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SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ PLEASURE EXCURSION TO THE FLEET. The STEAMER WILLIAM ALLISON will make a PLEASURE EXCURSION down the James river to the Fleet on FRIDAY NEXT, September 2d, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, returning about dark to Richmond.

Fare for the trip, $5. Children under ten years of age half price.

Cotillon Music is engaged.

Refreshments will be found on the boat. au 31—3t*

☞ CAPT. W. E. FRANKLAND, of Mosby's Battalion, will be in the city to-day, and will receive a few good Marylanders, or other non-conscripts, into his company. He may be found at WADSWORTH & PALMER'S, on Fourteenth street, at 12 M. to-day. au 31—1t*

☞ SPECIAL NOTICE.—The attention of the trade is respectfully called to our sale TO-DAY, commencing at 11 o'clock, namely:

10 tierces clarified Sugar,
10 barrels good to prime Sugar,
10 boxes Sugar,
10 bags Rio Coffee,
15,000 Florida Cigars, a superior article,
5 barrels old Whiskey,
10 kegs old Jamaica Rum,
10 boxes Rosin Soap,
Small invoice Garcin's Fancy Soap,
1 tierce Tonqua Beans, &c.

CHARLES T. WORTHAM & CO., Auctioneers.
au 31—1t

☞ SPECIAL NOTICE.—Attention is asked to my sale of

Fine Carriages, Buggies, Sleigh, Spring Wagon, Phaeton, Harness and Horses,

to take place THIS MORNING at 10 o'clock at the stable on Franklin street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth. THOMAS W. KEESEE, Auctioneer.
au 31—1t

☞ SPECIAL NOTICE.

SALE OF THE BALLARD HOUSE FURNITURE.

This establishment is now thrown open for parties to inspect the entire stock of FURNITURE, the sale of which is to commence on THURSDAY NEXT at 10 o'clock.

We shall begin the sale with the elegant PARLOR FURNITURE, PIANO, &c.

J. C. TALIAFERRO & CO., Proprietors.

N. B.—All creditors will be allowed to offset any claim in settlement for purchases made at the above sale. au 30—1ds

☞ SHOCKOE MILL, Seventeenth street, across the Dock. CORN AND WHEAT GROUND ON TOLL. FLOUR AND MEAL FOR SALE.
au 29—1m*

☞ WANTED, DEAD HORSES, COWS AND MULES.—If persons having such on their lots will procure a day and have the animal hauled to our tannery, in rear of the Poor-House, foot of Second street, we will pay ten dollars dray-age on same.
au 12—eod1t* H. J. MAGNE & CO.

☞ HIRING, LIVERY AND SALE STABLES, Will Street, Richmond, Va.—Horses, Buggies, and Ladies' and Gentlemen's Saddle Horses for hire.—Horses taken at livery by the day, week or month, and the best care taken of them. Horses, Buggies and Harness bought and sold on commission. For sale, a No. 1 Family Horse, and a beautiful ladies' Pony; also, a light Phaeton and Double Harness.

THOMAS RUSKELL & CO., Proprietors.
au 25—6t*

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

VALUABLE FARM OF TWO THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY ACRES OF LAND IN YORK COUNTY, ON YORK RIVER, FOUR MILES FROM WILLIAMSBURG, FOR SALE.—At the request of Mr. William Waller, I offer for sale his valuable estate on York river, within four miles of Williamsburg, containing twenty-one hundred and fifty acres of land, with all the improvements, consisting of a large fine BRICK BUILDING, containing about fifteen rooms, two Cottage Dwellings, four Barns, and all the customary out-buildings usually on such estates; all in good order. There are about two hundred acres of land set in choice fruit trees, about thirty acres in a vineyard. A large portion of the land is cleared and in a high state of cultivation; the remainder is in wood, most of which is original growth, and a large portion fine timber. This Farm, from its natural advantages, may be considered one of the first class in Eastern Virginia. Persons wishing to secure such a farm would do well to apply at once, as it is seldom such an estate is brought into market. It sold before the war for $30,000 in gold without the improvements.

TERMS: Liberal. JAMES M. TAYLOR, Auctioneer.
au 31—4t

A RARE CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT IN CITY PROPERTY.

THE "ST. CHARLES HOTEL."

This desirable property is offered for sale. For particulars inquire of

HARVEY, JAMES & WILLIAMS, Virginia street.
au 31—6t

FARM FOR SALE.—Being in a bad state of health, so that I cannot attend to my agricultural affairs, causes me to offer my farm for sale; its location being about ten miles west of the city of Richmond, Henrico county, lying on Deep Run Creek, containing four hundred and twenty-six acres. The improvements consist of a large dwelling and all necessary buildings. I deem it unnecessary to say anything more respecting my farm, as those wishing to purchase will come and judge for themselves. For terms, apply to the subscriber on the premises.
au 29—1t WILLIAM W. MORIEN.

FARM FOR SALE IN HENRICO COUNTY, FIVE MILES BELOW RICHMOND, ON THE CHARLES CITY ROAD, CONTAINING ONE HUNDRED ACRES.—This FARM is well suited for marketing, seventy acres of which are cleared, and the balance heavily wooded. The buildings consist of dwelling with four rooms, two kitchens, corn-house and barn. For terms apply to MINOR & BURKE,
au 31—3t* Cary, near Thirteenth street.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE IN BOWLING GREEN.—My DWELLING and STORE-HOUSE in Bowling Green is for sale privately. The property is located in the most central and desirable portion of the village, two and a half miles from Milford Depot, upon the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad. Persons wishing to purchase can come to Milford by the land-car which runs daily between that place and the burnt bridge. For particulars apply to C. C. WALTER, No. 131 Broad street, or to HENRY GUNST, on Marshall street, between First and Second, or to the subscriber, on the premises.
au 31—eod3t* J. S. DAVIS.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS OF TWELFTH VIRGINIA DISTRICT.—All persons in my district west of Sixth street who have not been assessed according to law, as well as those who have been assessed and have not paid all their quarterly sales tax, including soldiers' tax to 1st July, 1864, I hereby notify that the penalty will be exacted of them after the first day of September, 1864, unless sufficient reason is given for their delinquency.

P. A. WOODS, Collector Twelfth Virginia District.
au 15—t1stSep*

NOTICE.—Commandants and others of the army and navy will please pay attention to the notice already given that arrangements have been made for a steamer to leave Rocketts DAILY at 7 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of towing barges and taking to Drewry's Bluff quartermaster and commissary stores and other articles for the army and navy. Except in cases of emergency, steamers will not be furnished at other hours.

JOHN H. PARKER, Lieutenant in charge office Special Service,
je 21—ts Navy Department.

NOTICE.—Always on hand, and for sale, MOLASSES BARRELS, LIQUOR BARRELS, FLOUR BARRELS and KEGS of all kinds and sizes; BUCKETS, TUBS, &c. Orders can be left at F. Delarue's Grocery, No. 7 Franklin street, or at my Cooper shop, on Seventeenth street, corner of Baldwin, near the Central Railroad Workshops. Delivered anywhere in the city gratis.
au 29—2w* H. METZGER.

NOTICE.—For hire, by the month, an excellent COOK, without incumbrance, for whom the owner has at present no use. For terms apply at my office, 164 Main street.
au 19—ts D. T. WILLIAMS.

HAVING been engaged in the HORSE BUSINESS for a long time, I will attend to selling HORSES, MULES, &c., at Council Chamber Hill, EVERY SATURDAY. My office is at JOHN B. DAVIS'S Stable, Franklin street.
au 30—5t* EGBERT T. BASS.

TEA, COFFEE AND SUGAR.

15 half-chests Black TEA,
20 barrels Prime SUGAR,
20 do. COFFEE,
300 pounds MAPLE SUGAR.

ROBERT HOUGH & CO., No. 14 Pearl street.
au 30—6t*

AMUSEMENTS.

RICHMOND THEATRE, Corner Seventh and Broad streets.

Acting and Stage Manager.....R. D. OGDEN.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, August 31, 1864,

THIRD NIGHT of the re-engagement of MISS IDA VERNON.

NOTICE.—The management, in compliance with numerous requests, and being ever desirous of pleasing their patrons, will present, for the first and only time, the beautiful five-act play of

CAMILLE; OR, THE FATE OF A COQUETTE!

MISS IDA VERNON as.....CAMILLE
ARMAND.....R. D'ORSAY OGDEN.
BALLADS.....Miss BLANCHE MIDDLETON.

To conclude with the Laughable Farce of MRS. AND MR. WHITE.

In rehearsal a new five-act Play entitled AURORA FLOYD.

NOTICE.—On and after this date the doors will be opened at 7 o'clock; performance commencing at 8 o'clock precisely. au 31—1t

RICHMOND VARIETIES, (Franklin street, next door to the Exchange Hotel.)

TO-NIGHT, OLIO MINSTRELS In a New and Varied Bill.

FIFTEEN STAR PERFORMERS APPEAR—Among others,

R. JEAN BUCKLEY,
CHARLEY WHITE,
DAN GARDNER,
BILLY PELL—

In New Songs, Dances, Burlesques, Operas, &c.

MAMMOTH BILL!

☞ See bills of the day. au 31—1t*

A GRAND SELECT BALL Will be given at COMPANY G'S HALL, on Church Hill, corner of N and Twenty-eighth streets, on THURSDAY EVENING, September 1st, for the benefit of a

NEEDY FAMILY.

STRICT ORDER WILL BE ENFORCED.

MANAGERS: JAMES REDFORD and GEORGE OLPHIN.

Tickets, admitting one gentleman and ladies, $5.
au 30—2t* G. SADLER, Proprietor.

METROPOLITAN HALL.

LOOK OUT

For the NIGHTINGALE MINSTRELS On MONDAY NIGHT, September 5, 1864.
au 30—5t*

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership of the subscribers, in the auction and commission business, under the firm of TOLLESON, CATLETT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either of the partners will settle the out standing business of the firm.

ALFRED TOLLESON,
THOMAS J. CATLETT,
WILLIAM BELL.

Richmond, August 31, 1864. au 31—3t

COMMISSION BUSINESS.

A. TOLLESON & CO., No. 141 Main street, Richmond, Virginia, (Successors to Tolleson, Catlett & Co.,)

Will continue the COMMISSION BUSINESS.—Thankful for the liberal patronage to our former house, we hope, by prompt attention, quick sales and prompt returns to merit a share of the public patronage. A. TOLLESON & CO.
au 31—3t

FAMILY GROCERIES, &c.

Prime Green Tea,
Prime Black Tea,
Harvey and Reading Sauces,
Lard, Sugar, Salt,
Coffee, Starch, Pickles,
Onions, Pepper, Candles,
Brooms, Buckets, Tubs, and
A fine assortment of Liquors,

For sale at reasonable prices next door to the TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
au 31—3t* Main street.

EDWARD McADAM, GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, Thirteenth street, near Cary,

Has for sale

Coffee, Pepper, Sugar,
Vinegar, Rice, Wrapping Paper,
Brooms, Buckets, Tube, Nails,
Washing Soda, Cotton Yarns, &c.
Soap sold at $1 ℔ lb.
au 31—3t*

IN STORE, AND TO ARRIVE,

3 barrels New Orleans Syrup,
6 barrels superior Rice,
12 bales superior Cotton Yarns,
8 kegs superior Soda,
20 boxes Manufactured Tobacco.

W. B. DAVIDSON, Cary street, between Thirteenth and Virginia,
au 31—2t Richmond, Va.

COTTON YARNS.

1 bale 6, 8, 10, 13,
1 bale 8, 10.

On consignment and for sale by BOULS & SANDERSON,
au 31—1t* No 80 Main street.

FOR SALE, at reduced prices, Black and Colored CLOTHS for ladies' cloaks. ALSO,

Fine Black ALPACAS,
Gray CLOTHS for uniforms,
Large assortment Black SEWING SILK, by the pound or smaller quantity,
Superior article of Saddlers's SILK,
Fine assortment of Double-milled FANCY CASSIMERES,

To be had at 104 Main street.
au 31—1w BEERS & SPILMAN.

NEW GOODS.—Just received at E. GOLDSMITH'S, 176 Broad street,

Super Black Bombazine,
French Merino, Brilliants, Alpacas,
Barethea Cloth, Calicoes, Debages,
Rich Cambric Edgings and Bands,
White Cambrics, Swiss Muslins,
Bird-eye and Russia Diapers,
White Flannels,
Bleached Cotton,
Blay Linens,

With many other desirable articles, to be sold at moderate prices. E. GOLDSMIT,
au 31—3t* 176 Broad street.

AT PRIVATE SALE,

1,000 pairs No. 10 Cotton Cards, of prime quality,
1,000 pairs No. 6 Wool Cards, prime quality,

Which, to close invoices, we offer in lots of one hundred pairs or more at $20 per pair.

250 choice French Soft Hats,
50,000 Ring Travelers,
50 pounds Sugar of Lead,
India-Rubber Combs.

WILLIAM H. FOWLE, SONS & CO.
au 31—3t

GUANO! GUANO!! GUANO!!!—Navassa GUANO, containing seventy-five per cent. phosphate of lime.

Brown Cotton SHIRTINGS,
Bi Carbonate of SODA,
PLOWS, PLOW CASTINGS, &c. For sale by
au 31—eod3t* GEORGE WATT & CO.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES,

600 pads Cotton Yarns, assorted, from 9 to 14,
300 pairs Cotton and Wool Cards,
9 bales 4-4 Brown Cotton,
Brown Sugar, Coffee,
Soda, Rice, &c.,

For sale at No. 71 Main street by
au 31—6t* BOSHER & WOODDY.

FLOUR, FLOUR, FLOUR.

69 barrels New Extra FLOUR

For sale by CHARLES L. TODD,
au 31—4t* Corner of Sixth and Clay streets.

NEW SONG.—Published TO-DAY, and may be had at all the Book and Music stores,

THE ALABAMA.....$2.00.

GEORGE DUNN & CO., Richmond, Virginia.
au 31—eod3t

NOW READY, THE SOUTHERN PUNCH WEEKLY. To be had at

ALL THE BOOKSTORES,

And at the publication office, Eleventh street, Between Main and Cary.
au 30—2t

PURE ESSENCE OF VANILLA AND LEMON, freshly prepared by

E. T. ROBINSON, Corner of Fourth and Franklin.
au 31—6t

FOR RENT AND SALE.

FOR RENT, a comfortable DWELLING, with six rooms besides basement, in a pleasant neighborhood, near the First Market, for the remainder of the present year, at a moderate rent, on condition that the new tenant purchase the present occupant's carpets, oil cloth and gas fixtures, at a fair price. Possession given on the 1st of October, or perhaps earlier. Call at 183 Main street, between the hours of 3 and 6 P. M. au 31—2t*

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT, suitable for single gentlemen, on the western suburbs of the city. For terms address "Box 899." au 31—2t*

FOR RENT, a gentleman's FURNISHED FRONT BASEMENT, on Franklin, between Eighth and Ninth, second from the corner.
au 31—1t*

FOR RENT, until the 1st of January next, the eligible STORE and BASEMENT, corner of Cary and Virginia streets, underneath the office of the *Illustrated News*. Apply at the office of R. H. Dibrell. CHARLES CAMMAN.
au 31—3t

A DWELLING HOUSE FOR RENT on Shockoe Hill, containing eight rooms. Apply at 130 Cary street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth. au 31—1t*

ROOMS FOR RENT.—For rent, two very desirable ROOMS, with gas, and well furnished, suitable for gentlemen, on Grace street, fifth door from Eighth. au 31—1t*

ROOMS FOR RENT.—For rent, FURNISHED ROOMS, with use of parlor and kitchen; can have cooking done if desired. For particulars apply at the residence on Marshall street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth, Church Hill, first brick house. au 31—1t*

FOR RENT, a very desirable ROOM, with gas and well furnished, on the northwest corner of Clay and Foushee streets. Apply on the premises. au 30—2t*

FOR RENT, the TENEMENT on the corner of Marshall and Fifth streets, with store room (an excellent stand for business), four comfortable rooms above, cellar, two water closets and gas. For terms, &c., apply to GEORGE K. CRUTCHFIELD or CHARLES E. ELLETT.
au 30—2t*

FOR RENT, a DESIRABLE HOUSE, in Sidney, containing twelve rooms, with four acres of ground attached. For particulars, apply to Mrs. M. B. CROUCH, in Sidney, or
au 30—3t SLAUGHTER & CO.

FOR RENT, the large and commodious STORE on the northeast corner of Fourth and Broad streets—one of the best business locations on Broad street. Also, two smaller STORES, in the rear of the same. For particulars, apply on the premises. au 30—3t*

FOR RENT, until December 1st, 1864, a FURNISHED HOUSE, one and three-quarter miles from the city; with servants, and, if desired, a cow. Apply at Commissary-General's office, second floor, 213 Main street. au 30—2t*

FOR RENT, three FURNISHED ROOMS, with gas and servant's attendence, at Mrs. WATKINS'S, on Grace street, between Third and Fourth streets, fourth door from the corner of Fourth street. au 29—4t*

FOR RENT, a MARKET GARDEN, containing twelve and one-eighth acres of good land, with a house on it, within one mile of the city, adjoining the land of the late John Talley, and in rear of Dr. Lollin's market garden, on the Mechanicsville turnpike. Apply to POLLARD & WALKER, Cary street, or to WILLIAM SALMON, Franklin street. au 29—eod3t*

FOR RENT, one large FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, on Ninth street, French Garden Hill, (within a few minutes' walk of the departments), with gas, in a genteel private family where there are no children. It would be suitable for two gentlemen, with attendance. No one but my mother and self. Also for sale, two splendid Marseilles COUNTERPANES, one GOLD THIMBLE and one SILVER FRUIT-KNIFE. Apply to

Mrs. J. A. GOODE, Ninth street, beyond Leigh.
au 29—3t*

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY C, FIRST BATTALION CAVALRY FOR LOCAL DEFENCE, RICHMOND, August 31, 1864.

ALL MEMBERS OF THIS COMPANY will call at the store of Williams & Norfleet corner of Thirteenth and Main streets, TO-DAY, to see after their new uniforms.

au 31—1t N. M. NORFLEET, Captain.

MASONIC NOTICE.—The members of DOVE LODGE, No. 51, are hereby summoned to attend a called meeting of their Lodge, at the Hall, on Marshall street, on THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON at 7 o'clock.

Members of sister lodges and transient brethren are fraternally invited to unite with us.

By order of the Worshipful Master.

au 31—1t* AUG. ARSELL, Jr., Secretary.

SOMETHING FOR THE BABIES!—Five hundred dozen pure BIRD'S-EYE LINEN NURSERY DIAPERS for infant purposes, aprons, &c., a really beautiful quality; warranted pure flax. Also, a splendid lot of fine BROWN LINEN for aprons and traveling dresses, at No. 11 Main street, nearly opposite St. Charles Hotel.
au 31—3d6t

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—10 barrels Spirits TURPENTINE; 2 barrels NAPTHA, for cleaning machinery, on consignment for sale to arrive.

WANTED to contract for the backing of a lot of English COTTON CARDS. R. R. ROBERTS, Commission Merchant,
au 31—3t* Corner Cary and Thirteenth streets.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST received a very large stock of very fine bleached SHIRTINGS, at low prices. Also, a very fine assortment of Ladies' DRESS GOODS. Call before buying elsewhere at

Miss R. C. SEMON'S Military Store,
au 31—6t* No. 98 Main street.

MOSBY'S PARTISAN RANGERS.—Any member of the above command who may be in the city will confer a favor by addressing "W.," box 1113, post-office, stating where an interview can be had. au 31—1t*

FOR SALE, a fine HUNTING-CASE GOLD WATCH, best quality, a perfect timekeeper, and in perfect running order. It is for sale because the owner is in want of money, and can be seen at No. 188 Broad street. au 31—1t*

PIANO FOR RENT, a superior seven-octave ROSEWOOD-CASE PIANO-FORTE, by the month. Apply at the Telegraph office, on Main street, to J. R. DOWELL.
au 31—3t*

THREE HUNDRED POUNDS GENUINE CASTILE SOAP, a few dozen India Rubber NIPPLES, Gum OPIUM, QUININE, Carolina Bell SCOTCH SNUFF, Mason's genuine BLACKING, received and for sale by L. WAGNER,
au 31—3t* Druggist, Sixth and Broad streets.

HARNESS FOR SALE.—For sale an elegant single set of BUGGY HARNESS, made of the best materials and never used. Apply at Mr. BOSHER'S carriage manufactory, Ninth street, between Main and Cary. au 31—1t*

SEVERAL HANDSOME NEW SILK DRESSES for sale. Apply at the SHOE STORE, No. 167 Broad street, between Sixth and Seventh streets. au 31—3t*

PISTOL FOUND.—A Colt's PISTOL was found in the water-closet of the Spotswood Hotel, which the owner can have by proving property. Apply at the office. au 31—2t*

FOR SALE, at the stable on Tenth street, between Main and Cary, three No. 1 MILCH COWS, two with young Calves. au 31—3t

PIANO FOR SALE, with Cover, (six and a half octave,) made by Charles Pommer, Philadelphia. Also, some SHEET MUSIC. Call at 230 Broad street for two days. au 31—2t*

HORSES, HORSES.—For sale, at No. 63 Main street, after 9 o'clock THIS MORNING, several Saddle and Draught HORSES.
au 31—1t* H. P. TAYLOR.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, RICE WHISKEY, BRANDY, &c.

100 gallons New Orleans Molasses, in ten-gallon runlets,
200 gallons African-Cane Molasses, in ten-gallon runlets,
5 tierces Rice,
5 barrels Old Rye Whiskey,
5 barrels Apple Brandy,

and a general assortment of GROCERIES, for sale by JONES & PHILLIPS,
au 30—2t* Ninth and Main streets.

NOTICE. FAMILY FLOUR

In store and for sale by the barrel and pound. ALSO,

Several barrels CIDER VINEGAR.

J. W. S. TAYLOR, Fifth street, between Broad and Marshall.
au 30—2t*

FOR HIRE, a SERVANT MAN: a good hostler, field hand and house servant. Apply at the corner of Eighteenth and Main streets.
au 30—2t*

OFFICIAL.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, Richmond, Va., August 26, 1864.

REGULATIONS FOR CARRYING INTO EFFECT THE ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED JUNE 13, 1864, AUTHORIZING OWNERS OF REGISTERED EIGHT PER CENT. BONDS, ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT APPROVED MAY 16, 1861, TO EXCHANGE THE SAME FOR COUPON BONDS.—Parties owning registered eight per cent. bonds under the act of May 16, 1861, desiring to exchange them for coupon bonds, will assign them, in the manner pointed out in the printed endorsement on the back of the certificate, to the "Confederate States of America, in exchange for coupon bonds," and cause them to be presented to the Register of the Treasury Department, who will thereupon, in compliance with the provisions of the act of June 13, 1864, issue coupon bonds for the amount specified in the registered bonds so assigned.

G. A. TRENHOLM, Secretary of the Treasury.
au 29—ts

LOANS ON THE SECURITY OF THE FIVE HUNDRED MILLION SIX PER CENT. NON-TAXABLE BONDS, UNDER THE SEVENTH SECTION OF THE CURRENCY LAW.—Deposits on call will be received by the Treasurer in this city, Assistant Treasurers at Charleston and Mobile, and the Depositaries at Wilmington, Raleigh, Columbia, Augusta, Savannah and Montgomery, and certificates will be issued for the same, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and secured by the hypothecation of an amount of the above bonds equal to the sum of these loans. The bonds to be set apart by the Treasurer, and the proceeds, when sold, applied exclusively to the payment of the said certificates.

The security and convenience afforded to banks and other corporations, and to the public generally, by this mode of temporary investment, and the effect of the measure, if generally adopted, in keeping the currency within moderate bounds, it is hoped will commend it to the favorable consideration of the community and secure their prompt co-operation in carrying it into effect. G. A. TRENHOLM, Secretary of the Treasury.

RICHMOND, July 22, 1864. au 22—ts

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, Richmond, August 8, 1864.

CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS BEARING SIX PER CENT. PER ANNUM INTEREST AND FREE FROM TAXATION.—By the fourteenth section of the act to reduce the currency, approved February 17, 1864, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to issue the above certificates, payable two years after the ratification of a treaty of peace with the United States. They cannot be sold, but are only to be issued to such creditors of the Government as are willing to receive the same in payment of their demands. They must also be given at par, though free from taxation.

The attention of purchasing agents and disbursing officers of the Government is called to this class of public securities as offering peculiar advantages to those from whom the supplies of the Government are bought; and to facilitate the use of them, checks drawn by disbursing officers upon the depositaries holding these funds, and marked across the face "payable in certificates of indebtedness," will be paid in conformity therewith.

Depositaries are hereby authorized and required to comply with this regulation, and to make application to the Register for supplies of certificates as required. [Signed] G. A. TRENHOLM,
au 22—ts Secretary of Treasury.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Richmond, August 22, 1864.

FIVE HUNDRED MILLION LOAN NON-TAXABLE BONDS.—Notice is hereby given that sales of the above Bonds at the present Treasury price of $135 and accrued interest will be discontinued after the 30th day of September next, or when the sales shall have reached seventy millions of dollars, if so much shall be sold before the said 30th day of September.

The sales will be suspended to consider the expediency of advancing the price; and due notice will be given of their resumption and of the price fixed upon the Bonds.

The Secretary of the Treasury deems it his duty to call the special attention of tax-payers generally, and particularly the agricultural class, to this notice.

This loan should be all taken up by our own people. The payment of interest to foreign countries will be onerous and oppressive on the return of peace and low prices.

And now that all agricultural products are commanding such high prices, by investing in the Bonds of the Government tax-payers will become themselves the receivers of the taxes collected for the payment of interest. G. A. TRENHOLM, Secretary of the Treasury.
au 23—12t

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, Richmond, July 28, 1864.

TAXED TREASURY NOTES.—In order to promote, as far as practicable, the early liquidation by the Treasury of the OUTSTANDING TAXED NOTES, the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, and Pay Depositaries in the different States, are hereby authorized to receive the said notes, except the $100 notes, at 66⅔ per centum, on deposit, issuing for same certificates of loan, upon hypothecation of non-taxable bonds. The said certificates to be payable on demand after the expiration of ninety days.

And all agents for the sale of the above bonds are hereby authorized to receive the taxed notes, with the exception above named, in payment of bonds, when sold, at the rate of 66⅔ per centum.

G. A. TRENHOLM, Secretary of the Treasury.
au 22—ts

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT, RICHMOND, August 12, 1864.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE VIRGINIA CENTRAL RAILROAD having refused to enter into the usual contract for carrying the mail on that road, SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Contract Bureau of this Department until 3 P. M. of September 13th, 1864, for conveying the mails of the Confederate States from the 1st day of October, 1864, to June 30th, 1867, in the State of Virginia, on the following routes, connecting this city with Staunton:

ROUTE No. 2,706.—From Junction, by Noel's, Beaver Dam, Frederick's Hall, Tolersville, Louisa Court-House, Trevilian's and Melton's, to Gordonsville—fifty miles and back, three times a week.

ROUTE No. 2,706 (A).—From Gordonsville, by Cobham, Keswick and Shadwell, to Charlottesville, Virginia—twenty-one miles and back, three times a week.

ROUTE No. 2,706 (B).—From Charlottesville, by the University of Virginia, Ivy, Meehum's river, Greenwood, Waynesborough and Fishersville, to Staunton—thirty-nine miles and back, three times a week.

Bidders for Route No. 2,706 will propose schedules of arrivals and departures, making close connection with the arrival of the mail train on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad at the Junction, with a rate of speed of travel not less than four miles an hour. The accepted bidders on the other routes will be required to conform to the schedules, making close connection with the routes forming the line, and at the same rate of speed in the transmission of the mails. JOHN H. REAGAN,
au 13—d4w Postmaster-General.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS VIRGINIA TREASURY NOTES for sale.

Also, GOLD, SILVER and OLD BANK NOTES wanted.

Highest prices paid for GOLD and SILVER and Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama OLD BANK NOTES.

ALLEN & CO., Corner of Main and Fourteenth streets.
au 25—6t

PONEY FOR SALE.—For sale, a very elegant BAY PONEY, about six years old; is perfectly sound; walks, trots and canters very easily; is gentle, and has been ridden for the last six months by a child of only six years of age. Apply at the store of W. F. PRICE,
au 30—3t* Thirteenth street.

CHIMBORAZO HOSPITAL.—All patients in private quarters from this Hospital will report on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31st, at 9 o'clock A. M. The Examining Board will note the name of every absentee, who will be required to show cause why they failed to obey this order.

J. B. McCAW, Senior Surgeon.
au 29—3t

WILSON & CHOCKLEY, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA,

Will pay strict attention to the sale of all kinds of Produce, and make liberal advances on all consignments in hand.

Office at Peters's old stand, on Twelfth street, south of Cary, near the mill. au 30—3t*

FOUND, in the vicinity of Atlee's station, an amount of MONEY, which the owner can get by applying to Jones & Slater and paying expenses of advertisement.
au 30—3t* JONES & SLATER.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS IN THE TENTH DISTRICT.—All persons in this district who have not yet paid their gross sales tax for the past quarter are hereby notified that I have obtained from the proper authority a short extension of the period for so doing. In all cases of failure to comply with this last notice the law will be rigidly enforced.

Real estate owners are also required to call at my office and enter their lists with one of the Assessors, who can always be found there during office hours.

The Assessors are also now ready to make assessments for the thirty per cent. profit tax, to which the most prompt attention is required.

CHARLES J. SINTON, Tenth District Collector,
au 23—3taw2w* Office, 71 Main street.

NEW SORGHUM for sale by
au 30—1t* MARTIN & CARDOZO.

Richmond Dispatch.

THE DAILY DISPATCH is sold to News Dealers at TWENTY CENTS per copy. CITY CARRIERS are authorized to charge ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS per week to regular subscribers.

WEDNESDAY MORNING....AUGUST 31, 1864.

THE WAR NEWS.

There has been no more fighting in front of Petersburg, though the enemy continued to shell the city Monday night and yesterday with unabated vigor. The Yankees still hold the line of the Weldon railroad in heavy force, and both armies are quietly watching each other, whilst the respective leaders are busy arranging their plans for the future. With the close of the month of August ends the summer campaign of 1864, and Richmond, the objective point of all Yankee hopes, still stands secure in her strength, with an unconquerable army between her walls and the foe. Grant has exhausted the summer, as he promised, "fighting it out on that line," though it is a line so long drawn out and circuitous that it would almost puzzle a student of geography to trace it on the map. True, he did not comprehend such an extensive line when he made his promise; but his ideas have doubtless conformed to it ere this. His campaign has been a stupendous failure, resulting in nothing but a terrible sacrifice of the lives of his troops; yet, with the stubbornness of a mule, he still perseveres in the hopeless undertaking of moving "on to Richmond."

It is estimated that our total loss in the engagement at Reams's will not exceed seven or eight hundred. Considering the character of the works stormed by our troops, the quantity of artillery massed there, and the strength of the forces behind them, this may be regarded as "miraculously small."

A report reaches us from Petersburg that a large body of Yankee cavalry was seen on Monday morning moving around towards our extreme right, in the direction of the Weldon railroad. It has been conjectured that another raid is in contemplation.

THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA.

It is stated that Sheridan's troops were greatly demoralized on their retreat to Harper's Ferry. They broke up a great many of their guns, threw others into wells, and exhibited every sign of apprehension lest they should be overtaken by old Jubal's rebels. All the hay and grain on their route was burnt, and in some instances barns were fired in order to destroy the contents. They burnt no dwellings at this time, and assigned as a reason for burning the hay and grain that the Confederates had burnt Chambersburg. The troops were perfectly lawless, and the worst behaved set of men the people of that region ever saw. They killed or drove off all the cattle, hogs, sheep, horses and poultry, took wagons, carriages and buggies, destroyed gardens and stole all the provisions they could find. Some idea may be formed of their numbers when we state that they were eleven hours passing a given point at a double-quick in going back. A desolate track marked their progress wherever they went.—It is said that Sheridan is fully impressed with the importance of his position, and deports himself very like a monarch. He travels in state, riding in a fine carriage drawn by four splendid gray horses.

Between four hundred and five hundred prisoners, captured by General Early in the Lower Valley, passed through Harrisonburg on Tuesday week. We are informed that they will not be immediately carried out of the Valley, but kept conveniently near at hand, so that in case any of them happen to be wanted by General Early he can just call for them. This would indicate that the law of retaliation is about to be enforced. Villains who burn barns and stacks of grain to starve the inhabitants of a country into submission to tyranny deserve to be hanged to the first tree.

A report, which lacks confirmation, was current yesterday that General Early fought the Yankees on Saturday last, and defeated them with great slaughter. It is, doubtless, a repetition of the rumor of Sunday last.

IMPORTANT FROM GEORGIA—SHERMAN'S CHANGE OF POSITION—WHEELER'S OPERATIONS IN THE REAR.

The following official dispatch was received yesterday at the War Department:

"ATLANTA, August 28, 1864.

"*Hon. James A. Seddon:*

"The enemy have changed their entire position—the left of their line resting near the Chattahoochee, about Sandtown, and their right extending to a point opposite and near the West Point railroad, between East Point and Fairburn. They hold all the crossings on the Chattahoochee, but not with a continued line.

"Dispatches from General Wheeler, of the 19th, report the capture of Dalton, with large quantities of stores, about two hundred prisoners, and two hundred mules.

"He destroyed three trains of cars and twenty-five miles of railroad. His command is in good condition. J. B. HOOD, General."

It thus appears that the reports of Wheeler's operations in the enemy's rear have not been exaggerated. Dalton is one hundred miles from Atlanta, on the Western and Atlantic railroad, and very near the Tennessee line. It is directly on Sherman's line of communication, with his base of supplies at Chattanooga; and the destruction of twenty-five miles of railroad at that point must seriously interfere with his operations before Atlanta. There are unconfirmed rumors of an advance of Wheeler into East Tennessee, but we think it more likely that he remains for the present between Sherman's army and Chattanooga. The Western and Atlantic railroad connects at Dalton with the Tennessee and Georgia railroad for Knoxville, so that he is in a position to operate upon both routes at the same time. Eleven days have elapsed since the date of General Wheeler's dispatch, and it is fair to presume that he has not been idle during that period.

East Point, the locality mentioned in General Hood's dispatch, is six miles from Atlanta. The enemy's line, as we understand it, now forms a crescent, commencing on the north, and extending around west of the city.

Sherman's object in this movement is, doubtless, to occupy and hold the Atlanta and West Point railroad, following the strategy of Grant at Petersburg.

FLAG OF TRUCE.

A flag-of-truce boat arrived at Varina yesterday, and will be communicated with to-day by Colonel Ould, Agent of Exchange. We could not learn that she brought any passengers.

THE ALLEGED STONEMAN OUTRAGE.—The Macon *Intelligencer* says:

The article we published some ten days ago induced General Stoneman to address us the following note:

"MACON MILITARY PRISON, August 19, 1864.

"General Stoneman presents his compliments to Mr. J. H. Steele, and requests the honor of an interview to-day upon a subject of importance to myself."

The note we received about sundown of the day on which it was written. Early on the next morning we applied, in company with a friend, to the commandant of the post in this city for leave to visit General Stoneman, which was granted; but on reaching the prison, we were informed that he had been sent to Charleston. We make this statement to show that it was our intention to give him a hearing, and an opportunity to clear himself of the charge made against him, if he could, as we would not do even an enemy like that raider injustice knowingly.

And now for the charges made against him through this paper. They were communicated to us by a gentleman of highly respectable character, whose name, if required, we will communicate to that one of the Confederate officers who, as the *Republican* states, "has recently seen and had a full conversation with him (General Stoneman) regarding the newspaper allegations referred to," or to the editor of the *Republican* himself.

THEATRICALS IN NEW YORK.—A letter from New York says:

People do go to theatres, it seems, these hot nights, even if the thermometer is up among the nineties.—