

All communications relating to business matters connected with this paper should be addressed to E. M. ...

Advertisements are requested to hand in their advertisements before six o'clock in the evening, previous to publication.

Mayhew & Brothers, Booksellers and Stationers, are authorized agents to sell the Norfolk Post, and all orders left with them will be attended to the same as if left at the office of publication.

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NEGRO SUFFRAGE.

While the greater part of the press in the South has been working itself into a state of excitement bordering on madness, the editors, resembling the pythones of Apollo in ancient times, writing and twisting and agonizing, we have studiously abstained from adding to this unnecessary phrenzy, by saying anything about the question.

Henceforth we must have free speech and a free press wherever our flag floats; and while we maintain these rights, we will freely speak his mind to whoever will, to no matter what his political principles may be, the country will never swerve far or long from the right.

Conduct of Rebel Officers. The city continues to be the entertainer of a large number of rebel prisoners, among whom the officers are often as boastful, swaggering and insolent as before they were whipped.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE. CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF NORFOLK. This Court met yesterday, it being the regular quarterly term.

UNAVAILABLE COUNSELS. The Richmond Republic, in view of the election which takes place to-day in that city, contains a couple of very well written and considerate articles, in which it gives the people some wholesome advice.

The Herald's Richmond correspondent, gives the following version of the causes which led to the suspension of civil authority in this city: Some two weeks subsequent to Major General Terry's taking effect steps to quell the unfortunate disturbances at Norfolk, some of the northern papers took up the subject of the suspension.

THE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN OF THE OLD Dominion are fast recovering their good spirits again. They have recently been engaged in the knightly tilts of a tournament, of which the following is a description: The citizens of the beautiful village of Ashland are a knightly people, and amuse themselves in a knightly way.

cannot see the evils they are bringing upon themselves and their fellow countrymen—upon the very men they thus honor by their patronage, and the wrong they are at the same time inflicting upon their country? What title to consideration at the hands of any one, does the fact of having been a rebel soldier or sympathizer give?

THE REBELS.—The situation of the public is called to the attention of the Richmond Republic in another column. It is doubtless the best and most liberal paper printed in Richmond, although we cannot agree with it in many respects.

THE WEATHER.—The thermometer at Dr. W. E. Lewis' office, has indicated a decidedly popular and refreshing day. His Sparked the Herald with a choice spray.

PRESENTATION OF THE ILLINOIS SWORD TO MAJOR GENERAL JOHN W. TURNER. The Richmond correspondent of the New York Herald gives the following description of the presentation of the Illinois sword to Major General Turner, in command at Richmond.

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ARRIVALS AT THE ATLANTIC HOTEL, July 24. J. H. Humphrey, Balt.; Geo. Leonard, N. Y.; O. B. Hett, Va.; Robt. Hill, Richmond; H. P. Henson, N. Y.; O. P. Jackson, N. Y.; James H. Johnson, N. Y.; L. D. Vickery, N. Y.; J. Schouler, Baltimore; W. A. Apple, Philadelphia; Jones, N. C.; T. Walton, N. C.; J. Seger, Va.; L. J. Bailey, Southampton; Geo. Miles, Maryland; N. C.; R. J. Schouler, Virginia; Washington, Maryland; Memphis, Tenn.; Eugene Scott, N. E. Henkle, Balt.

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A CHANCE FOR ENTERPRISE.—It will be seen by advertisement to-day's paper that those valuable buildings located on the corner of Market square and Main street, are for lease. Here is an opportunity for investment which rarely occurs, and procrastination on the part of our business men and capitalists may lose them.

LOSTER SAID AGAIN.—Marion & Cook, at their Club House, serve their numerous patrons with Lobster Salad to-day. They received by the "George Appoll," direct from Boston, yesterday, a large and fresh lot of these delicious salad ingredients, together with fresh Macaroni, and other accompaniments to the appetite; all big things and on ice.

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VIRGINIA ITEMS.

HOBBLE AFFAIR.—A MAN [REHEADS HIMSELF AND WOUNDS A FRIEND AT THE SAME BLOW.—The Republic gives, upon the authority of a former member of the Confederate Signal Corps, the particulars of a horrible affair that occurred near Williamsburg last Wednesday.

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THE NEWS.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Table with columns for various financial items like Va. Bonds, N. C. Bonds, etc., and their respective values.

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The supply of cotton in the market is abundant. The following were the ruling prices yesterday: ...

Our domestic markets stand firm. Sugar still going up with a prospect of a general advance in all other provisions, to judge by Northern quotations.

THE REPUBLIC. PUBLISHED DAILY AND WEEKLY BY WALKER & LEWELLEN, RICHMOND, VA.

THE REPUBLIC is independent in politics. It maintains the restored government of Virginia, the only one of the liberal members of President Johnson; advocates the immigration of white labor to the Old Dominion; the internal improvement of the State; the removal of the tariff; the humane mineral wealth; publishes correct reports of the Markets and gives a clear and concise review of all local and State matters.

SALE.—A good Farm in Gloucester County, Va., lying immediately on Ware River, is for sale. It contains 250 or 275 acres of well improved land, and the balance is in timber. The improvements upon the place, consists of a new dwelling, well furnished, a carriage house, a 40-room and a long water race. The buildings consist of a kitchen with brick chimney, neat house and four houses, all new and in good condition. The land is well fenced, and the farming is done with the best of farming implements in good condition. For further particulars apply to TAZEWELL THOMPSON, Care of Provost Marshal at Gloucester C. H., 25 Main Street, New York.

THE LAND ON MAIN STREET and Market Square, capable of division into nine lots, is for sale. Also other lots in the same neighborhood. Market Square for sale or lease. On some of these lots are the best stores now erected. Apply to the Editors of the Norfolk Post.

PROPOSALS.—Sealed Proposals will be received by the Directors of Tanner's Creek Drainage Company, at the store of A. Hill, until TUESDAY, August 1st, at 12 o'clock, P. M. for building a bridge across Tanner's Creek, with a suitable draw. Plan and specifications may be seen by calling on the Secretary, A. Hill, at the store of A. Hill, Secretary, 125 Main Street, Richmond, Va.

THE PUBLIC. I hereby inform the public of Norfolk and Portsmouth, that the statement of the public of Norfolk and Portsmouth, headed "A Card," concerning Trunk bought of me, is false. The man bought it on Tuesday, and he made the complaint on Friday. He is a native of the State of New York. When it was sold to him, it was in good order. The public can see that it is a false statement. J. MILLER.

100 DOLLARS REWARD.—I will pay the return to a man of a Q. M. watch, stolen, dated the 25th of May, 1865, on form No. 13, drawn by J. A. W. and signed by Capt. B. H. LINDLEY, Va. A. H. LINDLEY.