

## From Mobile.

MOBILE, April 1.—The enemy has invested Spanish Fort on the east, and erected a heavy battery on the south of the fort, from which he keeps up a steady fire. They also erected a battery on Thursday night on the bay, on Minette, cutting off communication with the forts by steamers from the city. Batteries Huger and Tracy opened on it, and with the aid of another battery relieved it this morning. The enemy to-day moved up towards Blakely. It is expected that he will attack the place to-morrow. At sunset yesterday Capt. Watson, of Gen. Gibsons staff, and Lieut. A. C. Newton, of the 4th La., headed a sortie of fifteen men, from the Spanish Fort, and succeeded in driving back the enemy's advance, killing several, and capturing one captain and twenty-one men.

A storm has been very heavy here all the week.

The enemy made no impression on our works. A fine moral prevails among the troops. Our loss is slight and that of the enemy heavy. We having the advantage of position all things are going on well.

### STILL LATER.

AUGUSTA, April 3.—Mobile papers of the latest dates represent the negroes as enlisting in large numbers and are very enthusiastic in that city.

The train captured on the 27th ult., on the Florida road, had several bags of delayed mails from Richmond for Mobile and the west.—Twenty thousand dollars worth of postage stamps for Mobile was captured. The Southern Express lost the contents of a safe, and the packages of a trip.

Thos. Barrett the President of the City Bank of Augusta, died in this city on Sunday morning April 2. He was a prominent banker and citizen, and well known in financial circles both north and south.

Gen. Imboden is in this city to-day. He is very anxious to get to the field, in the Valley of Virginia, and begin a campaign.

Selma, Ala., was attacked by the enemy, 9000 strong, who drove our forces from the left flank, on Sunday evening. Our loss is large in prisoners. The city has been captured and occupied by the Yankees.

A PATRIOTIC MINISTER.—Says the New York "News": "Rev. Preston Williams, a Baptist minister in Kentucky, was drafted by the Federal authorities, and when his congregation was about to buy a substitute for him, he told them rather than allow a substitute for him to go into that army, he would lead as many as would follow him into the Confederate army. Two hundred and thirty-five accepted the patriotic proposition."

## Death of an Editor.

RICHMOND, March 30.—John M. Daniel, editor of the Richmond "Enquirer," died this forenoon after a protracted illness.

## Special Notices.

### ENROLLING OFFICE,

CAMDEN, March 16, 1865.

ANY PERSONS HAVING GUNS IN THEIR possession, furnished from this office, are requested to return them immediately.

ALEX. DR. COLCLOUGH,

March 16 Capt. and En-Officer of K. D.

### SCHEDULE OF CAMDEN BRANCH S. C. R. R.

LEAVES CAMDEN..... 6: a. m.  
Arrives at Manchester Junction.... 8: 40 a. m.  
Leaves Manchester Junction..... 4: p. m.  
Arrives at Camden..... 6: 40 p. m.

### NOTICE

AN ELECTION FOR A TOWN MARSHAL WILL be held at the Council Chamber, on Thursday the 13th inst., to serve for the ensuing year.

Application must be rendered in the hand writing of the parties, on or before the day of election.

By order of Council: W. E. HUGHSON,  
April 7 Clerk

## NOTICE TO THE LADIES.

### SUMMER DRESSES FOR SALE!

A FEW SUMMER DRESSES MAY BE HAD BY APPLYING SOON TO.

J. SOMMERS,  
next door to Dr. Zemp's store.

April 5

## Will Stand for the Season.

A FINE CHESNUT STALLION, AT HOBKIRK HILL, at one hundred dollars or its equivalent in provisions. He is out of a thoroughbred mare, by a Morgan horse, and rides and draws admirably. No mare will be served until the money is paid.

Groom fees, \$5.

April 7—12 JOHN CANTEY,

### NOTICE, COUNCIL CHAMBER.

AT A MEETING OF COUNCIL THE FOLLOWING Resolutions were unanimously adopted:

The Town Council hereby notify property owners and the trustees of public institutions, to have the brick and other obstructions removed from the pavements on or before the 20th inst., and further that they shall remove all burnt cotton and other offensive and noxious matter calculated to produce sickness from their premises, outside the limits of the town, within twenty days from the publication of this notice. Any party not complying with the above notice, will find the work done at the expense of the owners.

By order of Council:

W. E. HUGHSON,

April 7 Clerk.

### NOTICE TO SLAVEHOLDERS.

OFFICE OF STATE AGENT,  
CAMDEN, April 5, 1865.

TO THE SLAVEHOLDERS OF KERSNAW DISTRICT.

HAVING RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM His Excellency the Governor, to use the force of laborers raised under the Impression Act of December last, for the purpose of repairing roads and terraces in portions of the State ravaged by the enemy, you are hereby required to deliver your proportion of slaves as fixed by that impression to Capt. Colclough, Commandant Post at Camden, on or before the 10th inst.

These slaves will be employed within the District, receiving rations while so employed, and as soon as the necessity for their labor ceases, will be returned to their owners to await further orders.

Owners are requested to send as many slaves in excess of their quota as they can spare. Credit will be allowed for this excess.

R. B. JOHNSON,

April 7 1 State Agent.

## To Bonded Agriculturists.

I AM NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE FROM Bonded men, their quota of beef and bacon due the Government, and would urge upon them the necessity of bringing in the same as speedily as possible, as well as that portion of the surplus, to which the Government is entitled.

W. C. COURTNEY,  
Agent.

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## Carriage Wanted.

WANTED TO PURCHASE OR EXCHANGE for provisions, a four seat one horse carriage.

Apply to

B. P. COLBURN.

April 5

## \$50 Reward,

FOR THE RECOVERY OF A COLT'S ARMY Revolver, patented 1850, No. 1184, 8 inch barrel. The circumstances attending its loss are as follows: During the fire at the residence of Mrs. Duttons, the pistol was placed under cover in one of the rooms of dwelling for safe keeping, whilst the owner was using his exertions in quenching the flames of the out building; and on returning, the pistol had been taken from its place of deposit. The above reward will be paid, with the grateful thanks of the owner. For further information apply at this office.

April 5

## NOTICE.

MY DAUGHTER SARAH CHESNUT, IS HEREBY authorized to give receipts in payment of any money received on my account.

JAMES CHESNUT,

April 5

## Lost.

LOST ON MAIN STREET ON WEDNESDAY morning, a dotted black Lace Veil. A liberal reward will be paid for same if left at Mr. COURTNEY'S.

April 7

## Headquarters,

22D REGIMENT S. C. MILITIA,  
CAMDEN, S. C. April 6, 1865.

### SPECIAL ORDER NO. 1.

IN PURSUANCE OF ORDERS FROM HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor, Captains Adam Team and E. Parker, are hereby ordered to hold their commands in readiness to move at the shortest notice for special service, subject to the orders of Capt. A. Colclough Commandant of the Post.

By command of Lieut. Col. Wm. Dixon.

J. M. GAYLE,

April 7 2 Adjutant.

## Notice.

HATS WILL BE PRESSED AND ALL MILLINERY Work done on application to MRS. L. HAMMERSLOUGH,

opposite the Market, at the burnt buildings.

April 7

## Certificates Lost.

FROM THE TRUNK OF THE SUBSCRIBER, which was rifled by the enemy, about 16 miles from Camden while in the care of friends—five certificates numbered, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95 of stock in the Charleston Importing and Exporting Company. Persons are cautioned against trading for them, as application will be made at the proper time for their renewal.

H. M. STUART, Sr.

March 31

## Kirkwood Flour and Grist Mill.

THE ABOVE MILL BEING FINISHED IS now prepared to grind Corn, Wheat, Rice and Rye.

B. P. COLBURN.

March 31

## Notice to Town Tax Payers.

THE BOOKS FOR THE COLLECTION OF THE Town taxes for 1864, are now opened at the commissioner's office in the Court House.

It is enjoined on all interested to come forward promptly, as the books will be closed in a short time, and all defaulters doubly taxed.

J. D. DUNLAP,

March 31

### CIRCULAR.

HEADQUARTERS POST OF CAMDEN,  
March 15, 1865.

IN BEHALF OF THE CITIZENS OF CAMDEN and vicinity, and all persons having provisions in their possession are earnestly requested to send their surplus to this point for sale or distribution to the needy. It is known to all that the enemy in his course left very few horses or mules, and in many places all the provisions were taken; so that those who may have a surplus to dispose of have no means of getting it to market.

There are a large number of persons living in the town able to purchase supplies, but they are not to be had at any price, and unless help comes from abroad great suffering must ensue.

Persons can deliver provisions of any kind on the Railroad and they will be brought up and delivered to Mr. James Dunlap, Intendant of the town, who will sell or distribute as the owner may direct.

It is requested also that persons near the Railroad will send up wood by the trains, as it is impossible for many to be supplied by the few wagons around. All articles sent up to Mr. Dunlap will be promptly attended to, as above mentioned.

Citizens below Camden: the facts are before you, and your suffering brethren appeal to you for assistance. Are you unwilling to respond, come and see for yourselves, and your hearts must be moved.

ALEX. DR. COLCLOUGH,  
Captain commanding Post.

March 17

## HDQRS ARMS OF THE C. S.,

February 11, 1865.

### GENERAL ORDERS NO. 3.

THE DISCIPLINE AND EFFICIENCY of the army have been greatly impaired by men leaving their proper commands to join others, in which they find service more agreeable.

This practice, almost as injurious in its consequences as the crime of desertion, by the Articles of War, exposes the offender to a similar punishment, and subjects the officer receiving him to dismissal from the army.

It is therefore declared that the provisions of General Order No. 2, of this date, from my headquarters, apply to such men as have

left their proper commands and join others without being regularly transferred. They will receive the pardon promised in that order upon complying with its conditions, or suffer the consequences attached to neglecting it.

The names of such absentees will be forthwith reported to these headquarters by the officers with whom they are serving, and immediate measures taken to return them to their proper commands.

As soon as practicable an inspection will be made, and charges will be preferred against those who neglect to enforce this order.

R. E. LEE, General.

All newspapers in the Confederate States are requested to copy six times the above, [General Order No. 3.] and send bills, (with a copy of the paper) to the Enquirer office for payment.

## School Notice.

HENRY M. BRUNS LL.D., LATE PRINCIPAL of the High School of Charleston, respectfully announces to the citizens of Camden that he will (D. V.) open a Classical, Mathematical, English and French School in this place between the 1st and 15th inst., or so soon as he can obtain transportation from Columbia, where he was a sufferer in the common calamity.

His long experience and success as a teacher and governor of youth, he trusts will secure for him the confidence of those who may be disposed to place their sons under his care. He pledges nothing but an earnest and honest discharge of his duty.

For terms, until his arrival, apply at Mr. McDonald's residence or to the Rev. J. T. WIGHTMAN.

April 5

## STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.



### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

COLUMBIA, March 27, 1865.

THE INVASION OF THE STATE HAS RENDERED it proper that the Legislative Department of the Government of this State—should be convened, that such measures may be adopted as the welfare of the State may require, and for that purpose the members of the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, are hereby invited to assemble at Greenville, on Tuesday the 25th of April 1865 at 12 o'clock, m.

By the Governor.

A. G. MAGRATH,

(Official) W. S. ELLIOTT, Private Secretary.

April 5

## Soldiers' Board of Relief.

OFFICE OF AUDITOR OF SO. CA.,

SPARTANBURG C. H., March 1, 1865.

THIS DEPARTMENT IS LOCATED FOR THE present at this place. The Soldiers' Boards of Relief in Districts and Parishes with which there is no communication by mail, will forward their returns by horse couriers immediately upon the receipt of this notice. The expenses of these couriers will be paid at this office. All other important communications for this office should be forwarded in the same way.

April 5

JAMES TUPPER,

2 Auditor of S. C.

All papers in the State copy twice.

## Notice.

SECOND S. C. HOSPITAL,  
FLORENCE, S. C., March 28, 1865.

PRIVATE J. HAMELTON PRUETT, CO M, 8th S. C. Volunteers, and T. P. Galloway, Co, H, 21st S. C. Volunteers; who were employed as nurses in the Hospital, left suddenly on the night of the 28th February last without permission and are still absent without authority and against my wish, and do not authorize any in authority to arrest them wherever they may be found. I do therefore publish them as deserters.

April 3

T. A. DARGAN,

Surgeon in charge.

## Notice.

I EARNESTLY REQUEST ALL THOSE INDEBTED to me by open account to settle the same promptly, I have been a heavy loser by the raid, and it is most important to prevent serious embarrassment, that I should have my affairs settled up.

March 31

ROBT. M. KENNEDY.