

The State Journal.

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Advertising Rates.

Advertisements will be inserted at \$2 per square of ten lines for the first, and \$1 per square for each subsequent insertion. All advertisements for the Daily will be inserted in the Tri-Weekly free of charge.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[Reported expressly for the State Journal.]

Important Proclamation by President Davis.

The President has issued a proclamation declaring, in his judgment, that the necessities of public defense require that every man, capable of bearing arms, between eighteen and forty-five, should now be called out to do his duty in defense of his country, and in driving back every invader now within the limits of the Confederacy. He therefore calls out all white men residents of the Confederate States, between the ages aforesaid, and orders all persons subject to this call, not now in the military service, upon being enrolled, to repair forthwith to the conscript camps of the respective States, under pain of being held and punished as deserters. He further orders that it shall be lawful for any person embraced within the call, to volunteer for service before enrollment.

Jackson all Safe Yet.

The conduct of Cobb's Ky. Battery and the Washington Artillery is spoken of highly by the commanding General in the affair this morning; also Lovell's Fla. Brigade.

The banners captured are of the 28th, 41st and 53d Illinois.

Gen. Breckinridge sent out an infantry corps to bring off the men who were wounded. Their sharpshooters fired on them, and Breckinridge ordered the corps to retreat. Their wounded and dead were left lying in front of our works.

Their loss in the charge is fully one thousand.

Col. Harvey Maury, 32d Ala., is severely wounded. A Yankee Colonel, two Majors and a number of other officers captured.

It rained hard last night and is cloudy this morning.

But little firing on either side. The enemy have six batteries in position, plainly visible from the State house.

Our troops are much elated by our success yesterday.

Nothing important transpired to-day.

The rumor of a fight in Maryland is unfounded. A large number of foreigners obtained passports during the last few days to go North.

Since the transfer of military operations to Pennsylvania and Maryland, blockade runners have been active. A large quantity of goods are brought to Virginia.

The Yankees gunboats in the Rappahannock have been engaged in suppressing the business, and have captured a large amount of goods.

Cheering from Richmond.

Large numbers of officers and privates wounded at Gettysburg are arriving here daily.

Letters and verbal reports all represent our army in Maryland in fine spirits, and ready for the approaching battle.

The feeling of uneasiness recently prevailing here, has given place to general confidence in the ability of Lee and his gallant army, to cope successfully with the Yankee hosts now concentrating on the Potomac, therefore in the next engagement which takes place it is believed our army will be nearly as strong as before the battle of Gettysburg.

Continuous heavy rains in this section, exciting serious apprehensions in regard to crops.

The Yankees on the James River.

The Yankee flotilla on the James River was reported at Bermuda Hundreds, near City Point this evening.

No news from Maryland to-day.

Telegraphic communication with Winchester interrupted for two days. It is believed that the wire was broken by the late storms between Staunton and Winchester.

The Central train this evening brought no news.

Fencing School.

The undersigned would most respectfully inform the citizens of Raleigh that he will open a FENCING SCHOOL in this city for the purpose of teaching the art of Fencing in all its branches, viz: SMALL SWORD, BROAD SWORD and SABRE exercises.

Glorious News.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION!
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ANY young lady or gentleman sending us their names and addresses a circular by first return of mail which will convey to them some valuable information which may be of \$10,000 value to them. Address (inclosing stamps to prepay return postage) to TERRY & CO., No. 24, Market Hall Building, Rockingham, N. C.

Cotton for Sale.

ON Tuesday, the 21st inst., I will sell to the best bidder, at the Court-house door, in Lexington, 100 to 125 bales of Cotton.

CONFISCATED TAXES.

I will attend with the Assessors at the Court House in the City of Raleigh, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st and 22d July, instant, for the purpose of registering all persons engaged or desiring to engage in any of the following occupations, and for receiving the Taxes due thereon, viz: Auctioneers, apothecaries, bankers, brewers, brokers, butchers, bakers, bowling alleys, billiard rooms, commission merchants, and commercial brokers, cattle brokers, circus, confectioners, dentists, distillers, hotels, inns, taverns, eating houses, juglers, & exhibitors of shows, lawyers, livery stable keepers, pawnbrokers, peddlers, physicians, photographers, retail dealers, restaurants, tobacconists, and wholesale dealers. The gross amount of sales from the 24th April last to the 30th June 1863, both days inclusive, will be required to be listed and the tax paid on the same.

THE NEXT TERM WILL COMMENCE AUGUST 12th.

Hotel for Sale.

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To Farmers and Quartermasters.

TAX IN KIND.

Bladders.

50 Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on the 30th of June, a NEGRO BOY named FERRILL. He is dark colored, about 5 feet 5 inches high, no marks remembered.

CONSCRIPT OFFICE.

Reward of \$30 thirty dollars will be paid for the apprehension and delivery at this camp, of one Jno. Wagner, (Substitute and deserter.)

FORSAWEN all persons from trading for a note held against me by John Tisdale of this (Nash) county.

Notice.

New Grocery and Provision Store.

PILES, Tumors, Fistula, Diseases of the Womb, Spentorrhea, Syphilitic Affections, &c.

A Large Stock of Drugs.

Plantation for Sale.

Executive Department North Carolina.

DE. ARCHIBALD M. NESBITT, of Rowan Co., is authorized to raise a regiment to serve for six months, under the requisition of the President.

Bladders.

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For Sale.

THE HOUSE.

TOBACCO!

ROSE LEAVES and BLADDERS.

EDGEMOUTH FEMALE SEMINARY.

300 Negroes Wanted.

Nails for Sale.

AT THE HIGH SHOALS IRON WORKS, in GASTON COUNTY, N. C.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the above named James F. Keel, is at this time a non-resident of this State, so that the ordinary process cannot be personally served on him, it is therefore ordered that publication be made for six weeks, in the Weekly State Journal.

WHEREAS, the President of the Confederate States, by virtue of the authority vested in him by the Constitution, has made a requisition upon North Carolina for seven thousand men to serve within the limits of the State for six months from and after the first day of August next; and whereas, it is desirable that, if possible, the troops should be raised by voluntary enlistment, with the right to select their own officers;

50 Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on the 20th of June, a negro boy by the name of Wesley.

Strayed.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

OIL! OIL!