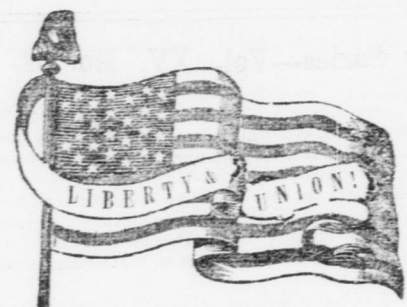


THE GAZETTE.

LEWISTOWN, PA. Thursday, June 13, 1861.

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Flag of the free hearts only home. By angel hands it was given; By angel hands it was taken down; And all thy tears were born in heaven; Forever float that standard sheet; Where freedom's soul has found its rest; And Freedom's banner streaming o'er us.

"Party Lines Obsolete."—At the Philadelphia Custom House, on Saturday last, forty-two Democrats were removed, and their places supplied by rampant Republicans.

Nearly all, perhaps all the men discharged from the Philadelphia custom house, whom the Democrat claims as fellow-democrats, were those who had aided the Southern traitors by every means in their power since they began the foul work of destroying our government.

Border State Convention.

Our readers will perhaps remember that among the last acts of the Virginia black-leg convention which plunged that State into treason and anarchy, was the recommendation to hold a Border State Convention to remedy the evil of disunion.

We are pleased to learn that arrangements are being made in the State Government at Harrisburg to advance one month's pay to every volunteer now mustered into service from the State of Pennsylvania.

The Pennsylvania Fifth is the title of a newspaper issued at Alexandria by the printers of the Fifth Regiment. It is edited by Lieut. John P. Ely of Lebanon, and contains much valuable information to friends of the soldiers.

LATEST NEWS.

We give below the war news in the order in which it was received: The Skirmish at Fairfax Court House. The Washington Star of Thursday evening last says: "We have absolute confirmation, from the lips of a reliable citizen, who was at Fairfax Courthouse on Thursday night last, when Lieutenant Tomkins' command entered that village, of the account of the killed brought by his command to this city."

The Disunion troops engaged in the affair firmly believed themselves a match for five times their number of United States troops. The result proved that engaging one-third their own number of United States troops, and having the advantage of fighting from behind walls and fences, against cavalry, too, they lost ten for every one they killed.

The Surprise at Phillippi, Virginia. Col Kelly, who was reported mortally wounded, is now said to be in a fair way of recovery. Some 15 rebels were found dead in the bushes.

It is very certain that somebody was hurt, and right badly too. A leg, which had been torn off by a cannon ball, was picked up in the camp. There was a great deal of blood upon the ground, and all along the road, and on everything in the way of the indiscriminate retreat.

Gov. Hicks publishes his promised vindication against the charge of having ordered or consented to the burning of the bridges that followed the riot of the 19th of April in Baltimore city.

The War on the Mississippi. The Government is preparing a number of gunboats on the Mississippi. Some of these will be used with iron to resist the shot from the batteries erected upon that river.

The bridge at the Point of Rocks and the bridge at Berlin were both destroyed by the rebels, by fire, between 1 and 4 o'clock on Sunday morning. The former is twelve miles and the latter six miles east of Harper's Ferry.

They also destroyed Dam No. 5, on the Potomac, eight miles above Williamsport, on Sunday, to prevent the construction of boat-bridges on its breast for the passage of the Federal troops, and it was expected they would destroy Dam No. 4, nine miles below Williamsport.

Despatches from Hagerstown show that quite a border war is in progress between the Unionists of Williamsport, Sharpsburg and Mercerville and the Virginia secessionists. The latter not only seem determined to destroy the dams, but have actually crossed the Potomac at various points and seriously damaged the locks, broke up canal boats, and attempted to rob them of their contents.

should be at once checked by a competent force. The small force of secessionists at Shepherdstown was Monday reinforced by a whole regiment, and the bridge at that point has been so arranged that they cannot destroy it at any moment they think necessary.

On Monday three battalions of the District Volunteers took up the line of march, and were to be followed by several other regiments, with the necessary accompaniment of artillery and cavalry. They took the turnpike road for Rockville, Maryland, and their destination is supposed to be a ferry on the Potomac, thirty miles from Georgetown, and four miles from Leesburg, Virginia, the terminus of the Alexandria and Leesburg Railroad.

The Confederates are advancing upon the Ferry. The whole of the force thus concentrated toward the Ferry is not less than twenty-five thousand men. Unless the Confederate force can be largely reinforced they will be obliged to retreat, or permit themselves to be surrounded by a superior force.

An engagement took place between two regiments of U. S. troops near Fort Monroe on Monday, and by a fatal mistake fired into each other, killing one man, fatally wounding two others, with several slight casualties.

The Soldiers' Clothing. From the subjoined letter, addressed to Judge Smyser, it is presumed that Gov. Curtin has received some definite information respecting the clothing of the two regiments which gave rise to the wholesale charges made by many newspapers.

Senator Douglas' Last Hours. The Chicago Tribune, in a long notice of Senator Douglas, says: "In his last days he gave those who stood near to minister to his wants the most convincing assurances of the depth and earnestness of the lively love of country that filled his heart."

Washington, June 9, 1861. The important movements of the campaign have begun. A portion of the force which moves from this direction towards Harper's Ferry has marched. Other regiments will soon follow.

Major General Banks will take command at Baltimore, while General Cadwallader, whom he relieves, leads a column from the Relay House to co-operate with General Patterson's force, which will move by way both of Hagerstown and Frederick.

A battery of artillery has already started by way of Georgetown and the Chain Bridge. Other troops—volunteer and regular—have marched or gone by rail. Several other regiments start early in the morning. It is said that 10,000 men will be on the march in time to co-operate in the movement.

An officer and private of the Virginia cavalry were captured six or seven miles beyond the lines by a scouting party of the Pennsylvania 5th, through the patriotic instincts of the regimental doctor.

There is no doubt that General Scott is fully apprised of the plans of the enemy, and fully prepared to meet and discomfit them. Though the scheme ascribed to Davis and Beauregard may not be the real one in matters of detail, it is so in substance.

Maryland was the vulnerable spot through which they intended to deal Washington and the country a terrible blow, and to have been struck. Frederick City and Baltimore were ready to assist, and it was arranged that a large body of men should be thrown between the Capital and the North.

Should Harper be cut off in detail. Should the deliveries of grain at Milwaukee be very large, greatly ahead of those at Chicago. On the 29th and 30th of May the receipts of wheat alone were two hundred thousand bushels, and the shipments East four hundred thousand bushels.

Engagement at a Battery. An engagement took place between two regiments of U. S. troops near Fort Pierce of Boston, and a body of rebels, on the road to Great Bethel, where an effort was made to take a large masked battery, but from want of artillery failed.

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Sexual Organs. Existing in either sex, from whatever cause originated, and on either of them, is a disease which is not only painful, but is also a source of great danger to the individual, and is a source of great danger to the community.

Died. In Kishacoquillas Valley, on the 26th ult., JANE, wife of the late Hon. Joseph Kyle, in the 73d year of her age.

THE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various goods including Butter, Lard, Eggs, Flour, and other commodities. Includes sub-sections for 'CORRECTED BY GEORGE BLYMYER' and 'CORRECTED BY MARKS & WILLIS'.

Philadelphia Market.

Flour.—\$5a50 for superfine and extras, 575a50 for extra family, and 675a7 for fancy brands, according to quality.

Appointments by the Governor.

- Surgeons: Alfred W. Reed, Germantown; L. W. Reed, Norristown; Charles Bowser, Newton Hamilton, Millifield, county.

George Taylor, of the Blair District, it is supposed will be unanimously re-elected President Judge.

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Our Troubles Attributed to the Declaration of Independence.—Dr. Smyth, a prominent scholar of South Carolina, inquires in a pamphlet, "What is the difficulty, and what is the remedy?"

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The Richmond Examiner in speaking of the Federal troops, says: "Take them all in all, their forces are as precious a set of rascals as could be scraped together with a fine tooth comb from the pot-houses and ball-rooms of the North."

Among the letters found by our soldiers at a newspaper office in Alexandria, was one directed to Gen. Lee, saying: "The New York Zouaves, one thousand strong, are ordered to this city. Send, immediately, seven thousand soldiers."

England and the Cotton Product.—A southern planter recently arrived from Europe, a man of standing and extensive information, says, as per a letter just received from a friend in New York:

Mr. — says that England will lend the south a dollar, and France cannot do so. He says we have no idea of the energy with which England is prosecuting the cultivation of cotton in India and Australia.

LOST. A GOLD BRACELET, ornamented with a representation of a frosted fruit with a small heart attached, was lost on the fifth instant, either in Lewistown, or between Lewistown and Reelsville.

TO SHOEMAKERS WANTED. 50 GOOD SHOEMAKERS, to work on Government work.

Real Estate at Public Sale. In pursuance of an order issued by the Orphans' Court of Millifield county, will be sold at public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Lewistown, on

Monday, August 26, 1861, the following real estate to wit: The undivided ninth part of the following two mesuages or tracts of land situated, lying and being in Granville township, Millifield county, one bounded on the east by lands of Samuel S. Woods, and on the north by lands of Samuel S. Woods and the heirs of David W. Hulings Esq., and on the west by lands of Joseph Goehnen, and on the south by lands of Adam Breneman, the heirs of Matthew T. Mayes, lands of Henry J. Walters, Esq., and the Junata River, containing

150 ACRES, more or less, with a two-story BRICK HOUSE, Frame Barn, and other improvements thereon.

70 ACRES, more or less, with a two-story LOG HOUSE, Frame Barn, and other improvements thereon.

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