Richmond Dispatch.

TUESDAY MORNING.....SEPT. 25, 1860.

The Navy--Sailing and Steam Vessels.

In the Naval Appropriation Act, of 22d June, 1860, was a proviso, directing the Secretary of the Navy to appoint a Board of Naval officers, engineers and constructors, to examine into the condition of the sailing vessels of the service, and the cost of giving them, or any of them, full steam power, together with the expediency of making such change, in view of the cost, condition, model, and general character of the vessels. In pursuance of this proviso, the Secretary of the Navy appointed a Board, embracing some of the most distinguished captains, engineers and constructors who entered on the performance of their duties in September last.

The vessels to be examined, under this provision, consist of ten ships-of-the-line, ten frigates, twenty-one sloops-of-war, three brigs and three store-ships, making a total of forty-seven vessels propelled by sails alone, carrying one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one guns.

Of steamers, there are now seven screw frigates, six first-class screw sloops, four first-class side-wheel steamers, eight second-class screw sloops, one second class side-wheel steamer, five third-class screws, four side-wheel steamers of the third class, two steam tenders, and the nondescript craft near Hoboken, called STEVENS' war steamer, making a total of thirty-eight vessels propelled by steam, and carrying five hundred and eight guns. This gives us eighty-five vessels in all in the Navy, carrying two thousand three hundred and twenty-nine guns.

Of the practicability and expediency of changing sailing vessels-of-war into steam vessels, there is no doubt among naval men.—It has been done on a large scale, and is now doing every day, in the navies of England and France. But the condition of many of our sailing vessels is such that it may be doubted whether they can be made useful by any alterations, except to rebuild them entirely. Of the ten line-of-battle-ships, four—the New Orleans, the Alabama, the Virginia and the New York—are rotting on the stocks, having never been launched, although their construction was commenced more than forty years ago! The Pennsylvania never made but one voyage, from Philadelphia to Norfolk, and is rotting in the mud and oysters of that harbor. Four of the liners only have been at sea. The Vermont, which was intended as PERRY'S flag ship in the Japan expedition, has never seen salt water. They are all out of repair, and, in general, the vast sums which have been spent upon them might as well have been sunk in the bottom of the ocean.

The fifty-gun frigates have, in general, been serviceable vessels, and it is believed that most of them, by the addition of steam power, might be converted into efficient vessels-of-war. The twenty-one sloops-of-war have been always actively employed. Four of them were originally frigates, but have been razeed and have now guns on one deck only. It is thought that the razees could be converted into good steam vessels, and possibly the others, unless they are too small. These sloops, or corvettes, as they are sometimes termed, are full rigged ships, from eight hundred to eleven hundred tons, carrying from eighteen to twenty-four guns and with a complement of two hundred men. A contemporary remarks that they are by no means to be confounded with North river or Tar river sloops, a mistake which was made by a worthy Secretary of the Navy, who was very much astonished at the estimate for repairing a sloop-of-war, and emphatically declared he could build six sloops on his river for less money than it cost to repair one in the navy-yard.

The steam vessels of the Navy are among the most powerful and efficient of their class in the world. The seven screw frigates are comparatively new, having all been built within the last five years. Probably only one of them, the Niagara, would prove a failure as a fighting vessel. She is a beautiful clipper, but better adapted for the merchant service than for the severer requirements of the Navy. She was the only one of the seven not built at a Government yard, and it is to be hoped the experiment will never be repeated. The others have not their superiors in the world. They are from 3,680 to 4,580 tons, carrying from 12 to 50 guns. The four side-wheel steamers are serviceable, but this description of vessels is not considered reliable in action. The screw sloops are powerful vessels, from 1,446 to 2,360 tons, and carrying from 13 to 25 guns. The gunboats, called by the Department second-class steam sloops, are eight in number, from 694 to 1,929 tons, and carrying from 3 to 6 guns. They are light draft vessels, to go up rivers, drawing only from nine to twelve feet of water, and are able to steam at from ten to fifteen knots an hour. They are also thoroughly adapted for sea service, and among the most useful vessels in the Navy.

At present, of the eighty-five vessels nominally in the service, there are only about thirty really available in time of war, and instead of twenty-five hundred guns, only about eight hundred.

New Publications.

THE LIFE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON. By EDWARD EVERETT. New York: SHELDON & CO.—This life of WASHINGTON is comprised in one volume of large print, very handsomely executed by the publishers. Mr. EVERETT, in a preface to the work, explains the manner in which he came to undertake it. The proprietors of the "Encyclopædia Britannica" having in press a new edition of their publication, applied to the late Lord MACAULAY to preface the article on "WASHINGTON," for it. He referred them to Mr. EVERETT, who complied with their request; and the result of his labors is given in the volume before us. Mr. E. declares that he undertook the work as a duty, notwithstanding a multiplicity of previous engagements, and that he was not otherwise favorably situated for cheerful mental effort. In his preface he passes a neat eulogy upon Lord MACAULAY. His brief life of WASHINGTON will no doubt become highly popular and become very useful. For sale by J. W. RANDOLPH and STARKE & CORDOZO.

POEMS. By HENRY LYNDEN FLASH. New York: RUDD & CARLTON.—It is a bold thing in a man to publish a book of poems. How many of them lie dead upon the shelves of the booksellers! Nor can their authors hope that like some really great poets, they will be praised when they are dead, and the country ring with the fame that was derived while they lived. A very small proportion of our modern poetry outlives its authors; the greater portion is buried long before they who wrote it, and, unlike them, it will never be resurrected. The small volume before us is gotten up in very handsome style, showing either that the author is rich and determined that his rhymes shall appear in a good suit, or that the publishers think well of them. For sale by WEST & JOHNSTON.

AMERICAN HISTORY. By JACOB ABBOTT. New York: SHELDON & CO.—We have the second volume (which relates to the "Discovery of America,") of this work, which is very handsomely gotten up and illustrated. The author intends to bring down history as near as possible to the present time. It is intended to comprise all that is essential for the general reader, while it will serve for an introduction to more copious sources of information. The volumes are small octavo, very neat and convenient, and the history itself promises to be a very useful addition to our works of national history. For sale by J. W. RANDOLPH.

THE TREASURY OF SCRIPTURE STORIES.—New York: SHELDON & CO.—This little volume presents, in a simple and entertaining style, the stories of SAMSON, NOAH, RUTH, SAMUEL, DAVID and JOSEPH. They are handsomely printed on good paper, and illustrated by very beautiful colored plates. The house of SHELDON & CO. is one not long known among the New York publishers; but it is achieving a considerable reputation for its enterprise and the handsome manner in which their books are gotten up. For sale by J. W. RANDOLPH.

Hon. Jas. French Strother, formerly member of Congress from the 7th district of Virginia, died in Culpeper county, Va., on Friday.

The City of Washington.

The present census indicates a population of 61,400, which is an increase, since 1850, of 21,399. The whole of the District of Columbia contains a population of 75,365, against 51,687 in 1850. The number of slaves is 3,231, against 3,687 in 1850—a decrease of 456. In 1850, there were but 6,345 dwellings in the city proper; the present number is 10,342, an increase of 3,997. In the District, also, there has been an increase of 4,539 dwellings.

Washington is not a business city, and has not, and probably never will be commercial to any great extent, but the enormous patronage of the General Government, and the immense sums spent upon the public buildings and grounds, some of which are among the most magnificent in the world, account for its rapid advance. It is also becoming attractive as a place of residence, the sessions of Congress being the only drawback to the general refinement and agreeableness of the city. The absurd notion that Washington owes its increase to the fact that it is becoming substantially a free city, is sufficiently answered by the fact that Richmond has increased at an equal rate, and that New Orleans and other Southern cities have increased in the last ten years much faster than some of the flourishing cities of the northwest.

Miss Susan B. Anthony is to deliver the address at the Agricultural Fair to be held at Dundee, N. Y., in a few days.

The French government have opened a record office in Paris for the registration of trade-marks, in order to prevent imposition.

Rev. Dr. Martin, of Chicago, Illinois, has accepted the call of the Lutheran congregation of Martinsburg, Va.

Rev. Wm. J. Zimmer, late Rector of St. John's Church, City Point, Va., died at Williamsburg, Va., on the 17th inst.

The Times has come out with an editorial urging the adoption of Train's horse railways in London.

MRS. REKS' NEW DRESS AND CLOAK MAKING EMPORIUM, 209 Main street, between 9th and 10th, is daily crowded with ladies, anxious to procure a beautiful fitting DRESS, WALKING BASQUE, &c., gotten up in good taste and in the latest London and Parisian fashions, at moderate prices. A trial is respectfully solicited, 209 Main street, opposite Reynault's Carpet Store. se 25—2t

BILL HEADS! BILL HEADS!!—The largest and most complete assortment of RULED PAPERS, for BILL HEADS, of various colors—Blue, White, Buff, Canary, Pink, and Purple—just received at THIS OFFICE. Merchants and others in want, can rely on getting a good article of Paper, and as cheap as they can be procured anywhere. Call and see specimens and prices. [ts]

NOTICE.—There will be a regular quarterly meeting of the RICHMOND HOUSE PAINTERS' SOCIETY held at the Young Guards' Armory, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th, for the election of officers. Every member is requested to attend.

By order of the Society.
WM. C. BARNES, Pres't.
JAS. H. MEANTON, Recd'g Sec'y. se 25—2t*

HON. E. CABELL having been unexpectedly called home to Missouri, cannot speak at the African Church, TO-NIGHT, as advertised on yesterday.
J. R. STURDIVANT, President.
J. K. MARTIN, } Sec's.
J. G. POWELL, } se 25—1t*

THE BELL AND EVERETT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF JEFFERSON WARD will meet at E. A. Claiborne's office, corner of Franklin and Wall streets, THIS EVENING at 8 o'clock. Punctual attendance is requested. Reports of Committees are to be acted upon. By order. J. M. FRANCISCO, Secretary.
se 25—1t

UNION PRAYER MEETING.—A Union Prayer Meeting of all denominations will be held every AFTERNOON this week, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, in the Lecture Room of the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, (Rev Dr. Burkowe,) from 5 to 6 o'clock. The citizens generally are invited to attend, as well as all strangers visiting the city. se 24—1m

EDUCATIONAL.

[*For other "Educational" Notices, see 4th Page.*]

HAVING ENGAGED A YOUNG LADY to teach in my family, I would like to get four young ladies, from twelve to sixteen, as BOARDERS. Terms for board and tuition, only $200; music extra. My residence is about 5 miles from Richmond, directly on the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad, in Chesterfield county, and is remarkably healthy. The school will be opened about 1st October. For further information, address Mrs. WM. H. TEMPLE, care H. CARRINGTON WATKINS, Richmond.
Whig and Enquirer copy. [se 25—3taw2w

RICHMOND COLLEGE.—The next session will begin on the 1st of October, and continue nine months. In the Academic Department the whole charge for day scholars is $48 50. In the Collegiate, $54 50, one-half to be paid in advance, the other on the 15th of February. The whole expense to boarding pupils is about $212. Modern languages taught by the Professor without extra charge. se 25—7t.

MRS. MAYO'S SCHOOL will be re opened on MONDAY, the 1st day of October, in the SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOM in rear of the Seventh-street church, on 11th, between Broad and Marshall sts. se 25—3t*

MUSICAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS.—Prof. C. T. DECONIEL is now ready, and offers his professional services to such as may be anxious to obtain a complete and thorough course of Musical Instruction, as pursued by all Collegiate Professors in Europe, on the HARP, PIANO, GUITAR, ORGAN, SINGING and in the SCIENCE and ART of TEACHING MUSIC. For Card of Terms, Testimonials, &c., apply to PROF. DECONIEL, at Mrs. P. Mayo's.
se 25—2w* 5th st., bet. Clay and Leigh.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA—A PROCLAMATION.—Information having been received by the Executive, that WM. B. WALTERS, charged with the crime of murder, committed in the county of Halifax, in this Commonwealth, on the eighteenth instant, has fled from justice and is now going at large; therefore I do hereby offer a reward of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS to any person who shall arrest the said Wm. B. Walters and deliver him into the Jail of said county of Halifax; and I do moreover require all officers of this Commonwealth, civil and military, and request the people generally, to use their best exertions to procure his arrest, that he may be brought to justice.

Given under my hand as Governor, and under the Less Seal of the Commonwealth, at Richmond, this 22d day of September, 1860. JOHN LETCHER.

By the Governor:
GEO. W. MUNFORD, Sec'y of the Com'th.

WM. B. WALTERS is about five feet ten inches high, light hair and complexion, a little freckled, has scurvy, and peculiar finger nails, being dark colored, not adhering to the flesh except under the skin. se 25—sw3w

FLOUR ON CONSIGNMENT.

RICHMOND CITY MILLS—superior article—Family, Extra and Superfine.
500 bales super and Northern HAY.
500 bushels superior CLEAN OATS.
600 bushels genuine WINTER OATS.
1,000 bushels superior WHITE CORN.
250 bushels superior COUNTRY MEAL.
With a large stock of MILL OFFAL, which we offer low. AUSTIN & GENTRY.
se 25—3t Franklin street.

VALUABLE LOT ON THE WEST LINE OF 8TH STREET, OPPOSITE TO THE PETERSBURG DEPOT, FOR SALE.—We are authorized to sell a VALUABLE LOT, located as above, fronting 83 feet, running back 120 feet to an alley 20 feet wide, bounded on the north by the coal yards. If immediate application is made, it will be sold *very low*. Apply to
se 25—2t GODDIN & APPERSON.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to CREN SHAW, QUARLES & CO., and THOMAS D. QUARLES & SONS, are earnestly requested to call and pay their accounts, as longer indulgence cannot be given. THOS. D. QUARLES.
se 25—6t

15 KEGS good to prime BUTTER.
10 kegs fair BUTTER, for cooking purposes.
Also—20 bbls. Cross-Middling FLOUR.
On consignment and for sale low to the trade, by T. J. WALKER,
se 25—3t Cary, between Pearl and Va. sts.

JAVA COFFEE.—
10 bags choice JAVA COFFEE.
100 pockets do. do do.
On consignment, for sale by WM. S. ROYSTER,
se 25—5t Corner Cary and Virginia sts.

JOHN R. STEGER, COMMISSION MERCHANT, For the sale of all kinds of LIQUORS. Office—Cary street, between 14th and Virginia, Richmond Va. se 25—3t*

CIGARS.—25,000 cheap CIGARS, to close consignments, for sale by WM. S. ROYSTER,
se 25—5t Corner Cary and Virginia sts.

HAY.—900 bales prime NORTHERN HAY, daily expected to arrive and for sale by R. H. WHITLOCK & SON.
se 25—3t

SUGAR.—50 hbds. A. 50 bbls. Extra C. 75 bbls. C Coffee Sugar; 50 bbls. Granulated and Powdered Sugar; 75 bbls. Cut Loaf and Crushed Sugar; 75 boxes Loaf, for sale by LEWIS WEBB & JOHN G. WADE.

DENTAL ARTICLES.—Gold Foil, Tin Foil Burrs, Drills, Porcelain Teeth; for sale by FISHER & SHEPHERD, Druggists, No. 125 Main st.

CHOICE GOSHEN BUTTER and CHEESE, to arrive to-day, for sale by WM. WALLACE SONS.

MACKEREL.—70 bbls. and half bbls., large and small, fat No. 3 Mackerel in store, for sale by WINSTON & POWERS.

BEDSTEADS.—Single and Double Cottage Bedsteads, Jenny Lind and French Bedsteads, just received. ALEX. NOTT.

FAMILY HAMS, BREASTS and SHOULDERS, for sale by WM. WALLACE SONS.

SHAD.—50 half bbls. North Carolina No 1 Shad, Shad Roe and Family Roe Herrings, in store for sale by WINSTON & POWERS.

CHAIRS.—Cane seat and Windsor Chairs, Office and Rocking Chairs—just received and for sale cheap. ALEX. NOTT.

BACON.—75 hhds prime Sides and Shoulders, receiving this morning, for sale by MASSIE & PLEASANTS.

MACHINE OIL.—500 gallons just received.—Also, White Grease, in kegs and tins. For sale by P. JOHNSTON & BRO., Druggists.

MARRIED,

On the 13th inst., at St. Luke's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., by the Rev. J. S. Diller, D. D., HENRY HARNEY, of Richmond, Va., and ELIZA, eldest daughter of the late Edward F. Bartlett.

DIED.

On Monday morning, 24th inst., at her father's residence on Union Hill, Miss COLUMBIA P., only daughter of Wm. and E. A. P. Davis, aged 18 years and 51 days.

Her funeral will take place from Leigh Street Baptist Church, this afternoon at 3½ o'clock.—Friends and acquaintances of the family are requested to attend, without further notice. The Leigh Street Sabbath School is requested, by the Superintendent, to assemble on the occasion.

On Monday, 24th inst., WM. DON, a native of Scotland.

His funeral will take place this evening, at 4 o'clock, at his late residence on 17th and Cary sts. His friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

LOST AND STRAYED

$20 REWARD.—Was stolen from my stable, on Saturday, the 22d September, one QUILTED SADDLE and BRIDLE. I will give $10 for the apprehension of the thief, and $10 for the recovery of the Saddle and Bridle.
se 25—3t* L. B SIZER.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From the premises of the subscriber, two COWS and a HEIFFER; one a dark red, with white flanks, and a leather collar on her neck, and sawed horns; the other a red and white, with a rope around her neck; the heiffer a deep red. I will pay $5 reward to any person who will deliver to me the above-mentioned cattle, or give me such information as will lead to their recovery
se 25—3t* WILLIAM H. BAUGH, Midlothian Coal-Yard.

STRAYED—REWARD.—Strayed from my residence, on Fulton Hill, on the 23d inst., TWO MILCH COWS, one a dark brown, medium size, horns turned backwards; the other a roan, above medium size, horns rather straight and pointed. A liberal reward will be paid for their delivery, or for information by which I may recover them.
se 25—3t* J. P. DICKINSON.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From my house, on Bloody Run street, on Thursday night last, one small BRINDLE COW, with bobtail. For her delivery at the Gas Works, I will give a liberal reward.
se 25—2t* R. F. CARVEDO.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From our office Saturday night last, a small Scotch TERRIER PUPPY, black body and yellow legs, cropped ears and bob tail, about three months old, and not pretty. He barks fiercely when petted. Had on a collar with the name of D. B. FORD, Richmond, Va. A liberal reward will be paid for his delivery to us.
se 25—1t PULLIAM & CO, Odd Fellows' Hall.

$5 REWARD.—I will pay the above reward for the detection and apprehension of the unprincipled thief, who stole the COLLAR from my dog's neck, on 21st inst., on which my name was engraved, and a medal attached. or I will pay a liberal reward for the return of the collar, medal, &c. se 25—1t* R. A. FRAYSER.

LOST—Strayed from the Gallego Mills, a SETTER DOG—black, brown and white mixed—about 6 months old.—A reward will be paid if he is left at the Gallego Mills. se 25—2t*

STRAYED—From my residence at Bowling Green, in Henrico, a small BAY HORSE. For his return to my residence at Bowling Green, a suitable reward will be paid.
se 25—1t* MICHAEL AMRHEIN.

STRAYED—From my place, on Grove street, about a mile beyond the old Fair Grounds, a large sorrel HORSE, with blaze face and somewhat injured in left hind leg. For his return to my residence, on Broad street, opposite City Hall, a suitable reward will be paid.
se 22—3t* F. W. RODDEY

PIANOS FOR SALE.

P. H. TAYLOR, DEALER IN PIANOS, MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, EXCLUSIVELY, 188 Main street, above the Post-Office.

TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS ESTABLISHED.

Has exclusive sale in Richmond of the Nunns & Clark's, A. H. Gale & Co's, and the celebrated Prices' Patent PIANOS, MARTIN'S GUITARS, PELEAUBET'S MELODEONS. The established reputation of these makers is a sure guarantee of excellence.

P. H. TAYLOR continues to supply purchasers who want good and reliable PIANOS. An experience of over thirty years in the business gives him a knowledge of the article he sells. Get the best PIANOS and avoid subsequent expenses for tuning and repairing. A bad Piano is not cheap at any price.

The largest stock of MUSIC to be found in the State.

MUSIC sent by mail (post-paid) on receipt of the price.

PIANOS tuned and let on HIRE.

OLD PIANOS taken in part pay for new ones.

A large assortment of INSTRUMENTS just received. se 25 2t

NOTICE.—The largest and best selection of Foreign and American SHEET MUSIC, may be found at the corner of 9th and Broad streets.

PIANOS from the celebrated Factory of W. Knabe & Co. Second-hand PIANOS, from $60 to $150, for hire and sale.

GUITARS, VIOLINS, BANJOS of my own make, FLUTES, PIPES, and ACCORDEONS, for sale.

REPAIRING and TUNING done in the best manner. F. POLSTER, Agent.
N. B.—Mr. W. RADE will always be in attendance to select music. se 25—1m*

JOHN DUNDERDALE,

Having just returned from New York, offers for sale a choice assortment of 7 and 7½ octave ROSEWOOD PIANOS, of the finest quality, on most reasonable terms.

Several good SECOND-HAND PIANOS, at very low prices.

Wareroom, 12th st., opposite Bank st., Belvin's Block. se 25—3t*

SECOND HAND CARRIAGE, HARNESS AND HORSE FOR SALE.—A good (light,) second-hand CARRIAGE, HARNESS, and a remarkably gentle HORSE for sale. If early application be made, they will be sold cheap. Apply at the office of GODDIN & APPERSON
se 25—2t Auctioneers.

NOTICE—TO MILLINERS AND THE LADIES GENERALLY.—Those having STRAW BONNETS or FLATS to bleach or color the most fashionable colors, and pressed in any style you wish, must go to HILL'S STRAW BLEACHER AND COLORER, Broad st., above Central Depot.
se 25—1t* JOHN HILL, Richmond, Va.
N. B.—No losses or disappointments. [se 25—6t*

OYSTERS, OYSTERS, OYSTERS—The Sloop NECESSITY has just arrived from Nansemond, with a fine load of nice, fat OYSTERS. She lays at the foot of 18th street, in the Dock. THOMAS HAWKINS,
se 25—1t* Master.

FOR FREDERICKSBURG.—The good schr. JAMES E. PRICE, Capt. COTTON, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged and some on board, will take quick dispatch for the above port. For balance of freight apply this day to JAMES G. READ,
se 25—1t* 18th and Cary streets.

FOR LIVERPOOL, TO SUCCEED THE SUSAN HINKS.—The regular packet Ship PIONEER, Capt. CHILDS, now on her home voyage, will return to the above port and load with dispatch. For freight, apply to E. W. DE VOSS & CO., or to
se 25—4w* CHARLES PALMER.

FOR SALE—Three No. 1 WORK HORSES, in single or double harness. A bargain may be had by applying at once at my stable 18th and Grace sts.

Also, two light OMNIBUSSES for sale.
se 25—3t* JAS. SINTON, Jr.

HENRICO LIGHT DRAGOONS.

Meet in citizen's dress, at 11 o'clock A. M., on FRIDAY, 28th inst., at the County Court-House, for drill and business.
By order.
se 25—3t J. F. HUFFMAN, O. S.

HDQ'RS 1ST REG. VA. VOLS.,
RICHMOND, Sept. 25, 1860.

Order No. 1.

I take command, commanding, in assuming the command of the Regiment, gratefully acknowledges the honor conferred upon him. He accepts the office, with a profound sense of its dignity and responsibility, and will exert his best energies to perform its duties faithfully.

II. The staff will hereafter be organized as follows:

Capt. G. G. OTEY, Adjutant.
Major WM. H. MUNFORD, Paymaster.
Major J. S. D. CULLEN, Surgeon.
Capt. F. CUNNINGHAM, Assistant Surgeon.
Capt. WM. G. ALLAN, Quartermaster.
Capt. D. B. BRIDGFORD, Commissary of Sub.

NON-COMMISSIONED STAFF:

JOHN T. ROGERS, Sergeant Major.
C. E. GROHNWALD, Quartermaster Sergeant.
JOS. WHITTAKER, Commis Sergeant.

They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

III. The Field Staff and Commissioned Officers will assemble at the Armory of Co. "E," on WEDNESDAY, 26th instant, at 8 o'clock P. M., in Undress Uniform, without side-arms.

By order of P. T. MOORE,
Col. Commanding 1st Reg. Va. Vols.
G. G. OTEY, Adjutant. se 25—1t

ARMORY YOUNG GUARD,
Richmond, Sept. 25th, 1860.

Order No. 29.

Assemble this (TUESDAY) evening, at 8 o'clock, for Drill and Business.

There will be an ELECTION TO FILL VACANCIES, under the new By Laws of Non-Commissioned Officers.

Final action upon the ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE TRIP TO BALTIMORE will be had this evening. It is important that every member on the roll should attend.

Roll called at 8½ o'clock. Be prompt.

By order of Capt. JNO. S. RADY.
se 26—1t ABNER V. LEWIS, 1st Serg't.

HEADQ'RS CO. "B," 1ST REG. VOLS.,
Richmond, 25th Sept, 1860.

Order No. —.

Attend a meeting this (TUESDAY) evening, at 8 o'clock, at your Armory, without equipments or arms. A full attendance is desired.—Much business is to be transacted. Several names will have to be dropped from the roll.

The election of Captain will take place. Every member who feels any interest in the company, should endeavor to be at the meeting.

By order of Lieut. MITCHELL, Com'g.
se 25—1t* C. S. MORGAN, Jr., 1st Serg't.

HEADQ'RS CO. "I," 1ST REG. VA. VOLS.,
Richmond, Sept. 24, 1860.

Order No. XXXIV.

Assemble at Schad's Hall, this (TUESDAY) evening, 25th inst., at a quarter to 8 o'clock, for drill and the transaction of business. It is very desirable that every member should be present.

By order of Capt. MORRIS.
se 25—1t* D. A. TYREE, 2d Serg't.

GRAYS, ATTENTION.—Attend a Squad Drill, at Military Hall on WEDNESDAY night next, at 7½ o'clock. This is for old as well as new members, many of whom require to be taught the rudiments.

By order of Capt. ELLIOTT.
se 25—3t E. W. BRANCH, 1st Serg't.

50 CASES ESTRADA LICORICE in store, for sale by POTTS, FARLEY & CO.

COMMERCIAL.

Richmond Markets, September 24.

There is a decline of five cents per bushel in Wheat since our last weekly report. Breadstuffs are generally dull; there is nothing doing in Flour, and but a limited stock of country. *Bacon* is a fraction lower. There are no other changes to note. There is considerable animation in the market; the Fall business being considerably advanced.

TOBACCO.—The receipts of tobacco continue large and the breaks full. For the last few days there is more animation in the market; but no change in prices worth mentioning. We quote inferior *Lugs* at $2¾@2¾; good $3@3¾; inferior *Leaf* $4@6½@7; good $8@9½; good and fine dry English $6½@11; good and fine manufacturing $6½@13; fine $15@25@30; fancy cases $20@25@160.

FLOUR.—The market is dull; and no sales to shippers. The last quotations to the trade were $7 for Superfine; $7.50 for Extra, which can hardly be maintained now.

WHEAT.—We now quote good to prime Red $1 35 to $1 40; do. White $1 55 to $1 60. Market a little heavy.

CORN.—Small lots sell at 72½. We quote 67½@72½ cents per bushel.

OATS.—We still quote 30@35 cents per bushel.

HAY.—$1@1 10 per cwt.

BACON.—We quote Sides 12½; Shoulders 10½; Sugar-cured Hams 13@13½; Todd's Sugar-Cured 15 cents; Plain Hams 12½ cents.

COFFEE.—We quote Rio 11@11½c.; Laguayra 15½@16c.; Java 16½@17 cts.; Mocha 18 cents. Market firm.

SUGARS.—New Orleans Sugar, none in market. Cuba 7½@8 cents; prime Porto Rico 9@9½c.; Loaf 11 cents; Crushed and Powdered 10½ cts.; Coffee Sugar: A 9¼@9½; B 9¾ cts.; Extra C 9@9c.

MOLASSES.—New Orleans 50@55 cts.; Cuba Muscovado, in bbls., 32@37½ cts., in hhds., 25@30; English Island, 37½ cts.; Ochenhousen's, 28.

WHISKEY.—Richmond Reshied 24@25 cts.; F. Stearns & Co.'s Malted Rye Whiskey, new, 31; old, $1.50; other grades, prices as to quality from 50 cents to $1.50.

CATTLE, &c.

BEEF.—We quote extremes at $2.62 to 4.50 per head, according to quality. Supply heavy

VEAL.—Nominally $6 to 9 per head for Calves.

SHEEP.—We quote $4 50 to $6 for best quality; other grades $2 25 to $3 50 per head.

HOGS.—First sale of country for season at the Scales at $8.50 to 8.75 net.

Northern Markets.—[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Stocks dull and lower—N. Y. Central 86⅞. Va. 61@62. Cotton firm at 10¾—Flour heavy—Southern declined and quoted at $5 65@$5.85. Wheat 2@3c lower—red $1 30. Corn firm and unchanged. Pork steady—mess $19@$19 40; prime $13¾@14¼. Whiskey 23½. Sugar steady—Muscovado 6@7c. Other articles generally unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 24.—Flour dull—Superfine $5 50@$5.62. Wheat heavy—red $1 25@$1 35; white $1 30@$1.60. Corn active—yellow 67@69; white 65@70. Provisions dull and heavy—mess pork $19 75; bacon sides 12c. Coffee firm—Rio from second hands 14@15½. Whiskey dull at 22½.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, SEPTEMBER 24.

High Water this day (Tuesday) 1½ o'clock.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Yorktown, Parrish, New York, mdze. and passengers, Ludlam & Watson.
Steamer Belvidere, Keene, Baltimore, mdze. and passengers, D. & W. Currie.
Schr. John H. Travers, Frank, Baltimore, guano, Schaer, Kohler & Co.
Schr. Hope, Frank, Baltimore, guano, Schaer, Kohler & Co.
Schr. Silver Star, (new,) Phillips, Baltimore, guano, Bacon & Baskervill.
Schr. Geo. V. Scott, Parker, Baltimore, guano, Crenshaw & Co.
Schr. St. Cloud, Gwatney, Smithfield, wheat.
Schr. Triumph, Adams, North Carolina, smuggles to Captain
Schr. Mary Helen, Hudgins, New York, railroad iron.
Bark Abigail, McFarland, (48 days,) Montevedio, guano, Crenshaw & Co.

MEMORANDA.

AUGUST 21.—The bark Abigail sailed in company with the bark Grey Hound, bound to Maioned, to finish loading for Rio. Spoke ship Hawatha, 30 miles south of Pernambuco, bound out. The barks Maria and bark Wisconicari will finish loading in a few days for United States.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Cleared, schrs. Wm. E. Leggett, Richmond; Gallego, Richmond; Bela Peck, City Point; N. S. Rue, Petersburg; Empire, Norfolk; Nangatuck, do.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 23.—Cleared, schrs. Ambition, Richmond; Elite, Petersburg; Anglo-Saxon, Urbana, Va.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Cleared, schr. Westover, Richmond.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NORFOLK, Sept. 24.—Arr'd in Hampton Roads, bark Elluian, 78 days from Newcastle, England, bound to Charleston, S. C., leaking, mast is sprung, fore rigging gone and short of provisions. Ship Alexander, 44 days from Liverpool, with a general cargo, bound to Richmond; ships Airy, 90 days, Franklin and J. W. Paine, 105 days from Callao, and ship Pepperill, bound to London, are lying in the Roads.

PASSENGERS PER STEAMSHIP "YORKTOWN," PARRISH, Master, from New York:

C. W. Gemet, Wm. Porter, Wm. Baker, Edw'd Roberts, L. Hyatt, R. Cowie, W. Menegan, W. Paterson, Col. Morris, U. S. A., Geo. E. Dibble, Mrs. White, E. H. Cornell, John Bonsal, J. Deneliman and lady, E. Terry, W. S. Spratley, Miss Templeman, J. S. Hyman, B. G. Warden, John Ney, A. W. Norman, M. Hess, Geo. Bissett, B. D. Fry and Lady, W. McFarland and lady, Mrs. Burke, E. C. Fairchild and child, R. H. L. Tighe and 2 children, James Lyon, J. Dixie, Mrs. Gepprich and 2 children, Mrs. McEvoy, Mr. and Miss Robertson, F. Bidwell, H. W. Jeffries, D. St. John, J. A. Swift and daughter, J. Combs, Mrs. Shaw and Son, Mr. and Mrs. Cozzens, M. Townsend, Master Robinson, B. F. Bakie, Mr. Froden and child, R. C. Randolph, James Lewis, L. A. Ketchum, J. W. Watson, J. G. Rich, G. D. Pierce, Geo. E. Pitt, F. C. Keen, R. M. Hyde, J. D. Smith, Miss Anna V. Tindal, Miss J. E. Kerr, Miss M. G. Douglas, Mrs. S. D. Knight, J. Freidenheimer, and 25 in steerage.

PASSENGERS PER STEAMSHIP "ROANOKE," GEO. W. CLUCH, Master, from New York:

A. B. Green, D. Peclock, Sam'l Lawson, Jno. Hine, Lewis Whitfield, Mrs. Trumbull, Geo. Lewis and lady, Miss Lewis, M. C. Bruce, Mrs. Remos and 3 children, J. W. Shivers, W. Williams, O. W. Hinton, H. Burns, Jno. Tinsley, J. Eloy, Mrs. Steward and 2 children, Mr. Scott, Mr. Stewart, Jno. Lewis, L. S. Lewis, Miss Broughenton, Mr. Seaford and 3 children, W. D. McElemoy, J. P. Taliaferro, Miss H. E. Hinson, Mrs. F. G. Hinson, and 17 in steerage.

BOARDING.

BOARDING.—MRS. J. A JETER respectfully informs her friends and the public that she has taken the house on Grace street, second door to St. John's church, and will conveniently called the "HOTEL TOWER HOUSE." There are some desirable rooms suitable for families, besides single rooms, suitable for single gentlemen or ladies. No pains or expense will be spared to render the house as good as any boarding house in the city, and will endeavor to render those who may patronize me the comforts of a home. There have been some improvements made to the house, which renders it more pleasant. se 25—2t*

BOARDING.—The subscribers, having taken the house at No. 11 Crenshaw, bet. Main street, between 6th and 7th, inform their friends and the public that they will be prepared to receive boarders on the 1st of October.

The house is in excellent repair, and fitted up with every convenience for the comfort of its inmates. It is pleasantly situated, and convenient to the business part of the city. Several day boarders can be accommodated.

R. B. MURRAY,
se 18—3tawts M. J. MURRAY.

BOARD.—I have several vacant ROOMS, suitable for families or young gentlemen. Apply to Miss E. A. BIDGOOD, Corner 7th and Main streets.
se 3—2m

PARKER HOUSE, BOSTON, MASS.

Gentlemen will find the best of accommodations, with every effort for the comfort of guests. LARDER not excelled in the United States.

H. D. PARKER,
mh 3—6m J. F. MILLS.

CLOTHING, CLOTHING.—HULL has gotten in and is constantly receiving (three shipments per week) his Fall and Winter stock of CLOTHING. He has selected his whole stock and had it made up after the latest reported styles.—He makes it a point to have an odd, fine, stylish, durable, and good-fitting stock. Mr. GROSHONG, his former partner, superintends the getting up of his stock, whose name is a sufficient guarantee of something pretty as well as good.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER, in good style and at short notice.

The largest and best selected stock of SHIRTS, DRAWERS, TIES, COLLARS, SOCKS, &c., kept in the city. Shirts made to order.

IRVING HULL, Agent,
(Late of Tupman & Hull,)
24 Main, corner 14th street.

"TIS VERY REQUISITE that everybody should bear in mind that LEVY'S old established Dry Goods Store (adjudged by almost every person to be the place for the best bargains) will be closed to-morrow (Wednesday, the 26th inst.) and will re-open the following day. Persons having Dry Goods to purchase should go to LEVY'S to-day, if convenient, or wait until Thursday, as it is to the interest of all to buy their whole supply at his store. He has now ready for sale the largest and best selected stock he has ever had the pleasure of offering to the public, and is prepared to sell them at prices that cannot fail to ensure general satisfaction.

MILLINERY GOODS, MILLINERY GOODS.—F. GOLDSMIT, 176 Broad street, will open THIS MORNING, a full assortment of Ladies' and Misses' Bonnets and Flats, White and Colored Feathers; Rich French Flowers; a magnificent assortment of Bonnet Ribbons; Ruches; Uncut Velvets, all colors; Flushes; Frames; Chenille, Tinsel and other styles of Head Dresses, and a complete assortment of all styles of Millinery Goods, to be run off at low prices.

F. GOLDSMIT, 176 Broad st.,
Three doors from 6th st.

CREAM OF ROSES AND LILIES—A delightful application to the skin in dusty or cool weather; for sale at LAIDLEY'S Apothecary, sign of the Red Mortar, Main and 5th streets.

APPLES, ORANGES, &c.—25 bbls. Ox and other large Northern Apples; 20 boxes French Lemons; 10 boxes Sweet Oranges; 10 bbls. new crop Havana Oranges. Just received by steamer, for sale by LOUIS J. BOSSIEUX, No. 80 Main street.

W. WALLACE'S PURE MOUNTAIN DEW WHISKEY, for sale in lots to suit purchasers—that in from one barrel upwards. We are now delivering from old and mellow lots.
WM. WALLACE SONS,
Corner Pearl and C