anxious to have a brush with Abe's hirelings.

Colorel, in the place of Capt. Ramseur, who de-clined the appointment. Mr. Hamilton, who was

formerly connected with the Hillsboro' Military

Academy, is Major of the Regiment. Lieutenant

Jasper Fleming, (formerly of Wake,) but now a member of the Milton Blues, has been appointed

Adjutant in the place of . Col. Guy, promoted .-

David Pender, Esq., of Tarboro', is the Quarter-

master, and Mr. Cain, of Hillsboro', Commissary

of the Regiment. Chas. D. Hill, of the Milton

Blues is the Quartermaster's Sergeant Rev. -

Andrews, paster of the Seaman's Bethel, Wil-

mington, North Carolina, is doing good service

people of Suffolk, who have generously offered to

o everything in their power for their comfort.

- as Assistant Surgeons.

lapt. Fisher, deceased.

I had the pleasure of meeting Rev. W. B. Wel-

The Petersburg Cavalry are stationed at Suf-

folk; also two or three hundred troops from Bal-

imore. Licut. R. D. McIlwaine has been elected

On my way home I saw at Weldon several

members of the "Oak City Guards" and "Raleigh

Rifles." They say that the members of both com-

panies are in fine health and spirits. The appointment of Geo. Leveloy as Lieut.-Colonel of the

4th Regiment, gave great pleasure to the Raleigh

boys. The 4th Regiment is expected to leave for Suffolk, on Saturday.

FEMALE COLLEGE.

ted on Thursday last, by a lecture on the life,

character, and genius of Bishop Bascomb, by the

was gland in its subject, sublime in imagery, fin-

The Sermon to the graduating Class was deliv-

ered on Wednesday evening, the 29th of May, by

ished in style, and beautiful in language.

ence on the safety, duty and destiny of man.

of a copy of the Bibb, was delivered by Rev. R. S.

tion of the sort to which I ever listened. It was

profound in philosophy, original in thought, logi-

cal in arrangement, convincing in argument,

faultless in rhetoric, eloquent in diction, pure in

The examination of the several classes which

we had the pleasure of hearing was well sustained.

The compositions of the young ladies who gradu-

ated were all good. Some of them were very fine

-perfect gems of beauty. The Concert at the

College Chapel on Thursday night was the

most interesting part of the exercises. It was

decided success in every particular. The writer

was spell bound by the witchery of the music

which fell on his ear and thrilled his spirit, like

the notes of the wind harp when its cords are

touched by the fingers of the breeze; while the

soft love-light of eyes that beamed with gladness,

and the warm sun shine of smiles that flashed with

intelligence, set the heart in glow with deepest,

purest, pleasure. I shall ever remember and nev-

er forget the concert given by the young Ladies

Institution will be continued next session, as pre-

At a meeting of the Scotland Neck Mounted

Riffimen, held at Vine Hill Academy, May 7th.

Capt. P. M. Edmondston offered the following

Resolved. That we do hereby tender to the la-

Resolved, That we will cherish a grateful recol-

lection of their acts of patriotism and kindness.

and in the day of battle, the memory of our homes

and those we love and revere, will give a keener

edge to our swords, and a heavier weight to our blows. W. H. SMITH, Chairman.

THE "WEAKNESS" OF THE SOUTH .-- A new

"Those who think the South is powerless,

Southern States contributed twice as many men

as the North. The South with her fields cultivat-

ed, and nearly all her work done by negroes, can

lace almost her entire population under arms .-

In a great emergency, the Southern States could place in the field a million of men—the greater

part of them being such men as won the battles

A COMPLIMENT .- The New York Sun of the

"An ingenious rebel has invented a new five-

shooter at Portsmouth, Va.; it is simplified so that

single chamber, or the entire five barrels, may

of Buena Vista and New Orleans."

e discharged simultaneously."

JNO. H. SPEED, Secretary.

'The Age," says:

esolutions, which were unanimously adopted :

FOR THE REGISTER.

Spring Grove, June 3rd, 1861.

Lieut. W. H. Smith in the Chair,

style, and melting in pathos.

an able faculty.

FOR THE REGISTER.

. In haste, yours,

by the soldiers

FOR THE REGISTER.

The Raleigh Register.

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RALEIGH. N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING. JUNE 8, 1861.

ADOPTION OF THE PERMANENT were drawn up into line on the square east of the CONSTITUTION OF THE CONFEDE. depot, where they were duly served with provi-On Thursday afternoon the Convention of

his State adopted, by a unanimous vote, the Permanent Constitution of the Confederate States of America.

THE CONVENTION.

Some of the members of this body are anx- collstion, the soldiers gave nine rousing cheers ous for an early recess, and others, we hear, are for adjourning the Convention from this city to Beaufort. We cannot help thinking that either of the steps would be unwise, and give dissatisfaction to the people of the State. Should the Convention take a recess at an Regiment, together with the Captains of the early day, it would leave a good deal of business unfinished at a very highly critical time. No man can tell what a day or an hour may bring forth. Every day we may expect to hear of a great battle or great battles, the of which may be of most momentons col sequence to every Southern State, and especially .. one so near the scene of action as North Carolina. Besides this, what, will be called the Congress of the United States will meet on the Fourth of July, and it may be of vast importance for this Convention to await its action. The Congress of the Confederate States, too, meets on the 20th of July at Richmond, and its action will demand the consideration of the Convention -Let, then, the Convention continue its session, at least until we hear further and reliable tidings from Virginia, and until it plished.

"NEWPORT'S NEWS."

This is the northern point of land at the month of James River, and is about four miles from the town of Hampton. According to tradition, its name had its origin in these circumstances: Soon after Jamestown was settled, sickness and the ravages of the Indians induced the colonists to abandon the settlement, and to this end they embarked in a ship commanded by Captain Newport, and had reached the point at the mouth of the River, when a vessel from "home" made a signal to Newport's ship that there was news and relief at hand. This intelligence induced Newport to put back to Jamestown, and the point from which the signal of news and glad tidings was first seen, was called "Newport's party considerations. He will have a public funeral.

SOUTHERN ZOUAVES.

Six hundred Zouaves from New Orleans passed through Goldsboro' on Thursday night en route for Virginia. A large portion of these troops served in the Crimean War. They are Zouaves that are Zouaves.

We are gratified to learn from an authoritative source, that Capt. Francis T. Bryan, of this State, lately of the U. S. Topographical Engineers, has resigned his commission. We indulge the hope that the South will soon have the valuable services of Captain Bryan in her present struggle for freedom and independence. Captain Bryan married in St. Louis, where his wife and her family are now residing. We hope soon to the Confederate States hear that Capt. B. has either tendered his services to his native State, or that he has identified himself with the patriots of Missouri in an uprising against the Heesian forces that now oppress that State.

DOUBLE-BARREL SHOT GUNS.

It has been suggested to us on the authoriby of Army officers, that double-barrel shot guns will be found of very efficient service in the present struggle. It is true that they could not be used against arms of long range, but as it is probable that a vast deal of the fighting will be done in storming and defending ramparts and entrenchments, the double.barrelled shot guns can be most effectively used at close quarters.

PAPERS OF THE STATE PLEASE COPY."-WE have not learned much in reference to the mode adopted by the several officers to the State for procuring the publication of advertisements of an official character, and although we have enquired we have not been advised whether the many notices published in the Raleigh papers, to the bottom of which is appended " Papers of the State please copy," are paying advertisements or dead heads. Can our Raleigh cotemporaries inform us on this subject, for we do not wish to appear singular. If it is customary to dead head the State and charge private individuals, we would like to earn upon what ground the discrimination

We copy the above from the Charlotte Bulletin We had intersied to make a similar enquiry ourselves, but as we have it already at hand, we see no use in wasting time. Will the Raleigh papers

Our contemporaries of Charlotte and Wilmington, are respectfully informed, that as to amend the Constitution of this State by the Legislature shall be abolished. far as this office is concerned, the "advertisements" alluded to, are placed in the advertising columns of the Register, and charg- Wilkes, and should have appeared in our last ed for at the regular advertising rates. This paper, but the Reporter was unable to secure a course is pursued because the proprietors of the Register have to pay the compositors who reason why they should not be remunerated for their space and labor.

TROOPS EN ROUTE FOR VIRGINIA.

panies was heard, and in a few minutes they ar-

ladies of our city had prepared a supper for them,

sions in abundance-indeed, so liberal had been

ing of an indefinite numbers of tar barrels, &c.

and they all seemed to be in the best of spirits.

companies: Colonel, T. G. Bacon; Lieutenant-

jutant, D. W. Aiken: Company A. Captain Per-

iment. Company B, Captain Hodges; Company

Company E, Captain Denny; Company F, Cap-

tain Hard: Company G, Captain Brooks; Compa-

ny H, Captain Bland; Company I, Captain Pres-

PASSAGE OF C. S. TROOPS.

During the present week some two or three thou-

sand Confederate State Troops have passed through

this State bound for Virginia, and we learn there

at Lynchburg on Wednesday, and a large num-

This well known statesman died in Chiesgo o

Monday last. His wife, wife's father and mother.

and his own personal relatives, including Dr

Miller, of Washington city, were present with

to be brought to Washington for interment .-

Senator Cameron has published an official obitua-

ry notice, speaking of him as a patriot, above all

A PATRIOTIC MAN.

We find in the Wilmington Journal the fol

owing letter from Mr. Isaac Wright, an aged

citizen of Duplin county, to the Mayor of Wil-

mington. The letter was accompanied by a

check for \$400. Such conduct as this is worthy

of emulation. Let those who cannot take the

field themselves, but who have abundance of mon-

ey and provisions, be liberal in their donation

for the support of the brave young men who have

with such alscrity responded to the call to arms.

and let them be assured that their families will

be cared for in their absence, and we need not

will be quickly and glo riously achieved, and ere

long peace and prosperity will again smile upon

BUADEN COUNTY, N. C., May 28th, 1861.

Dear Sir :- I herewith enclose a check on the

Bank of Wilmington for four hund-ed dollars, to

aid in the prosecution of a war which, in my judg-

have every element of national greatness-every

first call to arms, I recognize the devotion, self-

ly, but with all the alacrity and devotion becoming so righteous a cause. With great respect,

I am your obedient servant,

omise of social elevation and moral grandeur.

In the present uprising of patriotic men, at the

John Dawson, Esq., Mayor of Wilmington

500 more coming from the same place.

cott; Company K, Captain Talbot.

C. Captain Bradley; Company D, Captain Hester

Gaston cars for Weldon.

THE WAR NEWS. On Thursday three companies, belonging to belonging to the same regiment, it being understood that they would arrive in the course of the the engine which was bringing up the six comregiment says:

rived, and upon bring notified that the generous well filled knapsack, whichever he might proffer. This devoted wife and heroine heard that her

susband had received orders to march instantly our generous citizens that the hungry soldiers could not begin to devour the immense supply that had been prepared for them. The darkness of the night was effectually dispelled by the burn-After partaking to their hearts' content of the for Raleigh, and soon after took the Raleigh and The whole regiment is composed of as determined and daring looking a set of fellows as we ever saw, The following is a list of the field officers of the Colonel, R. A. Fair: Major, Emmett Seibles; Adhas left without even a change of clothing, yman, arrived in Virginia in advance of the reg-

On Wednesday the Volunteer Southrons, from Vicksburg, Mississippi, numbering 110 men, arrived at Richmond. This company was under command of our President, Jefferson Davis, in the Mexican war, and acted a conspicuous part at the battle of Beuna Vista. Isaoc M. Partridge, Esq., editor of the Vicksburg Whig? is a Sergeant in this Company. Mr. Partridge was a Brigadier General in the militia before the breaking out of this war, but threw up his commission and joined the Southrons as a private, but was afterwards are a large number behind who will be brought made a Sergean. He is a native of North Caroforward as rapidly as the railroads can transport

them. On Monday morning three splendid companies from Georgia stopped here long enough to get a substantial breakfast, which was furnished by the patriotic ladies of Raleigh, and then went on their way to the seat of war rejoicing in the opportunity of serving their country. Large Tennessee are also pouring into Virginia by the way of the Virginia and Tennessee railroad. A regiment from Mississippi, numbering upwards of 1000 men, all well armed and equipped, arrived

ber arrived there on Monday and Tuesday-among It is said that the French Minister in Washingthem a regiment of 1000 from Knoxville, Tenn., ton has received a dispatch from his Government, the home of the traitor Brownlow. They report declaring that it will pay no respect to Lincoln's

arrived with his company at New York, on Sunday, 26th ult. The men were almost dead with him during his last moments. The remains were

> At the Gosport Navy Yard, Thursday afternoon, contrary to universal expectation, the Merrimr: was got afloat, and she will be placed in the dry-dock to-day. Competent expdrts at once examined her wood works and machinery, and assert that she can be out in complete order in three months. With the exception of a number of holes cut in her bottom, and injuries to the piping connected with her stern arrangements, the damage accomplished by the national incendiaries

Another chooner taken at the bar at Ocracoke, fear that we shall not pass through the ordeal of the war not only with honor, but our independence

our land throughout the length and breadth of

to take up arms to repel the invaders. ment, is scarcely more righteous than its issue will be glorious. With me, bending under the weight of more than eighty winters, no govern-Cannon are being cast at Aberdeen, Miss .-

The foundry and machine shops are of capacity to ment could be long oppressive or tyrannical—but with the rising generation it is far different—their's is the rising, but mine the setting sun.

Within the bounds of this new Confederacy we turn out two finished pieces, with their carriages, It was reported in Santa Fe that Col. Loring.

> Mexico, had resigned. A number of gentlemen in Mobile are building

denial, and self-sacrifice of a revolutionary era; floating battery resembling the Charleston Batand I have only to add, that whatever of means or credit my name can secure, if needed, will be tery, except that it is to be propelled by steam. placed at the service of our State-net grudging-

RESOLUTION RELATING TO AMEND-MENTS OF THE CONSTITUTION OF

I. WRIGHT

THIS STATE Resolved. That the Constitution of this State ought to be so amended, that no able bodied white man should be allowed to vote for members of the House of Commons, who may have refused or failed to pay his poll tax for the year immediately preceding any election at which he may offer to yote, for which he may be liable and owing.

Resolved further, That the Constitution should be so altered, that no free white man shall be entitled to vote for a member of the Senate, in this State, who shall not have paid a property tax, equal to the tax on one hundred dollars value of land or real estate, for the year immediately preceding any election at which he may offer to

vote for a member of the Senate.

Resolved further, That the Constitution of this State should be further amended, so that the right | combe, was as follows :

The above resolutions were offered in the Con vention on Thursday last, by Mr. Calloway, of copy of them.]

set up these advertisements, and can see no young ladies of Columbus, Ga., for the purpose of determined to remain at home during this war. | bly.

A regiment of artillery, called the Washington MESSES. EDITORS :- I paid a flying visit to the South Carolina Volunteers, arrived in this Artillery, from New Orleans, arrived at Richmond Suffolk on Wednesday last. The Third Regiment city by the afternoon train. These companies on Tuesday last. They represent that their march of North Carolina Volunteers, under command awaited here the arrival of six more companies from New Orleans to Richmond was one continued oration. On the same day the Eighth Reg- their friends in different sections of the State iment of South Carolina volunteers, 1000 strong, would like to knew how they are getting on, I evening. In the meantime the ladies of this city under command of Colonel Cash, arrived at will inform them. They are encamped near a fine Spring, which furnishes an abundant supply prepared to give them a collation upon thier ar- Richmond. A Richmond correspondent of the rival. About 11 o'clock, P. M., the whistle of Petersburg Express, speaking of the arrival of this of excellent water. There are no serious cases of sickness among the members of the Regiment. They are in excellent health and spirits, and seem

In a company from Darlington, S. C., I noticed among the privates, Mr. Charles Andrews, accompanied by his wife. She marched in the ranks by her husband's side, occasionally relievng him by appropriating his trusty rifle, or his

to Virginia. She was visiting him at camp when the order came, and resolved that she would not be separated from him. Secreting herself so as to avoid the eye of the Coionel, she marched off with her husband, and was not discovered by the noble commander until the Regiment reached Wilmington, N. C. She was told that she could not accompany her husband, but with tears in her eyes she entreated that she should not be torn from him whom she would cheerfully tollow to the cannon's mouth. She pledged to make her-self useful, in various ways, and finally her eloquent voice, and still more eloquent black eyes, vercame the Colonel, and he decided that she night accompany her husband. Oh, woman's evotion! Who can estimate it; who can properly value it? The pretty young woman is to be the vivamiliers of the gallant eighth, and she already undles a gun like one used to the service. She not the ladies of Richmond and Petersburg supply the deficiency? I know they will.

Gen. Beauregard has assumed command of the C. S. troops at Manassas Gap. The following incident will illustrate the opinion entertained by South Carolinians of Gen. Beauregard's abilities. Upon the arrival of the Eighth Regiment at Richhe thought of Gen. Beauregard? The prompt reply was, "if Gen. Beauregard were to tell me that Fortress Monroe could be taken, it would be ours before Saturday night; if he were to say it could not be taken, we would not go within fifty

DEATH OF HON. STEPHEN ARNOLD

Eleven hundred dollars had been collected at Mobile. Ala, on the 27th of May, in five hours, or the family of the hero-martyr of Alexandria. Lieutenant Slemmer has left Fort Pickens, and

oaded with Cotton and Naval Stores, was brought up yesterday. Of course she will not be permitted to leave here, and the cargo will most probably go to enrich the captors. We simply mention these matters to let our Northern friends know how we are getting on. So says the Newbern The Norwegian Consul visited the Minnesota

on Thursday officially. Com. Stringham refused to permit a Norwegian bark to leave Charleston with a cargo, but consented to her departure in

Goy. Letcher has issued a proclation calling upon all volunteer companies in the State to report at once for duty, and urges all good citizens

commanding the United States forces in New

In our paper of Satturday last the following resolutions,-one introduced into the Convention on Tuesday, the eighth day of the session, by Mr. Battle, of Wake, and the other on the same day, by Mr. Battle, of Edgecombe, -were inadvertently transposed, that of Mr. Battle, of Wake, being attributed to Mr. Battle, of Edgecombe, and vice persa. We reprint the resolutions in order that the correction may be properly understood.

The following is the resolution offered by Mr. Battle, of Wake: Resolved. That in the opinion of this Convention, the Constitution of this State should be amended as to require the Governor to set forth, in writing, fully, the grounds of all reprieves, pardons, and remissions, to be entered in the reg-

ster of his official acts, and laid before the General Assembly at their next session. The resolution offered by Mr. Battle, of Edge

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Convention, the Constitution ought to be so smended that all laws or resolutions, having the force of laws, whereby appropriations of money shall be made, either for internal improvements or for any other purpose, or whereby the debt of the State, actual or contingent, may be increased, shall be passed by separate and distinct enactments for each and A Home Guard has been organized by the young ladies of Columbus, Ga., for the purpose of protecting the young men of that city who have determined to remain at home during this war. ATROCITIES OF THE ENEMY IN ELIZ. [From the Richmond Dispatch of Thursday.] ABETH CITY COUNTY.

FURTHER OUTRAGES AT HAMPTON. ONE OF LINCOLN'S OFFICERS SHOT. of Col. Pender, is encamped there, and thinking

We find the following particulars of the recent outrages perpetrated at Hampton and other portions of Elizabeth City county, in addition to what has already been published, in the Norfolk Herald of Tuesday:

They have been quite fortunate in securing at Fort Monroe, and came round by the way of good field officers for the Regiment, Col. Pender Richmond to Norfolk, where he is engaged in is quite popular with the Regiment, and the nextsome work on the fortifications

He found at Williamsburg a number ness and good order which characterize the tives from Hampton, from whom he learned some Camp, gives abundant proof of his efficiency as particulars of the villatnous doings of the Federal Mr. W. S. Guy, a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute, has been elected Lieutenant roops after their descent upon Newport News. They commenced on the farm of Mr. Wm.

Smith, which they left a complete wreck. had a fine field of wheat, besides a number of truck crops. These the scoundrels completely devastated, besides stealing or shooting down Mr. Smith's stock and poultry, which they found ranging about the farm. Mr. Smith thought he his bacon, and had the contents of his smoke house carted out into the woods, and buried it when he saw them approaching. But in this he was foiled; a treacherous darkey who assisted at the burial, told upon him, and the robbers had the meat disinterred, and carted back. This fellow, with several others of Mr. Smith's negroes, they took as Chaplain. He seems to be very much beloved to Fort Menroe, and set them to work on the fortifications. Mr. Smith estimates his loss, including the negroes, at full \$15,000.

The members of the regiment speak in the high-They next visited the adjoining farm of est terms of the kindness and bospitality of the West, which they treated as they had done Mr. Smith's, cutting up and completely stroying the crops of every kind. At Mr. West's they unluckily found a uniform coat ons, editor of the Christian Sua. He has given up a portion of his premises, to be used ins a hosupon which, they held him a close prisoner and pital. Dr. Montgomery, of Alamance, is Surgeon to the regiment, aided by Drs. McAden and sent off his two daughters, grown women, to the fort as "hostages" for his "good behavior." Nothing was alleged, against them; but it was the simple arbitrary act of Lincoln's hell-hounds, who in this, though in violation of law and civilized usage, as in all their proceedings, but followed the example of the lawless old tyrant, their Master. aptain of the Petersburg Cavalry in the place of From Mr. West's they passed over to the farm

of Wm. Lee, which had on it one of the finest crops of wheat in the county, besides other valuable products. This they completly devastated, as they had done the farms we have already

In short, they continued the work of ruthless and reckless destruction on every farm fronting Hampton Roads, from Newport News to Hampton, committing every species of atrocity and out-raging the persons of negro women, girls, and and even female children, in a manner too inhuman and revolting to dwell upon.

had generally moved off to the interior, and thus The commencement exercises of this flourishing avoided the insults and infamous treatment of the and popular Literary Institution, were inaugura-

The woods back of Hampton were for several days filled with the fugitive families from that once smiling and happy village, and with such of Rev. John S. Long of Newberne. The lecture their household stuff as they could carry off with them in the hurry of the alarm. They have probably ere this obtained more desirable lodgings .-Providentially they have had fine weather. It is ascertained that there are full three hun-

dred slaves belonging to citizens of Elizabeth City, either fugitives or forced into the service, the Rev. J. W. Tucker, of Raleigh. It was a employed as laborers in Fort Monroe at the presclear presentation of the doctrine of providence in ent time. It has already been stated that Colonel its relations to the physical, intellectual, moral Mallory, of Elizabeth City, went with a flag of truce to the fort to demand the return of fugitive and spiritual universe; and in its practical influnegroes, but the demand was refused. A similar application was made on the following day by The valedictory address to the young Ladies another flag, and also refused. The bridge over graduating, on the presentation to each of them Hampton Creek was then barnt by our people, and the enemy made his raid upon Newport News Moran, of Goldsboro. It was the finest produc-

There are only four of its inhabitants remaining in dampton, who are prevented by chronic diseases and other unavoidable causes of detention from leaving it in the entire possession of the enemy who now occupies it.

The loss, (including negroes,) sustained by the county of Elizabeth City, at the hands of these emorseless marauders, is estimated at half a million of dollars.

A tracing character, named Mellon. formerly held the settler's berth at Fort Monroe, and till recently had been too requently exchanging visits between the Fort and Hampton, was at last admonished by Mr. Cooper, of Hampton, that he was strongly suspected of being a spy, which Mellon denied. A few days, however, satisfactorily convicted him of the charge; for when the Yankee troops entered Hampton, Mr. Cooper's was the first house they broke into, and the one worst served, as they seemed to pay particular attention to smashing his furniture and destroying every other article that came in their way.

FURTHER OUTRAGES AT HAMPTON When the yandals from the North occupied of Wayne Female College. The exercises of this Hampton, an officer with a squad of men went to the store of Mr. P. Lattimer, and demanded posviously, under the administration of its able and session. Mr. Lattimer replied that he had efficient President, Rev. S. M. Frost, assisted by chased and paid for his stock of goods, and the officer might have them at their valuation. The officer said he would have the goods and store and not pay a cent for them, and drawing his sword slapped Lattimer with it on the face. Lattimer drew a revolver and fired it, when the officer fell. He then leaned over the counter and fired three more shots in the body, causing death. Lattimer was, of course, captured, and taken to Old Point and hung on Friday last.

The officer killed is said to be a Lieutenant one of the companies, and distinguished for military abilities. He has met a dog's death in a dog's

dies of Scotland Neck, our greatful thanks for the Mr. W. C. Marrow of Hampton, was also treatassistance which they have so kindly rendered in placing our troop in a state of readiness for active ed in a most shameful and indecent manner. He duty. Resolved, That we tender our sincere thanks to was captured in the town, having his uniform on, stripped stark naked, marched through the streets in that condition, and then carried to Fort Monthe citizens of Scotland Neek and Halifax county, for the generous aid in furnishing and equipping roe as a prisoner. Can such things be done in this enlighted age and not rouse to boiling heat our troop with every thing necessary for service the blood of every Southerner?

> THE FIGHT AT AQUIA CREEK. In an extra of the Fredericksburg Herald, of Tuesday, we find the following in relation to the fight at Aquia Creek, which has not been pub-

A letter to us from - Point, dated yesterday, literary paper just started in New York, entitled June 3, says: "The Pawnee was injured very much! There is no doubt of this, as she was all day yesterday opposite to our station at --- 's Point. Lt. - and myself examined her with a not understand her. In the Mexican war the large spy-glass, and found she had a large bole in her quarter, i. c. near the water line, under the side of her stern. We also saw men in a boat mending her port side, amidsbip. You may rely en this. Our batteries shot 74 shot and hell, and

brought the news to this side, that he, the clergyman, was present, though not officiating, at the burial of 28 persons taken from off board the ves-sel after the battle of Saturday, and who had been killed during the action.

THE CONVEDERATE LOAN .- The Macon Citi-

For the further enlightenment of our once esteemed cotemporary—for the Sun was once the head and front of liberal principles—we may add that this self-same "ingenious rebel" is now com-pleting a nine-barreled rifle pistol, which can be Col. John B. Lamar, of this city, subscribes 600 bales of cotton to this loan, Benj. Locket 800 bales, T. R. Bloom 50, and L. N. Whittle one half his cotton crop, whatever it may be. The discharged upon the same principle as the five-shooter. Its range is considerably superior to the safest and best investment they can make, be-that of the ordinary army musket. Mark this, Master Brook.—Portsmouth Transcript.

THE LATEST NEWS. BATTLE AT PHILIPI.

COLONEL KELLY KILLED. FIFTEEN SECESSIONISTS KILLED AND

Reported Rout of Our Forces.

WOUNDED.

A telegram published in the Baltimore papers Mr. Frederick Jett, formerly of Elizabeth City, of Tuesday, from Cincinnati, dated June 3d, states left Williamsburg a few days ago, where he had that a battle had been fought at Philippi, Barbour just moved with his family to avoid the vandals county, Va., between the Federal forces, under Morris, and the Virginians, at that point. The former numbered about three thousand, and the latter twelve hundred. It is said that our troops were routed, with a loss of fifteen, besides arms, munitions and horses.

> Col. Kelly, of the Virginia Union Volunteers -an enemy-was mortally wounded, and is since dead. The pursuit, according to the telegram, was kept up for some distance into Virginia forces were taken by surprise. Such is the account which comes to us under

it must, therefore, be taken with that wide margin which surrounds all accounts of Virginians that would be a little before hand with them in saving have ever been given to the public from that

> ANOTHER ENGAGEMENT BETWEEN A U. S. VESSEL AND A BATTERY.

We learned, yesterday, from a passenger by the James River steamer, that an engagement took place yesterday morning at "Pig's Point," situate at the mouth of Nansemond river, between the United States steamer "Harriet Lane," and the battery at that place. The fight commenced about sight o'clock, and lasted for an hour and a half, during which time the steamer fired fifty-eight shot and shell, the battery responding in a very spirited manner, many of its shot taking effect. It was thought that the "Harriet Lane" was bailly damaged, as she careened a good deal and beat a hasty retreat for Old Point, probably for repairs,

The above report was brought to us by gentlemen who believed it to be true; but as they did not witness the battle, we give the rumor for what it is worth.] NEWS FROM SUFFOLK.

A corresspondent of the Petersburg Express, writing from Suffolk, Va., under date of the 4th inst., says :

at the head of Nansemond river, 17 miles from Portsmouth by the Seaboard Railroad, and 21 miles from Norfolk by the Norfolk and Petersburg Railroad. It contains about 1.500 inhabitants. The people are intelligent, hospitable and sociable, combining the ease of the country and the refinements of city life, very happily together. The families residing on this range of farms. There are three hotels, four churches, and the public buildings of the county, all located here. On Sabbath last the Protestant Episcopal, Methodist Episcopai and Christian Churches were all filled with anxious listeners. The Baptist Church

is destitute of a pastor at this time. There are now here about 1,200 troops, and about four times that number are to be quartered here in a few days. The Third Regiment of North Carolina Volunteers commanded Pender, are quartered in a very pleasant place, and are doing well. They have some cases of measles in one of the companies, and that com-Dany is at the Old Academy. Capt Settle is just covering from the disease. This Regiment held an election vesterday for a Lieutenant Colonel in the place of Capt. Ramseur, who declined to accept the appointment, which resulted in the elec-tion of Adjutant Guy, a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute. Lieutenant Jasper Fleming. of the Milton Blues, was chosen Adjutant in the place of Adj't Guy, promoted.

The Petersburg Cavalry was on parade yester-They are still at the Fair Grounds. Yesterday 4th Lieut, McIlwaine was elected Captain in place of the late Capt. Fisher. 1st Lieut. Goodwyn received the largest number of votes on the first ballot and withdrew his name, the second

ballot resulting as stated above. The two Baltimore companies are here occupying the Courthouse. These are the best drilled companies I have seen anywhere in this section. Col. Thomas received a despatch and left vesterday for Richmond.

Gen. Gwynn passed through this place yester day on his way to Norfolk, and Col. Collier pass ed through this morning to join him at Norfolk. They go to the coast of North Carolina, through the canal from Norfolk. All the troops in this section are in good spirits.

We have nothing exciting from Norfolk or the batteries at Pig Point, Town Point or Barrett's Neck Capt. Graves was ordered to detach his company from the N. C. Regiment and join Capt. Phillips' command at Barrott's Neck or Blink-

LETTER FROM OHIO.

The following is an extract of a letter written by a gentleman of Titlin, Ohio, to his cousin, a lady residing in Lewisburg, Greenbrier county. Virginia. Its perusal has afforded us very great pleasure, and would seem to justify the hope that there are yet remaining in the Northern States more good men than were found by the Lord in Sodom at the departure of Lot from that ill-fated "I am pained, my dear cousin, to think you

should form such a poor opinion of me, as to think that I should be recreant to the principles of right and justice, which I have always fought for, and to which I have steadfastly adhered, in defiance of infuriated mobs, thirsting for my heart's blood. For two weeks my life was in my hand, but, thank God! I had manhood enough to proudly maintain my position, and boldly proclaim my sympathies. Not one of the miserable scoundrels dared raise a finger to my injury, but like a set of cowardly curs, that they were, stood at a dis-tance and growled at me. They dared not even face me, but sent their pimps to me with threats. The excitement has since died out, and for the past week, it has been comparatively quiet. The true men-men who are opposed to this damnable war-can now be heard. You are in error. when you think we all belong to the Abolition hords. The majority of those who pretended to in favor of giving the South her constitutional rights, have deserted us; but we do not give up. Enough are left to form a nucleus for a great party, which will sweep this country like a whirlwind. Candidly, I do not think the Administration will prosecute this war. In my opinion, they are but playing a part from force of circumstances .--Popular sentiment is urging it on. In my heart, I believe the independence of the Confederate States will be acknowledged within six months.— Certain it is, that there can be nothing gained by

"A resolution has passed in our State Senate to We are also informed, third banded, that a the effect, that Ohio will furnish no troops for a minister on the Maryland side told a person who war of insurrection and oppression upon the South."

Has been heard from. There are nineteen coun-

ties that give a majority against Secession; and in the Panhandle and the extreme North-west counties, the majorities against it are large: From the best data that was at hand in Rich-

mond on the 27th inst., it was apparent that the whole anti-Secession vote in the State would be between 20,000 and 25,000. It was estimated that the entire vote of the State would be the largest ever polled-probably reaching 160,000-and that the majority for Secession would be about 130,000.

A COMPLETE BACKDOWN. We copy the following from the New Orleans

The United States steamer Brooklyn, Capt.

Poore, having notified the authorities at the Ba-lize that a strict blockade of the mouth of the river had been ordered and that he was on hand to ren-der the blockade effective, was boarded yesterday under a flag of truce by the captains of several British and French vessels now on the bar, and Capt. Poore was asked if he intended to prevent the departure of the vessels then on the bar belonging to English and French owners, and loa ied with freight for foreign ports. Poore declared that he should certainly prevent their departures or seize them if they attempted to run the block-

As their ships are all heavily loaded with valuable cargoes, including two thousand hogsheads shipped by the French Consul on account of the French Government, and several hundred on account of Rothsschilds and other foreign houses, such a decision naturally produced considerable excitement in the city. The British and French Consuls took the matter in hand, and by telegraph caused Capt. Poore to understand that they would not permit such nonsense, and that the British and French squadrons would be here in a few days to protect the interests of their Governments. The last news from the Balize was that Poore had backed down, and the ships were all going out. The British and French merchants in the city, who are largely engaged in our trade will demand the protection of their Governments, and it is hoped both by them and our own citizens, as all the trade we have or intend to have is with their ports, that their flee, s will speedily appear in the Gulf

FEDERAL TROOPS IN THE FPELD .- It is estimated that the force of Federal troops now in service at the different points, which may be considered seats of war, amounts to about 95,000, and this does not include the men in the various camps, whose location is not yet decided upon .-This force is stationed and commanded as follows: South side of Potomac, Brig. Gen. McDowell.

Washington, &c., Brig. Gen. Mansfield, 22,000. Fortress Monroe, Maj. Gen. Butler, 9,000. Penn's West, Maj. Gen. Keim, 16,000. Cincin'ti & West Va. Mai. Gen. McClelland.

Cairo and vicinity, Brig. Gen. Prentist, 6,000. Baltimore, &c., Brig. Gen. Cadwallader, 5,000. Philadelphia, &c., Maj. Gen. Patterson, 3,000. Total 95,000.

Good Signs .- In the State of New York there are fifty papers opposed to Lincolns Army invading the South. In Ohio there are now fourteen papers which, in despite of mob law and threats of violence, have come out in opposition observes the Circleville (Ohio) Watchman, "when there will be more. And the time will come when we shall hear those who have hurrahed loudest for civil war, declare that they always opposed. it." We believe your prediction will prove true, Mr. Watchman, and may God speed the day, as we believe a more unrighteous war was never waged against any people.

THE BOYS COOKING .- It is exceedingly interesting to see the soldlers providing for the inner man. Every three or four tents have a brush fire in common, and the members of each tent do their own cooking. To see them making their coffee, making up batter and frying meat, it is fun to look on, but we can't see any fun in having it to do. We noticed a stout soldier stooping down the other evening, beating something with the end of a short stick in a tin cup, and on going up to him found that he was grinding, or rather pounding coffee for his supper. The life of a soldier is a hard life-hard. hard indeed. Accursed forever be that hell del serving fanaticism at the North, that has called our people from their pleasant and comfortable homes to endure the hardships of the tented field in order to drive back from our alters and hearthstones the foul invaders .- Temperance Grusader.

Passes Northward. - We are happy to learn that our authorities have concluded to issue no more passes to persons traveling to the North.— This is a wise and just determination. It can cause no inconvenience at this time to any but a certain class of persons, or if it does, this, as well as many other inconveniences of the war, will be cheerfully borne for the common good.

Richmond Dispatch

On May 11th, Dr. Wu. L'ENGLE, at Pensacola. He had been a Surgeon in the army of the United States, had but recently resigned, and gone to Peusacola, for the purpose, (as is supposed,) of tendering his services to General Bragg. He was taken ill the day he arrived there, and by mistake in the prescription, or in the apothecary, took too large a quantity of morphine, and died within a few hours; away from his wife and family, out in the midst of friends. He died placidly and calmly, say his friends, with-

out physical suffering, and with the confident hope, which his gentle, unselfish, dutiful life gave him and his friends, that he has reached a heaven of eternal He had lived the life of a christian, and died in the full faith of a joyful resurcction. He leaves a wife, a daughter of Judge Saunders, and hree little children, to meura their irreparable loss Thy will, O God! be done.

In Louisiana, on the 7th of May, 1861, of Consumpon. Mr. EDWIN P. WALKER, in the 39th year of his age. The deceased was born near Rolesville, North Carolina, and emigrated to Alabama, where he remained sometime, and afterwards moved to Louisiana, where he remained until his death. He was a kind husband, and an affectionate father, and leaves many relatives and friends to mourn their loss,

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