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FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 21.

Auction Sales this Day.

By J. S. Cowell, at 10½ o'clock, corner Gold and Exchange Alley—Furniture, gold watch, &c.

BLACKWOOD FOR SEPTEMBER.—The number of Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine, received from the well known American republishing house, is one that well sustains the reputation of that periodical for ability, originality, variety and variety. The contents include a delightful continuation of the Cornelius O'Dowd papers, together with a graphic and vivid picture of the great monetary centre of the civilized world in London, entitled the "City of Gold." In this number the Chronicles of Carlingford is concluded, and Tony Butler continued. In addition, there is a readable review of the controversy between Rev. Charles Kingsley and Dr. Newman, under the title of "Alphabeticals," some interesting remarks on the history and philosophy of indexes dictionaries and cyclopedias

Militia Enrollment.

Headquarters, Department of the Gulf }
New Orleans, October 20, 1864. }
General Orders, No. 141.

In pursuance of General Orders, No. 99, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, bearing date August 9, 1864, and General Orders No. 31, current series, Headquarters Military Division West Mississippi, whereby it is provided that an enrollment be immediately made for service in the militia, also that Special Commissions be established to hear and determine all claims for exemption from military service, and that commanders of Departments and Districts will establish such regulations as may be necessary in the case

It is ordered

First. That Provost Marshal General of the Department will cause an enrollment to be made forthwith, by the Provost Marshals of the several Parishes, of all able bodied male citizens, between the ages of eighteen and forty five, within their respective Parishes, giving the name, age and occupation of each, together with remarks showing whether he is in the service of the United States and in what capacity, and any other facts which may determine his exemption from military duty.

All reasonable and proper expenses of such enrollment will be approved, upon vouchers showing the detailed statement of service performed and expenses incurred, to be supported by the Provost Marshal General.

Second. Immediately upon completion of the enrollment, the rolls will be sent to these Headquarters, through the office of the Provost Marshal General, whence they will be submitted to the Special Commission to be appointed as hereinafter authorized.

Third. The commanding officer of the Defences of New Orleans and of the District of Baton Rouge and Port Hudson, will establish Special Commissioners as provided in Section 5, of Order No. 31, above cited, which reads as follows:

Commanders of Districts will establish Special Commissions, to hear and determine all claims for exemption from military service, on account of sinecure, or physical disability. The plea of alienage will not be admitted, if the party has been, at any time, exercised the rights of citizenship, under any general, State or municipal law, or has, at any time been in the service of the Rebel Government, or in that of any one of the States in open War against the Government, enrolled in the militia, has established a place of business, or has travelled from place to place for advantage. No name will be transferred to the Provisional Enrollment, except upon the personal appearance of the person who may be found liable to such transfer. Any person who may be found liable to such transfer, and fail to report himself for field service, will be transferred to the Invalid Corps, and if not then found fit for service, will be dishonorably dismissed from the service, and his property will be made, except in cases of absolute disability.

As provided in Special Order No. 87, Head quarters Armies of the United States, dated in the field, Virginia, August 24th, 1864:

"All deserters who take the oath of allegiance will, if they desire it, be given employment in the Quartermaster's and Subsistence Departments of the Army, and the same recommendation and bonus as is given to civilian employés is similar services.

Forced military duty, or service endangering them to exposure by the Confederate forces will not be exacted from such as give themselves up to the United States military authorities.

Exemption will not be made for disability, unless it be of such permanent character as to render the person unfit for service for a period of more than thirty days, to be certified to by the Medical Officer of the Commission.

Commissions authorized in the order shall consist of a Field Officer, a Medical Officer of the Army, and a Line officer.

Tri-weekly reports of proceedings will be forwarded to these Headquarters.

Fourth. Upon the meeting of the Special Commissioner, notice thereof will be given, by handbills posted in each parish, of the time and place at which evidence and proof will be received and determined. A limit of time allowed for the presentation of such claims, will be named, and no evidence received of the allegations contained in the claim after the time named shall be admitted, except in cases of absolute disability, to be proved by the affidavit of the party himself.

Commanders of Districts will furnish to each Special Commissioner, more than one witness, when