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Attempt to Capture Petersburg! Yankees driven back and in full retreat!

RICHMOND, June 10.
The enemy 5000 strong, under Kantz, made a desperate attempt to capture Petersburg yesterday. The enemy advanced in two columns, and after several assaults upon our works southeast of the city, in which they were repulsed, succeeded in striking our forces, and causing them to retreat after fighting bravely. The Petersburg militia sustained the brunt of the first assault, behaving like veterans, and losing six killed and thirty wounded. Some of the best citizens were among them. The enemy advanced to the suburbs at an opportune moment, Graham's battery opened upon them from the Reservoir Hill, simultaneously with Deering's Cavalry charged upon them. They wheeled in great confusion. The enemy's advance on Blandford road was repulsed by Sturdivant's battery, which was in time. Our reinforcements pursued the yankees several miles. The residence of Timothy Rives was sacked and burnt, and Rives carried off. Rev. Wm. Hall, chaplain of Washington Artillery, also captured.

RICHMOND, June 10.
European advices to the 25th of May, have been received. Pelissier, Duke of Malakoff is dead. The news of the great battles in Virginia caused profound sensation in England. The Times and Star regards Grant's success indecisive. The Post expressed the conviction that the Federals had sustained a crushing defeat. The Herald and Globe pronounce the advances on Richmond a failure.

RICHMOND, June 10.
Northern dates of the 8th, says Grant's dispatches say the enemy attacked the Federal line Saturday night and were everywhere repulsed. Everything going on well.

The correspondent of the Enquirer admits a loss of 4,000 at Cold Harbor, on the 3rd. Gen. Tyler lost a foot. Seven Colonels wounded.

Caucusing at Baltimore indicated re-nomination of Lincoln and Hamlin. Gold 194.

Sherman is reported to be in possession of Ackworth, and of the Railroad, within one mile of Marietta.

ATLANTA, GA., June 10.
The enemy was developed in force yesterday in our front at Ackworth, and our extreme right east of the Railroad. Skirmishing this afternoon from Hood's corps. Prisoners report that the bridge over the Etowah, has been rebuilt by the Yankees. Sherman running to Ackworth. Sherman avoids every effort to bring on an engagement out of his breastworks. A captured yankee says he has orders not to risk a general engagement. Gov. Brown returned from the front yesterday, where he has been with Gen. Johnston.

RICHMOND, June 10.
Fremont's letter accepting the Cleveland nomination—declares Lincoln's administration a military dictatorship without unity, action, vigor or execution. Says if a respectable man is nominated at Baltimore he will not be a candidate. If Lincoln is nominated no alternative but to organize every element of opposition to prevent the misfortune of his election. The Herald says Fremont's position secures the defeat of Lincoln.

RICHMOND, June 10.
The steam ram built by Laird, has been purchased by the English Government. The crew and schooner of J. L. Gerity discharged. Liverpool cotton market steady.

RICHMOND, June 10.
The Senate concurred in the House amendments of the bill establishing Bureau for foreign supplies. The bill authorizing army reporters of the Press Association to purchase rations of forage, again rejected. Most of the day spent in secret session. The House passed the Senate bill for the relief of States holding old currency, and disagreed to Senate amendments to bill amending the tax laws. The conference will probably adjourn to-morrow.

RICHMOND, June 10th.
No change in the situation of the two armies. All quiet to day.

MOUNTAIN TOP, June 9th.
The enemy advanced to-day with cavalry and were driven back by Imboden's infantry. Column east side of the Railroad advanced to Fishersville, burning the Railroad track. All quiet.

MOBILE, June 9th.
Special to the Register, dated Senatobia, 9th. Canby appointed division commander. Banks, Steel and Rozencranz, retain their respective commands. Morven reported defeated by Polignac the 18th ultimo, on Yellow Bayou. Confederate loss eight hundred. Federal 150. Shelby moving on the south western Missouri with twenty four hundred men. Six thousand infantry ordered south to reinforce Canby.

A raid is said to have left Memphis for Corinth. Gold in Memphis \$2.25. Fremont and Cocheran nominated by Cleveland Radical Convention. Washington dispatch of the 2d says thirty thousand (30,000) wounded brought to the hospitals there.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The funeral of Mr. J. D. RAMSAY, will take place at the Presbyterian Church, on Sunday Morning, June 12th, at 10 o'clock, the friends of the deceased are respectfully invited to attend.

MOSONIC NOTICE.
All Masons in and about Salisbury, are hereby directed to assemble at the Masonic Hall, on Sunday Morning, June 12th, at half past 7 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our deceased Brother, J. D. RAMSAY, June 12th, 1864.

ALL THE WORLD AND THE BALANCE OF MANKIND WILL FIND
700 lbs Farming Iron to exchange, 10 lbs for 1 bushel of Corn.
30 Bunches Cotton Yarn.
100 yds Brown Sheetting, good.
25 yds Fine Linen Pants, for sale at
WM. E. EDWARDS & CO.'S
Antique and Commission House.
Salisbury, June 10. 43122

WANTED.—A competent Sawyer is wanted to take charge of a Saw Mill on the Western North Carolina Rail Road, either a conscript or non-conscript, if a conscript he will be detailed. The highest wages will be paid to a competent Sawyer. Apply at the Quarter Master's Office to
JAS. M. GOODMAN,
Capt. and A. Q. M.
June 7, 1864.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.
The Rt. Rev. THOMAS ATKINSON, D. D., will preach in St. Luke's Church, on Sunday next, 12th inst.

PROSPECTUS OF "THE AGE."
A SOUTHERN MONTHLY MAGAZINE.
The undersigned has commenced in the City of Richmond the publication of a Monthly Magazine, under the above title.
It will present to its readers, selections from the best European Periodicals, of Literary and Scientific articles, of Novels and Sketches, which, having already received the imprimatur of an enlightened public, cannot but prove acceptable to the Southern public. The effort will be made to keep the readers of the Magazine as nearly as possible abreast of the literary progress of the age. Arrangements have been made which, it is hoped, will enable the proprietors to secure this end.
The Magazine will also present original articles from our best writers, in all departments, and a special aim of the proprietors of this periodical will be to foster Southern authorship by offering an adequate and remunerative field for its exercise. They will not, however, under the plea of its design, encourage, by reproduction in its columns, that class of compositions which create a vivid and unhealthy taste; to be satisfied only by that hybrid literature which Yankee ingenuity has contrived, under the name of sectional romance.
The Industrial Reformer and the Educational Interest of the Confederacy—the twin foundations of true independence—will receive the important share of attention they deserve. In the development of these questions, its object will be to make a practical application of the doctrine of States Rights to the policy of the country. It will endeavor to explain the mission of the Confederacy, which is to demonstrate liberty regulated by law, to exhibit a system of States, each supreme within its foundation, and only bound by a voluntary alienation of powers. It will vindicate those elements of National Independence, which are secured by a high standard of intelligence and refinement; by accumulated capital, varied industry and by abundant facilities of intercommunication. It will promote the adoption of all those measures in which the Confederate States are now deficient. And, while the Constitution of the Confederate States forbids the General Government to organize and operate enterprises of a nature calculated to attain these results, the projectors will consider it their duty to urge upon the States the development of interests so indispensable to the national welfare. It is thus that, through the aggregate ability of the separate States, the power of the Confederate States will be made manifest. It is thus that the collision of sectional interest and the oppression of a common head will be avoided.

TERMS—Each number \$1.50. For three months \$4. For six months \$8.
The trade will be supplied by GEORGE L. BIDGOODS, 161 Main Street.
ERNEST LAGARDE & CO., Proprietors.

Wm. M. BURWELL, Chief Editor.
ERNEST LAGARDE, Associate Editor.
January 1, 1864.

THE Southern Literary Messenger FOR 1864.

This long established and well-known Journal of Literature having been recently purchased by the subscribers, will, in future, be conducted exclusively under their control. In all its departments, both business and editorial, the Messenger will be under the management of an entirely new regime, and the Proprietors are sanguine of success in the future, which the Magazine has never yet realized, if their friends and the public shall yield them a support worthy of so important an enterprise, looking to the advancement of the highest literary interest of the Confederacy.

Argument or appeal in behalf of the importance of an elevated literature to our country, the absence of which has hitherto made us a by-word of reproach among the older nations, and even now militates against our interests abroad, need not be addressed to those whom this circular is designed to reach.

But to the attainment of this great end, something more is necessary than mere verbal expressions of sympathy and encouragement. The friends of Southern Literature must foster the efforts of our literary men to secure for us a worthy position in the world of letters.

We design the Messenger to be an enterprise worthy of support of all classes of our people. We shall aim chiefly to secure for our pages the productions of the highest order of genius and scholarship, and at the same time such articles as will contribute to the instruction and amusement of the public at large. To this end we shall give our attention to and solicit contributions from Southern writers in all the departments of Literature. Poetry, Romance, Review, Criticism, in short, every subject whose prominence is sufficient to entitle it to notice will have a due share of attention.

We earnestly solicit the assistance of our friends throughout the Confederacy in the enlargement of our subscription list, which must be increased to enable us to meet the heavy pecuniary outlay to which we shall be subjected. Terms, \$12 for twelve months, \$8 for six months. This increase will not affect those who subscribed before the 1st of March. Orders must be accompanied with the money.

Mr. GEORGE C. WEDDERBURN, formerly of New Orleans, now of this city, will control the business interests of the Messenger, and Mr. FRANK E. ALFRIEND, of this city, will direct its editorial management. Communications connected with the literary conduct of the Messenger will be directed to the editor; other communications should be directed to the Proprietors.

WEDDERBURN & ALFRIEND,
June 10, 64. Richmond, Va.

GOVERNMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA.
His Excellency, Zebulon B. Vance, Bucombe, Governor.
Col David A Barnes, Northampton, Aid. do George Little, Wake, do Richard H Battle, Jr, Anson; Private Secretary.

JUDICIAL.
Supreme Court—Richmond M Pearson, Yadin, Chief Justice;—Wm H Battle, Orange, and Mathias E Manly, of Craven, Judges; Sion H Rogers, Wake, Attorney General; Hamilton C Jones, Rowan, Reporter; Edmund B Freeman, Clerk. [Meets in the city of Raleigh second Monday in June each year. The Morganton term has been discontinued.]
Superior Courts—Judges—Edwin G Reade, Persons; Romulus M Saunders, Wake; Robert R Heath, Chowan; Robt S French, Robeson; James W Osborne, Mecklenburg; George Howard, Wilson; Robert B Gilliam, Granville; Wm M Shipp, Henderson.
Solicitors—1st Circuit, Jesse J Yeates, Hartford; 2nd, Charles C Clark, Craven; 3rd, Sion H Rogers, Wake, Attorney General; 4th, Thomas Settle, Rockingham; 5th, Ralph Buxton, Cumberland; 6th, Robert F Armfield, Yadin; 7th, Wm P Bynum; 8th, Augustus S Merrimon, Buncombe.
Council of State—F B Satterthwaite, Pitt; Robert P Dick, Guilford; Dr James Galloway, Wilkes; L Eldredge, Johnston; J R Hargrave, Anson; Jesse R Stubbs, Martin.
Literary Board—His Excellency, Governor Vance President Ex Officio, Rev Wm E Pell, Wake, and Professor Richard Sterling, Guilford; Dr Wm Sloan, of Gaston; Richard H Battle, Jr, Secretary.

Board Internal Improvements—His Excellency, Gov Vance, President, Ex Officio, Wm Eaton, Jr, of Warren, J H Flanner, of New Hanover, and Montford McGehee, Richard H Battle, Jr, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund—Hon Thomas Ruffin, Alameda, Hon Walden N Edwards, Warren, and Hon David L Swain, Orange.

The University of North Carolina is at Chapel Hill. Hon David L Swain, President. Rev Calvin H Wiley is Superintendent of the Common Schools of the State. Willie J Palmer, A. M, is Principal of the N C Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and the Blind at Raleigh. Dr Edward C Fisher is Superintendent of the Insane Asylum.

CONFEDERATE STATES GOVERNMENT.

LOCATED AT RICHMOND, VA.
The Executive:
Hon. JEFF. DAVIS, of Miss. President.
Hon. A. H. STEPHENS, of Ga., Vice-President.
The Cabinet:
J P BENJAMIN, of La., Secretary of State.
C G MEMMINGER, of S C., Secy of Treasury.
Jas A SEDDON, of Va., Secy of War.
S R MALLORY, of Fla., Secy of the Navy.
Hon GEB BAKER, of N. C., Attorney General.
JOHN H KEAGAN, of Texas, Postmaster Gen'l.

North Carolina Representatives in Congress.

Senate.
WM T DOATCH and WM A GRAHAM.
House of Representatives:
First District—Marion, Newbern, Gates, Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Currituck, Camden, Northampton, Washington, Tyrrell and Bertie—W N H Smith.
Second District—Halifax, Edgecombe, Beaufort, Wilson, Pitt, Green, Currituck and Hyde—R R Bridges.
Third District—Carteret, Jones, Craven, Onslow, Duplin, Wayne, Johnston and Sampson—J T Leach.
Fourth District—New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Robeson, Cumberland, Richmond and Harnett—J C Fulcher.
Fifth District—Warren, Franklin, Granville, Wake, Orange and Nash—Josiah Turner.
Sixth District—Alamance, Person, Caswell, Rockingham, Guilford, Stokes and Forsythe—J A Gilmer.
Seventh District—Randolph, Davidson, Chatham, Moore, Montgomery, Stanly and Anson—J M Leach.
Eighth District—Rowan, Cabarrus, Union, Mecklenburg, Gaston, Lincoln, Catawba and Cleveland—J G Ramsay.
Ninth District—Ashe, Alleghany, Wilkes, Caldwell, Alexander, Yadkin, Surry, Davie, Iredell and Burke—B S Gaither.
Tenth District—Clay, Cherokee, Macon, Jackson, Madison, Buncombe, Transylvania, Henderson, Polk, Yancey, McDowell, Rutherford, Mitchell, Haywood and Watauga—G W Logan.

CONFEDERATE STATES COURTS.

The District of North Carolina is divided into three Judicial Districts, and the times and places of holding the courts appointed by the Judges:
Hon. Asa Biggs, of Martin, Judge.
Geo. V. Strong, of Wayne, Dist. Attorney.
Wesley Jones, of Wake, Marshal.
The Court of the District of Albemarle is held at Halifax, on Wednesday next after third Monday in May and November. Joseph Ramsey, clerk, Rocky Mount.
The Court for the District of Pamlico is held at Goldsboro' on the fourth Monday in May and November. William M Watson, clerk, Warrington.
The Court for the District of Cape Fear is held at Salisbury, the Monday next after the fourth Monday in May and November. Daniel Colman, clerk, Concord.
E A Thompson of Charlotte, E B Borden of Goldsboro, W S Maron of Raleigh, Thos W Brown, Jr, of Wilmington, Confederate States Commissioners.

Head Quarters C. S. Military Prison, SALISBURY, N. C., May 24th, 1864.

List of Officers and Attachees at the Confederate States Military Prison, Salisbury, N. C.
Capt. G. W. Alexander, Commandant of Post.
Capt. J. A. Fagan, Ass't.
Lieut. F. A. Stockton, Adjutant.
J. M. Abernathy, Assistant Surgeon.
G. B. Paulson, Hospital Steward.
S. R. Cain, Sergeant Major.
J. L. Lyerly, Prison Clerk.
B. James Best, Commandant, Clerk.
PRISON GUARD.
Capt. C. D. Freeman, Co. A, 110 men.
1st Lieut. J. L. Shirley " "
2d " J. A. Moore " "
3d " M. C. Davis, " "
Capt. H. P. Allen, Co. B, 108 men.
1st Lieut. G. A. Latham, " "
2d " C. H. Snead, " "
3d " G. T. Allen, " "
Capt. E. D. Sneed, Co. C, 112 men.
1st Lt. R. H. Wallington, " "
2d " W. R. Sneed, " "
3d " J. M. Whitsett, " "

Prisoners confined in the C. S. Military Prison, Salisbury N. C.:
Confederates serving out sentences of Court Martial, 310
Yankee deserters, 95
Political prisoners, 164
Prisoners of War, 20
Total, 589

COMMON SCHOOL FUND.

Office of the Literary Board, Raleigh, May 28th, 1864.

The President and Directors of the Literary Fund, having made distribution of the School Fund, have directed the following tabular statement to be made, showing the Spring Distribution to each county. The amount of said distribution will be paid to those entitled, upon application to the Treasurer of the Fund, on or after the 1st day of August next.

The counties of Clay, Mitchell, and Transylvania will receive their shares from the counties out of which they were respectively formed, there having been no report from said counties, under the act of Assembly. ZEBULON B. VANCE, President, Ex Officio. R. H. BATTLE, Jr., Secretary.

Counties	Fed. Fo.	Spring Dist.
1 Alamance	10,478	\$1,217 69
2 Alexander	8,792	871 69
3 Anson	10,884	1,285 28
4 Alleghany	3,507	407 56
5 Ashe	7,800	806 75
6 Beaufort	12,408	1,444 76
7 Bertie	11,036	1,282 07
8 Bladen	9,964	1,146 08
9 Brunswick	6,654	808 30
10 Buncombe	21,952	1,381 27
11 Burke	8,238	968 47
12 Cabarrus	9,320	1,084 80
13 Caldwell	7,064	821 48
14 Camden	4,493	522 20
15 Carteret	7,368	860 93
16 Caswell	12,478	1,446 26
17 Catawba	10,064	1,168 93
18 Chatham	16,907	1,930 63
19 Cherokee	8,958	1,041 36
20 Chowan	5,357	622 75
21 Cleveland	11,495	1,336 27
22 Columbus	7,812	884 89
23 Craven	18,797	1,603 88
24 Cumberland	14,037	1,631 77
25 Currituck	6,406	744 69
26 Davidson	15,371	1,794 85
27 Davie	7,537	866 17
28 Duplin	12,936	1,503 79
29 Edgecombe	13,333	1,549 84
30 Forsythe	11,953	1,393 24
31 Franklin	11,278	1,311 05
32 Gaston	8,431	980 69
33 Gates	6,883	800 14
34 Granville	18,922	2,204 29
35 Greene	6,346	737 79
36 Guilford	18,666	2,162 92
37 Halifax	15,301	1,778 71
38 Harnett	7,005	814 33
39 Haywood	5,676	659 83
40 Henderson	8,985	1,150 88
41 Hertford	7,726	898 14
42 Hyde	6,617	769 22
43 Iredell	13,676	1,589 82
44 Jackson	5,418	629 63
45 Johnston	13,690	1,591 45
46 Jones	4,365	507 48
47 Lenoir	8,158	948 36
48 Lincoln	7,349	874 31
49 Macon	5,786	673 68
50 Madison	8,823	676 92
51 Martin	8,468	984 39
52 McDowell	6,698	767 01
53 Mecklenburg	14,758	1,715 60
54 Montgomery	6,920	804 44
55 Moore	10,420	1,211 31
56 Nash	9,815	1,140 88
57 New Hanover	17,582	2,043 88
58 Northampton	10,653	1,238 89
59 Onslow	7,457	866 87
60 Orange	14,905	1,732 66
61 Pasquotank	7,747	900 88
62 Perquimans	5,820	676 37
63 Person	9,143	1,062 86
64 Pitt	12,691	1,475 81
65 Polk	3,795	441 17
66 Randolph	16,135	1,875 67
67 Richmond	8,828	1,026 24
68 Robeson	13,307	1,546 81
69 Rockingham	14,219	1,652 84
70 Rowan	13,014	1,512 56
71 Rutherford	10,617	1,234 21
72 Sampson	13,812	1,605 63
73 Stanly	7,333	853 45
74 Stokes	9,414	1,084 86
75 Surry	9,981	1,148 88
76 Tyrrell	4,304	500 84
77 Union	10,894	1,197 68
78 Wake	24,334	2,828 78
79 Warren	11,566	1,344 53
80 Washington	5,371	624 89
81 Watauga	4,915	571 87
82 Wayne	12,726	1,478 88
83 Wilkes	14,266	1,658 40
84 Wilson	8,321	967 61
85 Yadkin	10,138	1,178 63
86 Yancey	8,510	999 28

It was ordered that the above tabular statement be published one time each in the following papers: The Daily and weekly Conservatives, the daily and weekly Confederate, and the weekly Standard Fayetteville Observer, Wilmington Journal, Wadesboro' Argus, Western Democrat, Salisbury Watchman, Greensboro' Patriot, Salem Press, Iredell Express and Asheville News. 114:17