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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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E. J. HALE & SONS.
March 22.

Forty Years' Familiar Letters of Jas. W. Alexander, D. D.: Sermons, by J. Addison Alexander, D. D. Also, further supplies of Margaret Moncrieffe; Beulah; Adam Bede; Yussuf; Shirley; School Books, &c.
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 Rains.
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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Fayetteville, Aug. 29.

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A NIGHT ALARM.

In his letter, dated 9th inst., "Personne," the correspondent of the Charleston Courier, gives the following entertaining account of camp scenes at Corinth:

A night alarm! What a flood of tumultuous emotions rush through the mind at the mere reminiscence! Whose pen can describe the vivid picture daguerreotyped upon the mental tablet? I fear me the task is beyond my poor reach. You are sitting quietly in your tent, say at ten o'clock in the evening. A calm day has merged into a beautiful night. The young moon sheds her silver lustre upon the surrounding scene. The sky is cloudless, and its myriad blossoms twinkle in their firmament alike on friend and foe. Your thoughts are far away—among those to whom your heart is "grappled as with hooks of steel." Suddenly—"Whish-sh-sh-sh" shoots up a long golden serpent, streaming through the dark blue like a meteor, lingers for an instant in mid-air, then breaks into fiery coruscations, and disappears. It is a signal from one of the headquarters. Few know its purport, but in a moment all realize its magic power. Like the touch upon the wonderful lamp of Aladdin, it calls into life a thousand varied scenes. The "long roll" rings its warning far and wide. Quick sharp commands echo through the woods. The country is now alive with passing couriers. Infantry, artillery and cavalry, that seem to have sprung from the earth, so quickly have they responded to the alarm, are moving in detachments to and fro, and the heavy tramp of men and beasts, the music of the regimental bands, the shrieks of fife and rattle of drum, all tell of the sleeping monster aroused from his lair.

And your own feelings swell within you until they course like a torrent. Are the enemy advancing, or are we about to make an attack? Are the reverberating guns of the afternoon and the slow procession of the wounded, you saw passing, the precursors of the grand battle which forms the staple of every thought? Where will be our glorious army on to-morrow? Shall we conquer or be conquered? These and ten thousand others are the emotions that stir your whole nature, and you lay upon a sleepless couch to await the approach of daylight and its developments.

Morning comes, however, and with it all the peace of its predecessor. The alarm has proven false. The day passes until the afternoon is reached. Again heavy cannonading is heard upon our right, and this time so distinctly that the bursting shells sound like the crack of a rifle. The windows rattle and the ground trembles with the ominous roar. Again there is commotion in the camps. The men are at their arms awaiting orders. Skirmishing is going on near our entrenchments. More wounded come by, and returning cavalry report the enemy in force on all sides. Night appears. The firing ceases and the town is filled with a thousand wild rumors. From these you subtract this essence. The enemy advanced on the right close to our fortifications, drove in our pickets and opened with artillery. Their skirmishers came within sight of the works, shot a Confederate soldier only two hundred yards distant, and then fell back before us. No especial damage is done on either side, and no success gained by the Federals.

Still there is an unusual solemnity pervading the entire army, both as individuals and a mass. Something instinctively speaks to every heart that we are upon the eve of the great event. Officers cluster in knots and discuss the probabilities of the fight. The men are sober and quiet, and you hear no loud laughing, or talking among the usually noisy groups. Even the accustomed serenaders, who have been wont to stir the solitude of the evening, are hushed. The silence is almost painful.

Nine o'clock. Boom! A gun from our own entrenchments. "What's that?" exclaims an officer, springing to his feet at the startling report. "The evening gun," responds another. "There's no such thing." Boom!—Another gun. Every man is upright. Boom! A third! The summons is now unmistakable. Again ensues a scene of earnest life and bustle. Lights are flashing through the windows at headquarters. All is haste and commotion. Staff officers buckle on their equipments. Horses are saddled and brought to the door; servants are filling haversacks and making preparations for the bivouac or march. Men are dashing by on their respective errands. All night the preparations for battle continued.

The Generals were in the saddle long before day, and thousands of men filed silently away into the darkness towards the enemy. The latter had been encamped near us on our right, and the pickets of Van Dorn could count the footsteps that separated the two forces. With morning, however, there has come a change. The Federals have stampeded. Not one is in sight. A portion of our army has advanced over the *debris* they left behind, clearing the roads with which they attempted to block our advance, and are now in full pursuit.

Good Marksmanship.—At the battle of Shiloh, it is estimated, there were discharged on the Confederate side, one million balls from small arms. The official report of the Federal loss in killed and wounded is 13,000. Allowing that the true number was much greater, say 20,000, still it leaves 980,000 shots thrown away by our soldiers. That is, our boys succeeded one time out of fifty shots in doing some execution. Forty-nine misses and one hit! Now wouldn't it be better to save the powder and lead, do less shooting and more execution?

It is known that most guns overshoot. The aim therefore should not be above the knee. Better to shoot at the feet than tail of effect. An enemy wounded is better than an enemy killed, since to bear off and care for the wounded abstracts one or more effective men from the lines. Don't shoot wildly. You might as well not shoot at all. If you are confronted by one hundred thousand foes, a discharge of 300,000 balls against their lines, judiciously and coolly directed, within proper range, would decide the battle. You go out to fight and to be fought. It is a mercy to win the battle and end the war. The more execution you do, the more you have effected towards putting an end to this strife, and winning peace, liberty, and home again. Shoot close!

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