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Oct. 2, 1861.

OBITUARY NOTICES.—We have heretofore given notice, repeatedly, that we charge for obituary notices of unreasonable length, and for resolutions of respect: because that kind of reading, we have much occasion to know, is not often more agreeable to readers than to editors of papers. As it generally happens, however, that after charging and paying postage on the account forwarded, we never get paid, we now give notice that we will insert nothing of the sort hereafter unless accompanied by the cash. (Always excepting in the case of deceased volunteers, when we require no pay.) Bear in mind, therefore, that we will insert obituary notices and resolutions, not exceeding 70 words, gratis. For all over 70 words, one cent a word, which must be paid before the notice will be put in type.

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July 10. E. J. HALE & SON.

From the Charleston Courier.

A LIST OF THE GENERAL OFFICERS IN THE ARMIES OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES.

The following interesting statistics of the Confederate Army organization are due to one of the Richmond correspondents of the Courier. In the list of Brigadier-Generals in the Provisional Army, the regular order of appointment is perhaps not always observed, but we believe the list is otherwise correct. The dates of graduation from West Point are taken from Gardner's Dictionary of the United States Army:

Generals in the Regular Army.

1 Samuel Cooper, Va, Adjutant General.
2 Albert S Johnston, Texas, commanding in Kentucky.
3 Joseph E Johnston, Va, commanding Northern Virginia.
4 Robert E Lee, Va, commanding South Atlantic Coast.
5 P G T Beauregard, Lou, commanding Army of Potomac.

Major Generals in the Provisional Army.

1 *David E Twiggs, Georgia, resigned.
2 Leonidas Polk, Lou, commanding at Memphis.
3 Braxton Bragg, Lou, commanding at Pensacola.
4 Earl Van Dorn, Miss, Army of Potomac.
5 Gustavus W Smith, Ken, Army of Potomac.
6 Theophilus H Holmes, N C, Army of Potomac.
7 William J Hardee, Georgia, Missouri.
8 Benjamin Huger, S C, commanding at Norfolk.
9 James Longstreet, Ala, Army of Potomac.
10 John B Magruder, Va, commanding at Yorktown.
11 Thomas J Jackson, Va, commanding Northwestern Virginia.
12 Mansfield Lovell, Va, commanding Coast of Louisiana.
13 Edmund Kirby Smith, Florida, Army of Potomac.
14 George B Crittenden, Ken, commanding East Tennessee.

Brigadier Generals in the Provisional Army.

1 Milledge L Bonham, S C, Army of Potomac.
2 John B Floyd, Va, commanding Army Kanawha.
3 Henry A Wise, Va, Roanoke Island.
4 Ben McCulloch, Texas, Missouri.
5 *Henry R Jackson, Geo, resigned.
6 *Robert S Garnett, Va, killed in action.
7 *William H T Walker, Geo, resigned.
8 *Barnard E Bee, S C, killed in action.
9 Alexander R Lawton, Geo, commanding Coast of Georgia.
10 *Gideon J Pillow, Tenn, resigned.
11 Samuel R Anderson, Tenn, Kentucky.
12 Daniel S Donelson, Tenn, Coast of S Carolina.
13 David R Jones, S C, Army of Potomac.
14 Jones M Withers, Ala, commanding Coast of Alabama.
15 John C Pemberton, Va, Coast of S C.
16 Richard S Ewell, Va, Army of Potomac.
17 John H Winder, Maryland, Richmond.
18 Jubal A Early, Va, Army of Potomac.
19 *Thos B Flournoy, Ark, died in Arkansas.
20 Samuel Jones, Va, Army of Potomac.
21 Arnold Elzey, Maryland, Army of Potomac.
22 Daniel H Hill, N C, Army of Potomac.
23 Henry H Sibley, Lou, Texas Frontier.
24 Wm H C Whiting, Geo, Army of Potomac.
25 Wm W Loring, N C, Western Virginia.
26 Richard H Anderson, S C, Pensacola.
27 Albert Pike, Ark, Indian Commissioner.
28 *Thos T Fauntleroy, Virginia, resigned.
29 Robert Toombs, Geo, Army of Potomac.
30 Daniel Ruggles, Va, Louisiana.
31 Charles Clark, Miss, Army of Potomac.
32 Roswell S Ripley, S C, Coast of S C.
33 Isaac R Trimble, Md, Army of Potomac.
34 *John B Grayson, Ken, died in Florida.
35 Paul O Hebert, Lou, Coast of Texas.
36 Richard C Gatlin, N C, commanding Coast of North Carolina.
37 *Felix K Zollicoffer, Ten, killed in Kentucky.
38 Benj F Cheatham, Ten, Kentucky.
39 Joseph R Anderson, Va, Coast of N C.
40 Simon B Buckner, Ky, Kentucky.
41 Leroy Pope Walker, Ala, Alabama.
42 Albert G Blanchard, Lou, Norfolk.
43 Gabriel J Rains, N C, Yorktown.
44 J E B Stuart, Va, Army of Potomac.
45 Lafayette McLaws, Georgia, Yorktown.
46 Thos F Drayton, S C, Coast of S C.
47 Thos C Hindman, Ark, Kentucky.
48 Adley H Gladden, Lou, Pensacola.
49 John Porter McCown, Ten, Kentucky.
50 Lloyd Tilghman, Ken, Kentucky.
51 Nathan G Evans, S C, Coast of S C.
52 Cadmus M Wilcox, Ten, Army of Potomac.
53 *Philip St George Cocke, Va, died in Va.
54 R E Rhodes, Ala, Army of Potomac.
55 Richard Taylor, Lou, Army of Potomac.
56 Louis T Wigfall, Texas, Army of Potomac.
57 James H Trapier, S C, Coast of Florida.
58 Sam'l G French, Miss, Army of Potomac.
59 Wm H Carroll, Tenn, East Tennessee.
60 Hugh W Mercer, Georgia, —— ——.
61 Humphrey Marshall, Ken, Kentucky.
62 John C Breckinridge, Ken, Kentucky.
63 Rich'd Griffith, Miss, Army of Potomac.
64 Alex'r P Stewart, Ken, Kentucky.
65 Wm Montgomery Gardner, Ga, on furlough.
66 Rich'd B Garnett, Va, Army of Potomac.
67 William Mahone, Va, Norfolk.
68 L O'Brian Branch, N C, Coast of N C
69 Maxcy Gregg, S C, Coast of S C.
70 R E Colston, Virginia.
71 Edward Johnston, Virginia.
72 Henry Heth, Virginia.
73 Johnston H Duncan, Louisiana.
74 S A M Wood, Alabama.

Those having an* affixed are dead, or have resigned, since the commencement of the war.

THE WEST POINT GENERALS.

The following Confederate Generals are graduates of West Point—the date of their graduation being prefixed:

Class of 1815 Samuel Cooper.
Class of 1820 John H Winder.
Class of 1822 Isaac R Trimble.
Class of 1825 Daniel S Donelson, Benj'n Huger.
Class of 1826 Albert S Johnston, Jno B Grayson.
Class of 1827 Leonidas Polk, Gabriel J Rams.
Class of 1828 Thos F Drayton, Hugh W Mercer.
Class of 1829 Joseph E Johnston, Rob't E Lee, Theophilus H Holmes, Albert G Blanchard.
Class of 1830 John B Magruder.
Class of 1832 George B Crittenden, P St George Cocke, Humphrey Marshall, Richard C Gatlin.
Class of 1833 Daniel Ruggles.
Class of 1835 Jones M Withers.
Class of 1836 Joseph R Anderson, Lloyd Tilghman.
Class of 1837 Braxton Bragg, Wm H T Walker. Jno C Pemberton, Arnold Elzey, Henry H Sibley, Jubal A Early.
Class of 1838 Wm J Hardee, James H Trapier.
Class of 1839 Alex R Lawton, John P McCown.
Class of 1840 Richard S Ewell, Paul O Hebert, Richard B Garnett.
Class of 1841 Robert S Garnett, Samuel Jones.
Class of 1842 Earl Van Dorn, Gustavus W Smith, Mansfield Lovell, James Longstreet, Daniel H Hill, Richard H Anderson, Lafayette McLaws, Alex P Stewart.
Class of 1843 Roswell S Ripley, Sam'l G French.
Class of 1844 Simon B Buckner.
Class of 1845 E Kirby Smith, Barnard E Bee, Wm H C Whiting.
Class of 1846—Thomas J Jackson, Cadmus M Wilcox, David R Jones, Wm M Gardner.
Class of 1848 Nathan G Evans.
Class of 1854 J E B Stuart.

GENERALS WHO WERE NOT 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, appointed in 1812; Wm. W. Loring, in 1836; Thos. T. Fauntleroy, in 1836.

The following Generals first saw service in the Mexican war:—M. L. Bonham, Henry R. Jackson, Gideon J. Pillow, Samuel R. Anderson, Chas. Clark, Thos. C. Hindman, John C. Breckinridge, Benj. F. Cheatham, Richard Griffith, Albert Pike, Adley H. Gladden, Maxcy Gregg.

The following Generals participated in the Texan wars 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. Flournoy, L. Pope Walker, F. K. Zollicoffer, William Mahone, L. O'B. Branch, William H. Carroll, R. E. Rhodes. Some, however, received military educations at State institutions.

Virginia has 16 Generals in the Confederate Armies; South Carolina 9; Louisiana 8; Georgia 7; Tennessee 8; North Carolina 6; Kentucky 7; Maryland 4; Alabama 4; Mississippi 4; Texas 3; Arkansas 2; Florida 1; Missouri none.

The following were born at the North, though previous to the present war they were citizens of Southern States:—General Cooper, born in New York; Ripley, in Ohio; Pemberton, in Pennsylvania; Whiting, in Massachusetts; Pike, in Massachusetts; Ruggles, in Massachusetts; Blanchard, in Massachusetts; French, in New Jersey.

[The following are natives of North Carolina, viz: Leonidas Polk, Braxton Bragg, Theophilus H Holmes, Ben McCulloch, Wm W Loring, Richard C Gatlin, Felix K Zollicoffer, Gabriel J Rains, L O'B Branch.]

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WATER IN SURGERY.

Among the miracles, says Baron Percy, which I have seen wrought by water in wounds from fire arms, I will instance the cure of nearly sixty young volunteers of the Louvre Battalion, who, exposed to a well sustained fire of the enemy, posted on a height, were most of them wounded in the feet. Many were taken to the military hospital of Sarrelouis, of whom only a few were saved without amputation. The others remained in the convent of Consarrebruck, with two German surgeons who were charged with their care. By my advice, and perhaps in default of other remedies, the attendants bathed their feet incessantly, and showered them with water moderately cool, covering their wounds with compresses constantly moistened with the same. No other dressings were used, and I attest that only four died, of whom two died of a typhoid fever, which interrupted the treatment of their wounds with water; one of the colliquative diarrhœa, and the fourth of trismus. All the others recovered rapidly; several had not even anchylosis, although their feet had been traversed with wounds in every direction, complicated with tearing of tendons, aponeuroses and ligaments, and with splintering of bones, sometimes of the tarsus, sometimes of the metatarsus.

One would doubtless be astonished, says Baron Larrey, to learn that with a few sea biscuit, a little good water, which was carried with each wounded man, and by the use of brackish water only for their dressing, a great number of soldiers suffering under severe wounds of the head, of the breast, of the abdomen, or deprived of some of their limbs, crossed the deserts that separate Syria from Egypt, a distance of sixty leagues, without accident and with so much benefit that most of them were cured when they reached this latter country.

We use with success, says the distinguished surgeon Briot, and almost always to the accomplishment of perfect cures, cold water in wounds made by small arms; also in cases of stupor; in wound of tendons, aponeuroses, capsules and membranes, and tepid water during the suppurative stage.

After the battle of Baylen, in Andalusia, in 1808, I remained, writes Dr. Treille, upon the field, the only surgeon to the care of 500 wounded, who lay upon the ground from the 19th of June to the tenth of July, with no other shelter from the broiling sun than the thin branches of olive trees, deprived of the consolatory hope of ever seeing again their own country, and given up to the mercy of the inhabitants of Sierra Morena, who were all under arms and highly exasperated. Deprived of all medicines, I had all the wounds washed with pure water. During twenty-one days, that we received nothing except some linen and provisions, I dressed, myself, one third of the wounded each day, the other two days they dressed themselves. Only seven or eight wounds became gangrenous and I had but two cases of tetanus.

By cold water, says Guthrie, the inflammation is, in certain cases, entirely prevented, in many greatly controlled, and in almost all much subdued, while the suppurative process is not sufficiently impeded to prevent their subsequent granulation. Cold does no good, however, at any stage of inflammation, when the sensation produced by the first application is disagreeable to the patient, and when it does not soothe; for if it produce a sensation of shivering or other uncomfortable feeling, if it cause stiffness in the part, it is doing harm, and should be changed for warmth. This change will be generally indicated and found advantageous at the suppurative period; fomentations are then excellent.

Sanson, whose reserve in adopting all surgical innovations give the more value to his eulogy, writes thus in the Dictionary of Practical Medicine and Surgery, 1831: "With water, I have seen cured, by first intention, contused wounds accompanied with more or less laceration and stretching of the part. I have been able to save most persons upon whom I have practised amputation or other grave operations from the fever called traumatic; indeed I have been able to cure without amputation, and even without active inflammation or copious suppuration, many persons having fractured limbs complicated with wounds and projection of the fragments.

Among the authorities who have written on water we may adduce, besides the foregoing, Samuel Cooper and Dr. Currie of England, Prof. Tzondi of Haile, Mayor Lausanne, Lombard, whose Opuscules de Chirurgie contains a very remarkable article on the Summary of the properties of simple water employed as a topical application in the cure of surgical maladies"—Blandin, Marjolin, Cloquet, Tauchose Lament, Serre d'Uzes, Roubout, Maurichean, Beaupre, Chassaignac, and Alphonse Amussat, whose treatise published in Paris, 1851, was translated the same year by Dr. Frank Hastings Hamilton, Professor of Military Surgery in Bellevue Medical College, and published in the Buffalo Medical Journal, as well as in a separate 8vo.

It is a deplorable example of the force of rooted prejudices that a method which combines more comfort and cleanliness than any other, with economy of time and materials, and of superior success in its results—verily fulfilling the *cito, tuto, jucunde*, should not have been more generally adopted.—*Richmond Whig.*

A Yankee officer writing from the blockading fleet off Savannah says he cannot help thinking that the sooner the Yankee army learns to do without gunboats and fortifications, and boldly march with themselves for protection, the better it will be for them.

No doubt it would be "better" for their reputation as soldiers, whilst it is an indispensable condition to their conquest of the country. They cannot carry gunboats and forts in the interior, beyond the navigable rivers, and even that would be found an unsafe experiment in most sections. They have got to meet us in the open field or give up the war—that's certain, and we care very little which horn of the dilemma they take.

Savannah Republican.

The Louisville Courier.—Adventures of a Newspaper.—During the past nine months the Louisville Courier has gone through quite a series of adventures. Suppressed at Louisville, Ky., its editor managed to convey his type and other appurtenances to Bowling Green, where the paper was continued till the 4th, when, behold! it turns up in Nashville, spitting fire and brushing up the Yankees as in its palmiest days. "For the present, at least," the Courier says it "will remain in Nashville."