the citizens of Newberry, and adjacent neighborhoods.

He can be seen at the residence of Mrs. A. Caldwell.

Apr. 22, 15—34.

Wanted to Hire.

A WOMAN to do the work of a small family, for whom good wages will be given. Apply at this office.

Apr. 22, 15—34.

CIRCULAR.

ADJUTANT & INSPECTOR GEN'L'S OFFICE, April 12, 1865.

General: The first, second and third South Carolina Regiments of Cavalry and Trenholm's Battalion, have been recently organized into a Brigade by the War Department, and you appointed to command it.

Before entering upon the duty, the Adjutant and Inspector General, directs that you will proceed to South Carolina and visit such places in the State as may be necessary to collect the men belonging to said organization.

When they have been assembled, you will take charge of them and report, without delay, to Gen. J. E. Johnston for duty.

I am General, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN W. RIELY, Maj. and Adj. To Brig. Gen. M. I. Bonham, Greensboro, N. C.

CHESTERVILLE, S. C., April 18, 1865.

The men belonging to the above commands, now in South Carolina, who cannot go forward sooner, will meet me at Union, C. H., on or before the 1st May, prox., prepared to report as above.

Those, not of the command, who have attained the age of 18, on obtaining the consent of the General commanding Reserve Forces, of South Carolina, will be received with the privilege of selecting their companies and regiments.

All cavalry of Gen. J. E. Johnston's army, who cannot go forward sooner, will be received until they can join their respective commands.

Capt. Wm. F. Nance, Assistant Adjutant General, who is under orders to report to Gen. Johnston, will act under my orders until I shall join General Johnston's army, under the above instructions of the Adjutant and Inspector General. All orders signed by him will be obeyed.

M. L. BONHAM, Brig. Gen. P. A. C. S. Apr. 22, 15—34

GENERAL HOSPITAL,

NEWBERRY, S. C., April 23, 1865.

IN behalf of the SICK and WOUNDED, we would respectfully notify the ladies of Newberry and vicinity that contributions of MILK, BUTTER, EGGS, and VEGETABLES will be thankfully received at the College building.

B. F. KILGORE, Surgeon in Charge. Apr. 25, 16—14

\$3,000 REWARD.

LOST a Leathern Haversack, containing \$170 in Gold, and valuable papers. A liberal reward will be paid for the delivery of the haversack and papers to

COL. JOHN C. FISER, Care Maj. Gen. McLaws, Augusta, Ga. Ap 25 16 14

BANK OF NEWBERRY, S. C.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION for THIRTEEN DIRECTORS of this BANK, will be held at the Banking House, on Wednesday, 3d May, next. B. D. BOYD, President. April 18, 1865. 14

CHOICE GOODS.

Large Pearl Buttons, suitable for gents Summer Coats, or for Ladies Dresses and Summer coverings.

Also a few more papers English Pins, white and black.

Toilet Combs and Fine Combs, Black and Colored Sewing Silk, Black and Colored Flax Thread, Hair Pins, Thimbles,

Leather Belts, a nice article. Besides any quantity of Letter, Note and Fool's Cap Paper, also Envelopes.

So bring along your Confederate money. MARSHALL & BROTHER.

Apr 18, 18—14.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY,

MARSHALL & BROTHER

Will open to-day a few choice patterns of SUMMER DRESS GOODS,

consisting in part of M. De-lanes, and English Barges, also some

Beautiful Shawls for Summer. ap 18 18 14

IRON, IRON, IRON.

I HAVE ON HAND A LARGE LOT OF TIRE and HOOP IRON, which I will exchange for PROVISIONS of any kind. A. HARRIS. April 18 11 14

State Tax Notice.

IN traveling over the district I found that a great many of the Tax-payers were not apprised of our appointments, at the different places of collection in the district, consequently I have this method of informing them of my whereabouts, in order that they may have an opportunity of making their returns. I will be at the residence of my mother until Saturday in May; I will then go to Newberry, C. H., and remain there until Saturday, the 6th of May, at which time the books will be closed. All who fail to make returns by that time will be liable to a double Tax.

JACOB FELLEST C. N. D. Apr 18th 1865 18—34.

Tithe Bacon.

NO more TITHE BACON will be received at this DEPOT, until further orders, owing to the difficulty of transportation to the army.

S. P. BOOZER, Agent. Tax in Kind, Newberry, Dist., S. C. Apr 18, 18—34—14.

Envelopes, Envelopes.

A Lot of Good ENVELOPES for sale by B. H. LOVELACE.

ap 18-18-14

Cooking Soda.

1 BARREL of good COOKING SODA, perfectly fresh, just opened and for sale by

B. H. LOVELACE. ap 18-18-14



SECRETARY'S OFFICE, G. & C. R. R. Co.

NEWBERRY, S. C., April 14th, 1865.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the STOCK-HOLDERS of this Company, will be held at Greenville, C. H., on Thursday, 27th inst.

STOCKHOLDERS will be passed to and from said meeting FREE of CHARGE, as usual. C. V. CARRINGTON, Secretary. Apr. 18, 18—14.

Sugar, Sugar, Sugar.

3 BARRELS of GOOD BROWN SUGAR, just received and for SALE or BARTER by

B. H. LOVELACE. ap 11 10 14

Caps, Caps.

10,000 GUN CAPS, a good English article, for sale by

B. H. LOVELACE. Mar. 30, 4—14

Brown Shirting.

5,000 yards BROWN SHIRTING, just received and for sale or barter by

B. H. LOVELACE. ap 11 10 14

Cook Wanted.

A GOOD COOK, WASHER & IRONER, Wanted to hire from the owner. None of your free negroes wanted.

Apply at this office. March 21 14