

FROM GEN. McCLELLAN'S ARMY.

A Desperate Battle—Defeat of the Rebels.

The following despatch was received at the War Department this afternoon:

FIELD OF BATTLE, 1st, 12 M.

We have had a desperate battle in which the corps of Generals Sumner, Heintzelman and Keyes have been engaged against greatly superior numbers...

At the same time, however, by great exertions Generals Sedgwick's and Richardson's divisions succeeded in crossing the Chickahominy, the enemy attacked our troops on the right flank.

This morning the enemy attempted to renew the conflict, but were everywhere repulsed. We have taken many prisoners among whom is General Pettigrew and Colonel Long.

THE LATE VICTORY NEAR RICHMOND.

Despatches of an unofficial character received from the Headquarters of the Army of the Potomac say that the importance and dimensions of our victory increase as they are hourly developed.

McClellan's Headquarters.

Two days of the battle at Richmond have been fought, on both of which our troops have been victorious. The loss on both sides is heavy.

Front Royal Recaptured.

Washington, Saturday, May 31.—A despatch received at the War Department states that a brigade of our troops, preceded by four companies of the Rhode Island Cavalry, under Major Nelson, entered Front Royal yesterday morning at 11 o'clock.

Occupation of Little Rock, Ark.

Chicago, May 31, 1862.—A special dispatch from Cairo says: An Arkansas refugee arrived from the fleet to-day. He says that Little Rock is fully occupied by the Union army.

The Union as it Was.

The soldiers of the War of 1812, residing in Philadelphia, held a meeting at the armory of the Washington Grays, on Wednesday evening last.

Little Democratic Cambria county.

Colonel two Majors, two Adjutants, thirteen Captains, three Surgeons, two Chaplains, one Brigade and two Regimental Quartermasters, and from twelve to fourteen hundred lesser officers and privates in the Federal army.

The iron propper Cambria, 250 tons.

from Nassau for Charleston, was captured by the U. S. gunboat Huron, while attempting to run the blockade, arrived at Philadelphia last Sunday.

Johnson, was taken prisoner. The enemy's dead, left on the field, amount to over twelve hundred.

Gen. Howard was wounded twice in the arm.

Col. Miller, of the 81st Pennsylvania, and Col. Rippey, of Pittsburg, were both killed.

Col. Campbell, of Pennsylvania, was wounded in the thigh.

Headquarters, Monday, 9 p. m. Gen. Hooper made a reconnaissance of any of the Williamsburg turnpike to within four miles of Richmond.

Every one feels sanguine of the fall of the rebel capital, when our troops advance for an engagement.

The fight of Saturday and Sunday seals the fate of that city. They threw the main body of the army, composed of the best troops, on our left wing with a view of crushing it.

SECOND DISPATCH.

HEADQUARTERS, JUNE 2.

The rebel officers were unable to rally their troops this morning, and have retreated back towards Richmond.

THE KILLED AND WOUNDED.

As all the wounded, and many of the dead have been sent to Whitehouse by railroad, it is impossible to obtain any correct list of the casualties of the past three days.

War Bulletin.

The Department of Virginia is extended to include that part of Virginia south of the Rappahannock, and east of the railroad from Fredericksburg to Richmond, Petersburg and Weldon.

Major-General John E. Wool, U. S. A., is assigned to the command of the Middle Department, and will proceed to Baltimore and assume command thereof.

Gen. McClellan to His Soldiers.

Tuesday evening, June 3. The following address was read to the army this evening at dress parade, and read again in the outline of a recitation cheering from every regiment.

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Montrose Democrat.

A. J. GERRITSON, Editor.

Tuesday, June 10, 1862.

Democratic State Convention.

In accordance with a resolution of the Democratic State Executive Committee, the Democracy of Pennsylvania will meet in State Convention, at Harrisburg, on Friday, the Fourth day of July, 1862, at 10 o'clock, a. m., to nominate candidates for Auditor General and Surveyor General, and to adopt such measures as may be deemed necessary for the welfare of the Democratic party.

Democratic Committee Meeting.

The Democratic Committee of Susquehanna county will meet at the hall of the Keystone Hotel, in Montrose, on Saturday, June 21st, at one o'clock, P. M. A full attendance is desired.

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Important from Halleck's Department.

Halleck's Headquarters, June 4.

General Pope, with 40,000 men, is thirty miles south of Corinth, pushing the enemy hard. He already reports 10,000 prisoners and deserters from the enemy, and 15,000 stand of arms captured.

Rebel Flight From Corinth.

Corinth, May 30.—It is now ascertained that the evacuation commenced the night before last. The enemy were retreating southwardly until the railroad bridge was burned, when they went to Grand Junction, and from thence south by the Memphis and New Orleans road.

Despatch from Gen. Halleck.

Washington, May 31.—The following despatch received this morning at the War Department: The enemy's position and works in front of Corinth were exceedingly strong and he cannot occupy a stronger position in his flight.

SUMMARY OF WAR NEWS.

June 3.—Gen. Jackson has been heard from, in this wise: On Sunday, May 25th, Gen. Fremont left Franklin, and by severe marching crossed the Shenandoah Mountains, a distance of one hundred miles.

Notice to School Directors.

Will the Directors that have not sent in their Reports for the past year please do so at once. Some few have sent the Annual District Report, and not the four months Certificate.

Fourth of July in Brooklyn.

In pursuance of a call previously made, a meeting was held in Academy Hall, Brooklyn, E. A., May 21st, 1862, for the purpose of making arrangements for the proper celebration of the coming Fourth of July.

The Union Sentiment in the South.

The New York Herald, a few days ago, published an interesting letter from Nashville, by which it appears that the Union sentiment is greatly repressed in that region by the emancipation proclamation of Gen. Hunter.

The Unanimous Voice of Congress.

Resolved: That the present deplorable civil war has been forced upon the country by disunionists of southern States, now in arms against the Government, and its arms around the Capital; that in this National emergency, Congress, basing all feeling of more patriotic sentiment, will not only support the Government, but will not be swayed on their part in any spirit of oppression, or for any purpose of prejudicing or compelling, or otherwise interfering with the rights or established institutions of those States, not in rebellion against the Government of the Constitution, and to preserve the Union, with all the dignity, equality, and rights of the several States unimpaired, and as soon as these objects are attained to be brought to rest.

Resolved, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Montrose papers.

Citizens of other towns are invited to unite with us.

G. B. ROGERS, Sec'y.

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Take care of your health and that of your children, and use no other Salarate except Herriek Allen's Gold Medal.

It is acknowledged as being the only perfectly harmless article in the market; it is peculiarly adapted to benefit weak stomachs and dyspeptic persons.

Our advice from before Richmond.

Our advice from before Richmond is not to be taken as a prediction. It is not in the hands of the rebels to make a victory on Saturday. The rebel loss at the two days' fight is set down at 10,000 killed, wounded and missing.

Conditional Unionism.

We propose to remain in and uphold the Union, on its rightful government and laws in all things consistent with a good conscience.

Great Bear Hunt.

A bear hunt came off in Nicholson, near Pierceville, Wyoming county, on Monday last.

Memphis Occupied!

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Discarded Republican Pledges.

The Senate bill to place Liberia and Haiti on an equality with white nations, has passed the House by 86 to 37.

Declaration of a Republican President.

I have no purpose, directly or indirectly, to interfere with the institution of slavery in the States where it exists.

Resolution of a Republican Congress.

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Resolution of a Republican Convention.

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