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This society was organ zed and its constitution adopted on the 18th of July, 1861, and embraces among its officers and members different Evangelical denominations of Obristiana. It has distributed gratuitously during its existence, about fifty millions of pages of Tracts, many toousands of Gospels and Hymn Books, and, semi-wonth-19, large editions of the Army and Namy Messenger, among the soldiers of the Confederate armies, and the seed has fallen upon good ground, and brought forth an abundant harvest to the glory and honor of God. Communications from Chaplains, Officers and Privates in the army all bear witness to the good accomplished by the publications of the society, and the numerous revivals during the past year in the army, adding thousands to the Church, were in part the result of the religious reading furnished the soldiers by this Society. The Offleers and Managers desire to continue its operations in full vigor, and, if possible, en'argesthem, and respectfully socicit dona ions from the members of all religious denominations, and those unconnected with any branch of the Churca, who desire the spiritual welfare of the causa of Christ.

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D'ARCY PAUL, Pres't. A. G. Brown, rec. pro tem. Petersburg. Va., Jan. 16, 1865.

> ADJ'T AND INSP'R GEN'S OFFICE, I LICHMOND, Sept. 11, 1858.

GENERAL CROKES, )

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No. 122. III. The following act of Congress is published for the

information of all concorned : "Fyery person, not subject to the Bules and articles of war, who shall procure or entice a soldier of the Con-

federate States to descrit, or who shall purchase from any seldier his across, undorm, clothing, or any part thereof, shall upon legal conviction, be fined, at the discretion of Court naving cognizence of the same, in any irm notexseeding three hunded dotlare, and he imprisoned not exceeding one year."

By cider of the Secretary of War. S. COOPFR. (Signed,) Adj't and Insp'r Gen'l.

HEADQUARIERS RESERVE N. C. ) Raleigh, Feb. 10, 1865. JNO W. HINSDALE, D Total: Aes't. Adj't. General.

DE DQUARTERS, RESERVE, N. C., ) ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE. Raleigh, Feb. 13th, 1865.

GAMMONL ORDER, 1:0. 4. MAJOR C. B. STRINGFELLOW, Assistant Aciu-A. tant General C. S. P. A., will relieve Capt. John W. Hinsdale, Ass't. Adj't. General of Reserves of N. C .. and the latter officer will proceed to join the 3d Reg't Anserves of N. C., as its Colorel, he having been duly

slected to that office on the 3d of January, 1845. The Lieutenant General Commanding, in taking leave of Col. Hinsdale, tenders his warm congratulations on his promotion, and earnestly hopes that the intelligence, zeal and gallantry, which has characterized his service as a Btaff Officer, may be matured by experience into greater usefulness in his new and more extended sphere.

TH. P. HCLMES. Lieut. General Commanding.

Official: CIAS. S. STRING FELLOW, Mejor and A. A. General. 23-7t

(Signed)

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By N. A. Stedman & Co. SQUIRREL SHOT : BIED SHOT CAROLINA BELLE SNUFF.

#### AN ACT TO INCREASE THE EFFICIENCY New Daily Paper in Richmond. OF THE HOME GUARD ORGANIZATION.

SEC. 1. Buit enacted by the General Assembly of the St te of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That whenever the Guard for home Defence shall be called into service beyond the limits of their respective counties, the Governor may cause two or more companies to be consolidated into one company so as to make not less than sixty-four men, rank and file, to each company; said company so consolidated shall elect from the captains commanding the companies so con olidated, a Captain to command such consolidated consolidated consolidated consolidated consolidated Junior Second Lieutenants of such companied rof each of said ranks to be asrigned to duty w consolidated company, such at incers of companies so consolidated as may not be elected for service with such consolidated company, shall be required to perform service as non commissioned officers or privates in the consolidated company, formed of their original companies and while so serving their commissions shall be suspended.

SEC 2 Be it further enacted, That the Governor may in like manner cause two or more battalions or regiments of the home Guards when called into service beyond their respective battelion or regimental limits, or when called into service within such limits, in connection with other portions of such force, to be consolidated, said batalions when so consolidated to be composed of not less than three companies, and said regiments when so consolidated to be composed of not more than ten compa. nies. The Governor may assign to the command of such consolidated battalion or regiment any officer or officers from the battalion or regiment so consolidated.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, That the Governor may in his discret on, in constituting the consolidated companies contemplated by the first section thereof, take the one-fourth, one-third, or one-half of any company as at present organized with a due proportion of its officers, out of which to constitute such consolidated company, and such of the officers of companies as at present or ganized, as may be placed with fractions of their companies, to form a compolidated company-as may not be elected to command such consolidated company, shall be required to serve in such consolidated company as noncommissioned officers of privates, and while so serving their commissions shall be suspended. The Governor shall have power to discriminate in favor of farmers and mechanics, when he calls out a less number than the whole of a company, also to declare vacant the office of an officer who is declared by a medical board permanently disabled for fie'd duty, either in the militia or Home Guards, or of an officer who absconds to the enemy.

SEC. 4, Be it further enacted, That all Quartermasters and Commissaries of regiments or battalions of Home Guards as at present organized, that may not be assigned to duty by the Governor with a consolidated battalion or regiment, shall be required to serve as non-commissioned officers or privates, in some one company of their present command, and while so serving their commissions shall be suspended.

SEC. 5, Be it further enacted, That the Surgean Genersl, by and with the advice and consent of the Governor, shall appoint a Medical Board for each Congressional District in this State, whose business it shall be to exam-'ne all persons claiming exemption from Home Guard duty on account of physical disability, that these examinatiors shall be made at such time and under such rules and regulations as may be established by the Surgeon General, and that the members of said Board shall receive the same pay and allowances while on duty as the Gonfederate Conscript Boards.

Sec. 6. Be it further enacted, That when such companies, battalions or regiments have been consolidated as herein provided for, they shall continue in such organizations until further provisions shall be made in their be-

Sec. 7. Be it further enacted, That the second section ef "an act in relation to the militia and a Guard for Home Defence," ritified the 7th day of July, 1868, be, and the same is hereby amended, by striking out the word "incse" in the most line of said section, and inserting the word "the;" that the third section of "an act to am and an act in relation to the militi and Guard for Home Defence," ratified the 14th day of December, 1363, be and the same is hereby amended, by inserting between the words "millers" and "blacksmiths" the word "and;" and that the proviso at the end of said 3d section be and the same is hereby repealed. That in addition to the exemptions specifica in the actualor esaid, there shall be exempt from Home Guard duty all county trustees, regular and public tappers, hatters and shoen akers skilled in their respective callings, and who were employed to the same prior to the first day of Jan ary, A. D , 1883, and have continued to be employed since that time.

Provided tanners shall sell one-third of their leather to indigent soldiers' wives and widows for their own use at schedule prices.

Provided, that no provision of this act shall be construed as to exempt from military service any person nentioned herein, in case of actual servile insurrection or invasion of the county in which he resides by Federal forces, except the persons and classes mentioned in 2d section of an act in relation to the Militia and a Guard for Home Defence, ratified the 7th July, 1864.

Sec 8. Be it further enacted, That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification. Read three times and ratified in General Assembly this

23d day of December, A. D., 1864.

R S. DONNELL, S. H. C. GILES MEBANE, S. S.

# Boxes for Soldiers.

A LL Boxes for Soldiers or PRISONERS of WAR from North Carolina, delivered to the following named persons will be promptly forwarded free of charge:

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Mr J A J Askew, Colerain. Mr S L Roberts, Murfreesbore'. The Boxes should be well hooped, properly, marked, and delivered in time for my Special Messenger who leaves Raleigh on the first day of every month. EDWARD WARREN, Surgeon General.

How to Make VINEGAR .- Take one pint of molasses put it in a jug, pour one gallon of warm water. not boiling, let it stand for two months and you will have good vinegar. We have tried it. .

# PROSPECTUS.

THE undersigned propose to publish a daily paper, I made the title of "THE RICHMOND HEARLD." on or about the 15th, of January next.

It will be entirely independent in politics, but will nevertheles accord to the administration a just support in all measures which, in the opinion of its conductors may be comed promotive of the good of the cause in which we as engaged. A proper criticism of such acts as will be desmad adverse to this object, will be, of

course, the stant with the independent character under which the paper is to be in ugurated.

In the course of General News it will be found to keep the God the leading journals of the day, while it will be a add, and it in the way of financial intelligence a feature such as, we venture to say, no paper in the Confederacy can boast of. Editorials from the pen of ore of the ablest financial writers in this or any other country will be presented in each number.

For reasons not now proper to be mentioned, we forbear to give the names of those who shall compose the regular editoral staff; but we flatter ourselves that when they shall appear they will be found to constitute such' an army of talent as cannot be excelled on this continent.

The well known character of the individual whose name appears below, as a stenographic reporter, furnishes, we presume, a guarantee that, in all that relates to important political speeches and debates, whether in legislative assemblies or out of them, the "HERALD" will present advantages certainly not to be excelled by any paper in the Confederacy.

The farming interests will be faithfully vindicated, and care taken to disseminate the earliest intelligence which a proper regard for the welfare of that great element of national wealth and power shall demand.

In the matter of correct commercial intelligence, equal zeal shall be manifes ed, our object being to assign to each of these departments an editor of known experience and ability. Arrangements are on foot by which to secure the car-

liset foreign news, and the paper will contain such editorial talent as will fully elucidate the bea ing of foreign diplomacy upon Southern interests. In short, "THE RICHMOND HERALD" will be

found to combine every feature of intere t which the requirements of the present crisis demand. The enterprise is respectfully commended to the favor and patronage of the citizens of the Southern Confeder-

All the papers of the Confederacy will copy till day P. KEAN & CO., and send bill to jan. 4, 1865w2 Richmond, Va.

#### THE KEY STONE. A MASONIC MONTHLY MAGAZINE.

N THE PIRST OF JANUARY, 1865, I shall commence the publication of a Monthly Magazine under the above title, to be devoted to the interest of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons.

I believe that every good Mason will agree with me in the opinion that such a publication will be beneficial in enlightening our less informed brethren, and in dispensing many a calm, kind word of cheerfulness to the hearts and bomes of thousands of worthy brothers, their widows and orphans. It will be my earnest purpose to bring to bear whatever bumble ability I may possess to make it a reliable custodian of sound Masor ic Laws and Tenets, ever adhering closely to the Ancient Landmarks of the Craft in all their pristine strength and symmetrical beauty.

Trembling, lest I err, in clothing myself for so responsible an office, I shall engage upon the KEY-Stone such skilled editorial talent as shall keep the lights well trimmed and brightly burning, with the sincere hope that as our work goes forth each month, from the quarries of our labor, it may pass an improved in spection and be acceptable to the head and to the heart of every good Master at whose home or hands it may be received.

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Mr. Editor.-Euraw, Ala. June 29, 1862.-The following is a hemsly drink, but it is invigorating and refreshing, and in the reach of every soldier;

One table spoonful of finely sifted corn meal; 1 tea spoonful of vinegar; I tea spoonful of sugar or molasses -stirred into a numbler of water, and drank before it

To Preserve Eggs for one Year .- One pint quicklime, one pint sait, to three gallons water; no care is needed in putting in the eggs, as they will be right end up, and will settle just below the surface if proportioned

CABBAGE SALAD. - Chop enough cabbage fine to fill a vegetable dish. Heat a coffee cup of strong vinegar, with a lump of butter in it the size of a small egg. Pepper and salt. When hot, beat an egg very light and stir in; then pour all on to the chopped cabbage.

RECEIPT FOR MAKING TOMATO WINE .- Take ripe tomatoes, press and strain them, then to one quart of the juice add one half pint of sugar, bottle and let it stand until it ferments, then it is ready for use .- Gainsville (Fla.) Cotton States, August 9.

To PREVENT FLIES FROM TEARING HORSES -Take two or three small handfuls of walnut leaves, upon which pour two or three quarts of soft cold water; let it infuse one night, and pour the whole next morning, into a kettle, and let it boil for a quarter of an hour. When cold it will be fit for use. No more is required than to wet a sponge, and before the horse goes out of the stable let those parts which are the most irritated be smeared over with the liquor; between and upon the ears, the neck, the flank, etc. Not only the lady or gentleman who rides out for pleasure will derive a benefit from the leaves thus prepared, but the coachman, the wagoner, and all thers who use horses during the hot months.

How to Make Matches .- "Dr. L. T. Roberts sends the La Grange Reporter the following recipe for making Take stripes of wood and dip them into melted sul-

phur, and let them dry, which will be done in a minute after dipping them. Then the points of these sulphered matches must be dipped in a composition, made in the following manner, viz. Dissolve in hot water, gum arabic, 4 parts; chlorate of potassa, 1 part; phosphorus, 1 part. These are all to be added to the pot separately, and in the order hereis prescribed, and as soon as the 1st ingredient is disolved, then add the 2d, &c., until all are dissolved. This must all be done in a water bath (like glue is prepared) and the mixture must be kept in the water bath while the process of dipping is going on. The matches must be thoroughly dried before they are used. Dry in the stade for 24 hours. Cover the mix-

I publish the above for the benefit of those who ask, what are we to do? At the rates at which matches are now selling, a man can take a pocket knife, and make a living by selling matches.

#### SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE

SOLDIERS' CHILDREN AID SOCIETY.

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\$6,8ST I have established two good schools for the soldlers' children in Fayetteville-about eighty have entered-another school is needed. Shall it be established? There are at least one hundred and fitty of these children who need assistance. Shall-they be placed at school; furnished with books, ink and paper? If the citizens of Fayetteville will subscribe Twenty-five Thousand Dullars for this purpose; we will not only place every soldier's child at school—but, if they desire it, we will supplement the salaries of the teachers of the Common Schools, and keep them open during the scholastic year. The above list shows what has been done.

Let all who are willing to aid in this important and patriotic work, leave their subscriptions with Mr. P. Taylor, or Mr. Cook, at the Post Office. at the Post Office.

J. B. HARDWICK, Cor Sec. &c.

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