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OUR FLAG. CLING TO THE CONSTITUTION, AS THE SHIPWRECKED MARINER CLINGS TO THE LAST PLANK WHEN RIGID AND THE TEMPEST CLOSE AROUND HIM.—DANIEL WEBSTER.

Notice. THE LANCASTER INTELLIGENCER will pass into the hands of a new firm on the first day of July next.

PLAIN TALK FROM A REBELLIAN. The following is from the Telegraph, a new Administration paper lately established in Philadelphia.

There was no period during the Rebellion when it could not have been factually put down, if the required force had been employed and rightly managed.

There has been nothing important from either GRANT'S or SHERMAN'S armies for the last three or four days.

GOLD closed on Saturday, at Philadelphia, at 194.

JUDGE APPOINTED.—Hon. Alexander King, of Bedford, has been appointed President Judge of the Sixteenth judicial district, in place of Judge Mill, deceased.

The War.

In abandoning the Mechanicsville route to Richmond General Grant has done wisely. The fortifications of the city, from the north around to the east, are too strong for direct attacks.

On Tuesday morning General Grant's line extended from Coal Harbor, four miles east of New Bridge, to Despatch Station, on the railroad, two miles northeast of Bottom's Bridge.

The guerrillas have captured two small vessels in the Potomac. They sailed from the Virginia shore in boats. The vessels were re-captured. Another vessel, used as a blockade runner, has been taken by the Federal gunboats.

Politics in Religion. Amongst the most mischievous of the many irregular influences which inaugurated the civil war...

Amidst this general and insane defection from the teachings of Christ and his Apostles, we are gratified to know that the Protestant Episcopal Church remains true to her sacred record.

In the course of the discussion, Judge SIALER said: He had grown grey in the service of the Episcopal church, but old and experienced as he was, he had never before witnessed any such kind of a schism.

From Old Tavern Hill, southeast, runs the outer ridge of the Richmond defenses. It is from five to six miles from the town.

But General Grant has not yet passed the Chickahominy. On Tuesday General Warren advanced about half a mile from Despatch Station to the edge of the hill where he could look down upon the railroad and Bottom's Bridge, crossing the Chickahominy.

NEGRO SOLDIERS.

A New Orleans correspondent of the Springfield Republican has come to the conclusion that the attempt to metamorphose negro soldiers has proved a total failure.

But, unfortunately, it was found that the physical qualifications of the negro were not equal to the hardships of drill and fatigue duty, many of them having in a short time become nearly fatal diseases, brought on by the vicious habits of plantation life, and many others being as yet young and immature in body, and marked by hereditary taint.

The Federal General Bridgeport, coming from Eastern Kentucky, came up with Morgan's rear, on Thursday, at Mount Sterling, where he had a skirmish. They go so fast, however, being cavalry, that he cannot do much damage.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

The conscription of men in Lancaster County for the different townships which had to fill up their quotas was completed last night.

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RETURNING BRAVES.

Captain Mark O'Brien, of the 1st New York Heavy Artillery, returned to his home in Lancaster on Monday morning.

THE NOMINATION OF FREMONT. Great contentions are manifested in the camp of our country in consequence of the nomination of the gallant Fremont and the intrepid Cochrane.

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GEN. FREMONT'S ACCEPTANCE.

General Fremont has written a letter accepting the nomination for the Presidency bestowed upon him by the Cleveland Convention.

It is as if we have been taught to believe, those guarantees for liberty which made the distinction between the American and the European name and glory of our country are in truth inviolably sacred.

Against the retrograde condition of affairs in the Cleveland Convention, the principles which form the basis of our government have my unqualified and cordial approval.

In the adjustment which are to follow peace, in the adjustment of vengeance can only be the result of the war.

THE RESERVES. It ever a band of war-worn veterans deserved well of the land of their birth or of their adoption, it is the shattered remains of the two brigades of the Pennsylvania Reserves.

CHRISTIANITY EXTRAORDINARY. They have a queer kind of Christianity in the good old borough of Bedford, in this State.

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