

North Carolina Edwig.



CHARLOTTE:

Tuesday, May 20, 1862

FOR GOVERNOR, WM. JOHNSTON, OF MCKLENSBURG.

Remember, That we take all kinds of copying...

Wood. Those of our country friends who intend paying their subscriptions in wood...

The Ladies under the direction of Prof. Hunt propose giving a second concert for the benefit of the Soldiers Aid Society...

Humiliation. Friday was the day ordered by the President was strictly observed by the citizens of the place...

The Crisis Imminent. The birth of our new era is near at hand. This week we believe will develop the crisis of our revolution.

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THE SURRENDER OF FORT MACON.

The Raleigh State Journal furnishes the following particulars of the surrender of Fort Macon:

Fort Macon was surrendered to the enemy last Friday night, after a bombardment of some twelve or thirteen hours. The enemy, working by night, had erected batteries behind the large sand banks which the island afforded, and mounted guns within 1,100 yards of the fort.

The enemy island was directed by signals from the fleet, when the balls fell over the fort or short of their destination. Thus was gained great accuracy in firing. The shells were piled up to the depth of many feet. The parapets were literally demolished, and the moat filled with debris.

This was refused. "Then," said the Colonel, "we must fight it out—no other conditions will I surrender; we must go to shooting again." The Yankees officer joyously remarked he didn't like the shooting. Colonel White expressed himself as having no great love for it, but he had no alternative. The terms were finally granted.

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AN IMPORTANT DOCUMENT.

HEADQUARTERS LIGHT ARTILLERY REG'T, Camp of Instruction, near Jackson, May 2.

EDITOR JACKSON MISSISSIPPIAN: Enclosed I send you a communication which I received last night from New Orleans, by a special messenger. It is a document that should command the attention of every cotton planter and true patriot in the South.

No truer sentiment was ever uttered than that, "if commerce is once revived by our enemies we are enslaved forever." Let the blazing fires from thousands of plantations admonish the Yankees and the world, that commerce is dead, until our liberties are established and our beloved Confederacy has taken her stand among the nations of the earth.

It becomes now the duty of all planters to display more than ever their patriotism and devotion to their country. They have sealed that devotion upon the battle-field. Now let us fight our enemies as well by burning and destroying every bale of cotton, upon the river or rivers liable to capture, as well as refusing to ever ship or sell a bale of cotton until peace is declared and our nationality is fixed.

THE WAR.—Some days ago, when we announced the evacuation of Yorktown we mentioned that other important movements were about to occur, the character of which would become public in due time. One of these, we ran so risk now, in saying—since it has been accomplished—in the evacuation of Norfolk. The last of our troops left that city Saturday, and it was immediately occupied by a force of the enemy from Old Point. It will doubtless occur to the reader that this is a part of an important strategic plan.

THE BLOCKADE IN EUROPE.—The extracts which we have recently made from European papers go to show that the cotton famine is reaching its crisis in England. The life of destitution is rising fast. For the want of cotton, says an English paper, the mills of Lancashire are closed and the hands who used to work them are starving. The question thus becomes a very serious one, and the English papers have again taken to urging the raising of the blockade.

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NEWS.

From the Western Democrat.

From Richmond. RICHMOND, May 18.—The city is very quiet to-day. Business is suspended in accordance with the President's proclamation. Federal gun-boats have gone down the James River below City Point.

From Corinth. MOBILE, May 15.—A special despatch to the Advertiser, dated Corinth, May 14, says that skirmishing continued throughout the day without results on either side of any importance. The Confederates captured to-day 150 beavers. The advance Confederates captured 70 Federals near Paris.

Late European Intelligence. RICHMOND, May 16.—European intelligence of the 27th ult., has been received. The London Times considers the check of the Federal advance at Shiloh equivalent to a Confederate victory, and finds in it confirmation of its opinion that the military difficulties of the North have just begun with its attempted invasion of the cotton States.

From Jackson's Command. The Lynchburg Republican says that intelligence has been received from Stonewall Jackson's army to the effect that Jackson had secured the passes of the Cheat Mountain, and had forces at Franklin. Pendleton county, where the enemy's retreat, under Gen. Milroy, had been cut off. They are represented as being in the most deplorable condition, utterly broken up, having thrown away their arms and are wandering about the mountains without either food or arms.

From Tennessee. A gentleman from Middle Tennessee assures us that the report that an entire Federal regiment, stationed at Nashville, laid down their arms and refused to do duty any longer, is true. They entered the service to fight for the Union. As soon as the learned they were deceived, they concluded to quit and did. The regiment was immediately disbanded and the men sent North, for fear the defection might spread.

Notice. The Directors of the Mecklenburg Gun Factory desire to know who are prepared to work on their own premises on St. Louis, and Gun Barrels. As soon as arrangements are made the company will receive orders for such work and employ of machinery and material.

Notice. I want to purchase Leather in the rough. Tanners willing to dispose of their stock, without the trouble of finishing, can now do so at fair prices.

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DIED.

At Abbeville, C. H., S. C., May 18th, SALLIE WHITE, daughter of the Rev. A. G. and Mrs. C. F. Stacy, aged one year, four months, and 27 days.

The Markets. CHARLOTTE, MAY 19, 1862.

Table listing market prices for various goods such as Bacon, Hams, Sides, Hogheads, Shoulders, etc.

MILITARY ORDER.

HEADQUARTERS 85th Regt., N. C. M., CHARLOTTE, April 22, 1862.

To the commissioned and non-commissioned officers and privates of 85th Regiment: You are hereby ordered to appear in Charlotte on Monday, the 30th of May, at 10 o'clock, A. M., armed and equipped as follows: The law directs for Regimental drill and inspection.

Tailors Wanted.

TWO OR THREE Journeyman Tailors can find constant employment by applying to J. A. Caldwell, No. 1 Springs Row, Charlotte, N. C.

Delinquent Tax Payers!

ARE you ever going to pay your Taxes or do you expect me to pay them for you, I am not interested with claims against the County, and unless you pay your taxes in a short time I shall proceed to collect them according to law, I must have money or property to make it out of your duty to your country as honest men ought to prompt you to pay your Taxes.

Tan Bark Wanted.

I WANT to purchase a large quantity of tan bark. I will pay Five Dollars per cord delivered at the Tan Yard or Four Dollars per cord loaded on the cars on any Rail Road any distance not exceeding 40 miles.

WANTED!

A BATTALION OF INDEPENDENT SKIRMISHERS.

PERMISSION has been granted Capt. WM. LEE DAVIDSON to raise the above corps. General Reason desires such an organization attached to his Brigade.

NEW MILLINERY.

THE MRS. PFELFEL have announced the Millinery and Mantua making business for themselves in Irwin's Cor. immediately over the Medical Office of Dr. C. J. Fox. They are prepared to execute work in their line to please every taste, in every style and fashion, on the most moderate terms for CASH, keeping constantly on hand all sorts of material for the purpose, and as they expect to deserve, they hope to receive a large and liberal patronage from the ladies of this section.

VALUABLE NEGROES For Sale.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust to me executed on the 5th of Feb'y, 1860, by John O. King, for certain purposes therein mentioned, I am obliged to sell at the Court House door in the Town of Charlotte, on Tuesday, 1st of April, (at 10 o'clock the 27th day of the month,) five valuable Negroes—one man, three women and one child.

CHARLOTTE HOTEL.

THE Proprietor of this Hotel is still at his post ready to fulfill the duties of "mine host" to the travelling public and others who may call on him, and his father himself that as comfortable quarters can be found with him as anywhere in this vicinity. Being situated near by in the centre of Charlotte, Business Men will find the Hotel a most convenient and desirable location. He has been engaged in the business at this stand nearly eighteen years, and in that time he has made several additions to his former house, and it has been greatly enlarged and improved, presenting in front a two story VERANDA 100 feet in length by 12 feet in width, handsomely shaded by trees on the side, well affording a pleasant promenade at all hours of the day.

GOLD! GOLD!! GOLD!!!

FIVE HUNDRED OUNCES WANTED AT J. T. BUTLER'S Jewelry Store, Opposite Kerr's Hotel. N. B. The highest cash price paid for gold and silver.

Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Rail Road.

Table showing train schedules for Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Rail Road, including departure and arrival times for various stations.

J. S. PHILLIPS

HAIR CUTTING and Dressing, and all kinds of Tailoring. A complete assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings always on hand, which will be made to order at the lowest prices.

Notice.

All persons indebted to the estate of J. A. Henderson, dec'd., will make payment. All persons having claims against the estate will present them duly authenticated to the undersigned by law or this notice will be given in favor of their recovery.

Atlantic, Tenn. & O. Railroad.

As the last installment of Stock subscribed in Mecklenburg county, is due on the 31st of April, all Stockholders in arrears are requested to make immediate payment.

The Corner DRUG STORE,

E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. Would respectfully call the attention of the public to their large and complete Stock now being opened for the Spring Trade, consisting of Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, Oil, Turpentine, Bazaaring, Fluid, Alcohol, Pure Medical Wine and Brandy, Cacha, Tea, Field and Garden Seeds, &c., &c.

WANTED ONE HUNDRED good HANDS TO MAKE CAPS.

Call at S. Frankenthal & Co's store, up stairs, JOSEPH BUXBAUM.