

PROMOTIONS.—An army correspondent of the Richmond Enquirer says the following promotions were announced in a special order from the headquarters of the army.

Major-General J. B. Kershaw, permanently to the command of McLaws' Division.

Brigadier-General Bryan Grimes, permanently to the command of Daniel's (N. C.) Brigade.

Brigadier-General James Conner, temporarily to the command of McGowan's Brigade.

Brigadier-General Rufus Barringer, permanently to Gordon's Brigade of cavalry.

Brigadier-General John McCausland, permanently to Jenkins' Cavalry Brigade.

Brigadier-General Wm. R. Cox, temporarily to Ramseur's Brigade.

Brigadier-General Thos. Toon, temporarily to Johnson's (N. C.) Brigade.

Brigadier-General Wm. G. Lewis, temporarily to Hoke's Brigade.

Brigadier-General Lilly, temporarily to Pegram's Brigade.

Brigadier-General Zebulon York, temporarily to Hays' and Stafford's Brigade.

Major-General Ramseur, temporarily to Early's Division.

Major-General Mahone, temporarily to Anderson's Division.

Lieutenant General R. H. Anderson, temporarily to Longstreet's Corps.

Lieutenant General J. A. Early, temporarily to Ewell's Corps.

FROM NORFOLK AND VICINITY.—A party who left the vicinity of Norfolk last week, informs the editor of the Petersburg, Va. Sun, that nearly every efficient soldier has been sent forward to Butler, and all citizens within the military age, who had taken the oath of allegiance, had been put in service, and were performing guard duty in Norfolk and Portsmouth, the outer line of pickets being Yankees. A few Confederate prisoners at Point Lookout have been induced to take the oath, and were on guard duty also. Most of the large guns had been removed, and the Union men were all packed up, and waiting with anxiety to hear the result of the fighting between Lee Beauregard, and Grant and Butler.

A few weeks since, Miss Fannie Council, of Princess Anne, was searched, and a letter found on her person, said to be written by Miss Moore, of Norfolk, to some friend in the Confederate army. The young ladies were tried, and have been sent to Fort Hatteras, to wash and mend for the prisoners at that place. The letter signed L. Shepherd Moore, is published by order of the Provost Marshal of Norfolk in the Yankee paper of that city, and shows the spirit and feelings of a true Virginia woman.

ONE OF JOHNSON'S "SKIRMISHES."—A Western correspondent, describing the recent attack against Grandbury's brigade of Texans, writes as follows:

The fight is horrible. For an hundred yards you can scarcely tread without stepping over the mingled forms. Most of them are shot through the head. One fellow was examined and found to have received forty-seven balls; another received seventy; another twelve. The marksmanship was wonderful. Coolly these Texans went to work, repulsing an entire corps in three hours. It was the corps of Major Gen. Howard.

The figures above are not exaggerated; if anything, they are under-stated.

Our loss, 300 or 400.

This magnificent fight has electrified the whole army. Throughout yesterday, the bloody field was visited by hundreds, who all declare it unexampled. The reason for the comparatively small loss on our side may be attributed solely to the perfect aim of the Texans. Gen. Cleburne, commanding, was on the field, and displayed his usual resolution, grace and skill.

"A submarine boat propelled by compressed air has been built at Rochelle, France. It is intended to pierce an enemy's vessel under water, leave a combustible shell on her side, and then to discharge it by means of electricity as the boat retires to a safe distance."

Hon. J. L. M. Curry, of Alabama, has accepted an appointment as missionary in Gen. Johnston's army, under the auspices of the Virginia Sunday School and Publishing Board, and has entered regularly on his work.

Ballooning in the army has been voted a failure by the Yankee Government, and all the artist apparatus belonging to the Government has been sold at auction.

A WARRIOR'S DEATH.—It was evident to the physicians that death was setting its clammy seal upon the brave, open brow of the General and they told him so; asked if he had any last messages to give. The General, with a mind perfect and possessed, then made dispositions of his staff and personal effects. To Mrs Gen R. E. Lee he directed that his golden spurs be given as a dying memento of his love and esteem of her husband. To the staff officers he gave his horses. So particular was he in small things, even in the dying hour, that he emphatically exhibited and illustrated the ruling passion strong in death. To one of his staff, who was a heavy built man, he said, "You had better take the larger horse; he will carry you better." Other mementoes he disposed of in a similar manner. To his young son, he left his glorious sword.

His worldly matters closed, the eternal interest of his soul engaged his mind. Turning to the Rev. Mr. Peterkin, of the Episcopal Church, and of which he was an exemplary member, he asked him to sing the hymn commencing:

"Rock of ages cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee."

He joining in with all the voice his strength would permit. He then joined in prayer with the ministers. To the doctor he again said: "I am going fast now; I am resigned; God's will be done." Thus died Gen. J. E. B. Stuart.

PRESENT SIZE OF THE YANKEE MARINE.—By the Yankee Navy List, published in March of the present year, it would appear that the Yankee navy now consists of some 568 vessels of all classes, including those building, in commission and in ordinary. Of this number 21 are steam frigates, averaging from 2000 to 3700 tons, and mounting from 32 to 51 guns of the heaviest calibre each. The number of iron clads afloat and in process of completion is 72, which mount from 2 to 20 guns. The Navy Department sets down the loss of men-of-war at the hands of the rebels, since December, 1862, to the present time, at 43 vessels, including 8 rams and iron clads. There are now on the active list of the navy, 6 Rear Admirals, 18 Commodores, 72 Commanders and 144 Lieutenant Commanders.

HOW TO TAKE OIL.—The medical men of Paris recommend the following way of administering castor oil to children: The quantity of oil prescribed is poured into a small earthen pan over a moderate fire, an egg broken in it, and stirred up so as to form something like what cooks call frittered eggs; when it is done, a little salt or sugar, or a few drops of orange water, or some currant jelly should be added. The sick child will eat it eagerly and never discover the fraud.

DEATH OF A SCOUNDREL.—Col. Andrew J. Butler, brother of the Beast, died suddenly in New York on his return from New Orleans. He left "a very large personal property," so the New York Herald tells us, valued at two millions of dollars. This he got by stealing and robbery in New Orleans, in which the Beast was doubtless his partner, in proof of which is the fact that he left half of his property to the Beast, one quarter to his own widow, and one quarter in trust for his own son. Such unblushing rascality has rarely been acted in the face of the world.

THACKERAY.—Two moths of Thackeray, not before in print, appear in a recent number of Fraser:

Being told that an acquaintance of his, who was notorious for his love of beer, had sailed for India, he said: "He was a good fellow."

On his introduction to one of the Harpers in New York, Thackeray had joked with him on the American contempt for copyright, and when he went into the drawing room he took a little girl, whom he found playing there, on his knee, and gazing at her with feigned wonder, said in solemn tones: "And this is a pirate's daughter!"

WHERE LEE WANTS HIM.—A correspondent of the Atlanta Intelligencer writes:

It is reliably stated that Gen. Lee has his beautiful but intrepid opponent on the very position he desires, with a view to the accomplishment of his ulterior purposes—which include his destruction and that of the whole Yankee army, disproportionate, as it is said to be, in numbers to his own—purposes, however, which can only be accomplished by a great battle fought and won.

POST OFFICE, CAMDEN, S. C. MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

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Due—Monday, Wednesday & Friday by 12 00 M
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From 8 00 A. M. to 2 00 P. M., and for short time after opening the mail at night.

T. W. PEGUES, P. M.

WAR TAX NOTICE. 17TH COLLECTION DISTRICT.

TAX Payers within the limits of the District (Kershaw) are hereby notified, that the undersigned will be prepared on and after Thursday, June 2d, to receive returns and make assessments of all property, real, personal and mixed, under act of Congress of 17th of February, 1864.

All persons are earnestly requested, as the time is at hand, and in order to facilitate making of their returns correctly, to come prepared with lists of all the property they own, as follows:

1. Number of acres of land.
2. " " slaves.
3. " " horses, mules, asses and jennets.
4. " " cattle.
5. " " sheep, goats and hogs.
6. " " lbs. tobacco.
7. " " cotton and wool.
8. " " bushels wheat, corn, oats, rye, buckwheat and rice.
9. Number bushels potatoes of all kinds, peas and ground peas.
10. Flour, meal, sugar, molasses, bacon, lard and all other groceries, goods, wares of merchandise, spirituous liquors, wine, cider and vinegar.
11. Value of all household and kitchen furniture, agricultural tools and implements, tools of mechanic, musical instruments and other articles of domestic use.
12. Carriages, wagons, drays, carts, and every species of vehicle on wheels.
13. All gold and silver wares and plate, jewels, jewelry and watches.
14. Books, maps, pictures, paintings, statuary, and all other works of art.
15. Number of shares in any bank or railroad, and other joint stock companies.
16. Gold or silver coin or bullion.
17. Amount of all solvent credits, bank bills and paper currency, except non-interest bearing Confederate Treasury notes.
18. Value of all other property not enumerated in the foregoing.

All kinds of property above mentioned, owned 17th February last, are taxable under said Act.

JOHN CANTEY,) Assessors,
R. M. KENNEDY,) 17th C. D.

We will give due notice when we will be round at the different precincts.
June 3 21

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.



ADJUTANT AND INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
COLUMBIA, June 1, 1864.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 7.

I. THE commanding officers of the several Militia Regiments of the State will immediately return to this office lists of the Field Officers of their respective regiments, with the date of their commission or election to office.

II. In Regiments in which there are no Field Officers, the ranking officer of the line will make the above return, and forthwith order elections for Field Officers of their respective regiments, giving due notice.

III. The commanding officers of Regiments are required to have all vacant offices in their respective Regiments filled, according to law, (Act 1841.)

By command, A. C. GARLINGTON,
Adjutant and Inspector-General S. C.
Official: G. A. POLLIN, A. A. G.
June 10 2
Papers of the State copy twice.

HEADQUARTERS 22d REG. S. C. M CAMDEN, S. C., June 8, 1864.

GENERAL ORDER NO. 8.

I. IN pursuance of General Order No. 7, from A. C. Garlington, Adjutant and Inspector General, the Field Officers of this Regiment are hereby ordered to return the date of their commission or election to office to these Headquarters on or before the 15th instant.

2. Captains or Officers commanding Beat companies will have all vacant offices in their respective companies immediately filled according to law, (Act 1841) and make returns to these Headquarters, on or before the 5th proximo.

3. Captains L. J. Patterson, John Thompson, J. Falkenberg, Jno. B. Mickle, Adam Tesen, S. D. Hough, Tobias Polson, R. Parker, are charged with the extension of Paragraph 2 of this order.

By command of Col. JONES. J. M. GAYLE,
Adjutant.
June 10 2

NOTICE.

W. E. HUGHES Esq., will act as my agent during my absence from the State.
May 20 4 W. B. TAYLOR.

"ST. LAWRENCE."
THIS Celebrated trotting Stallion, of the Morgan stock, will stand the ensuing season (1st March to 1st July) at my plantation on a nny's Quarter Creek, 9 miles from Camden, Liberty Hill road, at forty dollars payable in advance. No insurance. Groom fee \$1.00. ZACH. CANTEY.
March 11 11

200 DOLLARS REWARD.
THE above reward will be paid for the detection of the rascal who cut the gin-band of the subscriber, on Saturday night last. Persons owning shoe shops w^h please keep an eye on all sole leather sent to their shops. SUTHERLAND & LEMMOND.
February 5 11

HARK.
THIS Beautiful thoroughbred young Stallion, by Jeff Davis, dam by Eutaw Shark, will stand at Hobkirk Hill the ensuing season (1st March to 1st July) at Fifty dollars, payable in advance. No insurance. \$1.00 to the Groom.
March 4 11

Dr. J. McCaa & Dr. B. H. Matheson.
OFFICE—TWO DOORS ABOVE THE BRANCH BANK.
DR. JNO. MCCAAL. DR. B. H. MATHESON.
January 29 11

NOTICE.
CAPT. W. E. HUGHSON will act as my Agent for the transaction of all business in reference to Insurance Agency, during my absence in the service.
January 22 11 W. L. DEPASS.

NOTICE.
B. M. BROWN is my authorised agent during my absence from home. T. S. MYERS.
February 12 11

MEDICAL NOTICE.
THE undersigned have formed a copartnership for the practice of medicine, in Camden and its vicinity.
J. M. DESAUSSEURE, M. D.,
D. L. DESAUSSEURE, M. D.
April 1 11

SAM LETCHER.
WILL be at his stable at the Hermitage the ensuing season, commencing the first of March. Terms—Fifty Dollars the Season, payable in advance.
February 12 11

FACTORAGE AND COMMISSION AGENCY.
THE undersigned has this day opened an agency for the purchase barter and sale, on commission, of groceries, provisions, dry goods, and produce and merchandise of every description, and is prepared to receive goods on consignment or for storage. Attention will also be given to the buying and selling of Real Estate and Negroes. Liberal advances made on all consignments. Office on Main street two doors above the Post Office. D. D. HOCOTT.
April 15 11

WANTED TO HIRE.
A NEGRO Girl from 10 to 12 years of age. For further particulars apply at the Post Office.
April 29 11

WANTED.
500 BUSHELS of Sorghum Seed, for which the highest price will be given.
April 8 D. D. HOCOTT.

FOR SALE OR BARTER.
TWO doors above the Post Office, Cotton Cards, Rice, Liverpool and Coast Salt, Nails, Tobacco, Cotton Yarn, Flour, Bacon, and Lard, by
April 29 D. D. HOCOTT.

HEADQUARTERS EN. OFFICE.
CAMDEN, S. C., April 19th, 1864.
PARAGRAPH 1. The Captains of Beat Companies in Kershaw District, will furnish me, at once, with a list of all persons in their respective Beats between the ages of 17 and 18 and 45 and 50 years of age.
W. Z. LEITNER,
April 22 11 Capt. and E. O. K. D.

HEADQUARTERS EN. OFFICE.
CAMDEN, S. C., April 15th, 1864.
I. ALL persons between the ages of seventeen and fifty years of age, will report for enrollment in my office forthwith.
II. All certificates of exemption, heretofore issued by Enrolling Officers, under previous Acts of Congress (except exemptions of mail contractors, drivers of post-coaches and hacks, and on account of religious opinion) are repealed; and all persons holding such exemptions are ordered to report for enrollment.
III. All persons who hold exemptions for physical disability, from the Medical Board, are also ordered to report for enrollment. By order of
W. Z. LEITNER,
April 15 11 Capt. and E. O. K. D.

NOTICE.
W. E. HUGHSON, will act as my agent during my absence from home. Persons indebted to me will make payment to him.
May 27 3m D. L. DESAUSSEURE.

NOTICE.
THREE months after this date, application will be made to the Bank of Camden So. Ca., to issue a duplicate certificate for two shares of stock of said Bank, No. 1500, July 1, 1859, standing in the name of Sarah Ciples—the original being lost.
JNO. M. DESAUSSEURE,
May 13 3m Executor.

NOTICE.
DR. T. W. SALMOND, has resumed the practice of his profession in the Town of Camden and its vicinity. Office on Main street.
May 13 11

RAGS! RAGS!!
THE HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR WHITE linen or cotton rags, delivered in large or small quantities at this office.