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...April 9.—The Yankees fought a sham battle near Culpeper C. H, on last Thursday. The cannonading was heard in our camp.

It is reported that two regiments of Yankee cavalry—one white, the others black—visited Winchester recently, capturing and carrying away Robert J. Conrad and Philip Williams as hostages for two members of Pierpont's government, recently captured in Winchester. Our cavalry fired on the black cavalry, killing and wounding several of the latter.

A heavy rain has been falling for twelve hours. The roads are deep in mud.

It is reported that Seigel is concentrating a large force in the Valley.

From Dalton.

DALTON, April 9.—Fast Day was universally observed yesterday. Religious services were held at the different churches and camps.

The enemy fired on our pickets this morning but made no further demonstrations. It is reported that the 9th and 15th corps of sherman's army have gone east, and that they are to be replaced by two others. Stokes' renegade Tennessee Cavalry, captured by General Wheeler and paroled, are again in service without being exchanged, murdering all the Confederates who fall into their hands. Among the victims is Captain Bledsoe, of the 4th Tennessee Cavalry, and eighth Texas Rangers. Every deserter from our army is sent across the Ohio immediately, to prevent the formation of guerilla bands inside their lines.

From Richmond.

RICHMOND, April 9.—Fast Day was duly observed by this community. The congregations at the several churches were larger than on the last similar occasion. At night there was religious services at the theatre, and a discourse by Dr. Burrows, of the Baptist Church. The building was crowded. Hundreds were unable to gain admittance.

Yesterday afternoon a locomotive exploded on the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad, killing the engineer and three others.

Another heavy rain to-day. The reports of a Yankee advance up the Peninsular are not credited at the War Department.

Mexico.

The superficial area of Mexico in round numbers is 800,000 square miles. Its population is 8,000,000. Compared with France, it has four times as much territory, and less than one fourth the number of inhabitants. Its extreme length N. W. and S. E. is over 2,000 miles, and its breadth, in latitude 26, is more than 1,000 miles. The Mexican Confederacy, under the Constitution of 1857, embraces twenty-three States, one district and one territory.

The larger portion of Mexico is very sparsely populated. The Northern frontier States—Tamaulipas, Nueva Leon, Coahuila, Chihuahua, Sonora, and Lower California, together with the interior States of Cinaboa and Durango—embrace an area of 400,000 square miles, which is more than half of the entire territory of the country. And yet, the aggregate population of this vast region is less than 1,000,000.

Interesting to Newspapers.

The Houston (Texas) *Telegraph* publishes the following:

On the Tax Assessor of this country taking the schedule of the *Telegraph*, he proposed to tax the proprieter as a wholesale dealer in merchandize, insisting that subscriptions were in effect sales of newspapers, and requiring besides the licence, 2½ per cent. on the press subscriptions of the office. We objected, and referred the matter to Richmond, from whence we have received the reply below. We publish it for the benefit of our cotemporaries. The saving to some of them will be considerable.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF TAXES,
Richmond', January 4, 1864.

* * The Secretary of War has long since decided that the publishers of newspapers, periodicals, &c, are not dealers within the meaning of section 5th of the Tax Act. * * *

Very respectifully,
Your ob't. serv't.,
THOMPSON ALLAN, Commissioner.

A Melancholy Case.

We encountered a good looking soldier yesterday, a native of Virginia, and now in one of the hospitals of Macon, from a gun-shot wound in the hip. He said he was the last one of eight sons, all twins; all went into the war about the same time and all but himself had been killed upon the battle field or were dead of wounds received there. Five of them were killed at Fort Donelson, and one was wounded and died in a Federal hospital. He, himself, the last of the eight, was hobbling about on a pair of crutches and one limb slowly perishing away. He was however, stil full of pluck, in good spirits and only regretted that he was unfit for the field. This is a strong case of the horrors of war.—*Macon Telegraph.*

Lord's Prayer.

The following is a literal translation into English, of the Lord's prayer in Cherokee:

Our father, who dwellest above, honored be thy name. Let thy empire spring to light. Let thy will be done on earth as it is done above. Our food day by day bestow on us. Pity us in ...rd to our having sinned against thee, ...pity those who sin against us. ...d us not in any place of straying, ...e other hand, restrain us from ...ine is the empire, and the ... the honor. So let it be.

...NG.—A bowl containing ...er, set in an oven ...t pies, cakes,

A General Exchange of Prisoners Inaugurated.

We are gratified in being able to make the happy announcement that a regular system for a general exchange of prisoners is agreed upon, and will be immediately inaugurated.

Commissioner Ould returned on Saturday from Fortress Monroe, at which point he has been, under a flag of truce, two or three days past, on business connected with his department, the result of which, he informs us, is the resumption of the cartel, with the prospect under its provisions, of an immediate exchange of all the prisoners of war on both sides.

A flag of truce boat is expected at City Point on Wednesday, bearing a large number of Confederates from Point Lookout.

On Thursday, a boat load of Federal prisoners will be forwarded in exchange.

We congratulate the people of the Confederacy on the glad tidings of this announcement: but much more so our prisoners themselves, who have suffered so terribly, endured so heroically, and who deserve the generous and joyous reception we trust they will recieve on their return, in the way of private greeting, as well as of popular demonstration.

We publish the foregoing from the *Enquirer* with pleasure. But we are fearful that the sanguine expectation of the writer will scarcely be fully realized at as early a date as he anticipates. Up to the latest dates from Richmond no flag of truce boat had arrived at City Point.

Big Soldier.

There is a member of the 13th New York Heavy Artillery who stands six feet and eleven inches in his stockings, and weighs, when in vigorous health, 400 pounds. His shoes are number eighteen, and when standing in them he towers far above the tallest man in his regiment. He boasts of having lifted 700 pounds with one hand, and declares not only his ability but willingness to give the first rebel he meets a gentle hug.

Fity Germans last week arrived in Portland, Me., direct from "fatherland," having been hired to come to this country and enlist on the quota of Boston. Fifteen hundred of these Germans have been engaged to enlist on quota of Boston, and a detachment is expected hereafter by every steamer.

A NICE QUESTION.—Sam—"You'll get it for hooking dat turkey last night. Mas'r knows it." Pompey—"I didn't hook it. Warn't de turkey mars'r's! Well, I eat de turkey, didn't I? Well, aint de turkey part o' me? Mas'r aint got so much turkey, but aint he got more nigger? I tell you de turkey only change places.'

Smith met two editors who had been at 'outs,' on the street, walking arm in arm. 'Hello!' said he, 'the lion and the lamb lie down together, do they?' 'Oh, yes,' said editor No. 1, 'Jones, here, did the lyin' and I did the lamin,' and of course we came down together.'

The numerous submarine telegraph cables now at work in Europe are in the aggregate upwards of 5,600 miles long These cables range from four miles to 1,500 miles each in length, and they are sunk in waer varying from ninety to 9,400 feet in depth.

THE YANKEE FLAG DRIVEN FROM THE HIGH SEAS.—Of fifty-four first class steamships now running on the Atlantic petween Europe and Amerier, not one ship is owned in the United States.

Charles Sumner suggests Butler for President of the Yankee States, and Fremont for Vice President.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CLERK OF THE COURT.

MR. EDITOR: Please announce WM. R. TAYLOR a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions, at the next ensuing October election, and oblige

April 6 MANY VOTERS.

MR. EDITOR: Please announce Capt. WM. CLYBURN as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions, for Kershaw District, at the next ensuing election in October, and oblige his MANY FRIENDS.

April 6

SPECIAL NOTICES.

$1000 PREMIUM.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE SOUTHERN FIELD AND FIRESIDE offer a premium of Seven Hundred and Ffity Dollars for the best Story, and Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the best Poem, handed in by the first of May.

The story must be suitable, and of sufficient length to occupy five columns of the paper for about twenty numbers; and the poem ust be from one hundred and fifty to three hundred lines in length.

The accepted articles to be copy-righted for the benefit of the proprietors.

The manuscripts will be submitted to a committee of impartial gentlemen, and but one of each class accepted.

The proprietors reserve the right to reject all articles offered, if not deemed by the committee of sufficient merit.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

CENTRAL BUREAU,
COLUMBIA, March 17, 1864.

THE CENTRAL ASSOCIATION, UPON mature consideration, decline the Agency resently tendered by the Express Company for the transportation of Supplies to the South Carolina Soldiers. We will continue to forward to all points as usual.

M. LABOQDE,
April 6 Chairman.

☞ Papers of the State will please copy.

EXCHANGE NOTICE NO. 8.

ADJ'T. AND INSP'R. GENERALS OFFICE,
Richmond, Februrry 4, 1864.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 14:

THE FOLLOWING ORDER IS PUBlished for the information of all concerned:

C. S. AMERICA, WAR DEPARTMENT,
Rjchmond, February 1, 1864.

1. ALL PRISONERS heretofore held by the United States authorities, whether OFFICERS, soldiers or civilians, received at City Point, before the 1st of January, 1864, are hereby declared exchanged.

2. All officers and men of the Vicksburg capture, who reported for duty at Enterprise, Miss., at any time prior to the 14th of November, 1863, and whose names were forwarded to me by Maj. Gen. John H. Forney, are declared exchanged.

3. All officers and men of the Vicksburg capture, belonging to the first Tennessee heavy artillhery, who reported for duty at Marietta, Ga., and whose names were forwarded to me by Col. A. Jackson, are declared exchanged.

RO. OULD, Agent of Exchange.

By order: [Signed] S. Cooper, Adj't. and Insp'r. General.

April 6

GOLD WATCH FOR SALE.

TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION ON MONDAY the 18th inst. (at 11 o'clock,) at the store-house of J. M. Gayle, a Double Cased Huntsman Watch. 1 April 13

FOR SALE.

A NO. 1 SECOND HAND CARRIAGE, almost new, and in perfect condition, to be sold low for cash, by application to J. T. HERSHMEN, at the CONFEDERATE office. The carriage will be sold at auction on Monday next, if not sooner disposed of.

April 13 1

MUTUAL Life Insurance.

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THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING ACCEPTed the Agency of the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Raleigh, North Carolina, for CAMDEN AND VICINITY, is prepared to receive applications for policies of LIFE INSURANCE, on the most reasonable terms. The Lives on SLAVES insured at moderate rates.

W. L. DePass, Agent.

April 13 1y

ALABAMA Fire Insurance COMPANY.

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THE UNDERSIGNED, AS AGENT FOR the above Southern Insurance Company, is prepared to issue policies of Insurance against loss by Fire on all buildings, &c.

W. L. DePass.

April 13 1y

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COOKING SODA, JUST RECEIVED BY
April 6 J. M. GAYLE.

Rates of Postage in the Confederate States of America.

For the convenience of the public the following simplified statement of the rates of postage under the act of Congress of the Confederate States of America, has been prepared:

Rates of Postage.

Single letters, not exceeding a half ounce in weight, to any part of the Confederate States, shall be each 10 cents:

An additional single rate for each additional half ounce or less.

Drop letters 2 cents each.

In the foregoing cases, the postage to be prepaid by stamps or stamped envelopes.

Advertised letters 2 cents each.

On Newspapers.

Sent to regular and bona fide subscribers from the office of publication, and not exceeding three ounces in weight:

Weekly paper, 13 cents per quarter.
Semi-Weekly paper, 26 cents per quarter.
Tri-Weekly paper, 39 cents per quarter.
Four times a week, 56 cents per quarter.
Five times a week, 65 cents per quarter.
Six times a week, 78 cents per quarter.

On Periodicals.

Periodicals published oftener than Semi-monthly shall be charged as newspapers.

Periodicals published monthly, not exceeding 1 and one half ounces weight, 1 cent on each number, and one cent additional on each additional ounce or fraction of an ounce.

On Transient Printed Matter.

The inland postage on every other newspaper, and on each circular not sealed, handbill, engraving, pamphlet, periodical, magazine or other paper, which shall be unconnected with any manuscript or written matter, and not exceeding 1 ounce in weight, shall be 1 cent, and for every additional ounce or fraction of an ounce, 1 cent additional: and books, bound and unbound, not weighing over four pounds, shall be deemed mailable matter, and the inland postage on them shall be at the rate of 2 cents an ounce or fraction of an and the postage on all such transient matter and books, shall be prepaid in all cases except when sent by officers, musicians or privates of the army.

Franking Privilege.

The following persons persons only are entitled the franking privilege, and in all cases strictly confined to official business.

Postmaster General.
His Chief Clerk.
Auditor of the Treasury to the Post Office Department.
Deputy Postmasters.

ON CONSIGNMENT.

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April 6 J. M. GAYLE'S.

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FOR SALE, AT A LOW FIGURE, BY
April 6 J. M. GAYLE.

NOTICE.

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA.
WAR DP'T., BUREAU OF CONSCRIPTION,
Richmond, Va., February, 28, 1864.

PARAGRAPH X OF GENRAL ORDERS No. 82 Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, of 1862, requires that application for exemption must in all cases be made to the Enrolling Officer. If the local Enrolling Officer has not the power to act, or is in doubt, he will, afer investigation, under Circular No. 3, current series, refer such application, through the proper official channels, to this Bureau.

All such applications addressed to this Bureau will necessarily and invariably be returned for local investigation, and the applicants will thus have uselessly lost time and prolonged suspense.

Appeals from adverse decisions of the local officers, of the Commandant of Conscripts for the States, will be forwarded by them for hearing, when any plausible ground of appeal is set forth.

By order of
COL. JOHN S. PRESTON, Sup't.
C. B. CUFFIELD, A. A. Gen.
Abril 6

SOUTH CAROLINA'S DEAD!

Biographical Roll of Honor.

HAVING RECEIVED FREQUENT APplications from the friends of deceased soldiers to place in a permanant form and make it accessible to all who might desire a copy, the "ROLL OF HONOR" on which I am engaged for the State, I propose to publish a work more extended in its scope and design than the State Roll, embracing Biographical Sketches of the officers and men from this State who have fallen or died in service during the present war, and whose friends may furnish me with the necessary materials for such sketches.

The plan is this: The friends of the deceased soldiers desiring a place in this work will forward to me the necessary information to make up for publication the biographical sketches, or send me the notices they wish inserted, when they will be revised and compiled for publication. Each biographical sketch must be accompanied by the name of at least one subscriber and Ten Dollars to to defray the expenses and labor involved in the preparation and compilation of the sketches, for which a receipt will be given entiling the holder to a copy of the work at the subscription price.

I am perfecting arrangements with a leading publishing house for the publication of the work. It will be published in monthly numbers, and issued in the best style of letter press printing, on fine white English book paper and printed with the best English Ink. Each number contain portraits of officers and men who have distinguished themselves during the war. The twelve numbers will make four handsome volumes.

Terms $50 per annum, or for twelve numbers, payable on the publication of the first number, of which due notice will be given. The work will be continued until the Roll is completed. Those intending to subscribe or furnish biographical sketches should do so without delay, as the first edition will be limited to the number of subscribers.

Address WM. B. JOHNSON,
April 6 Columbia, S. C.

CIRCULAR.

To the several Soldiers' Boards of Relief in this State.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
COLUMBIA, S. C., March 28, 1864.

IT BEING EVIDENT, FROM REPORTS made to this Office by the several Boards of Relief, as to the Tax in Kind, levied by Act 17th December last, "to make provision for the support of the families of soldiers from this State in the Confederate and State Service," that said boards cannot furnish bags, boxes, barrels, &c., for the purpose of transporting any excess over the average supply from any section of the State to such Districts or Parishes as may be entitled thereto under the 4th section of said Act, and in order to prevent any loss or waste of grain, salt, &c., and to carry into effect the provisions of said act, the following Regulations are adopted and published, under the instructions and with the approval of His Excellency the Governor:

1. That all such excess of grain, salt and manufactured articles as, upon the general apportionment, to be made as soon as the Returns of the Boards of relief are completed,) shall be forwarded by the Boards to Col. Richard Caldwell, Commissary General of the State at Columbia, who will Receipt for the same, and provide all bags, boxes, barrel, &c., necessary for the purpose aforesaid, and distribute the tax in Kind according to said apportionment "in proportion to the number of individuals to be relieved" within this State.

2. That the said Boards be required to forward Railroad Receipts for the Tax in Kind, immediately upon shipment thereof, to the Commissary General, who will pay all expenses, and keep an acount thereof, charging each Board in whose favor any excess of Tax in Kind shall be ascertained to be due, which amount shall be deducted from the portion due such Boards for the value of article commuted, an apportionment of which will be made when the Returns are completed.

3. The Boards are hereby required to pay into the Treasury of the Division to which they severally belong, all sums of money received by them by way of commutation, which, in conformity with the opinion of the Attorney General, can only be allowed in cases in which the specific articles taxed cannot now be procured or used for the benefit of soldiers' families.

4. The officers of the several Boards of Relief are earnestly urged to give immediate attention to these Regulations, and to communicate with the Commissary General in relation thereto, as well as to forward (as heretofore requested) forthwith to this Office their full Returns, so that the apportionments above referred to may be made at an early day.

5. Under the fore going Regulations, and in this way alone, it is hoped and believed that the intentions of the Legislature to afford aid to the families of our noble soldiery, will be promptly and equally extended to every District and Parish in the State.

JAMES. A. BLACK,
Comptroller General.

Approved.
M. L. BONHAM.

☞ All the papers in the State publish once.

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GINGER.

A SMALL LOT ON HAND, AND FOR sale by J. M. GAYLE.

April 6

DISTRICT DIRECTORY.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Legislators.

A. H. Boykin—Senator.
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Magistrates.

John K. Witherspoon, Wm. D. Hegan, W. R. Taylor, Craddock Mosely, Henry Brace, John R. Shaw, Richard L. Whitaker, —— Barker.

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L. L. Whitaker, B. T. McCoy, W. E. Hughes, Daniel D. Kirkland, James L. McDowall, Lewis J. Patterson, J. English Doby, D. G. Robertson, Lynch H. Deas, Gillam Sowell, Richmond R. Terrell, John Cantey.

The sixth section of the "Act to establish certain Roads, Bridges and Ferries," passed December 17, is as follows:

"That each Commissioner of Roads now in office, or hereafter appointed, shall serve until a successor is appointed, and has accepted. This section to be in force during the war.

Commissioners of Free Schools.

W. H. R. Workman, Wiley Kelley, Wm. Dixon, James Team, C. C. Haile, Jesse Truesdel, Daniel Bethune, A. L. McDowell.

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President—John M. DeSaussure.
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John S. Meroney.

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M. Bissell.

Surveyor.

Colin Macrae, Daniel Bethune, C. C. Haile.

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From 8:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m., and for a short time after opening the mail at night.

T. W. PEGUES, P. M.

To the Friends of the Soldiers

THROUGHOUT THE CONFEDERACY.

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QUARTERMASTER GEN'S. DEPART'MT
RAILROAD BUREAU,
Richmond, February 20, 1864.

THE FRIENDS AND RELATIVES OF Soldiers in the Army of Northern Virginia, are hereby notified that an arrangement has this day been effected with the Southern Express Company to carry all packages of food and wearing apparel to Richmond, Va.

To secure the advantages thus obtained through the Express Company, the following instructions must be observed:

Packages must not contain more than one hundred pounds, be well secured and plainly marked, and sent at the expence of the shipper to either of the Soldiers' Relief Association, which are located as follows—

In North Carolina, at Raleigh; in South Carolina, at Columbia; in Georgia, at Augusta; in Alabama, at Montgomery: or to any other point at which one of these Associations have an office.

The Agents of these Associations will there take charge of them and ship daily by Southern express Company to the proper Agents of the respective States at Richmond, who will see them distributed to the proper individual owners.

To meet the wishes of the soldiers and to give them a certain and speedy communication with home, the Southern Express Company has agreed to give this freight preference over everything else, and, in order that no obstacle may occur to the success of so laddable an enterprise, the several Railroad Companies are hereby requested to render the express company such facilities as will enable it to make this arrangement a complete success.

As the Southern Express Company assumes all responsibility of the transportation of these packages, the Relf Associations are requested to withdraw their Agents, who have heretofore acted as travelling messengers. If the Relief Associations will establish agences in the rear of other armies, they may enjoy the the same privileges hereby secured to the Army of Northern Virginia.

F. W. SIMS
Lieutenant Colonel and Quartermaster.
Approved—A. R. LAWTON, Quart'r. General.

OFFICE SOUTHERN EXPRESS CO.,
AUGUSTA GA., Febuary 20, 1864.

THE SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY hereby notify the friends and relatives of soldiers in the Army of Northern Virginia, and elsewhere, that they are prepared to carry out arrangements as announced in the above official notice, and that they will do all in their power to fulfill its requirements.

JAMES SHU...
Superintendent and ...
Southern ...