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RICHMOND PAPERS OF YES-TERDAY.

Further Particulars of the We omitted to mention that the guns at Cobb's Battle of Roanoke, Island. the enemy.

AND SUFFOLK.

SOUTHERN ACCOUNT OF THE the enemy with submission. Gen. Henningsen's Day-Book. AFFAIR AT FORT DONALDSON.

THE FEDERALS REPULSED AT EVERY POINT AND THEIR GUN-BOATS DAMAGED.

ANOTHER ATTACK ANTICIPATED.

&c. &c.

The steamer Adelaide, Capt. Cannon, arrived sure t yesterday, from which we publish some interest-ing extracts relating to the Roanoke Island fight, torn off by the fragment of a shell. and the progressing battle at Fort Donelson. flag of truce went up to Norfolk yesterday and the following important intelligence: returned with several lady passengers-all of stated the number of prisoners taken at Roanoke them their slaves and household goods. Island to have been not over 2200, if that many; and also that a number of gun-boats were considerably damaged during the fight, but stated no SOUTHERN MONEY. particulars. There has been no further arrivals to POR HALE--UOLD.

by sea since the arrival of the steamer Stars, and in Stripes. The exchanged Federal prisoners nummiles from Weldon. hering some 400 in all were expected to reach Norfolk some time to-day. Everything around Old Point was quiet when the Adelaide left. The flattle at Rosnoke Island-Another Ac-

We get but little additional news of our disaster that was transpiring around him, gives the tol-

lowing account of the engagement: twenty-two large steamers and one tugboat, beo'clock on Friday morning. The battle continued my's flotilla, excepting three in shore, concen-About four o'clock in the afternoon the steamer

During the cannonading the enemy were busily employed in landing their troops below Pork Of which we have a splendid assortment of fine and Point battery. Two of their steamers ran into a of negroes. slough in the neighborhood, and succeeded in covering their landing. The enemy continued the attack until about dark, when they withdrew. quadron getting short, an application was made landed about 5,000 troops there. for a supply to the upper battery, but the commanding officer could spare only about ten vanced to any point above Edenton. harges. As it was essential that ammunition reason to believe that they would be able to hold mouth of the Roanoke. out if the rear of the batteries was not turned. The fleet reached Elizabeth City on Saturday ville says that seven hundred horses were land sent an express to Norfolk for it. Un Saturday number had been landed at Elizabeth City. afternoon, having put all the ammunition and uel which could be obtained on board the Seabird Self-acting and without springs, screws or ma- and Appointation, these two steamers were sent population of about fiteen hundred. orward to Roanoke Island. On arriving at the gunboats standing for Pasquotank river. They the mainland returned immediately to the hattery at Cobb's City, and after sending an express to Gen. Henningsen, distributed all the ammunition among says. four steamers and a schooner, and formed a line tailed the day previous for duty at this battery,

Shortly after daylight the enemy appeared in eight, and a measenger was sent from the fleet to Gen. Blanchard was here vesterday, and will ascertain the condition of the battery. Finding make this headquarters. I shall not state the skirmish has continued briskly all day, but has pared to receive and accommodate both medical and surgical only seven men there, and supposing that the ene- number of troops here. my would first attack the battery, the officers and Major McCrady, of the 1st South Carolina regi- her have been wounded on both sides. crew of the Beaufort were sent ashore to man two ment, who was home on furlough, arrived here 25th Indiana, which rushed holdly up to the enof the guns—these being as many as they had last night; and Major Faison, of the 14th North trenchments, had during the day 110 of the men ammunition to supply. The Beaufort was sent to Carolina regiment, passed down to his regiment wounded the mouth of the canal, where the Raleigh had last night.

Instructions were given by the Commodore to country d16-6m all means of resistance failed, and they found took part in the late battle at Roanoke, arrived I nois, is badly wounded.

tion we received yesterday be correct, she too was art of war. It will be a good move in the right As far as known, there were only six

battery were all spiked before being possessed by More of the Reanoke Island Fight-Capture

We have some interesting particulars of the loss learn that the Commodore was certainly not taken sected to arrive in Richmond to-day. Active Preparations of the Confed'ts. Elizabeth City to take charge of the land battery. tion was quelled by the Yankres, who were vig-

his orders; and, there being a good deal of steam , the safety valve was hauled down so as to inhere this morning at seven o'clock, and brings the burning boat when the enemy's vessels were taken from the Norfolk and Richmond papers of through the enemy's fire, and making an exceed-

A The Richmond Examiner of yesterday contains

The Enemy in North Carolina. whom were indisposed to be communicative, and that the enemy had taken Edenton, and were on said they could report no news. The reporter of the way to Weldon. The people of Weldon were to interest their readers, but which may possibly at a very early day, and we are pleased to know the Northern journals now at Fort Monroe leaving their homes in large numbers taking with or remotely jeopardize the public interest, others one of the Northern journals now at Fort Monroe leaving their homes in large numbers taking with or remotely jeopardize the public interest, others them their slaves and household goods.

The Northern journals now at Fort Monroe leaving their homes in large numbers taking with or remotely jeopardize the public interest, others them their slaves and household goods. it is not suprosed, in official or well informed ance. circles, that the enemy design to ascend the Roanoke river. The popular impression that their that the measures of defence taken by the Go by sea since the arrival of the steamer Stars, and river is represented as not navigable for vessels of and the accomplishment of which should be quit

> If the enemy is resolved to take the hazard of a movement into the interior of North Carolina, ascend the Chowan and Blackwater rivers with Fortress Monroe to-night. These rivers are said to be navigable for such ves-

the bazard of a movement into the interior of the of ten or twelve thousand.

branch of the Chowan, may be easily obstructed. is a tortuous and narrow stream, and it is sugrested that the navigation of the chunnel might be efficiently blocked by the rude expedient of Edenton in Possession of the Pederals.

Norrotz, Feb. 12.—Intelligence has been re-A little after 4 o'clock, the ammunition of our are in possession of Edenton, and that they have It is not believed that they have, as yet, ad-Peterspurg. Feb 13.-The editor of the obtained from the batteries, a steamer was sent to day, which says that Edenton and Hertford have the upper battery with a despatch to the officer in both been captured. Five gunboats moved slowcommand informing him that the fleet was with- ly to the wharf at Edenton on yesterday, at 9 out ammunition, and that it would repair to o'clock, and landed their troops. Very soon af-Elizabeth City-thirty miles distant-for the pur- terwards afteen more gunboats arrived. The citi pose of obtaining a supply, and that it would zens raised a white flag. Between three and five Previous to leaving, in- thousand Federal troops have landed at Edentor formation was received by the fleet from Captain | The population of Edenton is about 2,000, an of the navy, who had been at Pork Point distant from Suffolk about fifty miles. In the at

battery during the day, that they only had one ternoon 2 gunboats went up the Chowan river tokilled and three wounded, and there was every wards Winton, and several others towards the A gentleman who has just arrived from Gatesmorning, and finding very little ammunition there at Edenton last night, and also that a large they retired twice. Our lines are entrenched all taken by the Federals on yesterday. It has a affair. They admit their repulse: Captain Goodwin, of the Robeson (North Caroouth of the river they met a boat, and learned lina) Rip Van Winkles, with fifty-two of his men

Suffolk, Va., Feb. 13, 1862.

just above the battery. A company had been de- land march from Edenton, Hertford, or some just within the last half hour, when other gunpoint on the Chowan river, to this place. Everyand the object of the fleet was to co-operate with thing is in motion. The Petersburg Cavalry is breastworks is estimated at about fifteen thousand

There is no panic. All are determined.

Our people talk of closing the stores at two

forms- o'clock, daily-so as to drill themselves in the

confiscated at the expiration of that time and themselves made prisoners. Burn Them Out.

The idea of constructing fire-rafts up the vari- Democrat's latest accounts, dated Fort Donelson, our rivers communicating with the Sounds of N. hast night, my up to that time our loss was about prisoner by the enemy, as first reported. He is Carolina, where it is likely the enemy's gunboats 30 killed and 250 wounded. appears that Com. Lynch went ashore at rafts, in sufficient numbers, could speedily be redoubts by the 17th and 49th Illinois regiments, Elizabeth City to take charge of the land battery, thrown together, composed of such combustible which had been abandoned there—the people of material as the Old North State abounds in, and the place either taking flight or waiting to receive kept ready waiting for the approach of the enemy.

A rumor reached this city yesterday by passen-

At the first mentioned place they are said to have a force of five thousand infantry, and about Later in the day it was rumored that a couple of the enemy's vessels had proceeded as far as oloraine on a reconnoitering expedition. No news of a definite character was brought b e train, and the above statements are, to be regarded as nothing more than what we have denominated them—rumors.—Norfolk Day Book,

The Work of Preparation. We learn that the Government has taken the ormation of the details of recent movements report reached here by the cars last night grievance in this matter, that while certain par remain about the same.

At least, however, we may assure our readen vessels can ascend this river to a point within a ernment show a promptness and vigor deserving few miles of Weldon is said to be a mistake. The at once the public praise and the public confidence

Flag of Truce to Roanske Island. RICHMOND, Feb. 13.—Gen. Wise sent a flag of and should succeed in taking Edenton, it is truce to Roanoke Island. The only information thought not improbable that they may attempt to so far obtained is that the prisoners will reach The Federals Attack Fort Donelson -- The

NASSVILLE, Feb. 12, P. M.—A despatch received lican. oke Railroad, and their successful ascent up them from Cumberland city this evening, states that would give the enemy the choice of attacking one Federal gun-boat appeared in sight of Fort The advance forces of the enemy, consisting of Norfolk in the rear or advancing upon Weldon, Donelson this morning, and about ten o'clock and cutting off the communication south at that opened fire on the fort, but without injury to the

The events of the next few days will probably retired. The Federals have landed in force, and the question whether they are disposed to incur ing. It is reported that the Federals have a force It is said that the Blackwater river, which is a Cumberland City left left Fort Donelson, the battle was raging, but no particulars were known.

NASHVILLE, Feb. 13.—A despatch was received before sunrise, and has continued unceasingly up to that time. A number of pieces are rapidly ment with ber. firing. Occasionally the enemy keeps at a re-Norroux, Feb. 12.—Intelligence has been respectful distance. Field artillery are engaged all ceived here, which announces that the Federals along the line.

Latest-Victory in the West-FORT DONKLOON, Feb. 13-2 o'clock and forty five minutes.—The firing has creared, possibly that the enemy may change position. We have, so far, repulsed the enemy at every point on our line. Our loss is small. The Federal gunboats etired, and we think they are seriously injured.

Our men are in fine spirits. FORT DONKLAON, Feb. 13 .-- Afternoon .-- The day has almost pased, and we still hold our own. We have repulsed the enemy and driven their gunboats, and whipped them by land an water. He still lies around probably to attack us to-morrow again. Our loss is not very great, while the enemy's must be beavy.

We have had lively fighting and heavy cannonading all around the line all day. We have repulsed the enemy everywhere, and we are satisfied we have injured their gunboats materially, as

Hertford, the capital of Perquimans county, was The following is the Federal version of the same martial to investigate their expedition to Knox-

CAMP IN THE PIELD, NEAR FORT DONKLAGE, ) Feb. 13, 121 o'clock P. M. Fort Donelson is invested by our troops. Our shortly afterward discovered five of the enemy's folk. They escaped across the Croaton sound to to south, nearly surrounding the fort. Heavy cannonading and skirmishing has been going on since T o'clock A. M. Owing to the extent of Point, about a mile and a half below Elizabeth The correspondent of the Petersburg Express the action, but little can be learned of the result. General McClernand's Division is operating on the right. General Smith on the left. We have It is probable that the Federals will attempt a bad but one gunboat to play upon the fort until boats are firing on the fort. The force within the from the best information.

FEE. 13, 8 o'clock, P. M .- The cannonading lately been discontinued. A considerable num-

The 7th Illinois and 7th Iowa, who have been Much excitement prevails in the surrounding close to the enemy's fire, have also lost some men. Among the killed is Captain Wendell, Company the commanding officers of all vessels that, when Norroux, Feb. 13 .- The steamer Raleigh, which I, 7th Illinois, and Col. Morrison, of the 49th Illi-

They have kept several of the enemy's guns idle by picking off the cannoncers as fast as they ap-

Ine of our companies has been within seventyfive yards of the enemy's entrenchments. Sr. Louis, Feb. 14.—The Republican's and under Col. Morrison, of the latter regiment.-They made two gallant charges, getting close tothe enemy's breastworks, but were obliged to re-

tire in both instances, under a heavy cross-fire of artillery and infantry. Both regiments suffered considerably. Colonel the ramparts, where there were great quantities brush piled before the breastworks, which it Captain Brokaus of the Forty-ninth Illinois, was killed.

A heavy rain set in to-night, which will try the men severely, they having no tents with them. and in many cases, owing to their position, not heing able to build fires. Movements of the Enemy.

The enemy were quite active yesterday in Wall's Cut and the vicinity. They seem to be collecting there in considerable force, principally in Wright's , which affords an easy passage into the Setion of which seemed to be making their way to-

At Warsaw the Federals are equally active. Quite a large force has larded, and, as a messenspected any intelligent suggestion of the authori- ger from Skidaway informs us, have covered the island with their tents. The saw mill is said to be integrity of our defences; but there is often a still in active operation. The ressels in the Sound

tions of our own military authorities. Everything is astir, and a determination evinced to leave nothing undone to meet the emergencies of the day. Gen Lee and Brig. Gen. Lawton are in motion day and night, strengthening our defence and making arrangements for the rapid concentration of troops at any given point. Very material changes have been made in the disposition of the camps within a few days past, and it is most gratifying to witness the cordial co-operation of the Confederate and State forces at a time of common peril. The Pulaski boat went down at an unusually late hour, and had not returned to the city when this was written; should she bring any news of

The Merrimae.

It has been suggested that in order to make the Merrimac perfectly available, it would be well to ake her present large and powerful engine out and replace it with one of a smaller kind, so that he would not draw so much water. It is thought ent engine gives her and a smaller one would be much lighter, and would counteract the mistake When the steamer, which conveyed the news to in her misplacement. We are of course unable to my whether this is a prudent move, or how lung it would take to accomplish the task. In view of the fact that her services may be very shortly ter to take her as she is and place her below, simly as a means of harbor defence, rather than

> Confirmations in Congress. The following confirmations of nominations by the President of Brigadier Generals were made resterday by Congress: George W. Randolph, of Virginia; Howell Cobb, of Georgia; Joseph L.

PROM GEN. CRITTENDEN'S CAMP.—The Knoxville Register, of Tuesday, says: We have several letters from the camp of Gen. Crittenden at Gainesboro', but they have long seen coming, and some of the news they contain we have received through other sources. We shall endeavor to make room for them, if the pressure on our columns will permit, and shall be glad to hear from our correspondents again. In the meantime, from the letter of "Marshall," we glean the following intelligence: Carroll's brigade, with six days' rations preared, were ordered to be ready to march at I

clock on the morning of the 5th inst. Their stination was not known. Quartermaster Joues and Commissary Reed had arrived in camp, and had been ordered under arrest, to await a court ville after the fight at Fishing Creek.

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