

From the Richmond Sentinel. VERY LATE FROM THE UNITED STATES. -----

We return our thanks to a gallant officer of Pender's division for a very late United States paper-the Washington Chronicle, of the 13th in . stant. We extract what follows :

## SUMMARY OF NEWS.

Gen. Couch has assumed the command of the Department of the Susquehanna, and issued an and were brought to this city yesterday. They order calling on all the citizens of Pennsylvania say their position on this side was intended to between eighteen and sixty years of age to take cover the removal of their stores from the position up arms immediately.

Whilst the steamer Maple Leaf was conveying three hundred rebel officers from Fortress Monroe to Fort Delaware, on Wednesday, the pris ners overpowered the guard and captured the boat .--They run her in near the Virginia shore when all but twenty-six escaped. Gen. Dix sent cavalry after them, but up to the latest advices they had not captured them.

All is quiet along the Rappahannock. It is positively known that Lee's army is twice as strong now as it was at the battle of Chancellorsville, and that he contemplates a movement .-These facts are known to our authorities, and we feel confident they have taken such measures as will thwart the enemy's intentions.

A Cincinnati dispatch says that a Union force under Col. Kontz drove the rebels out of Monticello, Kentucky, but the latter being reinforced, our troops retreated and were followed by the rebels. The rebels were, however, defeated, our loss being 30 killed and wounded.

Gov. Morton has issued an address warning all persens against resisting the Government. It is blockade to proceed to Nassau.

The news of the surrengering of the Mexicans st Peubla has again been confirmed. They did not surrender until all their provisions had been exhausted and the horses and mules eaten. It is sail that Ortega, with several other high officers, have succeeded in escaping from the French.

The defences of Port Hudson are immensely strong, consisting not only of fortifications and heavy artillery around the town, but of outer works composed of intreached abattis, stretching out for nearly ten miles in a semicircle, bristling with cannon of heavy calibre. The water defences consist of ten batteries, numbering between 30 and 40 guns, some of them being eleven inches and others thirteen inches bore. One of these batteries is stationed on a bluff eighty feet high. The strength of the garrison, according to the account of a gentleman who was lately in the place, is between four and five thousand, but, their provisions and ammunition are said to be giving out. The post is commanded by General Franklin Gardner, a graduate at West Point, and formerly an officer in the U. S. service.

THE WAR. The dispatches from the Southwest which we publish to-day will encourage hope without confirming confidence in a successful result at Vicksburg and Port Hudson. Thus far our gallant troops have successfully repelled or withstood the utmost attempts of the enemy. But the latter are still pressing the siege with a powerful force. We have a strong faith in our triumph there. but it is still mingled with solicitude. " Night or Blucher,"-the yellow fever among the enemy,, or Generals JOHNSTON and KIRBY SMITH as parties to the fray, form interesting elements in our cal-

culations and anticipations. From Fredericksburg the news is that the enemy on Saturday recrossed their forces to the North side of the river, and took up their pontoon bridges after them. Thus ends the third crossing. About twenty soldiers who failed to keep up with the retreating party were captured by our men,

opposite Fredericksburg, which is now accomplished. If this be true, HOOKER and his whole army are up and away. We think it probable that he is moving towards Manassas or Washington. It is reported that MILROY has evacuated Winchester, under the pressure of General JENKINS. We are sorry to learn that he has got away without hanging, How some men do manage to defraud

ustice of her dues ! The forces of the enemy which lately showed themselves on the lower Chickahominy are now reported to have fallen back .- Richmond Sentinet.

PARTICULARS OF THE FIGHTING PRE-VIOUS TO THE INVESTMENT OF VICKSBURG.

The details of the fighting which preceded the investment of Vicksburg are coming to light .-A participant in the recent battle, of Baker's Creek furnishes to the Appeal the annexed ac count of the affair, which is the first connected said Vallandigham contemplates running the narrative yet published from a Southerp source.-The writer dates at Jackson, Miss., May 24:

> On Eriday afternoon, the 15th inst., three divisions of the army under Lieut. Gen. Pemberton, Loring's, Stevenson's, and Bowen's,) advanced from Edward's dopot in the direction of Raymond. and stopped that night about six miles from the starting point, and on what is known as the middle Raymond road. At eight o'clock the next morning, Saturday, just as we were preparing to move forward, the enemy opened upon our advance guard with artillery briskly, indicating that they had found out our movements and had determined to give us battle.

We immediately fell back a mile to an eligible position, and formed in line of battle, to be in readiness for an advance or to receive their attack. We had not long to wait. Our line was formed in a curve of Baker's creek, upon a ridge, our right being posted in a position to use a ford at the crossing of the creek in case we were over whelmed, and our left equally convenient to a bridge over the stream, which, it was expected, would furnish safe passage for our army in such a con-

From the Raleigh Standard. THE SIXTY-SIXTH COMMENCEMENT AT CHAPEL HILL.

JUNE 4, 1863. In spite of "blockade" and "enemy's lines, his predecessors, Govs. Manly, Morehead and Graham. Gov. Swain was at home waiting for Judge Manly. The Hon. D. M. Barringer and Messrs. P. C. Cameron, M. L. Wiggins and K P. Battle assisted in forming a Board of Trustees, which declared itself gratified in finding the efforts of the authorities of the University successful in preventing a suspension of its exercises, and many, in such a mixed audience as assembles on that these efforts be as energetic hereafter.

themselves. Mr. Carroll spent only one year at is possible, with interest. the University, but while there was reckoned one of the best scholars in his class. No one of the are away on the tented field, or in the crowled class obtained credit for perfect punctuality dur-

following order:

" The Prospect before us"-by T. T. Broyles. " The Elements of success "-by J. L. Carroll. "American Antiquities "-by W. M. Watkins. " Man's unknown benefactors "-by E. Hines." "Liberty and Revolutions"-by T. W. Carr. "Gen. Albert S. Johnston"-by M. M. Marshall. Mr. Carroll's essay was much commended for the solid judgment and good feeling it manifested. and Mr. Marshall's for the enthusiasm and propriety of manner with which it defended the name of a brave soldier, a skilful General and an unswerving patriot.

When Freshman, this class counted eighty members. It had one hundred and six when Sophomore. The demands of the war reduced it to twenty-nine members when in its Junior year. Only eight, who could not follow their comrades to the tented field, were left to prepare for service in other, it may be as necessary, positions.

On Monday night seven of the Freshmen com peted for distinction in declamation, as follows: "Sentiments proper to the Crisis"-P. B. Means, of Cabarrus county.

"Spartacus to the Gladiators"-J. B. McRae, of Favetteville.

improvement, the preparation of an intelligent superior to itself-that improvement of inherest powers by their own unaided activity is unhistor cal and upphilosophical. This thesis was largely illustrated by examples drawn from the vegetal ce and animal world. A grain of wheat, even where Commencement got to Chapel Hill last week at it preserves its vitality, requires for its germin the appointed hour. It found fewer students there | tion the influence of air, heat and moisture. Bit | than it did one year ago, but it brought more if its vitality be lost, no power short of the Cf trustees with it. Gov. Vance came, and so did stor's can restore it. The lorse is not in his bist estate when wild on the Llanos of Brazil. to, slso, no man-no community of men can becoise them, and so Judge Battle welcomed his colleague, what he or they can become, what conscience declares it ought to become, without instruction frem Maj. Genl. D. H. Hill. Revelation and the accompanying "preparation of heart" by the Author of that Revelation. When a learned Professor discourses on a subject with which he is familiar, it is not likely that

announced its determinatian to use all diligence | Commencement occasions, can perceive, at onte, the full scope of his argument or the adequacy of Messrs. T. M. Argo of Wetumpks, Als., T. T. | his statements. Nevertheless, the discourse may Broyles of Anderson, S. C.; T. W. Carr of Pitt be greatly enjoyed, and much profited by, even County, J. L. Carroll of Kenapsville, E. Hines of by those who will not pretend to be able to criti-Craven County, M. M. Marshall of Pittsborough, cise it. The deep silence that pervaded the College W. L Quarles of Minden, La., and W. M. Wat- Chapel, and the wrapped attention of the larges! kins of Milton, swelled the list of graduates at and most distinguished audience that assembled the University so that now it contains the names at Chapel Hill during the week, showed that these of 1,709 Alumni. Among these eight, Mr. Argo | capable of discernment, felt that they were listareceived the first distinction in schelarship, and ing to doctrines of no common import, argued, spoke the valedictory Mr. Quarles was the illustrated and enjoised in a style of rare localsecond best scholar in the class, and was the ness, terseness and power. The University of Salutatorian for the occasion. Messrs. Hines and | North-Carolina owes to the University of Virgenia Watkins shared the third distinction between a debt which we shall feel proud to see repaid, and,

Of course, when fathers and brothers and lo. Brs ing his connection with the University. Besides the Valedictory and Latin Salutatory, where the dance has hitherto gone mercity. liercest-many visitors could not be experied the last and the first speeches on commencement. Those who did attend, expressed themselver as gulf was driven out of its banks along the line of day, the following orations were delivered in the much-pleased with the tone of all the exercise of the St. Marks railroad, completely inundating the Commencement week. Never were the dutif of Marshal more watchfully, promptherigoro, sly and courteously performed than the were on his occasion by Mr. W. R. Kenan; of Duplin coulity, and his assistants, Messrs. Guthrie, Tate, 'an

Wyck and Williams. Besides the Baccalaureates, the only degree ionferred at this Commencement, was that of A. M. on Mr. John B. Lynch, of Mecklenburg coulty,

FROM THE RAPPAHANNOCK.

Vs., a graduate of the University at the fan'ous

Commencement of 1859.

RICHMOND, June 14. Letters from Fredericksburg by this evening's rain, state that the Yankees have returned to the Stafford side of the Rappahannock. Two trains crowded with troops were seen to leave the depot this morning. A considerable since, by the Marshal of that town. number of tents on the other side, also have dis-J. R. Bowers was shot and killed appeared. The enemy's pickets still remain on this side of P. Solomon. the river.

LATEST FROM THE NORTH.

For the Register. HEAD QUARTERS, DEPT. OF N C. ) PETERSBURG, VA., June 12th, 1863.

Will the Editor of the Register publish the report of Capt. Duval. The affair was handsome and oreditable.

D. H. HILL, Major General.

HABRELLSVILLE, N. C. Head Quarters, Co. D. 42 Ga. Regt. June 2, 1863.

Comdg Dept. of N. C.,

Goldsborough, N. C.

SIR-Agreeably to your order through Col. J. R. Griffin, of 12th ult., I herewith transmit the names of the Picket Guard who successfully beat off the gunboat Alice, U. S. N. - French, Comdr., killing the 1st Lieut, one seaman and wounding two. Corpl. J. J. Shaffer, wounded slightly in face by piece of shell. Private J. H. Paddey, who killed the Lieut. at the first fire. Private Richard Masten and David Lingafelt. They fought behind no cover, with their rifles. After firing 10 or 12 rounds, the gunboat retired. I have, General, the honor to be, with great respect, your very obt. servant.

T. RHODES DUVAL. Cant. Comdg., Co. D., 62 Keg. Ga T.

TERRIFIC GALE .- List Wednesday and Thursday week a most terrific gale swept along the south coast of Florida, destroying the entire Salt Works near St. Marks and Bay Port, large quantities of salt, and drowning some forty white men and negroes. So strong was the gale, the water from the gulf was driven out of its banks along the line of track for several miles back into the country. The Tallahassee Sentinel says :

It is estimated that the crops in this immediate vicinity were damaged 20 per cent, and the amount of property destroyed on the coast is put down at a low estimate at not less than \$500,000. Of course this is somewhat conjectural. It is ascertained that between twenty and thirty human lives were lost.' On Dickerson's Bay alone some nineteen persons, six whites and thirteen blacks, were drowned. At Goose Creek some five or six negroes perished, and two or three elsewhere. -

The steamers Robert E. Lee and Cornelia have arrived at Wilmington, N. C., from Nassau, with goods on Government account.

Geo E. Bedell, late Postmaster at Columbus, Ga., was killed at Greensville, Als., a tew days

J. R. Bowers was shot and killed at Brinkley. ville, N. C., on the 8th inst., in a quarrel with W.

The Augusta (Ga.) powder works furnished 1.000,000 pounds of powder for the army last year. Mr. Vallandigham has arrived in Wilmington. stated.

## By the Governor of North Carolina. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, THE TIME LIMITED IN MY Proclamation, dated the 8th of May, forbidding the exportation of certain articles from the State, for thirty days from the 13th of the past month, will scon . expire :

Now, therefore, I, ZEBULON B. VANCE, Govern-or of North Carolina, do by and with the advice of the Council of State, issue this Proclamation, continu . ing the said prohibition thirty days from the 12th inst., subject to the exceptions and restrictions contained in said Proclamation of the ! th of May, and entrusting the execution of this Proclamation to Justices of the Peace and Militia Officers.

) In witness whereof, ZEBULON B. VANCE, SEAL. | Governor, Captain General and Command-er-in Chief, hath signed these presents and caused the Great heal of the State to be affixed. Done at the City of Releigh, this Sth day of June,

A. D., 1863, and in the year of Independence the Z. B. VANCE. By the Governor :

R. H. BATTLE, JE., Private Secretary June 13-W&82w

A Teacher Wanted.

PLEASANT AND GOOD SCHOOL A can be had for a Mele teacher of good moral char-acter and competent, by applying to L. P. BRANS-LEY, and others, near Greenville, N. C. May 19, 1863. May 30-1mpd

Bank of the State of North Caroli-

na. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Bank will be held at their # Banking House in this City, on the first Monday in July next, at 11 o'cloc., a. m. C. DEWEY, Cashier.

May 28, 1863. May 30-td

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, C. S. A. RICEMOND, May 11th, 1863.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL holders of two year Treasury notes issued under the set of 16th May: 1981, that they must come in and present the said notes for funding at the Treasury or some of its Depositories on or before the 31st day of July ensuing, or they will be debarred the privilege of funding.

The said notes are crititled to be funded in eight pe cent. Bonds, payable in ten years.

C. G. MEMMINGER. (Signed) May 20-tla Secretary of Treasury.

To Cotton Planters.

HAVE BEEN APPOINTED BY THE Secretary of the Treasury, Chief Agent for the purchase of Cotton for the Confederate Government within the State of North Carolina, and will pay for the same in 7 per cent. Bonds or Cash. Sub-Agents visiting the different parts of the State,

buying in my name, will have written certificates of

By order of the "Secretary of the Treasury," all Cotton purchased by myself, or my Agents, on and after the 18th day of March, 1863, will be paid for in 7 per cent, Bonds or Cash, and not 8 per cent. Bonds as stated in a former advertisement. Up to that time, however, the 8 per cent. Bonds will be furnished as

Patrietic citizens are now offered an opportunity to

The following is an extract from a private letter from Pernambuco, dated April 30:

"We have stirring news on this coast. That fine fellow, Semmes, in the Alabama, (called by the Yankees always the British pirate,) has taken a number of North American vessels on this coast : six we know of as burned off Fernando, and the crews sent in. This morning, the Florida has sentin by a French vessel the crews of two vesselsthe Oneida, homeward bound from Ohina, with a cargo worth \$360,000, destroyed; and the other, Phipps Henrietta, with three hundred barrels of flour, bound to Rio de Janeiro. They have armed two vessels taken by them to serve as tenders, and they will pretty well cut up the East India and China trade."

A correspondent of the New York Tribune, at St. Johns, N. B., vindicates the citizens of that. town against charges of blockade running, and shows that most of the contraband trade from there is done by Americans who pretend to be loyal. Steamers are sent from Boston and New York to St. Johns, their names changed, contraband goods are put of board by Yankees, and the boats clear under a British register for Nassau, the common rendezvous for pirates and thieves of all nations.

All the linen mills, nine of the eleven cotton mills, and three print works in Fall river, Mass. are standing idle. The cause is said to be an overstocked market and the decline of cotton goods below the cost of the raw material.

#### OHIO STATE POLITICS.

Vallandigham Unanimously Nominated by the Democrats for Governor-Ex-Senator Pugh tront and flank. The enemy were gallantly met properly spoken. Nominated for Lieutenant Governor.

that the Democratic State Convention at Colum-Governor.

The resolutions adopted denounce the arrest and banishment of Mr. Vallandigham, and provide for the appointment of a committee to demand his restoration.

Mr. Pugh made a flery speech, spurning and defying General Burnside's order No. 38.

## LATER FROM HAVANA.

Neto York, June 12 .- The Express has a Havana letter stating information has reached there from the contrabund colony on the south side of San Domingo, that fully one half of the five hundred negroes sent there from Norfolk, Virginia; have died among the malignant swamps. The remainder, it was learned, would soon follow the same end.

Havana advices state that President Juarez, of Mexico, has removed General Comonfort from command of the Mexican army of the center, for failing to succor Puebla, and that La Genza has been pat in his place, and would at once take command at the capital, and make every disposi-

## FROM VICESBURG.

Cairo, Je 12 .- The steamer St. Cloud, from the main body of the army in which still moved interesting and useful series of Geographical and such persons in the army ; and if so, their descrip-MANUFACTURED BY rates. Vicksburg Monday morning, has arrived. Heavy those gallant spirits-Stevenson, Bowen, Lee, Historical parallels and contrasts between our own tions. I replied at once that they were probably THIEM & FRAPS. Orders thankfully received and promptly attended cannonading was heard up the Yazoo when the Green, Reynolds, Benton, and other brave, but State and other countries on the globe. The value spies, and directed him to order a court, and it June 13-3mpd boat left, in a part which was not known. Her he could not. He did the next best thing. After of such a paper can be estimated oright only by they proved to be spies to execute them immediate-RALEIGH, N. C. officers say it is believed in the camps that a battle saving a retreating army, he had skill and tact having it before one, when its curious discoveries John G. Williams & Co., March Il-t ly, which was done; and the, were tried, conin our rear is high probable. No one believes enough to save his own command. STOCK AND MONEY-BROKERS. and unexpected analogies can be leisurely examin. demned to be hung, and the sentence was carried Large Arrival of Valuable Import By this movement the enemy got possession of ed and carefully stored away in the memory. Johnston able to raise the siege. into execution before 10 o'clock this morning. RALEIGH, N. C. In the fight at Milliken's Bend, on Saturday, the ford, and, althrough the remainder of the Colonel Wheeler's attractive theme was "The "On being discovered they confessed they were ed Drugs CONTINUE TO CARRY ON THE BRO-kerage business at their old stand as heretofore, our force was less than 1,000, over 600 of whom army had succeeded in crossing, Loting's division mutual relations and influences of History and officers in the rebel army, one a colonel, named, AND were negroes. The rebels at first drove our forces | was cut off. the Fine Arts." By numerous and spt illustra-Lawrence W. Orton, formerly W. Orton Wil-TOILET ARTICLES, JUST RECEIVED in all its various branches. In this dilemma nothing was left but for him tions, the Historian of North Carolina showed some distance, nearly surrounding them. liams. One claims to be a first cousin to Robert F 25-6mpd The fight was conducted with energy and to make a flank movement. He had with bim an that while History furnished numerous examples PESCUD'S DRUG STORE. Lee, and is said to have been chief of artillery on experienced and inteligent guide, and accordingly which have properly inspired the Poet, the desperation by our forces, and the rebels were CONSISTING IN FART OF THE FOLLOWING. Steel Pens. Gen. Bragg's staff, and formerly to have been of held at bay until a gunboat came to assist us. moved to the left of the road, intending to strike | Painter, the Sculptor and the Architect, the pro-U viz Gen. Scott's staff of the 2d regular cavalry. GROSS JOSEPH GILLOTT'S STEEL Eye-witnesses report that our loss in killed a ford some three or four miles further down the ducts of this inspiration have in their turn ani-300 GROSS JOSEPH GILLOTT'S STEEL PENS, VARIOUS KINDS, by the single 10 Kegs Sup, Carb. Silds. was 134, 100 of whom were negroes. The wound, stream-that ford furnishing the only possible mated those who studied them to worthy deeds 10 Cases Cooney's Indigo, 10 1b cases. POMEROY'S "THE MAGNOLIA." oux or quantity at ed is about the same number. The list of killed outlet by which he could, with his division, rejoin for future history. He concluded by presenting 200 Ounces Quinine. is very large, in consequence of many wounded the main body of the army. The darkness of the from our own history many scenes which well de-150 lbs thum Camphor. "The Magnotia Weekly" comes to us this week Lead Pencils. night, and the extreme faintness of the trail by serve the immortality of the canvas and the being killed under the no quarter cry. 300 lbs Copperas. WHOLESALE OR RETAIL, AT with, if possible, more than ordinary attractions. which they were moving, caused the guide to lose chisel, such as the declaration of Independence at 300 los Extract Logwood. The rebels left 100 deal on the field, and took The reading consists of choice gems from the POMEROY'S Superb Eng. Mustard in 1 lb Bottles and 6 lb Cases. the point for which he was aiming, and the divis- Charlotte, N. C., Mrs. Steele's encouraging the away several wagon loads of wounded. hands of some of our best Southern writers. The 2 Gross Low's Old Brown Windsor Soap. The negroes fought better than their white ion moved on, after Loring had satisfied himself dishtartened Greene, and Mrs. Slocumb's nursing brilliant pen of Margaret Stilling is never at Envelopes. 2 Gross English Tooth Brushes. officers, many of whom, it is said, skulked. About that all the roads leading to Edwards's depot were the wounded after the battle of Moore's Creek WHOLESALE AND RETAIL AT rest, while the prolific genius of W. Gilmore Very Superb Young Hyson, Gun Powder, Shousong and Congou Tes, in chests and half chests. the time the battle was over, a column of rebels in possession of the enemy. The flames in the Bridge. The Historian has done his part-it Simms enlivens the page with dramatic beauties. POMEROY'S made their appearance at Young's Point-all the direction of Edwards's depet, too, showed plainly now remains for some other son of North Caro-10 Gross Matches; 6 doz. Henry's Calcined. Magne-The selections and general making up of "The citizens and transient persons having been put they were in possession of that point. Magnolia" are most excellent, and the modesty lina to arise, and with the pencil or in marble Blank Books. The divisions of Stephenson and Lee-noble, perpetuate "those memories which should sur-24 Doz. Fine Tooth Combs, Ivory, Horn and India under arms. No attack had been made when our of its claim, together with the highly literary and gallant men-fell back upon Big Black bridge, vive as long as patriotism is cherished or virtue within their entrenchments, and rested for the honored." LARGE SUPPLY CAP, DEMY AND MEDIinformant left. varied taste of its editors, cause it to be eagerly Rubber. 500 lbs Black Pepper UM SIZES-FOR CASH ONLY, AT sought for, and entitle it to the reputation of be POMEROY'S Gum and Powdered Opium; Ipecac; Dover's Powders; night. The next morning the enemy, in large GALL FOR MILITIA IN VIRGINIA .- The Presi-The sermon before the graduating class was ing one of the best journals of the Contederacy. Chloroform; Salad Qil; 200 lbs Flowers Sul. force, determined to press their advantage to the preached on Wednesday night, by the Rev. Dr. Richmond Enquirer. dent has called upon the State authorities of Vir-Gilham's Manual, phur. utmost, attacked us there, and, after about two McGuffey, the distinguished Professor of Mental 28 lb Bottles Balsam Copaiba. English Blue Mass and Calomel, in jars and pound ginia for eight thousand-Militia for local defence FOR VOLUNTEERS AND MILITIA. hours' hard fighting, carried the position by assault. and Moral Philosophy in the University of THE . Chattanooga Rebel of the 7th, report TEW EDITION CONTAINING ALL THE Our army then retreated to Vicksburg, where Virginia. His text was from Proverbs 16:1: and to be ready for active duty by the 1st of Aupackages, 25 lbs Chlorate Potash, and many N PLATES-FOR CASH ONLY. that General PEMBERTON was wounded in the gust, and the Adjutant General of the State Bas they were surrounded, and where the task of tak- " The preparations of the heart in man, and the other goods bought at recent sales in Charles. Price \$10.00 last attack upon Vicksburg. We have seen no ing that devoted place began on Monday after- answer of the tongue, is from the Lord" Ard ton and Wilmington, which will be sold at W. L. POMEROY. issued, orders for their enrollment and organiza-For Sale by small advances in quantities to suit purchasnoon last, resulting, so far, in a most disastrous the proposition established was, that every creature confirmation of this report and believe it to be -FEW DOZEN BROOMS FOR SALE tion. on earth capable of development requires, for its very doubtful. We trust that it is not so ers. failure E. A. WHITAKER'S Daily expected a supply of SUGAR and COF.

tingency. The cannonading on our right ceased as we fell back to this point, and a distinguished officer remarked at the time that the attack on our right was a feint; that, in his judgment, the left of our line would have to receive the shock of their advance. An hour's time revealed the truth of his statement; the enemy having massed a large force against our left, and opened upon .us with an earnestness which betokened the most serious determination.

A ware of our position, it seemed to be their purpose to turn our left, so as to get possession of the bridge over Baker's creek, (referred to above,) and move between us and Edwards's depot.

As their front ranks were mowed down by the deadly fire of our brave troops, myriads of fresh men fell into their places, and slowly, but steadily, drove our left and centre back, foot by foot, unil Stevenson's gallant division was almost in rear | Hertford county of the line. A brigade of Bowen's division was ordered up to the support of Stevenson-then another brigade, and finally the entire division .--Continuing the most desperate fighting, (portion of it hand-to-hand, and with clubbed muskets,) a kin, of Wilmington. brigade (Buford's) of Loring's division from the right was sent to the rescue. Gen. Loring im- Pittsborough.

mediately followed with another of his brigades Featherston's) by a short route, and reached the of Charlotte. lef. as the lines were giving away, leaving Tilghman with his brigade to hold his position on the ard, of Raleigh.

right the retreat of the worn out forces who had so no-

Tilghman, one of the bravest and best officers in versity. annoying us.

At this time two brigades of Bowen's division

and Gen. Bowen was compelled to fall back in the | rank in all the departments, save that of Mathedirection of Edwards's depot. At the same time matics.

and rear. The General then determined to make a bold | Fetter, of Chapel Hill, and E. L. Morehead, of stroke, and with his division attempt to cut his Greensborough. Mr. W. W. Adams, of Petersway through east, turn Jackson, and effect a. burg, Va., received the third distinction in Mathejunction with the forces under Gan. Johnston, matter, and the first in the other departments. then supposed to be near Canton. How well he Messrs. A. M. Bozer, R. Hodge, C. Fetter,

"Moral Suasion"-J. S. Carr, of Chapel Hill. "Irish Enthusiasm"-F. P. Redmono, of Tawborough.

" Irish Aliens and English Victories"-J. C. Mickle, of Chapel Hill.

" Consequences of our Independence"-G. W. Wallace, of Norfolk, Va. "Pleasures of the Cultivated Mind"-M. D. Stevenson, of Newbern.

It can hardly be expected that Freshmen will exhibit in such public exhibitions the deliberation and grace that may mark more practiced orators. Among the foregoing competitors, Mr. Stevenson was commended for the general propriety of his delivery, Mr. Mickle for the energy of his action, and Mr. Wallace for the distinctness of his utter-

ance. The following were the competitors for distinction between the blue and white ribbons, on the

part of the Sophomores, on Tuesday night: " The Study of History "-C. J. Austin, of Tawborough

" Grattan's reply to Corry"-A. H. Askew, of

" Luxury "-J. S. Henderson, of Salisbury. "Soldier from Bingen "-W. M. Chalmers, of

Halifax county, Va. " The Prisoner of Herculaneum "-J. T. Ban-

" The Horrors of War"-H. A. London, of

"America and Washington"-R. D. Osborne,

" The Anglo Saxon character "-J. R. D. Shep-

While others of his companions did well, it was Having succeeded, with great tact, in covering gene ally conceded that Mr. Osborne did the best. With distinctness and fluency in utterance, he bly and bravely stood the shock for six hours, | combined a proper variety and much gracefulness Gen. Loring moved back to the right in time to of gesticulation, so that the audience felt as if it see a fresh line of the enemy coming down on his was listening to a real speech, well conceived and

and and driven back with great slaughter. It | The Faculty made the following awards for New York, June 12 .- A special dispatch says was at this point that Brigadier General Lloyd scholarship in the three lower classes of the Uni-

bus. Ohio, have unanimously nominated C. L. the Confede rate army, fell, pierced through his Mr. James C. Gilmer, of Mt. Airy, was reckon-Vallandigham for Governor, and Ex-United manly breast with a fragment of a shell. He ed the best scholar in the Junior Class. Mr. W States Senator Pugh as a candidate for Lieutenant | was serving with his own hands a twelve-pound | A. Guthrie, of Chapel Hill, was next to him, and howitzer, trying to dislodge a piece which was Messre. A. M. Boozer and A. Van Wyck, of S. C., were placed in the third rank.

In the Sophomore Class, Mr. P. H. Adams, of were planted, one at the bridge across Baker's Greensborough, attained the first distinction .-Creek and one at the ford, to guard the crossing, Messrs. Hartsfield, of Wake county, H. A. Lonwhile Gen. Loring, with his division, engaged don, of Chatham, W. C. Prout, of Granville, and the enemy in front and drove him back. Bu- W. W. Wilkins, of Brunswick county, Va., ford's brigade was also ordered to support Bowen , were accounted as of the second order ; Messrs. J at the ford, and was in motion for the point, when R. Haughton, of Chatham county, W. Huff, of word was sent to Gen. Loring by Gen. Bowen Brunswick county, Va., and N. K. Roan, of that an overwhelming force of the enemy had Caswell county, obtained the third distinction. succeeded in getting into the rear of the bridge, Mr. J. S. Henderson was esteemed as of the first

the enemy availed himself of the advantage gained, The best scholar in the Freshman Class is Mr and moved to a position commanding the ford, J. C. Mickle, of Chapel Hill. The second dispressing at the same time Loring's right flank | tinction was assigned to G. Slover and M. D.

Stevenson, of Newberne, and he third to C.

RICHMOND, June 14. Northern dates to the 11th give accounts of the fight at Culpeper. They s ate that it was know. at Hooker's headquarters that Gen. Lee had assembled his cavalry, supported by artillery and in-

fantry, between Culpeper C. H. and Beverly's Pleasonton was sent with a force of cavalry commanded by Buford and Gregg to spoil their

The column under Buford crossed the Rappahannock at Beverly's Ford, the other at Kelley's. six miles below.

Baford encountered Jones' brigade a mile from he river, when the fight commenced and continued until 3 p. m., by which time Stuart's entire force was driven back three miles with heavy

The enrolment meets with great resistance in Fulton county, Penn. The enrolling officer was pelted with eggs. Lives were threatened and barnes burned. The term of service of nine New Jorsey regi-

ments expires this month. The Federal column formed a junction at Bran-

dy Station at 2 p.m. The fight was discontinued about 3 o'clock. The robels falling back upon strong infantry supports, our force returned almost unmolested to

this side of the river. We lost several valuable officers, including Colonel Davis, 8th N. Y., Lieut. Col. Irwin, 10th N. Y.

We captured i200 prisoners and one stand of colors

Important papers were captured at the Camp of Jones' brigade showing the strength of the rebel force and its intentions. Another account admits that Buford's brigade was much cut up. A Cincinnati dispatch of the 10th says, Carter's forces crossed the Cumberland on the 9th and William H. Hall, drove Pegram from Monticello. They were pur-

suing the rebels and had captured a number of prisoners and horses without loss.

Ford.

COOPER AND BRAGG-WHICH IS THE RANK-ING OFFICER ?- We published statement a few days ago, made by a correspondent of the Mobile Advertiser, that General Bragg held the oldest commission in the army, and therefore outfanked all other Generals. The Montgomery Advertiser says that this is a mistake, and though Bragg was the first officer confirmed by the Permanent Government, the commissions of the others who

were dated at a period anterior to that of Gen. Bragg.

EXECUTION OF CONFEDERATE UFFI-

An official dispatch from Gen. Rosencrans communicates the following facts, furnished him by Col. Baird, Federal Commander of the Post at Franklin, Tenn :

Two men came into camp about dark, dressed succeeded in the perilous undertaking may be and F. F. Walser have not been absent from any in our uniforms, with horse equipments to cor-**COMMISSION MERCHANT**, Dress. T. W. ROYSTON, tion for its defence. known by the fact that he reached Jackson on | Collegiate duty since their connection with the April 1 respond, saying they were Col. Auton, Inspector Petersburg, Va., SYCAMORE ST., IRON FRONT NO. 3, PETERSBURG, VA., the following Wednesday with a division weary, University. DUYS AND SELLS ON COMMISSION GLUE, General, and Major Dunlap, Assistant, having an footsore, hungry, but, not dispirited, not demoral- The morning of Wednesday was occupied by order from Adjutant General Townsend, and your The Fight at Milliken's Bend-Desperate Fighting ized; proud, brave, and ready to meet the foe un- President Swain, as the Orator before the two order to inspect outposts; but their conduct was D Ountry produce of all kinds. of the Negroes-A Battle Expected in our der circumstances where proper management will Literary Societies, and by Col, J. H. Wheeler, Constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of MANUFACTURED and SMOKING TOBACCO, also so singular that we arrested them, and they in-Rear-The Rebels Cry no Quarter-They give them an opportunity to add to the laurels as the representative of the Historical Society of sisted that it was very important to go to Nash-GLUE, Murder our Wounded. the celebrated CAROLINA BELL SNUFF, and other gained upon other fields. He would have joined the University. President Swain presented a very ville to night. Col. Baird asked if there were any THE BEST HRISH GLUE brands which will be offered to the trade at Market

N. C., en route for Nassau.

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MISS MANGUM WILL REOPEN HER School for Young Ludies at the residence of her Mother, Mrs. Willie P. Mangum, on the 22nd July, 1863. They will receive instruction in the ENG-LISH BRANCHES and MUSIC. Parents and Guar dians, who desire further information, will address MISS M P. MANGUM,

Red Mountain or Flat River P. O., June 13-8w Orange County, N. C.

Treasury Notice as to Funding Treasury Notes.

> TREASURY DEPARTMENT, C. S. A., RICHMOND, June 1, 1863.

LL HOLDERS OF TREASURY NOTES A issued prior to 6th April, 1863, are notified that until the 1st August inclusive, they can be funded in seven per cent. Bonds. After that date the notes bearing date prior to 1st December, 1862, can no longer be funded. Those which bear date between the 1st December, 1862, and 6th, April, 1863, can be funded in seven per cents at any time on or before 1st August, 1863 ; after which date, they are fundable only in four per cents.

Notes pearing date on or after 6th April, 1863, are fundable in six per cent Bonds, if presented within one year from the first day of the month printed across their face-after the year they are fundable only in four per cent. C. G. MEMMINGER, (Signed)

Secretory of Treasury. June 10-tlAu HEADQUARTERS Co. D, 33RD N. C, TROOPS, ] June 5th, 1863. 500 DOLLARS REWARD .- I WILL PAY fifty dollars reward for the arrest and delivery, each, of the following named deserters from Company D., 33rd Regiment N. C. T., at Salisbury,

N. C. - Elias Day, Layns Nichleson, Williams-Childers, Staly Bell, Martin Brown, Noah G. Love. James Boman, John M. Buttery, Noah Wilson. William Walker. Martin Thomas, Phillip Hall, Thomas H. Stephens. Sergt. John J. Garvis, Joseph Hall, Corpl. Jonathan Darnall, Ebby Walters, Daniel Ellis, James Walls. Samuel Stokes Esom Fugit, Hargis Holbrook, Ezekiel'Absher, John P. Russell James Walker, Axel Colmal, Neal McKinnon

M. F. JOINES, 1st. Commanding Co. D., 33rd N. C. T. June 10-W1m

Office of the North Carolina R. R. Co.) COMPANY SHOPS, June 10th, 1863.

THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETing of the Stockholders of this Company, will be held in the Town of Greensboro', on Thursday, the 9th day of July next, at-11 o'clock, A. M. Stockholders who do not expect to attend this meeting are requested to send their proxies; they will be supplied with blank forms on application at this office,

## or to any of the Station Agents. JOHN H. BRYAN, JR., Secretary. June 13-td

Joseph E. Venable,

Charlotte, March 2	0, 1863. mar 25-ti
Hillsboro' N.	C. Military Acceda- my.
on the 1st of July ne: For circulars and i	MAJ. W. M. GORDAN,
May 27-3m	Superintendent.
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THOS. WALLACE, President of the Exchange Bank. JNO. KEVAF, President of the Farmers Bank. and the merchants and business men of Petersburg generally. B. M. ROBERTSON. Petersourg, Va., April 30, 1863. May 13-11

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