Richmond Dispatch.

WEDNESDAY MORNING....MAY 14, 1862.

THE MEXICAN QUESTION.

Important Statement of the Views of the Lincoln Government.

The following circular letter has been addressed by the abolition Secretary Seward to the several American legations abroad. It is a translation from a French version, which appears in the Archives Diplomatiques:

WASHINGTON, Monday, March 3, 1862.

SIR: We observe indications of a growing impression in Europe that the demonstration made by the Spanish, French and British forces against Mexico is likely to provoke a revolution in that country, which shall bring about the introduction of a monarchical government, and the assumption of the crown by a foreign prince. Our country is deeply interested in the peace of the world, and desires to preserve loyal relations as well with the allies as with Mexico. The President has therefore directed me to submit to the parties interested his views on the new aspect of affairs.

The President has relied upon the assurance given his Government by the Allies, that they were in pursuit of no political object, but simply the redress of their grievances. He entertains no doubt of the sincerity of the Allies, and if his confidence in their good faith had been disturbed, it would be restored by the frank explanations given by them that the Governments of France, Spain and Great Britain have no intention of intervening to procure a change in the constitutional form of Government now existing in Mexico, or any political change which should be in opposition to the will of the Mexican people. In short, he has come to believe that the Allies are unanimous in declaring that revolution proposed to Mexico is solely prompted by certain Mexican citizens who are now in Europe.

Nevertheless, the President regards it as his duty to express to the Allies, in all kindness and candor, that a monarchical government established in Mexico, in the presence of foreign fleets and armies, occupying the waters and the soil of Mexico, has no promise of security or permanence; in the second place, that the stability of such a monarchy would be enhanced if the throne were assigned to a person alien to Mexico; that in these circumstances the new government would instantly fall unless sustained by European alliances, which, under the influence of the first invasion, would be practically the beginning of a permanent policy of armed intervention by monarchical Europe, at once injurious and inimical to the system of government generally adopted by the American continent.

These views are based upon some knowledge of the opinions and political habits of American society. There can be no doubt that in this matter the permanent interests and the sympathies of our country would be on the side of the other American republics.

We must not be understood as predicting on this occasion the course of events which may ensue, both in America and in Europe, from the steps which are contemplated. It is enough to say that, in the opinion of the President, the emancipation of the American continent from the control of Europe has been the principal characteristic of the past half century. It is not probable that a revolution in the opposite direction can succeed in the age which immediately follows this period, and while the population of America increases so rapidly, while its resources develop in the same proportion, and while society forms itself uniformly according to the principles of the American democratic government.

It is unnecessary to indicate to the Allies how improbable it is that the nations of Europe would accept cheerfully a policy favorable to a similar counter-revolution, thus incompatible with their own proper interests. Nor is it necessary to point out that, notwithstanding the care of the Allies to avoid siding, by means of their land and marine forces the internal revolutions of Mexico, the result would be none the less due to the presence of their forces in the country, however different the object they may have proposed; for without their presence it may be considered as certain that such revolutions would probably not have been attempted or even conceived.

The Senate of the United States has certainly not accorded its official sanction to the precise measures proposed by the President, to lend our aid to the actual Mexican Government, in order that the latter might, with the approbation of the Allies, extricate itself from its present embarrassments. But this is strictly a question of internal administration. There could be no greater error than to see in this disagreement a divergence of opinion in our Government, or in the American people, in regard to their cordial wishes for the safety, welfare, and stability of the Republican Government in that country.

I am your obed't serv't,

WM. H. SEWARD.

THE PUGILISTIC CHAMPIONSHIP.—A recent number of *Bell's Life in London*, says:

We believe it is Heenan's intention at once to throw down the gauntlet to Mace and have another shy for the original belt. Mace, who seems to have expected the arrival of a fresh candidate with some anxiety, writes to us from Norwich that L. Moss Phillips has full authority to treat with Heenan, and to sign articles for any amount up to £500 a side. It is rumored that Sayers has issued a cartel calling on Heenan to once more try conclusions with him; but as Sayers is under a bond never to fight again, and as his trustees are determined to prevent his doing so, we are inclined to believe this is mere gossip. At any rate, it is certain that if Sayers gave up his present profitable speculation and signed articles, the matter would not go further, as his friends would take steps to prevent it. We know not whether Heenan's brother has come over on the same business, but if he has, Mace has clearly his work cut out, seeing that if one brother should be unsuccessful, the other would doubtless spring up to avenge his fate. In addition to his pugilistic practice, the Benicia Boy has, we hear, undertaken an engagement with a troupe of equestrians during the Exhibition."

DISTRESS IN MANCHESTER.—8,000 DESTITUTE OPERATIVES.—The Manchester *Guardian*, of the 10th, says: "It is a very sad fact that the distress in this city, caused by want of work, is steadily on the increase. The inclinement weather of the winter having passed, the hopeful anticipations of the spring time have blinded many to the consideration that want of bread is as hard to bear in April as in December. It is a fact, established by the returns prepared under the careful superintendence of Captain Palin, the chief constable, that, from the 7th of January to the 8th of this present month, there has been an increase of nearly two thousand in the number of persons wholly out of employment. The numbers were during the week ending January 7th, 6 187; during the week ending April 8th, 8,059. The latter number has been attained by a weekly increase, on an average of the thirteen weeks of one hundred and fifty individuals. But the number, 8,059, was exceeded by the number in the previous week in March, when the number of operatives dependent upon the labor of their hands for their daily bread, and having no such labor for their willing hands to do, was 8,369. With how earnest a cry, each morning, would the words be spoken from those eight thousand hearts: 'Give us this day our daily bread!'"

LOST, STRAYED, &c.

LOST—Two black TRUNKS, marked "Dr. J. W. Herty, Richmond, Va." Supposed to have been left by an Express man, through mistake, either on Marshall or Franklin street, between 4th and 5th. Any information concerning them will be thankfully received and liberally rewarded at this office. Address "J. W. H.," Dispatch office. my 13—2t*

STRAY HORSE.—A roan HORSE, with white spots on his rump, strayed from the camp of the cavalry battalion of Cobb's Legion, on the Brook Turnpike, about one and a half miles from Richmond. A liberal reward will be given if he is left at Hick's Stable, in this city. my 13—6t*

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.—Strayed from my residence, near Camp Winder, on the 8th inst., two BUFFALO COWS—one deep red and one spotted. Also, one Black HEIFER. The above reward will be paid for their return to my place, or for information of them left at the store of C. H. Chalkley, on 13th street.

my 12—3* JOHN VILES.

$5 REWARD.—Lost on Wednesday evening, from Petersburg, a lady's Morocco Leather BAG, containing articles of no value except to the owner.

E. L. CHINN,
my 12—3t* Gamble's Hill.

LOST—$10 REWARD.—A large black TRUNK, marked "Mrs. O. A. Martin, Norfolk, Va." It was either left at the Norfolk Depot or taken off at Petersburg. The finder will receive the above reward by forwarding the Trunk by express to me at Richmond.

WM. C. WICKINGS,
my 10—3.* Columbian Hotel.

LOST—TRUNK—$50 REWARD.—Lost, about the 15th March, at or between Richmond and Culpeper Court-House, Va., a black LEATHER TRUNK, marked upon pasteboard on one end "Capt. Montgomery Carleton, Decatur, Ills." As said trunk contained valuable papers, to the owner only, I am anxious for its recovery. The above reward will be paid upon the delivery of said trunk to the Rev. C. K. MARSHALL, at Blackford Depot, Richmond, Va.

my 8—3t* MONTGOMERY CARLETON.

LOST—From the baggage-room of the Mexican House, a large, canvas-covered, leather TRUNK, marked "A. McKenzie," on one end, and "S. A. M.," on the other. A liberal reward will be given for a return of the trunk and contents to JNO. F. BALLARD, proprietor of Exchange Hotel, or any information respecting it.

my 5—3t*

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

LAND FOR SALE.—I would sell a Tract of LAND, lying in the county of Mecklenburg, 18 miles from Keysville Depot, on the Richmond and Danville Railroad, four miles from Christiansville to the Depot on the Keysville and Clarksville Railroad. This tract contains 618 acres, all of which is good land, peculiarly adapted to the growth of grain and grass. It is supposed by those best acquainted with the land that at least one-third of the tract is flat land.

The improvements are pretty good—a brick dwelling with five rooms, new framed kitchen, with good cut-houses for servants.

The Farm is well watered with springs on all the shifts, of the purest and best water known in this section. The situation is remarkable for its healthiness, and the neighborhood excellent.

Those wishing to purchase had better visit the premises and see for themselves. Address

DR. JOHN J. BOSWELL,
Wyllieburg, Charlotte, Va.

P. S.—Title unexceptionable. Refer to J. F. Barnes. my 13—6t*

VALUABLE ESTATE OF 725 ACRES ON JAMES RIVER, IN GOOCHLAND COUNTY, ADJOINING THE COURT-HOUSE, FOR SALE.—At the request of Dr. Jno. Morris, whose feeble health prevents his giving attention to business, we offer for sale his valuable ESTATE located as above, on which the said Morris now resides, containing 725 acres: of which 45 acres are James river low grounds, of best quality; 86 acres of Beaver Dam flat, equal almost to river flat. The balance of the tract is of excellent soil, producing the usual crops of that section. There is an ample supply of timber and wood for the use of the place. The improvements on the estate are ample for the use of such a farm. Persons disposed to purchase are respectfully requested to view the place. For further particulars, apply to

GODDIN & APPERSON,
my 13—3t Auctioneers.

VALUABLE FARM, CONTAINING 188 ACRES OF LAND AND COMMODIOUS STORE HOUSE, IN LOUISA COUNTY, FOR SALE.—We are authorized by the owner to sell his Farm, containing 188 acres of land, in the county of Louisa, 12 miles from Cedar Point, on the James River and Kanawha Canal, and equidistant from Virginia Central railroad, about one-half of which is cleared and the balance well timbered.

The dwelling has five rooms.

There is also a store-house and smith's shop, with an extensive patronage.

The above land adjoins those of Wm. J. Walton, Esq., and others.

TERMS—Liberal. Apply to

JAS. M. TAYLOR & SON, Aucts.
my 13—3t

FARM AND FOR SALE.

I offer for sale five hundred acres of LAND, in the county of Prince Edward, on the waters of Bush river, six miles from Meherrin Depot, on the Richmond and Danville Railroad, and six miles from Prince Edward C. H. The land is of excellent quality more than one-third of the tract is in timber of original growth and pines; and eighty or one hundred acres of rich low grounds. The improvements are ordinary, consisting of Overseer's House, four Negro Quarters, and Barns sufficient to house twenty hogsheads of tobacco, Corn Crib, &c. For terms, &c., apply to

P. B. SUBLETT,
Commission Merchant,
my 8—eod5* Shockoe Slip, Richmond.

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.—A TRACT lying on Ward's Fork creek, two miles west of Charlotte Court-House, containing 1,200 acres; 200 creek and branch flats, very rich. This land is well suited to the growth of Tobacco, Wheat, and Clover. The creek divides this land into two beautiful tracts, nearly equal. Some improvements on both sides.

Will sell, also, a very desirable village LOT, containing 80 acres, with good improvements, at Charlotte Court-House. Inquire of

L. B. SPENCER,
my 12—10t Charlotte C. H., Va.

VALUABLE PRIVATE DWELLING AND VACANT LOT ON GRACE AND 7TH STREETS FOR SALE.—At the request of Dr. F. H. Deane we offer for sale his valuable Residence, located as above, fronting about 78 feet on the South side of Grace street, running back about 120 feet to an alley. It will, if desired, be so divided as to sell off a vacant lot to the west, having a front of 30 feet. The location of this property for private residence is justly regarded as among the most desirable in Richmond. Apply to

GODDIN & APPERSON,
my 12—6t Auctioneers.

A VERY DESIRABLE LOT FOR SALE, at Charlotte Court-House, containing 50 acres of highly improved land, good two-story dwelling-house, all necessary outhouses, ice-house, &c.; beautiful yard, excellent garden, orchard, &c., a pump of excellent water in the yard, besides a good spring on the lot, good fences, &c.; 20 acres of wood on the lot.

S. B. SPENCER,
my 12—12t* Charlotte C. H.

FOR SALE.—I have several HOUSES and LOTS in the town of Clarksville, Mecklenburg county, Va., which I will sell on reasonable terms. Also, two or three PLANTATIONS, including "Oak Hill," the famous "Nelson estate" on Staunton river, a few miles above Clarksville.—My address is Clarksville, Mecklenburg co., Va.

my 12—5t* ROBT. Y. OVERBEY.

ELEGANT FARM FOR SALE—A FARM of about 375 acres, 250 cleared, finely improved and well enclosed, with a large and comfortable dwelling, and all necessary out buildings, is for sale. It is less than 5 miles from Petersburg. Very healthy, with excellent water, and a choice variety of fruits of all kinds. Apply by letter to box 661, Petersburg. "C. S. T." my 12—3t*

FOR SALE—A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND.—I have for sale a tract of LAND, lying in the county of Lunenburg, five miles east of the Court-House, adjoining the land I reside on—also, Messrs. Joel Parish, John Orgain, Jr., and others—lying on Flat Rock Creek, containing 508 acres, a large portion in original growth. The improvements consist of a dwelling house, with two rooms above and two below; out-houses, and barns. The land is well watered and is a good neighborhood. I deem further description unnecessary. Any person wishing to buy will come and examine for himself, and I will sell him a great bargain.

ROBERT BOLLING.
New Plymouth P. O., Lunenburg co., Va.
my 10—5t*

NEAT FRAMED TENEMENT ON THE NORTH SIDE OF MAIN, BETWEEN 29TH AND 30TH STREETS, TOGETHER WITH HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, FOR SALE.—At the request of Mr. S. A. Harriman, we offer for sale the framed dwelling located as above, now in his occupancy. It has 5 rooms, besides kitchen, &c. Also, the household furniture, &c.

Terms reasonable. Apply to

GODDIN & APPERSON, Aucts.
my 10—6t

SUSSEX LAND FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale a tract of land two miles from the Petersburg and Richmond Railroad, at a point 24 miles from Petersburg, containing 460 acres, with large and convenient dwelling-house, &c. The corn and fodder will be sold with the place. Possession given immediately, if desired; if not, on the 1st of January next. Address

J. B. FREEMAN,
my 3—1m* Coman's Well, Sussex, Va.

FOR SALE—

A large and convenient DWELLING-HOUSE, with extensive out-houses and grounds, in an interior town of Virginia, not very distant from Richmond.

For particulars, inquire at this office.

my 3—1m

LAND FOR FOR SALE.—I will offer for sale at the late residence of Mrs. M. P. Hobson, one mile from Amelia Court-House, on THURSDAY, the 15th of May, 1862, the TRACT OF LAND of which she died possessed, containing about 60 acres, with comfortable buildings; also, a choice selection of fruit trees.

Terms on day of sale.

S. S. WERSIGER,
my 1—12t* Executor.

LAND FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my FARM, on the Appomattox river, in the county of Prince Edward, six miles above Farmville, and within one and a half miles of the South-Side Railroad. It contains 700 acres; but it can be made smaller to accommodate purchasers. The improvements consist of a two-story dwelling, recently built, an office, and every necessary out-building, in good repair. It has between 80 and 100 acres of creek and river flat land; a sufficiency of wood and timber, and a good portion of the open land is finely set in clover.

For further information in regard to it, I refer to my friends John A. Dalby and Chas. A. Morton, Farmville.

My address is Yorktown, care of Capt. Jno. I. Thornton.

ap 24—1m JOHN H. KNIGHT.

LAND FOR SALE.—I will sell privately, 300 acres of LAND, in the county of Goochland, within two miles of the James River Canal, and two miles from the county seat.

Also, if desired, 100 acres of WOOD LAND, adjoining, making a tract of 400 acres.

There is on the first-named tract a good dwelling-house, barn, tobacco, and other outhouses.—Possession given immediately, if desired. Address the subscriber, at Goochland C. H., or Goochland P. O., Fluvanna county.

ap 23—1m* THOS. R. ARGYLE.

BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.

Having just received a large supply of French Calf Skins and English Sole Leather, I am prepared to make ARMY BOOTS and SHOES in the very best manner, and all other kinds that may be wanted. A call from my old friends and the public generally is respectfully invited.

P. K. WHITE, No. 73 Main st.

WANTED—20 superior BOOT MAKERS—men to work on ladies' shoes, and five men to work on childrens' shoes—to whom the highest prices will be paid.

Also, wanted to purchase, Wax Upper Leather, Calf Skins, Sole Leather, and Sheep Skins, for which the highest cash prices will be paid.

my 5—10t* P. K. WHITE, No. 73 Main st.

FOR RENT AND LEASE.

FOR RENT.—

That desirable STORE and DWELLING, 109 Main street, recently occupied by Wm. S. Tupman. It is one of the best locations for any kind of business. Apply to

LEWIS HYMAN,
my 13—7t* 90 Main street.

FOR RENT—

A very desirable BRICK HOUSE, on Grace, between 7th and 8th streets. Possession can be had on the 15th inst.

Also, a House on Governor street, furnished.

my 13—3t E. D. BACHO 14½ st.

FOR RENT OR LEASE.—The large brick WAREHOUSE, on 11th-street, between Main and Cary, nearly opposite to Messrs. Dunlop, Moncure & Co.'s. For terms, apply to

GODDIN & APPERSON,
my 13—3t Auctioneers.

FOR RENT.—I have for rent a HOUSE, on Clay street, next door to the Clay street Methodist church. It has been put in thorough repair within the last four months. The house is supplied with gas, and water is on the premises. Possession given immediately. Apply to

WM. S. PHILLIPS,
my 12—3t 12th street, bet'n Main and Bank.

FOR RENT—A

HOUSE and FURNITURE, on Cary, between 3d and 4th streets, (third door from 4th street.) The House has six rooms and several closets. To a good tenant, the rent will be moderate. Apply at the House, or at No. 12 Pearl or 14th street. my 10—tc

FOR RENT.—For rent, and possession given immediately, the very desirable Store occupied by the subscribers. It is one of the best stands for a Clothing House in the city, having been occupied as such for the last 18 or 20 years.

DARRACOTT, HARRIS & CO.,
my 3—tf 112 Main street.

P. S.—We would also dispose of the entire Fixtures at low prices. D., H. & CO.

my 3—ts

POTTIERSVILLE FOR RENT.—The undersigned will rent for the balance of the year the place in Louisa county, Va., known as Pottiersville, containing sixty-one acres all improved, on which is a dwelling-house with some six or seven rooms, in good repair, all the out buildings necessary for the comfort and convenience of a family. This place is within 1½ miles of the Virginia Central Railroad, in a pleasant and healthy neighborhood. Any reason wishing further information, will address the undersigned at Lovingston, Spotsylvania county, Va.

ap 18—4w B. McCLOUD

FOR RENT.—The OFFICE now occupied by us, under St. Charles Hotel. Possession given about 1st April.

mh 7—ts R. H. MAURY & CO.

SERVANTS FOR HIRE.

FOR HIRE.

Several male and female SERVANTS for hire.

Apply to

JOHN N. GORDON & SON, 14th st.,
my 13—3t near Exchange Hotel.

FOR HIRE—

A good COOK, without encumbrance. Apply at this office.

my 9—ts

GROCERIES, &c.

SUNDRIES.—

4 hhds choice N. O. Sugar;
1 " Extra Clarified Sugar;
10 bags prime Rio Coffee; 8 tierces prime Rice;
6 caddies good Black Tea; 18,000 Cigars;

For sale to close shipments.

WM. S. ROYSTER,
my 12—3t* Cor. Cary and Virginia sts.

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,
Pepper Sauce,
Tomato Catsup,

For sale by

S. C. GREENHOW,
13th street, between Main and Cary.
my 12—3t

COUNTRY SOAP—

For sale by

S. C. GREENHOW,
13th street, between Main and Cary.
my 12—3t

SUPERFINE AND FAMILY FLOUR—

For sale by

S. C. GREENHOW,
13th street, between Main and Cary.
my 12—3t

LAMP-BLACK MANUFACTORY.—Lamp-Black in packages and quantities to suit purchasers. For sale by

JOS. R. BLOSSOM & CO.,
mh 5—ts Wilmington, N. C.

MILLINERY.

SPRING MILLINERY.

Miss DEMELMAN, on south Main street, between 17th and 18th, has on hand a superior stock of

MILLINERY

and other goods, and invites her old friends, and the Ladies generally, to call and supply themselves. She is prepared to make beautiful spring style Bonnets with expedition, and solicits orders.

Her store is closed every Saturday.

Mrs. D. is prepared to BLEACH Bonnets and hats in the best manner.

☞ Three or four Young Lady MILLINERS will find constant employment by calling on

Mrs. DEMELMAN.
my 5—1m*

COTTON & WOOL CARDS.

COTTON CARDS.—The subscribers have recently received from abroad, a large lot of

COTTON CARDS,

Nos. 8 and 10, which are now offered for sale.

GRAVELEY & PRINGLE,
ap 15—1m* 52 East Bay, Charleston, S. C.

PACKET LINES.

COX'S LINE

FREIGHT BOATS

From Richmond to Lynchburg are now running regularly. For freight apply to

WM. P. COX, Agent,
At the Shed, Dock street,
ap 18—1m* in rear of old Gas Works.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, FRIDAY, MAY 9TH, 1862:

ORDERED, THAT Receivers THOS. T. GILES, HENRY L. BROOKS, JOHN T. FRANCIS, FRANCIS L. SMITH, JOHN M. SPEED, and WM. A. MAURY, do each of them, on the 16th day of June next, render before William F. Watson, a Commissioner of this Court, an account of all matters in his hands or under his control as Receiver as aforesaid, appointed under the act of Congress entitled, "An act for the sequestration of the estates, property, and effects of alien enemies, and for the indemnity of citizens of the Confederate States, and persons aiding the same in the existing war with the United States," approved Aug. 30th, 1861, and do make and state an account and settlement under oath of his collections of moneys and disbursements, under the act aforesaid. And it is further ordered, that the Marshal of this Court cause to be published in the Richmond Enquirer, Examiner, Whig, and Dispatch, for four weeks consecutively before the said day of settlement, a copy of this order; and that the Clerk of this Court send a copy of each of said newspapers to the District Attorney of the Confederate States for this District. A Copy—Teste:

LOFTIN W. ELLETT,
my 13—4w Clerk.

CHESTER HOTEL.

The above Hotel, situated in the village of Chester, on the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad, is now open for the reception of visitors. To those who wish a pleasant summer location, with good water, and daily communication with Richmond and Petersburg, it offers inducements rarely met with in a country village.

TERMS.—$2 per day, or $30 per month. Children under ten years of age and servants half price.

H. F. LINDSEY & CO.,
ap 10—1m* Proprietors.

MILITARY, ATTENTION.

The undersigned are manufacturing and have for sale BRASS PRESSED LETTERS, CROSS CANNONS, CROSS SABRES, &c., for Military Caps, and wish to call the attention of the military to the fact. Orders promptly attended to

KAYTON & SNEAD,
Letter Cutters,
13th, between Main and Cary sts.

Address, by mail, KAYTON & SNEAD, Box 996, Richmond, Va. my 8—12*

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES.—WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES repaired and kept in order.

NEEDLES and SILK on hand.

Fine TUCKING and FAMILY SEWING done by Miss S. LYONS, No 144 Main street, over the store opposite Sam'l M. Price's.

Orders sent promptly attended to.

ap 18—3m*

ALL PERSONS indebted to or having claims against us, contracted through our Agent, the late C. B. CHILDRESS, are hereby urged to come forward promptly, and settle with JOHN C. PATTERSON, who will close the business of the Agency.

JNO. G. HUGHES,
G. S. ALLEN,
JOSEPH N. ARRIS,
JOHN C. PATTERSON,
P. H. BAGNAL.

Charlottesville, Va., April 29. my 5—12t*

BLACK SILKS AND SILK BASQUES AND MANTLES.—At the Mantle Depot, 69 Main street, can be found Black Silks at from 62 to 87 per yard. Also, Basques and Mantles of the latest design.

my 8 69 Main street.

MILITARY NOTICES.

SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE, Richmond, Va., May 9, 1862.

THE attention of the Medical Officers is called to the following order:

WAR DEPARTMENT.
ADJUTANT AND INSPECT. GEN.'S OFFICE, Richmond, April 30, 1862.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 32.

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IV. In accordance with the General Regulations, page 204, one wagon with each regiment in the field, will be appropriated for the transportation of hospital supplies. This wagon, with the ambulances will be reserved for the exclusive use of the Hospital Department, and regimental commanders and others are prohibited from using them for other purposes.

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By command of the Secretary of War.

S. COOPER,
Adjutant and Inspector General.

To secure transportation for hospital supplies, and the reservation of ambulances for their legitimate purpose, ("the transportation of the sick and wounded,") Medical Directors and Surgeons of Divisions Brigades, and Regiments, will urge the strict enforcement of the above order. They will report, to higher authority, officers who fail to comply with the order.

my 13—6t S. P. MOORE, Surgeon Gen'l.

REFUGEES, ATTENTION!—The undersigned having received the proper authority to recruit a CAVALRY COMPANY for Scott's Partisan Rangers, calls upon all refugees, and especially those from Maryland, to come to the rescue. You now have an opportunity to join the most pleasant as well as the most profitable branch of the service. The corps is intended to operate within the enemy's lines as guerillas, and consequently the ordinary fatigues of camp life will be dispensed with. All arms and munitions of war taken from the enemy will be paid for by the Government.

The usual bounty of $50 and $35 for clothing are granted to those who are mustered in.

Having already nearly enough, only a few more will be necessary to muster the company in.

Call at the Palmetto House, corner Main and 12th streets.

WM. H. HOWARD,
my 13—3t* Capt. Scott's Rangers.

ATTENTION!

FIRST HOWITZER COMPANY.

Absentees from this company will report at once for duty. Those who are sick will send surgeons' certificates of their inability to duty. If this order is not complied with immediately, the names of the delinquents will be published as deserters.

ED. S. McCARTHY,
my 13—3t* Captain.

BAYLY'S ARTILLERY—NOTICE!

All members of this company are required to report immediately to Lieut. Joseph A. Williams, at Camp Lee, or they will be advertised as deserters. By order of

SAM'L T. BAYLY,
Captain Bayly's Heavy Artillery.
my 13—5t*

DESERTED—From Camp Fulton, on the 11th of May, 1862, JOHN BERNARD 23 years old; 5 feet 9 inches high; light complexion; blue eyes; light hair. VEROHON FERDINAND; 30 years old; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown eyes; dark hair; dark complexion—both Frenchmen.

J. C. WYATT, Capt. Co. H,
my 13—6t* 56th Reg't Va. Vols.

ATTENTION.—I have authority from Col. John T. Morgan to raise a Company for his Cavalry Regiment of Partisan Rangers, for service in Gen. Kirby Smith's department. "The men to furnish their own horses, and, as far as possible, their arms and equipments, the latter to be paid for by the Government."

The attention of persons not now in the service, but subject to the provisions of the Conscription act, who are able to furnish their own horses, is particularly called to this favorable opportunity of entering this arm of the service.

Substitutes will be furnished to parties who will supply them with horses and equipments, without further charge.

Apply at the Recruiting Office, on Bank street, near the Custom-House.

my 12—6t* L. R. SMOOT.

HEAD'Q'S DICKINSON'S ARTILLERY, Camp Lee, May 12th, 1862.

MEMBERS of DICKINSON'S ARTILLERY who do not report at Camp Lee on TUESDAY next, at the verification of the master roll, will lose their bounty as well as two months' pay, and will be advertised as deserters.

my 12—2t* N. B. DICKINSON, Capt.

NOTICE.—Persons wishing to join the SECRET SERVICE for the war, will have the privilege of doing so by calling at my office, over the counting room of Messrs. McKinney & Dupuy, Shockoe Slip, near Columbian Hotel. Office will be open from the 12th inst.

my 9—12t* B. F. BOWLES, Captain.

HEAD'Q'RS LETCHER ARTILLERY, May 7, 1862.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD! Deserted from my company, at present stationed in the vicinity of Massaponax Church, near Fredericksburg, the following men, for the delivery of whom to me at the above post, or to Capt. Alexander at the Provost prison in Richmond, one hundred dollars reward for each will be paid, viz: AUSTIN N. DEMPSEY, SAMUEL H. MOSIER, and EUGENE R. GRINNAN.

A. N. DEMPSEY is 22 years of age, 5 feet 4 inches high, has dark hair, hazel eyes, fair, ruddy complexion, and was born in Baltimore.

SAM'L H. MOSIER is 22 years of age, 5 feet 8½ inches high, light, brown hair, light, bluish eyes, full face, sallow complexion, well built, and hails from Louisiana.

EUGENE R. GRINNAN is 21 years of age, about 5 feet 9 inches high, has dark, brown hair, gray eyes, and fair complexion—hails from Georgia.

And I hereby forewarn all persons from harboring, or in any manner aiding, the above deserters, as the law will be rigidly enforced against all so offending.

GREENLEE DAVIDSON,
Captain Letcher Light Artillery,
3d Brigade, Army of the Rappahannock.
my 8—1w

HEAD'Q'RS DEPT OF HENRICO, Richmond, Va., March 11, 1862.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 6.

II. Railroad companies are forbidden to transport into this city or out of it, spirituous liquors or other intoxicating beverages.

III. Superintendents of railroads are requested to report daily to the Provost Marshal the number of passengers passing over their roads out of the city of Richmond.

By order of

Brig.-Gen'l JNO. H. WINDER, Com. &c.
mb 13—ts L. R. PAGE, A. A. Gen'l.

SECOND COMPANY JOHNSON'S LIGHT ARTILLERY.

More recruits are wanted for this company forthwith. The conscription will soon be passed, mustering into the service every man in the Confederacy between the ages of 18 and 35, leaving no option with the conscript as to where he shall go, or to what arm of the service he shall belong.

All those who prefer to select the Light Artillery as their service should take at once the last opportunity they will probably have to volunteer. We desire, at the earliest possible moment, to complete our organization and take the field, where all who are fit for service should be, and where they must be soon, either voluntarily or by compulsion.

Those who have been in service know that the Light Artillery is the most agreeable as well as the most effective arm of the service. Come at once, then, while the chance is given you to enlist where you please, and relieve yourselves from the opprobrium of compulsory service.

Recruiting Office, Johnson & Guigon's office, under the Whig Building.

A. B. GUIGON,
JAMES H. HACKETT,
JOHN H. LEFTWICH.
ap 15—ts

HEADQUARTERS ORDNANCE DEPARTM'T, Richmond, Va., March 25th, 1862.

THIS DEPARTMENT IS DESIROUS OF purchasing ARMS from those parties having good double-barrel shot guns, sporting rifles, or any kind of weapons that will be useful in the field. These arms will be fairly appraised on their delivery in Richmond, and payments will be promptly made.

Agents heretofore collecting State arms for this Department are requested to collect and forward these private arms as promptly as possible.

J. DIMMOCK,
mh 29—tf Col. of Ordnance of Virginia.

ATTENTION, LIGHT ARTILLERY.—I am authorized by the Governor to receive SUBSTITUTES in my company of Light Artillery, and to muster them in as they come. Those, therefore, who desire to procure substitutes, or who wish to become substitutes, should call at once at my headquarters, Johnson & Guigon's office, under the Whig Building.

A. B. GUIGON,
mh 28—ts Captain Light Artillery.

ATTENTION, MARTIN'S BATTERY!—All members of this command who are absent without leave, will report at once at "Camp Lee," or they will be reported to the Provost Guard and arrested as deserters.

Persons wishing to join the company will apply to Serg't Pulliam, at the Recruiting office, corner of Bank and 15th streets.

S. TAYLOR MARTIN, Captain.
ap 21—ts

MARYLAND PARTISAN CORPS.—It is proposed to organize a PARTISAN CORPS of Maryland men, to act as nearly as possible on the frontier of our own State.

The corps to consist of Cavalry, Artillery and Infantry, and to be under command of Colonel WALTER H. JENIFER, who has accepted the same.

Horses will be furnished to those who desire to join the cavalry, if unable to provide their own.

The Secretary of War having decided that Marylanders are exempt from the provisions of the Conscription act, all twelve months men from that State can claim transfer to this corps at or after the expiration of their term of service.

Pay, rations and bounty same as in regular service.

J. A. WESTON,
my 10—tf 15 Pearl street.

MILITARY NOTICES.

[EXTRACT.]

ADJ'T AND INSP. GEN'S OFFICE, RICHMOND, May 9, 1862.

SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 107.

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With a view to carry into effect, with the least practicable delay, General Orders No. 8, (current series,) all skilled officers or adopted citizens of Maryland, now serving in volunteer regiments, will at their option be ordered by the commanding officers of their brigades or regiments, to proceed and join the first regiment of Maryland volunteers, now serving in the command of Major-General T. J. Jackson.

Brigadier-General George H. Steuart will report in person to Major-General Jackson, for the purpose of organizing the Maryland Line, and for such other duty as may be assigned to him.

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By command of the Secretary of War.

JOHN WITHERS, A. A. G.

The attention of Marylanders in volunteer regiments is called to the above order, and they are urged to make applications for transfer immediately.

It is highly important that organization into companies and regiments be made with as little delay as practicable.

The old associations of the Maryland Line appeal to all Marylanders to make the organization as complete and effective as possible.

Transferred men passing through Richmond, or any others desiring to join the Maryland Line, will report to Maj. George H. Kyle, 14 Pearl street, who will facilitate them in joining the command.

GEO. H. STEUART, Brig.-Gen'l.
my 12—eod3t* Com'g the Md. Line.

THE UNDERSIGNED, exempt by age or other cause from military duty, hereby tender their services to the Governor of Virginia for the defence of the city of Richmond, as a company of Infantry or Sharpshooters, or to defend the Batteries planted to protect the obstructions designed to arrest the approach of the enemy's gunboats, or otherwise, as the Governor may direct; their term of service to continue as long as the advance of the enemy threatens the city.

MANY SIGNERS.

The list of names can be found at 115 Main street.

N. B.—It is requested that those who wish to join the corps come forward promptly.

my 12—1t*

[EXTRACT.]

ADJ'T AND INS. GEN'S OFFICE, RICHMOND, May 9, 1862.

SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 107.

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VII. All OFFICERS and SOLDIERS who are absent from their regiments, battalions, or companies, without authority, are hereby ordered to join them forthwith. The Commanding General of the Department of Henrico is required to arrest all such persons found in and about Richmond, and to send them back to their respective commands.—Should this arrest be disregarded the NAMES of the OFFICERS and MEN in default will be PUBLISHED IN THE PAPERS AS DESERTERS.

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By command of the Sec'y of War.

JOHN WITHERS,
my 10—1w Ass't Adj't-General.

PARTISAN RANGERS.—

My Battalion of MOUNTED RANGERS will be ready to take the field in two weeks. Only one more company required. Those wishing to unite will please address me immediately. Lt.-Col. W. C. OLDHAM,
my 10—ts Richmond, Va.

ALL MEMBERS OF THE PAMUNKEY Artillery now absent, are ordered to rejoin their Company at once, at Warwick's Bend, on James River.

R. T. ELLETT,
my 10—5t* Captain Company.

SCOTT'S PARTISAN RANGERS.

Having been authorized by Major Scott to raise a company, as part of his corps of PARTISAN RANGERS, to be supplied with Williams's breech loading mounted rifle, I am prepared to receive any and all effective men not now in service; and I appeal especially to exiles from Kentucky, Maryland, and Northwestern Virginia.—Our commander was Captain of the celebrated Black Horse Cavalry, that proved so destructive to the invaders at Bull Run and Manassas. He will lead us into the very heart of the enemy's country, and enable us to strike terror to the minions of the miserable tyrant who has dared to wage a merciless war upon the young Confederacy of the South. Let there be no lack of heroic men to follow him.

The gun with which this company will be armed is the most wonderful and destructive weapon of the age. It can be loaded and fired from 20 to 30 times per minute, and will shoot with precision from three-fourths of a mile to a mile, when loaded with ball, and when loaded with buck-shot or musket balls, it will scatter death and destruction in the face of the foe at the distance of from three to five hundred yards. Indeed, it may be confidently affirmed that one company, armed with this weapon, will do more fearful execution than a whole regiment supplied with ordinary infantry arms. Besides promising to be the most effective arm of the public service, the members of this corps will be entitled, in addition to the pay of regular soldiers, to compensation for all the arms and munitions of war captured from the enemy.

Persons desirous to engage in this most desirable and attractive branch of warfare, will please apply at once to the undersigned, Bank street, near 12th, Richmond, Va.

my 9—6t* E. N. ORVIS.

[EXTRACT.]

HEADQ'S DEPARTMENT OF HENRICO, Richmond, Va., May 7, 1862.

SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 79.

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II. By direction of General Lee, all officers now in Richmond belonging to troops serving on the Peninsula, will report immediately for duty at these Headquarters.

Soldiers returning to duty will report to the Commanding Officer at Camp Winder.

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By order of Brig.-Gen. JOHN H. WINDER.

my 8—6t L. R. PAGE, A. A. Gen.

PARTISAN RANGERS.—I have received the requisite authority to enlist a corps of PARTISAN RANGERS to serve during the war.

The corps is designed to consist of Mounted Riflemen, Cavalry, and Infantry, and have attached to it a company armed with the light howitzer. I propose to operate within the enemy's lines, and will be enabled to hold out the prospect of a more active life than that which falls to the lot of the regular soldier; at all events, the members of the corps will not be subjected to the tedium of camp life.

I cordially and most earnestly invite all who desire to enter the Partisan branch of the service to unite with me, and all companies and battalions not mustered into the Confederate service. I desire gentlemen who propose to unite with me to bring with them such private arms as they may be able to command—shot guns, rifles, pistols, &c.

The wolf is heated for his scalp, and our