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Table titled 'The Value of Money' showing exchange rates for various currencies and gold/silver values.

SYNOPSIS OF FUNDING SCHEME OF CURRENCY BILL AS TO STATES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI.—Non-Interest Bearing \$100 Notes. Receivable for public dues before April 1st, 1864, at par; from and after April 1st, 1864, not receivable at all, but

FUNDABLE IN FOUR PER CENT. BONDS. Before 1st April, 1864, at par. From 1st to last day of April, inc., at 66 2/3. From 1st to last day of May, inc., at 56 2/3. From 1st to last day of June, inc., at 46 2/3. From 1st to last day of July, inc., at 36 2/3. From 1st to last day of Aug., inc., at 26 2/3. From 1st to last day of Sept., inc., at 16 2/3. Swept away by month tax, Oct. inc., at 6 2/3.

THE REPORTER'S DICTIONARY, BASED ON PHONOGRAPHY. A book with the above title, prepared by the subscriber, who has had nearly 20 years practice in Phonographic writing, having been at one time employed as an official reporter in the United States Senate, and who has been for the last seventeen months, and is now, reporter of the Atlanta Intelligencer.

As the work will be expensive, new type having been procured expressly for it, only a small edition will be issued. Those who desire copies are requested to send to the author their orders at once, (to be recorded,) accompanied with the price of the same, which will be five dollars per copy. The book in paper cover, and suitable for use, will be sent to all subscribers, by mail, without additional expense. A. E. MARSHALL, dtf Augusta, Ga.

DR. J. H. FREEMAN HAS RE-torn to his Office and has on hand a good lot of GOLD FOIL AND TEETH. Also, GOLD AND SILVER PLATE.

FOUR PER CENT. BONDS. WANTED—A few 4 per cent. Bonds—Apply at the CAROLINIAN OFFICE.

H. McMILLAN, Auctioneer and COMMISSION MERCHANT. FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. June 10-3m.

FAYETTEVILLE MARKETS.

Table of market prices for various commodities like Rye, Corn, Flour, etc., with prices per bushel or barrel.

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BRILLIANT AND CHARMING, WITH ROMANCES, SKETCHES, TALES OF REAL LIFE, NOVELTIES, INCIDENTS AND ANECDOTES OF THE WAR! ESSAYS, CRITICISM, POETRY, HISTORY, BIOGRAPHY, WITICISMS AND MISCELLANY.

THE MERCURY, Subscribers can be supplied with back numbers, containing the following: BEAUTIFUL & THRILLING STORIES: "THE TRUMP THAT TRIUMPHED," a Tale of Love.

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LITERARY MISCELLANY, are contained in the first three numbers of Vol. IV, 1864, (commencing April 30,) of this really SUPERB FAMILY JOURNAL, SUBSCRIPTION—Six months, \$10. The Trade supplied at \$25 per hundred.

WRITING PAPER. JUST received and for sale, a superior article of Note and Letter Paper, unusually cheap, at the store under the CAROLINIAN OFFICE.

CLAIMS Of Deceased Officers and Soldiers.

THE UNDESIGNED has been appointed a Commissioner to investigate, collect and pay over to the parties entitled thereon, all claims for bounty, allowances of pay and allowances, due to the representatives of deceased officers and soldiers in this State.

Any person directly interested will be furnished, upon application to me, with a proper form of these papers in full, a copy of which, for the greater convenience of parties, will be forwarded as soon as may be practicable to each County Court Clerk.

Throughout the Confederacy, QUARTERMASTER GENERAL DEPARTMENT, RAILROAD BUREAU, Richmond, Feb. 20th 1864.

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WANTED. A GOOD Cavalry Horse, for which I will pay the highest price in ready money, or barter in corn, bacon, &c. Apply at this Office. 136-11

TELEGRAPHIC

Reported by the Press Association, 1864.

Entered according to Act of Congress in the year 1862, by J. S. Thresher, in the Clerk's Office of the District Court of the Confederate States, for the Northern District of Georgia.

FROM NORTHERN GEORGIA.

HEAVY SKIRMISHING!

WHEELER AT WORK IN SHERIDAN'S REAR!

ATANTA, August 19.—Heavy skirmishing began at midnight on our left and centre, continuing till 2 o'clock without any results. This morning the artillery of Stewart's command opened on the enemy, their batteries replying feebly. The firing was very heavy and produced consternation among the enemy. Prisoners report that our cavalry captured a large number of boxes at Kingston a few days since. Reports are numerous circulating in regard to their operations, but beyond the fact they cut the road at Ackworth and were destroying the track between Kennesaw and Astanaud river, and thus far had been entirely successful, nothing official had been received. The enemy seem to be ignorant of the magnitude of operations in their rear, and were preparing another raiding expedition, under Kilpatrick, which had rendezvoused at Sweetwater, preparatory to starting, and which was believed yesterday to have been retreating, going in pursuit of our cavalry.

FROM THE VALLEY.—At the time of writing we were without reliable information from Gen. Early's command. When last heard from, he occupied a strong position, and was awaiting the approach of the enemy. Passengers who came down on the Central train Monday reported to the Sentinel having heard heavy cannonading in the direction of Strasburg and Front Royal. An intelligent officer who arrived in Richmond on Saturday evening from the Valley army expresses the opinion, that if the fight has not taken place, it cannot be postponed many days. Our troops are in line spirits, and confident of whipping the Yankees. The enemy again occupy Winchester, and the main force was marching up the Valley to attack Early. Sheridan was in command of the cavalry.—Pet. Express.

The quiet on the lines in front of Petersburg still remains unbroken, and attention for the time is turned to the North side of the James River. In addition to a heavy body of cavalry, the enemy has also thrown a considerable force of infantry across the James, with the necessary amount of artillery. Since the little affair of Saturday near Deep Bottom—a full account of which we have been unable to gain,—matters have been less active in that vicinity. If the Yankees intend anything by their movement over there, they will find good fighting troops to meet them, and a sufficient number to check their advance.

STORIES OF DESERTERS. On Saturday night several deserters came into our lines—among them two Frenchmen who joined the Yankee army to get a taste of war in America. They were communicative and did not hesitate to give such information as they possessed. They bring the intelligence—which we have already learned—that Grant has lately been removing his troops with great rapidity until he has now left in our front about one full corps only. On Sunday night another deserter came in who fully corroborates the above statement. Coming therefore, from deserters on different portions of the lines, there may be some truth in what these men say, but we are disposed to doubt them.

FALLING BACK ON THE CENTRE—A FEINT. Within the past two days, the enemy has withdrawn his line of battle several hundred yards back from our centre and has pickets now occupy his front line of breastworks.

This is evidently done to create the impression of a removal of the main body of troops from that point, and to invite an attack on our part. It is a feint to entrap our men which will fail in its object.—Pet. Express, 16th inst.

The Richmond Sentinel, of the 17th inst., says that there was a report in Richmond that Fitz Lee's cavalry had defeated the enemy near Front Royal; and that Gen. Early had met the enemy on Saturday near Strasburg, and after a severe contest had routed them. Upon inquiry at the War Department, the Sentinel was not able to procure any confirmation of these reports, though it is very probable they are true.

The occasional discharge of a rifle was all that broke the stillness along the lines yesterday. From the extreme right to the extreme left such quiet prevailed that a stranger if not otherwise informed, would almost have formed the idea of a truce existing between the armies.

The fact is revealed beyond all doubt that the enemy's force had been very heavily diminished. At every point along the lines, his troops are seen in very limited numbers, and everywhere assume the defensive.

Efforts have again and again been made by our batteries on the right to "beat down" the enemy's lines, but without avail, occasionally a shell or two may be sent towards our works, but not often. Such is the practice of our gunners, that shot and shell are sent through the very embrasures of the Yankee forts, without so much as arousing the shrinking innates.—Pet. Exp. 16th inst.

Official Vote for Governor of North Carolina, 1864.

Table showing official vote for Governor of North Carolina in 1864, listing candidates and their respective votes across various counties.

Majority, 32659

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MISTRESS AND MAID. JUST RECEIVED a few more copies of that excellent NOVEL at No. 17, Market Square.