Gen. Colston and Col. Archer

Speare, to within forty yards of our works, strengthen in force and position, and pre- Yet his army, at this day, in the opinion 14th day of Decamber, 1863. but a well directed aim from our brave sent as formidable a front as it has at of those best qualified to judge, does not al A sembly this 28th day of May, A. then was our astonishment, yesterday, militia drove them back in confusion .- any time. When the conflict and shock of greatly exceed 100,000 men, and is, cer. D. 1864. The enemy were in heavy force, prison - battle comes, we see as clearly through tainly, greatly inferior in numbers to what ers say three to five thousand, while the the smoke and lurid flumes to the clear it was when he started on his crus de. men numbered only 190 all told. The sky of our victory beyond, as if it already He lost 75,000 in Spottsylvania, and his paucity of our numbers necessitated our had occurred, and was joyfully proclaimed.

crosses Powell's Run at the foot of the been garrisoned with a brigado. Water Works Hill

They were almost in Petersburg -- could the from the line of their rear. see its spires and steeples. and many of Of the situation in the Valley, the Charthe houses on our suburban limi s. Just at lottesville Chronicle of the 9th says : ted, neither advancing nor retreating .- dings that the victory has been won. But a minute or two later, another branch of our service made its appearance, which course for him to pursue. D wring's Cay, following language: alry Brigade quickly dismounted, and de-

and fell back in confusion, our forces purlery and six fine horses.

first citizens of Petersburg. We notice the mistortune of his re election. and doctors.

it is said will attempt to dig Lee out of "straitest sect" Black Republican candi-Richmond as he has failed to fight him out. Grant's campaign has been a most hundred thousand men up to date and is as far from the possession of Richmond as he was at first. It would not surprise us to learn of his removal from the command of that army at an early day.

wounded and Gen. Imboden is missing. a class. This lacks confirmation. Our entire loss is estimated at 400 killed, wounded and missing. The enemy's force is estimated ought long since to have been a Col. and at thirteen thousand. They occupied who would make a better Brig. Gen. than It is refreshing to the Southern people to Staunton on Sunday night.

the morale of Grant's army as being any- ly has he won his stars. thing but favorable. Grant, he says, has pening of the present campaign. "He while. ingly.

GRANT'S TACTICS-AFFAIRS ON THE LEFT A correspondent writing from "the left." sends us a letter from which we make the following extracts:

ed him out as the man for Lee. He is the only one of all the Yankee Gererals ting against our works, each time leaving in their front many ghastly evidences of the determined valor of our troops. Grant mond Whig says that just before the bat has been worse whipped and more completely out generaled than any other Federal commander of the war. Scouts from within the enemy's lints report that he is

"Go ahead, boys." The Sentinel of the 9th says that a scout le Thunder to be tried, who has spent some days in Grant's lines say that the Yankee soldiers speak of their losses in the battles of last week, as fully equal to those sustained at Spottsylvania man, newly started at the above place, began will foot up about seven thousand P. S. Since the above was put in type, C. H, if, indeed, they be not greater here which is neatly gotten up and edited with well, besides a number of wounded ones. we learn that two of the companies at the than on the former battle ground.

The Atlanta Intelligencer of the 10th line of his campaign is to avoid battle and our sanctum of ce more.

the doubt entertained that his men are Richmond Dispaich, no General ever sac- Whereas, The fearless and free distance granting of furloughs to wounded soivery much disaffected and leaving him as rificed his men so recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the State is essentiated and leaving him as rificed his men so recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the State is essentiated and leaving him as rificed his men so recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the State is essentiated and leaving him as rificed his men so recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the state is essentiated and leaving him as rificed his men so recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the state is essentiated and leaving him as rificed his men so recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the state is essentiated and leaving him as rificed him as rificed him as recklessly, so removes charge of the officers of the state is essentiated and removes charge of the officers of the state is essentiated and removes charge of the officers of the state is essentiated and removes charge of the officers of the officers of the officers of the officers of the state is essentiated and removes charge of the officers of the office

who has just returned from the rear of The Express says that after this the Sherman's army, says that two weeks his own troops, but of the whole United lith 1862 County Sp. Lebenius to May a round sum,) with which to purchase The Editor of the No th Carolinia mensenemy came on in double column, with ago, some rebels, unknown to the writer States army. In return he has effected dicitors, Registers, Tax Collectors, one which is occupied by none others than the army who would desire it, the posiopposite the Water Works, where they an Adestroyed their stores at that place. planted a cannon for the purpose of shel- then retired to parts unknown. The Connot amount to 17,000, all told, killed, who entered into bond previous to the memoer, out ruled and articles of the hill, and their advance column actus kees being too cowardly to face the music ally took possession of a bridge which themselv's. Since that time Dalton has

The Federals are branching out but lit-

this opportune moment, Gaham's Batte No tidings from Augusta, except that ry reached the Reservoir Hill, unlimbered our pickets were driven in near Waynes in an instant, and with a precision and less were in presence of each other. A men to obtain what he could have had for and employees of the State Government behalf of the wounded, but we publishrapidity which we have heard spoken of battle is imminent at any moment. It is nothing. as being almost without precedent, threw thought that Crook has effected a junction into the ranks of the enemy a shower of with Hunter. McCausland's command the Confederacy has great cause to shall. The missiles of death coming so Vaughn. Our position is very strong; columns made of a Lieutenant General. unexpectedly to the foe, he at first seem. the mountain gaps are all defended. Toed ov. rwhelmaed with surprise and hal- morrew, we hope to herald the glad ti-

quickly determined the enemy as to the best of the Cleaveland Convention, uses the greater, we are disposed to think he would ceived. Upon an examination of the two home, because the claracter of their

"If the Convention at Baltimore will not more than one hundred men. nominate any man whose past life justi- If Grant is whipped on land, however, these acts. sceading the hill with a yell, charged up-fies the well grounded confidence in his fies the well grounded confidence in his fieldly to our cardinal principles, there is The enemy were not prepared for this no reason why there should be any divis- have sometimes wondered why he takes suing. We captured one piece of artil- to aid in this war, (in supporting the Baltimore nominee,) and not to be myself a and capture cities by a flash of the tele-The fighting must have been at pretty candidate. But if Mr. Lincoln should be graph. Why not confine his exertions such as commissioners, deputy clerks, the two greatest points in the campaign renominated, as I belive it would be fatal entirely to the composition of telegraph close quarters as we notice that a youth, to the country to endorse a policy and dispatches. He succeeds far b tter at a resident of Petersburg, had his breast renew a power which have cost us the pierced by a bayonet and his head mutilives of thousands of men, and needlessly that than he does at fighting. Lee whiplated by the butt of a musket. Among against him every element of conscien sylvama and Hanover; yet he continually the dead and wounded are some of the tious opposition, with the view to prevent flogs Lee on the wires. He infl. is very

among the killed Prof. Staubly, Professor The telegraph informed us yesterday of French at the Petersburg Female Col- morning that Lincoln had been nominated lege, and prominent merchants, draggists by the Baltimore Convention, hence we may infer, taking his own word for it. We have but little of interest from Lee's that Frement will certainly be a candidate. army. Grant has begun his parallel and Thus we have a Black Republican and a date in the field for the next Presidency of the "glorious Union," which will have consummate failure. He has lost one the effect of ensuring the elections of the Democratic candidate.

Troops. - The array of promotions of N. Carolina officers to Brig.-Gens., has taken The battle at Staunton in the Valley of us by surprise. North Carolina cannot found in the fact that he will be without Virginia seems to have been a severe one. complain at this time unless it be for the a competitor. Cen. Lee can beat Grant The Yankee force under Hunter are said selections made. We are satisfied that in the field, but he is no match for him is to have formed a junction with Crooks .- some of them would make better Captains telegraphing. Grant may lie as much as In addition to the loss of Gen. Jones on than Brig. Gen'ls. We refer to particu- he pleases. Gen. Lee will not contradic. our side, it is said that Gen. Vaughn was lar individuals, not to the promotions as him. He will only flog him the next time

Capt. D. J. Devane of the 20th, who The Richmond Enquirer says that a now at home wounded. Duncan's time forebodings which prevail in the North prisoner brought in on the 9th, describes will come yet and right honestly and fair- at the commencement of the Spring cam

effectually broken the spirit of his army We have but little additional news in certainly end in the "crushing out" of the by forcing the men upon points which the our exchanges of yesterday. Grant is rebellion. For instance, the New York merest military tryo could discover were not making any move. He has taken a World, in a late issue, says: "It seems to impregnable against assault. They look rest after his great feat of destroying us easier, to state reasons for ferring upon him as an obstinate and unscrupu- 75,000 Yankees. Grant is a brave boy, that the courtry is on the verge of a terri lons butcher, and his army is called the and is doing as much good for the Con- ble catastrophe, than for believing that "slaughter-pen." The prisoner also says federacy as Gen. Lee. He brings up his the hour of its redemption draweth nigh that the army is almost united in its pre- men and Lee's boys kill them. Sherman If Gen. Grant's campaign should result in ference for McClellan as the next Presi- is also quiet. Lincoln's fate having been disaster, who does not see that the coundent of the Northern States. His virtues decided by this time in the Baltimore Con- try would be at once overtaken by a finanhave received a crowning lustre since the vention, things will remain quiet for a cial tornade, prostrating every thing in its

took care of his men," they say, and the The Petersburg Express lears that Col. contrast with Grant elevates him accord. Clark of the 24th N. C., is rapidly recov- ment paper, says: "Things begin to look ering. We are glad to hear it.

joiit ... Had the Federal authorities consulted Mr. Holden therefore expects a major- classes are becoming dispirited and suit Gen. Lee they could not have shown great- ity of votes in these counties. The peo- len." er deference to his wishes than they have ple of Cumberland and Harnett can thereby the assignment of Grant to the com. fore appreciate the full meaning of this mand of their forces. Destiny has point- game of brag that is indulged in by the Progress and Standard. If the ratio of those he is to receive in Cumberland and their "imbecility or treachery." who has afforded us the satisfaction of Harnett, he will be beaten by twenty-five The Journal of Commerce says "Ruin fighting behind our intreachments, and it thousand majority. We would bet one is before us as a people, a nation, a Un-

A DESERTER RECAPTURED. - The Rich. tle of Plymouth, Harrison Sawyer, belonging to a North Carolina regiment, deserted to the enemy. Yesterday morning he was captured by our forces near Bottom's continually drunk and his only order is, Bridge, clad in full Yankee uniform and then the next four or five will, or the Yangun in hand. He was committed to Cas-

A NEAT DAILY .- A friend has shown us a copy of the Salisbury Daily Watch- captures of prisoners since the campaign his old campaigns. spirit and ability.

Our old friend, the Marietta Rebel, has says that Johnston has offered the gage changed its base through the conduct of sion of Petersburg, but could not com-

maintain his position on the stronghold Grant's Tacrics. - We think it may The ! Camp Winder Hospitar - N. C. Woun- A New Rameson Line to Ricuston he now occupies until he can recruit his be safely asserted that, since war first ing resolutions, exempting State and other pen. - In the House of Representatives, a juled and worn command. There is lit- became known to mankind, says the officers from conscription :

their term of service expires, but this he lessly, and to so hitle purpose, as General remedies by fresh levies and reinforcements lessly, and to so hitle purpose, as General and, whereas Congress has no power to in strong terms to the sufferior of the N remedies by fresh levies and reinforcements lessly, and to so half purpose, as General and, whereas, Congress has no power to in strong terms to the suffering of the N. he is constantly receiving. We must stare Grant. He started from his eamp on the conscript State officers; and as this Gen Carolina wounded at Camp Winder. We the hard reality in the face. Sherman north side of the Rappahannock, little eral A sembly has already, by act, de-approved of the change as advocated, and will not become any weaker. But if he more than a month ago, with 13),006 clared certain officers and employees of would have now, and until the war is ovremains a month in his present fastnesses men. He has been reinfereed, according the State exempt-The Peterslers gives very inand is permitted to secure rest and recuteresting details of the Kantz raid upon perate by reinforcements and war material,
teresting details of the Kantz raid upon perate by reinforcements and war material,
than 80,000 since that time, viz.: Stanthat city. The enemy was led by Gen. yet the Intelligencer does not have any ton says he sent him 25,000 veterans af. County Surveyors and Jailors, and all seen that there is not a shade of difference Kantz, having with him the neterious Col. fear that when he sets his masses again in ter the battle of the 12th May; Butler and every class of officers named in "an of opinion between us and the most zeal-

falling back, and the enemy took posses. A correspondent of the Intelligencer, far short of 25,000. Thus he has sacripairing of victory, has attempted to slide

> The Confederacy has great cause to They desire to see this war brought to an end, and Grant is the very man to do it. Had the distance between Richmond and His Excellency; Gov. Vance-Frement, in accepting the nomination Spottsylvania been one hundred miles | Sim .- Yours of this date has been re- deprived of the end aring associ tions of

ion among the real'y patriotic men of the the trouble to fight at all. He can decountry. My own decided preference is molish armies with a stroke of his pen, civil and military officers," and, in addition mediately in our rear, to rake the enemy report of affairs in Arkanias: little loss on Lee with his army, but he slaughters his men by the thousand with the telegraph. Where, then, is the use fighting with any other weapon than the wires? If he can gain so many victories with that instrument, why cannot he take Richmond with it? If a telegraphic victory satisfy Lincoln and the rest of Yankeedom, we do not see why it should not satisfy Grant, since the applause of these interesting people is all that he aspires to. Let Grant st down and telegraph a big PROMOTIONS IN NORTH CAROLINA victory every day for a week, and then the capture of Richmond. He will be a greater demi-god with the Yankees than he ever was. Great advantage will be he catches him, and set him to inventing

some lately promoted, that we read of, is witness the manufest alarm, and gloomy paign - a campaign which it was predicted months ago by the Northern press, would path ?"

The Springfield Republican, a govern squally. A Government dollar is worth 551 cents; speculation is running up the Mr Holden says that the people of prices of the necessaries of life even faster "Cumberland and Harnett are Conserva- than the Government paper runs down ; tive; after the straitest sect by a large ma- the wealth of the country is passing from the many to the few, and the laboring

The New York Times, the organ-of Mr Seward and advocate for the re-election of Mr. Lincoln, storms at Congress, and asks Mr. Helden's votes is to be on a par with if the state of the country is caused by

> the results of the campaign in Virginiabut it may be doubted if any possible success of Gen. Grant can save the North from repudiation, bankruptcy and ruin." If the events of the last four or five weeks dont "finish up the job" for them kee journals have been sadly at fault in their predictions.

had to kedad lie.

ler (and God grant it may be soon,) every Resolved, That this State demands ex brave boy from North Cirolina in the bpeare. Our militia was commanded by motion, that he will succeed in reaching has sent him 20,000, and prisoners say act to exempt certain efficers and employ- ous advocates for the proposed change in ees of the State from conscription," pass- the furlough system. However the tone After some managenering the enemy We are confident he cannot succed, behe has received 40,000 from Ohio and ed by this General Assembly at its ad- of the remarks alluded to, induced us to charged our lines, led by the notorious cause whilst he is resting, our army will other sources, making a total of 85,000. Journed session in 1863, and ratified the infer that at Camp Winder Hospital the from one R. E. Lee, who holds all the Grant. But a moment's observation will

Read three times and ratified in Gener- neglect, to use the mildest term. What

when we met an energetic daughter of

whose good deeds will never be fully

bravely opp sing the advance of the ac-

-Richmond and Atlanta. The Philadel-

concentrated and powerful antagonist .-

Your readers have not forgotten Colum.

bus, the old negro switch tender on the

in action, and President Ellis assures me

gave way. The Yankees burnt his little

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

The following are the officers exempt known or appreciated until they are un-

known citizen of Richmond, with fifty ficed 100,000 men, the fl wer not only of All Justices of the Peace, whose ap dollars (and the amount promised to reach nothing, absolutely nothing. Lee's en- Deputy Sheriff in each county where there North Carolinians. She informe us that tim of Eliter and proprietor of the Daily tire loss since the campaign opened, does is no tax collector, Coroners, Constables a committee of ladies of which she is a who entered into bond previous to the member, but rarely allow a day to pass wounded and missing. He has never office, one Deputy Clerk for each Court nutriment as will suit the condition of signed in the army in 1863, (the rank of once been forced from a position, and has requiring it, one County Commissioner their health. On Saturday last they care Lt.-Col. in the field.) only fallen back, when his enemy, distributing money ried four gallons of ice cream - a dona- The above position will exempt any of- so n appear in the daily papers. and provisions amongst soldier's tamilies, tion from Mr. Pizzini, the well known ffeer from conscription, and secure for him Agents appointed under an act of Assem- confectioner on Broad street-and distrioff to his left and get to rear without bly for any du y, Commissioned Officers buted it among these gallant North Carofurther fighting. Grunt in the meantime of the Militia of this State, and Commis- linians, whom Gov. Vance says are called has been brought up before McClellan's sioned officers of the Home Guard, May "Parheels," because their feet adhere so. old lines beyond the Chickahominy, and isbury, Charlotte. Payetteville and Golds; never able to retreat. is not able to take a single step in ad- boro, Councellors of State, Board of In- We have no issue to make with the ships of camp life will make the exchange. longer. Stanton, then, is the har and

the above to let the mothers, wives and Gov. Vance has referred to Attorney sisters of wounded North Carolinians know General Rogers a question as to the effect that their dear ones in Virginia, though and meaning of the first act taken in con- prostrate from wounds received while nection with the above resolutions, and cursed Yankees, find, among their sisters the following is his reply: in Virginia, many a Florence Nightingale,

RALFIGH. May 27th, 1864. ready and anxious to minister to their

Further: I'am of opinion that the res. sing. 2ich. Whig.

I am, yours respectfully, SION II. ROGERS. Attorney General.

houses of R. P. Buxton, Esq., Dr. McRae, that concentration is now the order of the Gen. Draughon, Mr. Wilson, and an at-day, and that the strength to overthrow o the city rather than a protection. his command, to resist, and short work a tower of strength" to our army.

We are informed that on Friday night, will be made of the seige of Richmond. -Mrs. Troy overheard some soldiers from This concentration, we apprehend, is the the Arsena' propose or agree with her ne- true principle of determined, vigorous warfare. It gives strength, and strength gro boy to assist them in braking into her bunder the command of such a general as and an other young gentleman to remain feet fellows cause. sreamed, (a woman's weapon when in dan- ened from every available source.

ger,) and the soldiers made their escape. rebels are no doubt pursuing the same The negro was however caught, having a tending forces on both sides will be maschisael on him, with which to accomplish sed at the great objective points of the Chickahominy, and the it is true, and will anxiously ferret out nuch stealing has been done-houses be Waterloo defeats. have been broken into and the blame put upon negroes; but there is now but little

coming an insuffer-ble neusance and make the following extracts: ly. Why is it that strong, able, healthy enormons wholesale butcheries, this stolyoung men, and fat, lazy officers are al owed to remain here, doing nothing but

of them. Some are our neighbors and are themselves honest, but one scabby When the rebel strength had spent itself sheep will speil the flock-that there are somewhat in dashing against the iron two or three such sheep in the Arsenal front of the Federals, then came the first is evid ut. Ger, Lee wants just such moment in which Grant could avail himpet lambs to train them a little.

We learn that on yesterday, two ne- ter. seems he is not likely to soon deprive us round thousand on this and could get one ion," and adds: "It is useless to specu- One of them is named Joseph Renty, a other results than limitless lists of woun- through the heart, and died instantly. slave of Mrs. Smith, and a boy belonging ded and dead. to Rev. Jas. McDaniel. Both are now in

jail, and we trust will meet their reward. Too much leniency has been shown to writes to the Mobile Register: thieves already .. The case of the Rockfish Warehouse is still fresh in the memory of the light fingered darkies! K. Potts, Petersburg road. Poor old man! Super-A correspondent of the Richmond Dis. erimes deserve. We learn that Gen. patch has it from good authority that our Potts has returned again to the scene of that he also served a gun until his strength

Arsenal leave for a certain point threat- Yankees caught him and hung him up. KANTZ or more properly speaking, Cout, ened by the enemy, by this morning's

The Trans-Mississippi Department has of battle several times during the past week, but Sherman persistently refuses. Sherman and makes its appearance again it. The brave malitia of the Cockade city persp commenced in Alabama last week, and A. J. Smith's Army Corps, which We have no doubt that the general out- in Griffin, Ga. We welcome the Redd to give him such a warm reception that he The yield is said to be very fine much was with Banks, has reached Chattanongal may be left with our foreman, J. H. Must labove an average one. on route for Sherman.

The Examiner ifads the following rich an few days ago, some of the Kepresentatives nouncement in the Washington Chronicle of the 21 inst., written at the contractor's

> "Major Wentz, superintendent of the for building a railroad fro a West Point and the White House to Richmond, when undertake to say that, however fond he it may be required."

On which the Enquirer remarks : all, and that if Grant does not come poking | send daily to Gen. Dix, in New York city. along neither will the railroad. One thing undertook to give an account makes no is certain, he has not yet purchased the mention of the operations of the morning, right of way, nor obtained a railro id grant | which resulted so unfavorably for General North Carolina wounded were treated with bogs through which the road must run to show that Stanton gives only so much of reach Rummond, and recognizes not the Grant's dispatch as will do to go before a "Squatter Sovereignty" of the "Digger." public, and now for some time past, la-To obtain that grant, and purchase that boring under a nervous tremor in regard Virginia -one of those angels of mercy bloody right of way, U. S. Grant will to the figurees. Stanton does not say that have to throw down another seventy five lien. Grant denies all knowledge of a rethousand human s'sleepers" in the mud, pulse in the morning. He says "a dispatch losses in Hanover cannot have fallen very by the former act to which the above reswith a subscription list headed by a well | damized by the bodies of the slain.

> FOR THE BENEFIT OF MR. HOLDEN. North Carolinian, published in Fayette- 7 500. This is somewhat of a stunner, in ville, N. C., for the position which he re- serted adroitly by Stanton in order to pre-

a salary superior to that which he can make in the field. This offer is made in good faith, and bold, soldierly way. Stanton struck out with the carriest desire that some officer all this, and left only so much as would who is physically usrable to bear the hard- serve to delude, the public a few hours

EDITOR, Fayetteville, N. C. ON THE CHICKAHOMINY, VA., 1 Jane 6th.

the York River railroad, at the point where that r ad crosses the Chickahom- way, not one dozen of the 130,000 Yanwants. In a word, that while some are have reached the end of his journey with acts, I am of opinion that all Constables wounds will not permit them to be moving, some twelve or fifteen miles east of kees now in his army could survive the regally appointed, whether "successors" ed, that they have excel e it and attentive Richmond. The enemy is understood to next fortnight. He is something of a or not, are intended to be exempted by surgeons, and are not permitted to suffer be in our front or the other s'de of the for the want of suitable food or kind nur- Chickhominy, but in what force has not big liar, like Stanton vet transpired. We have a good position by the act of 1863. On the contrary, the THE YANKEE ARMIES TO BE CONCEN- here with something which I will call an resolution claims the exemption of "all TRATED.—The cry of concentration is be- Acrial monitor or Highland terrapin im- The Northern papers have the following

phia Inquirer in urging the policy says: behold, though at some distance, what I and that he had captured and burned the A dispatch to the Cincinnati Gazette. was informed to be the veritable Robert steamer Lebanon, taking the crew and from Meadow Bluffs, West Virginia, states E. Lee. It seemed be it ling down the passengers prisoners. that General Crooks' command has started BACON THEVES .- For some time past on its second expedition, this time, it is lines for the purpose of observing the disthe town has been infested with a class of believed, to join the army of the Potomac. position of the troops here, and of giving robbers. Every night some meat-house It is also announced that General Hunter, such instructions as might seem necessahas been broken into, and its contents in command of Sigel's army, is moving in ry. He was riding a large steel grey Bluff is in Prairie county, Arkansas, adstolen. No clue could be found to the the same direction, while the army of the horse. His apparel consisted of black perpetrators of these outrages for some Northwest, under General Pope, it is said parts, Confederate grey coat, and black Rock is situated. time. Within the past few days the smoke is on the way to reinforce the army of felt hat. He had none of that mnom ra-The Potomac. All these movements show tempt at Mr. Troy's on Hayarount. Mrs. the rebellion is to be found in the union with other General officers. Of course is in Pope county, on the Arkansas river, Troy has been so successful as to fix the of our armies. Gen. Grant will soon have Gen. Lee mast have a very numerous guilt upon a very worthless class of per- an army which it will be impossible for staff, but he uses them as necessity resons, who are growing to be an annoyance Lee, with all the forces in the South at quires and not as parasite. His 'name is

indications are that that bloody drama is with her Mr. T. being absent. During the Gen. A. J. Smith, with his command, not only to be re-enacted, but intensified aight the three soldiers arrived, and with it is also said, is en route for Chattanooga. during the Summer of 1864. What anxthe negro proceeded to open the smoke- perhaps to reinforce Sherman, while at lety, what trembling, what hopes, what house, when Mrs. T., becoming alarmed, the same time the laster is being strength. fears must we all now feel as to the events evening, in a quarter that inclined us to of this campaign. The bones of men and credit it, says the Richmond Whig, that horses, of Confederates and Yankees, ar | Staunton has not been yet occupied by policy, and in a very short time the connow bleeching in the sun upon all the Ihe Yankees, as reported. We hope that campaign, Richmond and Atlanta, and "shadows of coming events" tell us that the latest information from that quarter During the past winter and spring the defeat of the rebels at both places will these relies of warfare are to be multiplied before going to press. If there is any ofindefinitely through all this district o. ficial conformation of the above rumor, it country. May the God of battles judge be-In alluding to the carnival of blood in tween us and our enemies. A degree of leubt of the fact that the Arsenal sold Virginia, the Chicago Times has some confidence, with some, of cheerfulness time of writing, we feel well assured that iers have had a hand in it. They are be- very pointed remarks, from which we prevails. All, I believe, look upon this the rumor current day before yesterday, campaign to end the war, or at least to t at the Yankees were at Lexington, is ought to be placed in the field immediate. In palliation of Grant, so far as these bring it to a crisis. Sh u'd the end of u terly without foundation. It ought to the Fall find the enemy repulsed at al' have been stated, by way completing id giving and receiving of deally blows material points -- should Richmond still be the story, that Crook had burned the Naforced to it by tactics of Lee. Before his -e ure in our hands, the enemy driven cating up the tithes? Where are the re- lines were formed -- before his columns | buck from Atlant , and our army successcerves? Can they not do the duty ne- had reached their designated position :- ful in the Trans-Missisippi, why then we there are scattered ever the State blank essary to be performed, and send oil the rebel hordes were upon them like pon- will all look upon the Confederacy as es- f rms of a petition or memorial to be these flashy officers and bacon men to the derous avalanches. Grant had no chance tablished beyond pera iventure. I think signed by the "faithful" of the straitest for strategy, no room for manceuvering- the present innications are that this state sect requesting Holden to withdraw from Of course we do not charge this theft he could only hurry up his divisions as of things will be realized. God grant the Gubernatorial contest. Ye shades of upon all of the soldiers. We know many fast as possible, and do his best to pre- that the day of our deliverance draweth all the contemptible doughills that ever serve his army from being split to frag- high." That peace, with its numberiess ran, I ce a down. Requesting Holden to blessings, may soon come upon us, in 1 withdraw! ave been been been brought up honestly and ments, under the tremendous blows of his that we may be permitted to return to the pursuit and enjoyment of professions more resorting to this petty subterfuge either

self of strategy without subjecting him- Witton, Last evening we gathered only There is something wrong in the disci-self to annihilation. Sending Burnside the following additional particulars of the pline of these men. We are an old stager around the left to threaten Lee's rear he capture of the U.S. Steamer Water Witch and know this. The thefts are committed forced that commander to change his po- which took place in Ossabaw Sound, at after tatoo, at a time when soldiers have sition, and thus, for a time, was able to two o'clock on yesterday morning. A no right to be absent from the barracks. intermit the sickening routine of slaugh- more gallant act was never performed by any band of brave men. We learn that It is only in this country and under Lieut. Pelot, who commanded the expe- the ages of 45 and 50. The object is groes were captured who had broken into American generalship that immense ar- dition, was the first man who boarded the Mr. Wilson's establishment. A portion of mies meet and struggle for days on a res- Water Witch He cut down a sailor with he stolen goods was found about them, tricted space, and then separate with no his cutless, and was immediately shot We lost seven men killed and twe've wounded. The dead and the wounded were brought to this city last evening. YANKEE ATROCITY .- "Gomma" thus

The crew of the Water Witch also arrived in the city last evening. Capt. Pendergrast commanded the steamer, and she had a crew of ninety men together with intendent Gill found him yesterday hang- her officers, who have taken quarters for the colored gentleman, commanding that ing to a tree, took him down, and had the present at Oglethorpe Barracks. The expedition, was only sent to the trenches him decently buried. The Yankees hung Water Witch carried four splendid guns. to work, instead of being punished as his him because he helped our wounded men One of the Federal officers received a ball to water when Capt. Cole's Battery was in the back from a pistol shot. The number of the enemy's killed and wounded we have not been able to ascertain. - Savannah News.

house on the side of the railroad, and as he was going through the woods to get some Please take notice of this fact, that all silver he had buried near his house, the marriage estate and funeral notices are to be paid in advance when left at this of-

In the absence of our clerk the money whose receipt is good at all times.

FROM THE RICHMOND WHIG. A MAN OF TRUTH.

We are pained beyond measure to learn that a number of Gen. Grant's enemies is this city are about to deprive him o. his weil earned title, "The Butcher of the Wilderness," and substitute in li- u there Government railroads, arrived here this of the disagreeable and unjust appellation morning with engines, cars, and materials of "The Liar of Cold Harbor." As the warm personal friend of Gen. Grant, we may be of blood, he is not a liar. It is true that Mr. Secretary Stanton, that pat-"When it may be required!" Then we tern of all the virtues, in one of these inreckon there is some doubt about it after | teresting despatches which he delights to be it remarked, he does not say this is all Gen. Grant states. On the contrary, after repeating Gen. Grant's account of a few trifling successes which attended his arms on that fatal Friday, he (Stanton) comes out with the astounding announcement that our entire loss, "according to the Adjutant General's Report, does not exceed pare the public for the details of the repulse in the morning, which he knew would

Knowing Gen. Grant as well as we do and esteeming him as higaly as we do, we feel very sure, that in the first part of his despatch, he blurted out the facts in his Grant is a man of truth. The atte pt made in this city to brand him with mendacity must fall, and ought to fall, General Grant is no har. He has his faults like other men-he loves to smoke a cigar and send in Yankee refraff to be shot down like dogs by the Confederates - but My last letter left me on the Southside. he is not a liar, at least not much of a liar. Day before yesterday we were brought A Statchman by birth or by extraction, re by a forced march, and are now on he has no sympathy with the Yankees, and Wholesale Yankee Butcher, but we reper'. he is not a liar; or, if a liar, not a great

OPERATIONS WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPT.

A dispatch from Cairo states that the rebel General Marmaduke is active in Ar-Yesterday my eyes were permitted to kansas, with twelve pieces of artillery,

A heavy rebel force, supposed to number fifteen thousand are reported to be within twenty-five miles of Duval's Bluff, and marching on that place. Duval's joining Pulaski county, in which Little

The rebel Gon. Shelby is reported to ble staff or retinue of officers and couriers have captured Dardanelle on Monday last along with him which is always to be seen | with two hundred prisoners. Dardenelle about ninety in les above Little Rock. Besides these rebel forces, the guerrillas are said to be active in Arkansas, and- it is not unlikely that the rebels will again resume a temporary sway over a large We are now encamped on a part of that portion of the State. Our forces, howevground rendered so historic by the mem | er, will permanently hold Little Rock, and orable events which occurred here in June Helena, on the Mississippi river, which and July '62, when McClellan was thun- will keep the keys of the State in our smoke house. She seat for her brother Grant must bring victory, as surely as of- dering at the gates of Richmond; and the Possession until the time comes to resume offensive operations again in this region.

> STAUNTON NOT OCCUPIED .- It was r imored on the streets vesterday during will, as a matter of course, be appended

> to this paragraph.

Helden, the poor sneaking craven, is to get out of his impending disgraceful defeat, or to raise wery against the pronin ant friends of Gov. Voice, whom in this view of the case, he will charge with getting up the petition.

O m st poor and contemptible! State Journa!.

THE RESERVE FORCES. - The Goldshoro' State Journal of the 10th says that day before vesterday, Gen. Holmes dismissed to their homes the reserves between putting them into camp was to organize and drill them, and as soon as that was accomplished, by orders from Richmon !. they were dismissed. In the dismissal of these troops (ten. Winder fully concurred with Gen. Holmes and the War Depart-

At the depot here, in waiting for the cars, there was many a hearty hurrah for Jeff. Davis and Gov. Vance.

WHAT BANKS DID FOR Us .- It is said Kirby Smith had only sixteen six-pound rifle guns when he encountered Banks. He has now 71 pieces of artillery, eight of which are 32 pounder Parrots, forty-seven 12 pounder Napoleans, and his own o iginal sixteen six pounders. Banks also equiped him with 20,000 extra small arms, and various other things necessary to furnish a complete outfit for an army. Banks makes a capital ordnance officer. We are sorry to hear that he is superce-

GEN. TOOMBS .- We learn that this gentleman, unwilling to be fille when his State is invaded, has joined the Militin as a private and reported to Gen. Wayne, fat Atlanta, for outy.