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MONDAY MORNING.....APRIL 11, 1864.

The Sioux Chiefs Anxious for Peace.

The St. Paul (Minnesota) *Press* says:

Letters have been received by Gen. Sibley from Father Andre at St. Joseph. He encloses communications from some of the Sioux Chiefs, who profess an earnest desire for peace, but, until they have had a general consultation with the other bands on the Missouri, decline to commit themselves fully. Father Andre states that the expedition of Gen. Sibley last summer, entirely changed the views of the upper bands of Sioux, with regard to their ability to fight American troops. A year since they boasted that one of their warriors was worth ten Americans, and with his hatchet could easily beat out their brains. Then they were impudent and defiant, but since, for the first time, they have learned how powerless they are against well disciplined forces in the field, and they very much deprecate another visitation of a like nature.

In an earnest appeal to the chiefs of the Sioux bands Father Andre has advised them, if they wish to save themselves from speedy destruction, to submit to the Government at once.

Father Andre can now also point out to the Sioux that the British Territory will no longer be a place of refuge for them, as Gov. Dallas has either come to his senses or received a hint from home. According to a dispatch from St. Paul, which we have published, he has advised our military authorities that our forces are free to pursue the red-skins over the border, and clear them out wherever found.

Washington Telegrams.

WASHINGTON, April 7, 1864.

PROGRESS OF ANTI-SLAVERY.

The speech of Senator Henderson, of Missouri, to-day, in favor of the constitutional amendment prohibiting Slavery, took every one by surprise. The progress of public sentiment in Maryland on this subject seemed to anticipate Senator Johnson's declaration of Anti-Slavery ideas; but no such advancement was looked for from Missouri. The open and firm stand taken by Mr. H. produced a profound impression, and furnishes an additional illustration of the rapid growth of Free State sentiment in Border States.

THE POSITION OF THE HOUSE ON THE MEXICAN QUESTION.

The resolutions of the House in regard to Mexico completely surprised the diplomats in this city. Those who had supposed Maximilian would be recognized were quite chagrined, and others, whose proclivities are republican and liberal, were delighted. This expression of opinion is regarded by the foreign representatives as more than significant, and will have its weight abroad.

MISSOURI AND THE NATIONAL UNION CONVENTION.

It is now understood that the Radicals in Missouri will send delegates to the Baltimore Convention. The Blair party having already resolved to do so, this will make two sets of delegates, each claiming to represent the Union sentiment.

THE INTERNAL REVENUE BILL.

The Committee of Ways and Means are again delayed in the Internal Revenue bill. They will not report before next week. The report will cover, not only the matter of increase of taxation, but important changes in the method of collection, so that the frauds heretofore practiced will be prevented, and the real amount received.

M'CLELLAN'S REPORT.

The imperfect report of Gen. McClellan, concerning his military administration, lately published, is to be corrected, for the sake of history, by the publication of all his official dispatches. The omitted dispatches now lying on Secretary Stanton's table make a pile a foot and a half high.

An Important Letter.—A Rebel Colonel Takes the Oath and Surrenders his Command.

The following letter explains itself:

LIVINGSTON, Tenn., March 27.

Col. Stokes, commanding at Sparta, Tennessee:

DEAR SIR:—Colonel, rumor informs me that my command will be allowed by you to appear at Sparta and take the oath of allegiance to the "United States," and in regard to that, colonel, I wish to fairly understand whether this is false, or done in order to deceive me.

Colonel, if you will assure me that myself and men will be allowed to take the oath and return home; or Colonel, if not contrary to your orders, I had rather take a parole and be exchanged as other prisoners. I prefer the parole.

You will be so good as to let me hear from you as soon as possible; and I will consult my men, and I am sure all will be right.

Colonel, I consider that I am not to blame for the kind of warfare that is being carried on in this country between the few Confederate soldiers and your command; and, if you require it, I will give a full explanation of the Call-Killer affair, which I am satisfied will give you full satisfaction on my part. I am, Colonel, very respectfully,

Your enemy,
JOHN M. HUGHES,
Col. 25th Tenn. Reg. C. S. A.

P. S.—I do this because I believe it to be the only way to save the lives of the men. As for myself it matters not; I had as soon die as be disgraced as a soldier. I joined the Confederate army to fight for three years, and my time will be out on the first of August next, and then I am no longer a rebel soldier. But it has always been my rule to fill my contracts, but it seems that I will not be able to fill that.

If this is agreeable, I hope there will be no more killing until the thing is fixed on.

J. M. HUGHES.

Colonel Stokes replied to this communication that he would receive the Colonel and his command as prisoners of war. Colonel Hughes and Adjutant McDowell and others have accordingly surrendered to him. It is expected that Major Bledson's Partisan Rangers will also give themselves up in a few days.

Telegraphic Enterprises in Progress.

The United States Telegraph Company have constructed, during the past year, nearly two thousand miles of telegraph, and during the present season intend to erect more than four thousand miles more. Their lines are now in operation from this city to Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Chicago and Milwaukee. And by way of Philadelphia to Pittsburgh and Cleveland. Within a few weeks their lines will reach to Cincinnati, and during the summer will be extended to Louisville, Ky., and St. Louis. Preparations are now being made to construct a line to the gold mines of Colorado, Salt Lake City and San Francisco. A portion of this line will be completed during the summer. A new company has been organized in Canada, called the Provincial Telegraph Company, with which the United States Company will connect at Suspension Bridge and at Montreal. One of the most important features of this enterprise, is its probable connection with a line to Europe, to which the attention of the public has not been called. This line is from the coast of Labrador via Greenland, Iceland and the Faroe Isles, to the north shore of Scotland. The longest distance from shore to shore is less than five hundred miles—less distance than cables are now successfully working in the Mediterranean. Col. T. P. Shaffner explored the route in 1863, and again, with the aid of the British Government, in 1867, and found no obstacles to prevent its success. He reports that a large amount of subscription has been obtained in Europe. The United States Telegraph Company have informed Col. Shaffner that they will furnish him with the amount he requires to complete it. The United States line will connect with Colonel Shaffner's Ocean line, either at Quebec or on the coast of Labrador.

News Items.

THE proposed telegraph across Behring's Straits and Asiatic Russia, to connect the United States with Europe, begins to promise hopefully. Mr. Collins has secured all needful privileges from the British and Russian Governments, and will soon lay before Congress the plans agreed upon, asking our Government to assist in the enterprise.

DR. PAUL SWIFT, of Haverford College, Pennsylvania, lately discovered that sulphuretted hydrogen, in carbon, forms a very explosive compound, it having blown a hole through a thick oaken bench, upon which the first experiment was tried. It is said that the substance will be an excellent substitute for gunpowder.

THURSDAY was the fourth day of the New York Sanitary Fair, and the first day that people were admitted for fifty cents. The building was crowded day and night to overflowing; the number of visitors was thirty thousand two hundred and fourty-four.

THE N. Y. *World* says that every State in the North except perhaps New Jersey, is in such delirium that it would go for the Republicans to-day, if the election was to be held.

A London merchant has left Kossuth a thousand pounds. Good for the memory of the merchant. Good, too, for the so long unfortunate Hungarian!

MANY persons in Providence, R. I., have pledged themselves to abstain entirely from the use of butter so long as it is held above thirty cents a pound.

PRESIDENT LOPEZ, of Paraguay, is, it is said, about to have himself proclaimed Emperor.

FRANCIS WAYLAND, Jr., was elected Probate Judge in the New Haven district on Monday.

A Significant Order.

The Adjutant-General of Ohio has issued the following important order to soldiers on furlough in that State:

Commandants of regiments belonging to the armies of the Ohio and Cumberland, will proceed directly to Nashville, and those belonging to the Army of Tennessee will report to Cairo, where they will learn where their Brigades are stationed, and receive further orders. Not a single day should be lost, and no excuse can be entertained, such as waiting for more recruits, and commanders of regiments will be held to a strict accountability for absence a single day after the expiration of their furloughs. Now is the time that every soldier should be in his proper place, and all absentees will be sent to the front.

The rumor current about the time of Gen. Sherman's raid that orders had been issued by Gen. Johnson, commanding the rebel army in front of Chattanooga, requiring all inhabitants of that part of Georgia to withdraw to the south of the Coosa river, is verified by a dispatch published by us on Wednesday. What is the object? It can only mean that the Coosa, with Rome as its key, is to be the line of rebel defense. With this end in view, the country between the Tennessee and the Coosa is to be made a waste—being utterly stripped of inhabitants, and of all that can subsist or assist an army; so that the belt of country between our army and theirs shall be as wide as possible; rendering their defense easy, and offense difficult. It would thus appear that the rebel tactics in that direction are to be simply defensive. Whether this policy will gain them anything of value, remains to be seen. If it renders their line any more secure, it will have the same effect upon ours also. It will enable us to make Chattanooga as safe as its capable of being, and to fill it with supplies to any extent. And when they have done their utmost, and we have done the same, the question will turn on the superiority of advantage will turn on the superiority of the utmost attained by them or us. They will hardly be able to create a desert so wide that we shall not find means to cross it.

IMPORTS OF FOREIGN DRY GOODS.—The imports of foreign dry goods at New York for the month of March are one-third larger than for the same month of last year, and twice as large as for the corresponding period in either of the two preceding years. The total receipts for March, 1861, were $5,836,076; March, 1862, $6,471,991; March, 1863, $9,204,581; and now, for March, 1864, $12,835,127. These values are the foreign cost, reckoned in gold, to which duties, freight, and exchange must be added to make the total paid by consumers here. Reckoned in this way, the twelve and a half millions would swell to over thirty million dollars.

THERE has arrived in Baltimore a refugee from Richmond, Mrs. Lucy A. Rice. Mrs. Rice, despite the tyranny that reigns at Richmond, has always preserved her loyalty to the Union, and evinced a warm sympathy for the sufferings of our officers and men who have been imprisoned in Richmond. Her house was for nine days the hiding-place and refuge of Col. Streight, Major D. H. McDonald, and another officer, after they escaped from Libby Prison, and were awaiting an opportunity to get out of the city. Mrs. Rice has reached our lines in a destitute condition. She has been forced to abandon all she possessed in Richmond.

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WANTED, Men for the Naval Squadron, ON THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER. Time of enlistment two years. Three months' pay in advance. For further information apply at Recruiting Office, No. 31 ST. CLAIR STREET, Pittsburgh. mh30:2m

WANTED—Agents to sell the STANDARD HISTORY OF THE WAR. A rare chance to make money. 200,000 volumes already sold. Send for circular. Address JONES, BROS. & CO., Publishers, Baltimore, Md. ap4:1m

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EVENING GAZETTE TELEGRAMS.

IMPORTANT FROM LOUISIANA.

FIGHT ON CANE RIVER.

THE REBELS DEFEATED.

The Enemy Pursued by our Forces.

FIVE HUNDRED PRISONERS TAKEN.

Steamer Lacrosse Captured and Burned by the Rebels.

MISSISSIPPI REFUGEES ARRIVING.

&c., &c., &c.

CAIRO, April 8.—The steamer Continental, from New Orleans on the evening of the 2d, has arrived, bringing a large number of Government mules and wagons from Vicksburg.

Nine hundred contrabands, men, women and children, have arrived from Alexandria.

The officers of steamers from Red river report that considerable of a fight took place on Cane river, thirty-five miles from Alexandria, on the 28th ult., between General Smith's forces, consisting of 8,000 infantry under Gen. Mower, and Dudley's brigade, and Lee's cavalry corps and Dick Taylor's army, estimated at 12,000 strong, posted in an advantageous position. The fight lasted about three hours. Our loss is reported at eighteen killed and about sixty wounded. That of the rebels was much greater, some placing it at 200 killed and wounded. We captured 500 prisoners, and others are still being brought in.

Dudley's brigade in the advance greatly distinguished themselves.

Our troops did not halt on the battle ground, but pushed on in pursuit of the retreating enemy. No rest would be given the rebels. It was General Smith's design to force the enemy to make a stand, and defeat them in a pitched battle if possible.

A considerable number of deserters have entered our lines.

The steamer Lacrosse was captured and burned by guerrillas on the 25th ult., below Alexandria. The crew were released on parole, but the officers retained.

The same band fired into the Mattie Stephens, on the night of the 30th. No injury is reported.

Large numbers of Mississippi refugees are gathering within our lines at Fort Pike and vicinity. Seven hundred in one lot are reported to be leaving rebeldom.

The sales of cotton at New Orleans on the 1st were 400 bales, ordinary, at 36@50; Low Middling, 60@69; Middling, 70. Sugar, new crop, 15½@17½.

The Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The following is the resolution as passed by the Senate on joint resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States submitting to the Legislatures of the several States a proposition to amend the Constitution of the United States:

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, two-thirds of both houses concurring, that the following article be proposed to the Legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by three-fourths of said Legislatures, shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of said Constitution, namely: "Article 13, Sec. 1. Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction. Sec. 2. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation."

DISSOLUTION.

DISSOLUTION.—The Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of JOHN VOEGTLY & CO., for the purpose of carrying on the Flooring business, has this day been dissolved, in consequence of the death of Mr. WILLIAM OLAS VOEGTLY. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said firm are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said firm will please call on the undersigned for settlement.

JOHN VOEGTLY, Jr.

RECOMMENDATION.

Having sold our Flooring Mill to Messrs. D. GILMORE & CO., we cheerfully recommend them to our late customers and the public generally, as men of probity and experience. JOHN VOEGTLY & CO.

In referring to the above, we would respectfully solicit a continuance of the favor bestowed upon the late firm of JOHN VOEGTLY & CO., by strict attention to business, and a desire to merit a share of the public patronage. D. GILMORE & CO.

Pittsburgh, April 1st, 1864. ap4:3t

DISSOLUTION.—THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the style of BIDDLE & BIDDLE, was dissolved by mutual agreement on the 31st day of December, 1863. The Gazette establishment of Beaver was sold on the 1st of January, 1864, and will hereafter be in the hands and subject to the exclusive management of an Association organized under an act of Assembly, relating to Manufacturing, &c. S. BIDDLE is authorized to use the firm name in settlement. All parties having claims against the late firm are requested to present the same at the Counting Room for settlement; and all persons knowing themselves indebted, will please call and settle without delay. SAMUEL BIDDLE, RUSSELL EBERTY, JAMES M. BIDDLE, S. SCHOYER, Jr., ROBERT BIDDLE.

Jan. 1st, 1864.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the style of R. M. BREWER & CO., is dissolved by the withdrawal of BREWER, WATSON & CO. BREWER, BURKE & CO.

Pittsburgh, April 5, 1864.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—GEO. R. BREWER and OTIS G. BURKE, having purchased the interest of BREWER, WATSON & CO., in our firm, purchase dating from February 1st, 1864, they become members of our firm from that date. Style of firm same as before. BREWER, BURKE & CO. ap5:1w

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the style of W. & J. JOHNSTON & CO., is mutually dissolved, to take effect from this date. RICHARD BEKSON retiring from the firm. The business will be continued as formerly, under the style as heretofore.

WM. G. JOHNSTON, SAM'L B. JOHNSTON, RICHARD BEKSON.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 15th, 1864. mh17

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between JOS. F. HAMILTON and EVAN DAVIS, under the firm of JOS. F. HAMILTON & CO., has been dissolved by mutual consent. JOS. F. HAMILTON will attend to the unsettled accounts of said firm, at the old stand, corner First and Liberty sts.

JOS. F. HAMILTON, EVAN DAVIS.

Jan. 1st, 1864. ap15

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the style of LINDSAY & TELFORD, is mutually dissolved, to take effect from April 1st, inst. The business will be carried on as usual, by S. LINDSAY, Jr. & BRO.

S. LINDSAY, Jr., JNO. TELFORD.

April 6th, 1864. ap7:1w

REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.

Third National Bank, of Pittsburgh.

On and after MONDAY, April 11th, 1864, this Bank will transact its business in the building formerly occupied by the CITIZENS BANK, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JNO. H. LIVINGSTON, Cashier. ap9:1w

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H. M. WESTERVELT, Proprietor. ap9:1t

REMOVAL, TEMPORARY.

WILKINS HALL.

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REMOVAL.

FRANK VAN GORDER,

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REMOVAL.—Alderman J. DUNALDSON has removed his office from No. 42 Sixth street to JACKSON'S BLOCK, next door to Clark street to the Waiting Room of the Citizens Passenger Railway, Penn street.

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For full particulars see Posters and Programms of the day.

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FOR SICK AND WOUNDED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

ADDRESS.

THE PITTSBURGH SANITARY COMMITTEE, a branch of the U. S. Sanitary Commission, established for the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers, announce to the public that a Great Fair will be held at Pittsburgh, Pa., commencing on

The First Day of June, 1864.

The object of the Fair is to obtain money to enable the Sanitary Commission to proceed with their good work with increased energy and usefulness. The practical workings of the United States Sanitary Commission have been of such incalculable good, and have met such high approval from the entire people, that an enumeration of its claims is useless.

Every one feels it a duty to succor the wounded, sick and disabled soldier. The promptings of every loyal heart speak clearly, that we, who do not bear the dust and turmoil of the battle, should provide liberally for the "war-worn sons of the Republic" Christian charity speaks trumpet-tongued to each and every one, telling us to render to the wants of those who are sick, wounded and disabled in our country's glorious cause.

The duties of our common humanity teach us that all should unite in the cause; and if a cup of cold water is not to go unrewarded, what immortal favors are still to be bestowed on those who are the liberal donors to so deserving and charitable a work.

Much good has been accomplished in the past. Much more can be in the future, by united, energetic and liberal action favoring the United States Sanitary Commission.

The ranks of our armies are being rapidly filled, and several hundred thousand brave soldiers now stand "shoulder to shoulder" to uphold the liberal (personal and political) of the people of the Great Republic—to hold sacred our homes and our altars—to preserve our social, commercial and political prosperity, and shall we not succor and aid them in their hour of need, sick and disabled? Our sister cities, New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Cleveland, St. Louis, and all others throughout the length and breadth of the land, are engaged in this holy and necessary work. Shall not we also show by our liberality and bounteous charity in this Fair, that we, too, feel for the cause, and will give means towards it?

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