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The Reading Matter on this Page from Yesterday's Evening Gazette.

The Result in the State.

We have but few returns from the State, as yet, and cannot understand why they are so tardy in coming in. From what we have received, however, we gather—

I. That we have re elected nine of the twelve Union members of the present Congress, and Messrs. Mercur, Culver and Wilson, Union, in place of Tracy, A. Myers and Hale, present Union members, thus saving all we now have. The members re-elected are Messrs. Leonard Myers, O'Neill, Kelly, Thayer, Stevens, Scofield, Moorhead, Williams, and Broomall.

II. Geo. V. Lawrence has 200 majority in Washington, 750 in Beaver, and probably 1600 in Lawrence. Greene cannot give over 2000 against him. He is undoubtedly elected, and a gain.

III. We have only scattering from the 21st district, but the run is close between Fuller, Union, and Dawson, Copperhead. The soldiers' vote will elect him. Another gain.

IV. In the 17th district, the returns we have indicate the election of A. A. Barker, Union, in place of McAllister, Copperhead. Another gain.

V. In the 14th district, Geo. F. Miller, Union, undoubtedly runs out Wm. H. Miller, Copperhead. Another gain.

VI. In the 10th district, Howell Fisher, Union, has 800 majority in Lebanon and the majority in Schuylkill is only 300 against him. This elects him. He runs out Myer Strouse, Cop. Another gain.

VII. Luzerne gives only 500 against Ketcham, Union, while Susquehanna will give him 1300. His election is certain. He runs out Dennison, Cop. Still another gain.

VIII. The only return we have from the 16th district is that Fulton gives but 250 Copperhead majority. This indicates that Koontz, Union, beats Coffroth, Cop. If so, another gain.

We think we are safe in saying that we have elected eighteen out of the twenty four Congressmen. Sixteen of the eighteen we regard as certain.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Is overwhelmingly Union. We carry 15 of the 17 Representatives from Philadelphia, and probably 45 in the rest of the State, making the House stand 60 to 40. The Senate will stand 20 to 13—Union majority on joint ballot, 27. Will that do?

The Clerk of the Georgia House of Representatives Within our Lines.

Joseph Camp, late editor of the *Atlanta Confederacy* and the *Georgia Times*, and the present Clerk of the House of Representatives of Georgia, has arrived in Nashville, having been compelled to leave the south in consequence of the publication of an article advocating the restoration of the Union. Mr. Camp gives an interesting statement of the affairs in the south, which appears in the Nashville *Union* of the 6th. He says that a universal despondency exists throughout the south; at least three fourths of the people believing that, as there is no hope for the success of the confederacy, the sooner they return to the Union the better, as each day of hostility increases the difficulties which surround the making of peace. But it is impossible, at present, for this sentiment to become demonstrative. Jeff. Davis, he says, is the greatest tyrant living, and wherever his power extends there is neither freedom of speech nor freedom of person; and before a return to the Union is possible, the rebel army must be dispersed. He regards Hood's force no longer formidable, in a military point of view; it is small in numbers, and is greatly demoralized; but it is yet sufficiently strong to intimidate unarmed people, especially as the male portion of these people consists of only decrepid old men, or young boys—every one capable of bearing arms having been sent to the army by the conscripting officers. Break the army of Lee, he thinks, and that of Hood will disperse, and there are no others worthy to be called a military organization east of the Mississippi river.

Mr. Camp states that the rebel leaders say that if McClellan is beaten they have no hope; that there is not sufficient vitality in the confederacy to keep it alive. They, therefore, will look to eventual submission in case of the reelection of Mr. Lincoln; and since the fall of Atlanta they regard that as certain; and they are, therefore, very anxious about the terms on which they would be allowed to resume their citizenship.

He adds that Governor Brown is for a reconstruction of the Union; he knows this, having recently conversed with him on the subject. It was because the Governor looked upon the cause of the confederacy as hopeless that he had recalled the militia. They had been summoned to the field for home defence; but when Atlanta was captured the key was unlocked, and Georgia was at the mercy of Sherman; and, therefore they could avail nothing, and the Governor believed that they would be more valuable as farmers than soldiers.

Andrew Johnson on Slavery and Emancipation.

Hon. Andrew Johnson made a speech at the great Union demonstration at Logansport, Indiana, on the 4th instant, in which he said:

I am free to say for myself, that though I was born and have resided all my life in a slave State, yet I have been disposed to tolerate rather than advocate and sustain it. But the time has come," and the question has to be settled whether the government can stand having an institution in it which can raise itself above the government and defy it? This is a great proposition, lying along side the doctrine of free government, that no nation can exist long while an institution exists within it that rises above the power of the nation itself. Slavery, under its arrogant [illegible] has for years controlled the legislation of this country. The institution has undertaken to control the government, and now what is the government to do? Will it yield to slavery and acknowledge the institution paramount? Are the thirty millions of free white people to be controlled by the four millions of blacks and their three hundred and forty thousand owners? (Many voices, "No, no.") Then the question comes up, which shall go down, the institution of slavery or this government? (Voices, "Slavery.")

While on this subject of emancipation, a word that is often upon the lips of our opposers, let me say to you that in the emancipation of slaves in the south you emancipate more white men than you do black ones. (Cheers.) And while I advocate the policy as a principle, I am now for making a fair and full experiment; that is let all be free, and let them have a fair start and equal chance in the race of life. While I am for this, and while I believe the time will come when they can enjoy free government, still I am for a "white man's government." But if we are white men, and men of principle and humanity, ought we not be disposed to give the black man a chance? (Voices, "Yes, yes.") Take the narrowest view of the matter you can, without reference to colonization beyond the United States, if they are to remain there, their labor can be made more productive to the State and nation by their freedom than under slavery. The negro has been hitched on to the white man, who has kept him in a kind of negative position; his labor has been comparatively unproductive; he has been without incentive, and has worked only as he has been driven to it.

I know it is said by the copperheads, and others perhaps, you want negro equality, but you can't expect the negro to be fit to enjoy freedom after having been kept in slavery for a hundred years. Slavery disqualifies him for freedom, they say; and they insist on keeping him in slavery to disqualify him a few years longer, by way of qualifying him for being a freeman. [Laughter and cheers.] It is all wrong, and now is the time for cutting up the whole thing, root and branch, and letting the black people take their chances with all other human beings. [Cheers.]

But we were talking about peace. Don't everybody know that there can be no peace as long as rebels are encouraged here, and can hold out there? You talk about compromise. Would you have a right to compromise with wrong? (Voices, "No, never!") Would you have truth to compromise with falsehood? Virtue to compromise with vice? Would you have a Deity in Heaven, when Beelzebub, his Satanic Majesty, made war with Michael when he rebelled against Heaven—would you have had Deity hold a parley and ask an armistice? (Great and continued cheers.) All ye angels and heavenly hosts, stand aside! Fall back from the throne of power; we will seek an armistice with his Satanic Majesty. Oh! infamy, too base to be thought of. (Cheers.)

A Southern paper contains the following: "The negroes of Perry county, Alabama, lately contributed $1,000, to make General Forrest a Life Director of the Soldier's Relief Association, because he had kept the Yankees from that portion of the State."

The negroes are becoming a very important part of Southern society. The rebel papers are full of puffs of the colored race.

THE STATE ELECTION.

Special Dispatches to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11, 1864.

The majority in Philadelphia is 7,500. We have carried all the old members of Congress and 15 members of the Legislature.

SIMON CAMERON.

WASHINGTON Co., Oct. 11, 1864.

The news up to 11 o'clock last night from Greene county, gives Lazear 1,600 majority, and Washington county, gives Lawrence a majority of 200.

JAMES D. KIRK.

[ANOTHER ACCOUNT.]

WASHINGTON, Pa., Oct. 12, 1864.

Lawrence's majority in this county will be one hundred and seventy five. J. S. RUPLE, Chairman County Committee.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11, 1864.

The election held at my headquarters polled 151 votes—117 for the Union.

S. B. M. YOUNG, Lt. Col. Comd'g Camp Stoneman.

24th District.

	Lawrence, U.	Lazear, C.
Washington	200	
Beaver	800	
Lawrence	1500	
Greene		1600
	2500	1600
	1600	
Lawrence's maj	900	

21st District.

	Fuller, U.	Dawson, C.
Indiana	1800	
Fayette		750
Westmoreland		1500
	1800	2250

The soldiers' vote will more than overcome this majority, so that we regard Fuller as certainly elected.

FROM THE SHENANDOAH VALLEY.

BATTLE NEAR FISHER'S HILL.

Rebel Position Carried by Assault.

THE ENEMY PERFECTLY ROUTED.

THE REBELS PURSUED TWENTY MILES.

Guns, Caissons, Wagons, Cattle and Hundreds of Prisoners Captured.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The *Herald's* correspondent with Sheridan under date of the 9th, states that Sheridan, after having driven Early out of the Valley, destroyed all the grain forage, &c., which rendered the country untenable for another rebel army, determined to secure a position nearer his base of supplies. When he was at Harrisonburg, his subsistence had to be hauled in wagons almost a hundred miles. On retiring, he was not followed by any considerable number of rebels, until on the 8th, when a large force of cavalry under Rosser, made their appearance and attacked a portion of our cavalry. They were handsomely repulsed, but bivouacked for the night.

The next morning, Sheridan having halted the principal portion of his command in the vicinity of Fisher's Hill, instructed Gen. Torbett to attack the enemy and drive him away from such close proximity to our rear. Torbett at once carried out the order. Custar's and Merritt's divisions made a vigorous assault on the enemy at an early hour this morning. On the right Devin's division occupied a position on the Winchester turnpike, about midway between Strausburg and Woodstock, and on the left Custar's division occupied a position near Tom's creek on the back road, about two miles closer to the mountains.

Custar advanced first with his cavalry and horse artillery. He made a bold attack and drove the enemy back about a mile to a strong position on the brook, and there the enemy made a determined stand. The rebels were posted on a commanding hill; barricades and breastworks of rails and stones contributed considerably to strengthen a position which was naturally formidable. Gen. Custar, however, threw in his whole command and made three magnificent charges, and at last carried the position by assault.

At the same time a junction was formed with Gen. Merritt on the turnpike. The sharp skirmishing in the front did not seem to indicate anything decisive until Devins' brigade succeeded in striking the enemy on the flank. This produced a consternation in the rebel ranks in Merritt's front. The whole division then pushed forward and followed the enemy, who was now in full retreat. The retreat was soon turned into a perfect rout.

Custar and Merritt pursued the flying fugitives, capturing guns, caissons, wagons, a herd of cattle, and several hundred prisoners. The enemy were driven in great disorder through Woodstock, Edenburg and Mount Jackson, a distance of more than twenty miles. The rebel General L. O. Max had a very narrow escape from capture.

THE SITUATION IN GEORGIA.

The Atlanta Campaign.

GEN. SHERMAN'S OFFICIAL REPORT.

EXTRACTS FROM REBEL PAPERS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The *Times'* Washington special says: Gen. Sherman's official report of the Atlanta campaign is published. It fills twenty columns of the *Army and Navy Gazette*. He estimates the enemy's strength to have been between 45,000 and 50,000 infantry and artillery, and 10,000 cavalry.

He maintained about the same strength during the campaign, the number of men joining him from furloughs and hospitals about compensating for the loss in battle and by sickness. He pays a frank and cordial tribute to his corps commanders for the accomplishment of all his designs.

Late Richmond papers have the following: The *Whig* expects much from Hood's last movement, and describes Sherman's position as that of Burgoyne in the revolution. Sherman's effective force at Atlanta is counted not over fifty thousand.

The Savannah *Republican* charges Hood's army with licentiousness and demoralization. It is more feared by the inhabitants than by the Yankees.

It fears that the rebel failures in the Shenandoah Valley are attributable more to John Barleycorn, than the Yankees, as drunkenness among the rebel officers and men had become common.

As to the attack on Wilmington, the Augusta *Constitutionalist* says that place bids fair to put a period to the Yankee [illegible] of Saragossa, as no more tremendous earthworks exist on this continent, than those that surround the inlets of the Cape.

THE PENNSYLVANIA ELECTION.

Partial Returns from the Army.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12, 9.30 A. M.—The vote in the State is so close that probably the soldiers' vote will be necessary to decide the result.

Forney's *Press* claims a Union majority of 10,000, which the soldiers' vote will increase to 20,000. It thinks there will be a Union gain in members of Congress and Legislature.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 12.—The general opinion here is, that the State has gone Democratic on the home vote, by from 3,000 to 5,000 majority. It is expected that the soldiers' vote will give from 10,000 to 15,000 Union majority.

The Election Commissioners to the Shenandoah Valley have returned, and report that they were unable to reach Sheridan's army.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12.—The Democrats claim a majority of 5,000 on the home vote of the State.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Partial returns from Pennsylvania and Ohio soldiers in Washington and Alexandria show the following result: Pennsylvania Soldiers' Vote—Total Republican, 843; Democratic, 139. Ohio Soldiers' Vote—Total Republican, 380; Democratic, 22.

BUTLER'S HEADQUARTERS, Oct. 11, AFTERNOON.—The voting in this army to-day, in Pennsylvania regiments, has passed off very quietly. As far as can be learned, the Union ticket has been everywhere successful.

From Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 12.—The rebels destroyed Lawrence bridge, on the Pacific railroad, one hundred and seventy-five miles from here.

Price is still reported in the vicinity of Boonville, with Gen. Sanborn harrassing his rear and flank.

Butler County.

A dispatch just received from Butler county says we have carried it by 250 majority on the home vote, estimating a few districts.

FROM NEW ORLEANS AND CAIRO.

Expedition into Florida.

&c., &c., &c.

CAIRO, Oct. 12.—The steamer Gladiator, from New Orleans on Thursday, brings information of the expedition into the Interior of Florida under Gen. Asboth. Eucheeanna Court House was captured on the 23d ult. Twenty prisoners were taken, including Col. Tarrance and Lieut. Gordon. A large number of horses, mules and cattle were captured, and all the boats in the vicinity destroyed.

The expedition at last accounts was at Marrianna.

The steamer Oriental, from Boston, has arrived.

Cotton unsettled and no sales; Middling held at $1,60; Flour lower.

The steamer Hubbs from Memphis to Cincinnati had 210 bales of cotton, and the Belle of Memphis 28 bales for St. Louis.

The Grenada *Picket* says that Col. Basil Duke has been assigned to the command of John Morgan's cavalry.

Forrest has been promoted to a Lieutenant Generalship.

What Sheridan is Doing in the Shenandoah Valley.

A correspondent of the *Herald*, writing from Sheridan's headquarters, says:

No doubt the rebel papers will cry out against what is now being done in the Valley towards rendering it unfit to subsist the rebel army. Yet it is only since we commenced this work that that we fairly see how necessary it is. Many of the mills were found to contain thousands of bushels of wheat, which the millers were grinding up as fast as they could for the use of the rebel army. The amount of wheat which we find in the Valley is astonishingly large. The mills are full of it. The barns are stored with it. Stacks as high as houses are found in the fields. Besides, there is an abundance of oats in the sheaf, and enormous quantities of corn. Almost every barn we come to, is loaded with wheat, hay and oats. The destruction of these barns is being accomplished as fast as possible. Of course, it is no pleasing sight to witness fires in every direction that the eye can penetrate. Still, it is pre eminently necessary, and beyond all doubt a very great step towards putting down the rebellion. Unfortunately, some few houses caught fire from the barns, and were consumed; but it was not our fault that this happened; nor was it our desire and intention that it should be so. In every instance that has come to the knowledge of your correspondent the greatest care has been taken to spare dwelling houses, which are looked upon as strictly private property. The barns are not now looked upon in this light. They contain the means of subsistence for the rebel army, and that subsistence has been declared "contraband of war," and the barns must be destroyed because of their containing it.

The people in the Valley are not by any means in a straightened condition. They seem to have plenty of good, warm clothes to wear, and beyond all doubt an abundance of meat and flour to eat. Of beef there is more than enough. Of mutton, the same. Pork is not very scarce. Butter, too, is plenty. Besides, there is almost everywhere to be found apple butter and preserves of all kinds. The fruit crop has been very plentiful. In brief, your correspondent saw no signs of suffering anywhere; but on the contrary, every evidence that the people of the Valley have yet to know the great trials, troubles and privations of war times.

Getting "In His Rear."

The rebel papers seem to expect great success from Hood getting upon Sherman's rear. Sherman has been trying to get Hood in that position all through the campaign. He does not seem to be concerned for his own rear so much as he is for getting a crack at Hood's. The latter takes good care to keep out of Sherman's way. When he moves forward again Hood will have a busy time, collecting his scattered forces to resist Sherman's advance. Sherman seems to be perfect master of the situation, and has no apprehensions from Hood, though watching him very closely. Those who are expecting a dismal ending to the successful campaign in the South west are likely to be disappointed. All the talk about Sherman's danger is as idle as the prediction that he was walking into a trap prepared for him by Johnson, when following that retreating General. With two thirds of his army deserted, what can Hood do?—*Phila. Ledger.*

The New Version of the Psalms.

Dr. Harper, on behalf of the Committee appointed by the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church, to prepare a new version of the Book of Psalms, makes the following announcement:

The Committee met in the Lecture room of the First U. P. Church, and spent a month in the continued prosecution of this work. From ten or twelve different versions before us, we have selected and prepared about seventy-eight Psalms in different measures. Since the commencement of our work, we have heard of a number of versions, both in this country and in Great Britain. Desiring to avail ourselves of all the labors of the past in this important field, we have sent to Europe and opened correspondence with authors in this country to procure a number of versions not yet before us. We hope, also, when we meet again, to have all the members of the Committee present, and to be assisted by the corresponding Committees of the different Synods. The Committee has adjourned to meet again, in the same place, on the last Monday of November, at two o'clock, p. m.

Shocking Attempt at Suicide.

On Sunday Mrs. Linas Williamson, who resides near the line of the Hempfield Railroad, about a mile and a half east of Wheeling, made an attempt to commit suicide by cutting her throat almost from ear to ear, with a butcher knife. Mrs. W. is about sixty years of age. For some months past she has been manifesting occasional symptoms of insanity, and it was suspected by members of the family that she had designs upon her life. She was, therefore, closely watched. On Sunday, however, she eluded the vigilance of the family for a few minutes, got hold of a butcher knife and went into the cellar where she succeeded in inflicting the horrible wound. Some of the branches of the jugular were cut, but the jugular vein itself was not severed. The unfortunate woman has spoken since the wound was inflicted, and cannot swallow any kind of food or drink. It is feared she cannot recover.

Court of Quarter Sessions.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 12—Before Judges Stowe and Brown.

Michael Calls plead guilty to a charge of illegal liquor selling, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs.

F. Gassola plead guilty to a similar charge, and was fined in a like amount.

Catharine Berger plead guilty to assault and battery upon Catharine Fisher, and was sentenced to pay $10 and costs.

William and Samuel Fullerton were convicted of a charge of assault and battery, and sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs.

Court took a recess until two o'clock.

ARMSTRONG COUNTY.—The following returns of the Congressional vote have been received:

Freeport borough	23 maj.	
Kittaning borough	227	195
Valley township	11 maj.	
Franklin township	163	121

MCCLELLAN, 6.—A vote was taken in Company D, 4th West Virginia Infantry, at Clarksburg, the other day, on the Presidential question, with the following result: Lincoln, 85; McClellan, 6. The West Virginia soldiers are for Old Abe, almost to a man.

WHO CAN BEAT IT?—We were shown a Sweet Potato, raised by Mr. John J. Bradford, gardiner, at the Allegheny Arsenal, which weighs four pounds and ten ounces. Who can beat it? Echo answers who?

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