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r. 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, Maxey Gregg.

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revious 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, Wilham 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,

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"Except now and then a stray picket
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Will not count in the news of the battle Not an officer lost—only one of the men— Moaning out, all alone, the death rattle.

All quiet along the Potomac to night,
Where the soldiers lie peacefully dreaming;
Their tents in the rays of the clear autumn moon,
Or the light of the watchires, are gleaming, A trenulous sight as the gentle night wind
Through the forest leaves slowly is creeping;
While the stars up above, with their glittering eyes,
Keep guard—for the army is sleeping.

There's only the sound of the lone sentry's tread, As he tramps from the rock to the fountain, And thinks of the two on the low trundle bed, Far away in the cot on the mountain; His musket falls slack, his face dark and grim, Grows gentle with memories tender, As he mutters a prayer for the children asleep— For their mother, may Heaven defend her!

The moon seems to shine as brightly as then, That night when the love yet unspoken
Leaped up to his lips, and when low murmured vows,
Were pledged, to be ever unbroken;
Then drawing his sleeve roughly over his eyes, He dashes off tears that are welling, And gathers his gun close up to its place, As if to keep down the heart swelling.

He passes the fountain, the blasted pine tree, The footstep is lagging and weary, Yet onward he goes through the broad belt of light, Toward the shades of a forest so dreary. Hark! Was it the night wind that rustled the leaves? Was it the moonlight so wondrously flashing? It looked like a rifle—"Ha!—Mary, good bye!" And the life blood is ebbing and plashing.

All quiet along the Potomac to-night,

No sound, save the rush of the river: While soft falls the dew on the face of the dead— The picket's off duty, forever. Tests of Courage. - We have not yet seen note made of the striking and gratifying fact that no instance has occurred during the war in which the enemy have charged and captured a Southern field battery. All the guns they have taken have been those which we abandoned in consequence of their being dismounted, or the horses being killed, or which have been surrendered with a

capitulating force. It is a fact that the enemy

have never charged and captured a Southern battery in position. On the other hand, the capture of the enemy's batteries in position is a feat of constant repetition. If the enemy advance a battery in line during a battle, the chances are more than even that they will be "our guns" in about the length of time necessary for our dashing infantry to pass the intervening space at the pas de charge. It was so at Manassas, at Shiloh, at Williamsburg, at Seven Pines, at Cross Keys, at Elkhorn, at Oak Hills, at Valverde. In each and all of these fierce conflicts our men charged and took nearly every battery that was placed in line as if it were a frolic, taking the iron hail of the guns in their faces, up to the very muzzles, and killing, capturing or

routing the gunners.

Croakers and Critics .- Croaking and criticism have come to be the confirmed habits of quite a large class of our people. This class is composed of men who have done little or nothing for our country's cause. They are the non-combatants, who, safe in their own persons, assume to themselves the prerogative of criticising the actions of our ablest Generals and bravest soldiers, and of grumbling at every thing that is done. Nothing can be done to please these dainty gentlemen. They complain when the army does'nt fight and when it does fight-when defeated and when victorious. In the estimation of these men there is no reverse that could not have been averted; no victory that could not have been improved. Everything goes wrong. When we win a battle, instead of thanking God and our brave soldiers. they put on gloomy faces, and harangue all who will listen to them about the number of our killed and wounded. These evil spirits deserve a severer punishment than mere rebuke. Many of them, it is suspected, are anything but well wishers to our cause.—Richmond Whig.

The Yankee and the Almighty Dollar .-Among the thousands of Yankee letters picked up on the recent battle-field the gist and burden of the majority has been money. In every instance where the letter is from parent to child, its whole object seems to have been to impress upon "Dear John or William" the importance of "saving his money." To this constant inculcation, which is begun in infancy, may be ascribed the exorbitant regards money not as the means of happiness but as the great end and object of life. As an evidence of this we will mention an incident of the battle of Cold Harbor: A Yankee, who had just led to our rear and deposited near one of our batwould not have had it to have happened for twentyfive dollars." - Richmond Examiner.

The Missing Scout .- We question if the annals of civilized warfare or savage barbarism can present the counterpart of Yankee ferocity in the present war. An authentic tale has lately come to our knowledge which goes very far to confirm the Mississippi, when stationed at Manassas, was a ing corps, and when out one day in quest of the enemy, was mortally wounded through the lungs by a squad of Yankee cavalry. After robbing his person of all the valuables and papers, they proceeded to Alexandria. But when they reached the latter place they found out that poor Dillon was a scout, and as a reward was offered for the heads of all such by the Yankee Government, they hastened back, and while life was not extinct they deliberately severed his head from his body and carried it in triumph to obtain the promised

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