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South, and our army, following them, would be subjected to some delay and expense in getting its supplies.

The time for important movements is certainly near. A part of our army is now well drilled and organized, and is ready for an advance.

The recruits which have reached here, are well drilled, and which are arriving, are well equipped to defend Washington; where they will be learning the military art, and preparing to follow on.

But whether the advance will be to Richmond, or whether the plan will be to keep an adequate force in a threatening position and thus hold the main rebel army in Virginia, will a strong division shall advance into Eastern Tennessee, and another division, in conjunction with the army, shall assault the Atlantic Gulf coast, and the port of the Confederacy.

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