

A SHARP-SHOOTER SHARPLY SHOT.

A gentleman informs us of the death of one of McClellan's sharpshooters on the Peninsula under circumstances which possess interest sufficient to give them to the public.

OBSERQUIES OF GEN. McCULLOCH.

We take from the Austin, Texas, Gazette, of the 12th, the following notice of the obsequies of Gen. McCulloch:

THE CHOICE OF A PROFESSION.

When I consider how the professions of law, medicine and divinity are crowded with multitudes that seek their livelihood in them, who may be rather said to be of the science than of the profession, I very much wonder at the choice of parents, who will not rather place their sons in a way of life where an honest industry cannot but thrive, than in stations where the greatest probability of learning and good sense may be carried.

WIL, Charlotte & Ruth. Railroad-- WESTERN DIVISION.

Table with columns for LEAVE, GOING WEST, ARRIVE, GOING EAST, and a list of stations and times.

A CARD To our Friends.

For the purpose of settling our outstanding business to this date, our firm will change its style on the 1st day of January, 1862, to WILLIAMS & OATES, who will continue the business at the old stand of the subscribers.

THE NEW MILITARY OR CONSCRIPTION LAW.

To this law of Congress as at first published by us, there were subsequently passed several amendments or auxiliary laws. We present the following synopsis of the law as thus modified, which we are satisfied will be found correct, in the hope and belief that it will prove useful in contributing to a general understanding of it.

The conscription law places in the service of the Confederate States, for three years, unless the war should end, all white men between eighteen and thirty-five years of age, resident in the Confederate States, and not legally exempt from service.

The law is silent as to exemptions; but an act defining the class of exemptions has been passed, which embraces generally those heretofore exempt, with some additions.

Companies, battalions, squadrons, or regiments organized, or in process of organization, by authority from the Secretary of War, which may, within thirty days from the passage of the act, have the whole number of men necessary to complete their organization actually enrolled, not including, however, in that number persons now in service, shall be mustered into the service of the Confederate States, and be received in that arm of the service in which they were authorized to organize, and elect their company, battalion and regimental officers.

Persons not now in service, who shall be enrolled, shall be assigned by the Secretary of War to the different companies of the State from which such persons are drawn; until each company is filled to its maximum number.

EXEMPTIONS

Under the Conscription Law of Congress. A bill entitled "An act to exempt certain persons from enrollment for service in the armies of the Confederate States."

Repairing Bell-hanging, &c.

The subscriber begs leave to inform the public, that he is prepared to Repair Locks of every description, Clocks and Jewellery; he will also clean Jewellery for a very low price; will make Keys of all kinds; in fact, all kind of light repairing done at short notice.

A LIST OF GENERALS IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY.

GENERALS IN THE REGULAR ARMY. Robert E. Lee, of Va. Commanding General. Samuel Cooper, Va., Adjutant General.

MAJOR-GENERALS IN THE PROVISIONAL ARMY. David E. Twiggs, Georgia, resigned. Leonidas Polk, La., commanding at Memphis.

BIGLIERI-GENERALS IN THE PROVISIONAL ARMY. Miles L. Bonham, S. C., army of Potomac. John B. Floyd, Va., commanding army Kanawha.

THE WEST POINT GRADUATES AT WEST POINT. The following Generals were appointed to the old United States Army, without passing through the West Point Academy: David E. Twiggs, Win W. Loring.

THE FOLLOWING GENERALS PARTICIPATED IN THE TEXAS AND THE WARS WITH MEXICO: Ben McCulloch, Louis T. Wigfall.

THE FOLLOWING GENERALS SAW NO MILITARY SERVICE PREVIOUS TO THE PRESENT WAR: John B. Floyd, Henry A. Wise, Robert Toombs, Richard Taylor, Thos B. Floyd, L. P. Walker, F. K. Zollicoffer, Win Malone, L. O. B. Branch, William H. Carroll, R. E. Rhodes.

THE FOLLOWING GENERALS WERE BORN AT THE NORTH, THOUGH PREVIOUS TO THE PRESENT WAR THEY WERE CITIZENS OF THE SEVERAL STATES: General Cooper, born in New York; Ripley, in Ohio; Pemberton, in Pennsylvania; Pike, in Massachusetts; Blanchard, in Massachusetts; French, in New Jersey.

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Hoop Poles, Staves and Cord Wood

Wanted at the Charlotte Steam Mill. JOHN WILKES.

NOTICE.

The destitute families of Volunteers for the war from Mecklenburg county, on bringing me a certificate from the Town Marshal that they are such, will be furnished with clothing at my expense so far as I am able.

100,000 BUSHELS COTTON SEED wanted at the St. Catherine's Mill for the AYOIL COMPANY. A fair price will be given.

COTTON SEED WANTED. The undersigned will pay the highest cash price for Cotton Seed, at their Oil Works, five miles south-east of Charlotte, at Isaac N. Alexander's mills.

Gold!! Gold!! Gold!!! 500 Ounces wanted at J. T. BUTLER'S Jewelry Store, Opposite Kerr's Hotel.

WM. & R. TIDY, Charlotte and Lincolnton, N. C., MANUFACTURERS OF

MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, &c., &c. Orders at either Yard respectfully solicited, and will meet with prompt attention.

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FOR SALE. 150 Bbls. N. O. Molasses. 100 lbs. Sugar. 100 lbs. Bagging. 40 casks Rice (new crop).

WHEAT! The subscriber is prepared to purchase the new crop of Wheat at the highest market price.

DR. E. H. ANDREWS, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Would inform the public generally, and the citizens of Mecklenburg particularly, that he has resumed the Practice of DENTISTRY and may be found at his old stand.

By the Governor of North Carolina. A PROCLAMATION. NORTH CAROLINIANS! your country needs your aid for its protection and defence against an invading foe.

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CHARLOTTE DRUG STORE.

E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. Foreign and Domestic Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Window Glass, Putty, Dye Stuffs, Turpentine, Burning Fluid, Alcohol, Pure Liquors, Canton Teas, Field and Garden Seeds, &c.

WOOD-WORK and BLACKSMITHING. The subscriber is prepared to do all kinds of Wood-work and Blacksmithing, such as making and repairing Wagons and Buggies, Horse-shoeing, &c.

WANTED. 4000 BALES OF COTTON, for which the highest market price will be paid in cash.

Sequestration Act. Having been appointed Receiver for the counties of Cleveland, Lincoln, Gaston, Catawba, Iredell and Mecklenburg, I hereby notify every Attorney, Agent, Controller, Partner, Trustee, or other person, holding or controlling in said district any lands, tenements or hereditaments, goods and chattels, rights or credits, or any interest therein, for any Alien Enemy of the Confederate States, speedily to inform me of the same, and to render me an account thereof, and as far as practicable to put the same in my hands.

NOTICE. OUR CREDIT CUSTOMERS, BY DISREGARDING OUR APPEALS, have forced us to adopt the CASH SYSTEM.

PEA MEAL. We keep at our Steam Flouring Mill in this place Pea Meal for feeding cows and stock.

CHARLOTTE HOTEL, BY J. B. KERR, Proprietor. EVERY ACCOMMODATION afforded the patrons of the Charlotte Hotel.

THE CELA red Female Pills. These Pills do not cure all diseases, but they are warranted to cure Leucorrhoea, or Whites, that dreadful scourge to female health, happiness and usefulness.

J. G. WILKINSON & CO., DEALERS IN Watches, Jewellery, Silver & plated Ware AND FANCY GOODS.

New Supply of WATCHES, JEWELRY, Solid Silver and Plated Ware.

Tailoring. JOHN VOGEL, Practical Tailor, respectfully informs the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country, that he is prepared to make up the latest style of clothing in the latest style and at short notice.

Headquarters N. C. Militia, ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, GENERAL ORDER No. 3.] Raleigh, Dec 7, 1861.

The following persons will be exempt from Company drills, except once in three months: All workmen in any factory engaged in working for the State, or making arms, lead or powder, or in ship building for the State or Confederate States.

TAN BARK. 100,000 CORDS Tan Bark wanted, for which a liberal price will be paid.

RANKIN & MARTIN, WILMINGTON, N. C. Consignments of Produce will meet with prompt personal attention.

NEW GOODS.

The largest stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS in the town, is now on hand at the popular and fashionable house of Koopmann & Phelps.

Merinos, Delaines, Poplins, Silks, LADIES TRAVELING GOODS, French, English & American Prints, a large stock. Qualities and prices to suit all tastes and purses.

WE will NOT BE UNDERSELD. We have a splendid assortment of CARPETS and Family and Negro Blankets. Our READY-MADE CLOTHING this season surpasses, in finish and superiority, our heretofore splendid stock in that line; and the best thing, we will sell at shorter profits than ever.

Quinn's Rheumatic Remedy. Has effected cures of Rheumatism that were considered hopeless, certifies to the efficacy of the medicine.

PROCLAMATION By the Governor of N. Carolina. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, Raleigh, March 28th, 1862.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF N. CAROLINA. ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, RALEIGH, MARCH 28, 1862.

General Order No. 5. All new Companies of North Carolina Volunteers must be rendered directly to the State, otherwise the bounty authorized by the ordinance of the Convention to raise North Carolina's quota of troops, will not be paid to them, as the law does not allow of the State and the Confederacy being organized into Regiments by the State, the commissioned officers of which elect their field officers. The bounty will be paid each Company as soon as possible after their arrival in Camp.

A NEW LAW BOOK. CANTWELL'S PRACTICE AT LAW. Just published, a treatise upon the PRACTICE AT LAW in North Carolina, by EDWARD CANTWELL, LL.B., author of the N. C. Justice, &c.

C. B. Taylor's VIRGINIA PRINTING INK ESTABLISHMENT, Corner of Adams and Leigh streets, RICHMOND, Va.

C. B. TAYLOR, Printing Ink Manufacturer, takes pleasure in announcing to the Southern Press that his Ink Factory is now in successful operation, the manufacture of every description of Printing Ink, which is prepared to furnish on reasonable terms. News, Book and Job Inks of every description always on hand.

Cantwell's Practice. During my absence in the Military service of this State, in Virginia, subscribers and others desiring copies of the above work, can obtain them of Mrs. Cantwell, Raleigh.

WANTED. Wanted for the Confederate Army, 10,000 pair Wool Socks. YOUNG, WRISTON & ORR. July 30, 1861.