

Terrific Fighting against Lee's Army... The steamer Daniel Webster has just arrived here from City Point, with upwards of three hundred wounded on board.

Our informant says that General McClellan and his staff all agree that the present position of our army is far more advantageous as a base of operations against Richmond than that hitherto occupied.

Latest from McClellan's Army--The Skirmish of Thursday Last. The New York Post, received by noon mail, contains a letter from the new base on James River, dated July 5th.

For the last three days supplies have been handed here, and eager hands clutched at the hard bread, coffee and sugar, while the roads are crowded with ambulances, bringing thousands of wounded men from the last two battle fields.

Thursday morning the enemy opened an attack with cavalry, artillery and infantry on our rear, and for a time there were some long faces; and the army was ordered under arms.

Gen. McClellan has moved his headquarters and the army has advanced in all some five miles toward Richmond, having changed front toward Richmond.

No Fighting since Tuesday--Arrival of Prisoners. WASHINGTON, July 5.--The latest advices at the War Department from Gen. McClellan's army, are dated 9 o'clock yesterday morning, up to which time there had been no fighting since Tuesday.

Gen. Dix reports the arrival of 533 rebel prisoners, being a part of those taken during the late battles. Among them are several Colonels and Majors.

ADDRESS OF GENERAL McCLELLAN. WASHINGTON, July 6.--Advices from the army of the Potomac up to last night indicate that all is quiet, and the army in good spirits.

The New Pension Law for the Present War. The Pay per Month to Disabled Officers and Privates.

A BRILLIANT AFFAIR. CORINTH, Miss, July 6. To Hon. EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

THE BATTLES BEFORE RICHMOND. Following are the dates and localities of the various battles which have been fought by the contending armies before Richmond:

THE ELEVENTH P. R. CORPS CUT TO PIECES.--We learn by telegraph that this regiment suffered most severely on Friday, the 12th inst.

All the other officers are missing except Capt. Porter and his two lieutenants, who were detailed for other business at the time of the engagement.

Great Struggle Before Richmond!

REBEL NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS!

WASHINGTON, July 4.--The Richmond Inquirer of July 2d furnishes a number of items with regard to the battle of Monday.

The Examiner says it thinks that the division which went into the fight on Monday 14,000 strong, could only muster 6,000 men for duty, and that the loss of life exceeds that of any battle or siege yet fought.

The Battle of White Oak Swamp--Terrible Destruction Among the Pennsylvania Reserves--Generals McCall, Meade and Reynolds Either Wounded or Prisoners.

The Battle of Peach Orchard. At daylight on Sunday, writes a Herald correspondent, our whole line of earthworks had been deserted, and our artillery moved a mile to the rear.

The Afternoon's Battle of Savage's. The battle of Savage's was more sanguinary. It commenced about 5 o'clock in the afternoon and lasted till 11 o'clock at night.

Colonel Lamer and a whole Brigade made Prisoners. Let it be remembered here that a regiment always fights precisely like its officers.

GREENE COUNTY, MS. SAMUEL THOMPSON, In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Greene, Mississippi, 1862.

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The large figure of Gen. Sumner, with his long, white beard, handsomely mounted, and followed by a dashing staff, is a feature of this fight that will be forever imprinted upon the minds of his soldiers.

The order was executed in fine style, and our troops did not miss a man, the enemy being too severely punished to follow us closely.

THE PRESIDENT'S INTERVIEW WITH McCLELLAN--His Brief Address to the Troops--Our Official Total Loss 10,400.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11.--On the arrival of the President at Harrison's Landing, Gen. McClellan, with several other military gentlemen, visited him on board the steamer, after which the President and the General had a private conference for about half an hour.

Important News up to Monday Afternoon--A Bloody Battle on Saturday--General Porter Immortalizes Himself.

the carnage. The steady roar of cannon, and the sharp, quick ring of musketry, now bursting into volleys, now degenerating to that rasping noise made by file firing, filled the whole air.

He declared his confidence in the army and its Commander, in all the men and in all the officers, who were alike deserving the confidence of the country.

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After which the following volunteer toasts were read to the assemblage, to wit: By A Guest--The fearless and able advocate of our interests abroad;

By R. W. Jones--The Union of the States--Effected by the wisdom of our Revolutionary ancestors, as our independence was achieved by their valor.

By Mrs. Sarah C. Lindsey--The heroes who have fallen in defence of the Union: We weep because their hearts are now desolate.

By D. Crawford--The Constitution must be preserved as it came from the hands of our patriotic fathers, and its enemies be made to skedaddle from every position of trust and honor.

By Wm. C. Lindsey--Major General George B. McClellan--The youthful leader, whose genius is only equalled by his modesty; his heroism by his prudence, and his humanity by his success.

By Norman Worley--The ladies. After the reading of these toasts, full justice was done to the bountiful provisions of the ladies.

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