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PRICE ONE CENT.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Important from Washington

More Batteries at Acquia Creek.

THE NAVIGATION OF THE POTOMAC IN DANGER.

THE POCAHONTAS FIRED ON.

Another Skirmish near Washington.

The Rebels Falling Back to Fairfax Court House.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.

On Friday night a new battery, concealed in the woods, which had been erected by the rebels at a point a mile or two below Acquia Creek, suddenly opened fire on the United States steamer Pocahontas with rifled cannon. Although she was nearly four miles off, the balls went through her rigging, splintered the vessel and came near killing an officer. It was useless to return the fire, and the Pocahontas speedily got out of the way.

Her officers were entirely unaware of the existence of the battery, which makes the fourth already discovered at that place. Its situation is very near the shore of the river. The Pocahontas was obliged to withdraw in consequence of her inability to return the fire effectually. Our officers report that unless the government takes immediate action to expel the rebels from these positions on the banks of the river, navigation will be completely closed. The enemy's batteries already command a large part of the Potomac.

The officers of the Potomac flotilla have no doubt that the rebels are erecting a battery at Matthias Point.

The decoy boat which led to the sad affair of last Thursday, was evidently placed there for the purpose of destroying Lieut. Budd, of the Resolute, whom the rebels are after because he burned a house near that place some time since.

On Friday afternoon, Capt. Davis, with fifty men of the New York twenty-sixth, while making a reconnaissance, near Annapolis, three miles of Bailey's Cross Roads, met two companies of rebel cavalry. Capt. Davis deployed his men along the edge of a wood, and was cautiously advancing when they were discovered.

They were returned by Capt. Davis' detachment, and three of the rebels were seen to fall from their horses. The cavalry hastily retired, and immediately drums were heard sounding at Annapolis, showing that a rebel force is stationed there.

The rebel troops have nearly all fallen back to Fairfax Court House, thus widening the distance separating the hostile forces. The pickets of both armies, however, occupy nearly the same advanced positions as heretofore.

Two regiments of rebel troops are quartered at Fall's Church, Virginia.

The real cause of ex-Minister Faulkner's arrest, it now appears, is not his alleged treason, but it is done as a retaliating measure for the arrest of Magraw and Harris. Mr. Faulkner is informed that he is held as a hostage. He is allowed everything but visitors.

Lieut. J. S. Chambers, of the New York Twenty-seventh regiment, has resigned.

General Gibson, the Commissary General of Subsistence, of the United States army, is lying dangerously ill at his residence here.

A fine light artillery battery has been added to the Provost Guard of this city, under Brigadier General Andrew Porter.

The oath of allegiance was administered yesterday to all those employed in the State Department, by Justice Callan.

The charge made against Mr. Walton, the Treasurer of the United States Mint of Philadelphia, that he is a secessionist, is to be investigated by the Secretary of the Treasury. It is believed to be untrue.

General Edwin C. Wilson, of Erie, Pa., (late Adjutant General of Pennsylvania,) has been appointed a Brigadier Quartermaster of volunteers, United States Army, with the rank Captain.

Since our capitalists have taken the new government loan so freely, the Treasury Department entertains no doubt that it will be largely taken abroad, in spite of the croaking of the newspapers.

Advices which have been received here from Kentucky state that the new Union legislature will request Breckinridge and Powell to resign their seats in the United States Senate.

Judge Nelson, of Tennessee, is in jail at Richmond.

The Richmond papers, at last, admit that the burning of the village of Hampton, Virginia, was the work of their own men.

KENTUCKY.—The Legislature of Kentucky will convene in two weeks from Monday next, and among its first proceedings will doubtless be the passage of resolutions instructing Senators Breckinridge and Powell, and checking them in their open complicity with treason, while at the same time a vigorous scrutiny will be instituted into the acts of Governor Magraw, and if half can be proved which has been alleged against him, he will be impeached and removed from the high office he has so shamelessly prostituted.

A VOLUNTEER LOOKING FOR A LARGE REWARD.—The following correspondence recently passed between a gentleman of Iowa and his son, who had left college to fight for his country: "If you enlist, I disinherit you."

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Candidates. FOR COUNTY TREASURER. BENJAMIN BLOK, of Harrisburg, of. FOR REGISTER. SAMUEL MARQUART, of Harrisburg, of. NGs-NEUTRAL

THE WAR IN MISSOURI. REBEL LOSS 2,500 TO 3,000. GENERAL SIGEL IN COMMAND OF THE FEDERAL FORCES. REBELLION OF GENERAL PRICE.

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Indulges in the following attempt to excel the talent of the renowned Gulliver: The reported capture of 80,000 handcuffs among the enemy's baggage turns out to be true. I have myself seen two wagons load of them. The prisoners, however, continue stoutly to deny the fact. Some of the officers admit that there were a few along, but they were designed for their own men. The truth, no doubt, is, they were designed for the "rebels." And it is in perfect keeping with the whole unhalting war, its object, its aims, and the mode and manner in which it has thus far been carried on. We are looked upon and styled rebels, and barbarian rebels at that, and the fact that manacles were on hand for us, however horrible in reality, need hardly excite surprise.

THE POSITION OF THE ARMS ON THE POTOMAC. The great body of our army is still on the northern or Potomac side of the Manassas Plains—an immense body of men, covering nearly all the Centerville and Fairfax Heights with the adjacent country. All the men are in the finest health and spirits. Since Monday the weather has been as lovely as a May morning, the atmosphere cool and refreshing, and all nature—contrast with the deadly works of man—full of life and joy and gaiety. Our men are also well supplied with everything, whether for protection or sustenance.

THE TROPHIES OF BULL RUN. Among the most interesting trophies of the battle are the flags taken from the enemy, which have all been collected together at headquarters, and present a splendid sight. The number is very great, of every size and description, from the little guide up to the splendid silk regimental banner, presented by the Northern ladies on the departure of the regiment to the war. Of course they all promised never to return without them.

Immense numbers of fancy swords, sword belts, pistols, epaulettes, &c., have also come into the possession of the victors. Many of these also have the appearance of being presents, some of them are so inscribed, and of course they were to come back blackened with the smoke of the battle field.

These are only a few of the items of exaggeration, falsehood and deception which we have culled from a mass of matter all relating to the war. The object of the Pycnonese seems to be to keep the truth from its patrons. It steadily keeps before its readers this idea, that this Lincoln's war, that it is waged to keep the Republican party in power, and that as soon as the Democratic party can again get possession of the government, the war will be ended by a recognition of the Southern Confederacy.

There is no news of any special interest to the northern readers in the files before us. What we have culled above, will suffice to show the paper and the truthfulness of this organ of through reports of the death of the Hon. Alex. H. Magraw, late representative in Congress from the Jefferson district of Virginia, is not correct. It was his son, bearing the same name, who was wounded in the fight at Bull Run, and died of lock-jaw. Mr. Bote, himself, it is stated, has been arrested by the federal troops at his residence near Shepherdstown, and taken to the headquarters of Gen. Banks, near Sandy Hook, in Maryland.

Mr. FAULKNER, who is under arrest in Washington, received information from the War Department on Thursday last that he was detained as a hostage for the return of Messrs. Harris and Magraw, who went to the Confederate camp for the purpose of recovering the body of the late Colonel Cameron. The Intelligencer says his arrest has not been prompted by any considerations relating to his personal demeanor as a citizen or as a foreign representative of the United States. Mr. Faulkner is now lodged in comfortable quarters, and receives the cards of his friends; but is not permitted to have any further communication with them.

ANOTHER ARREST FOR TREASON IN BALTIMORE. The Baltimore Sun of yesterday says: "Before the breaking out of actual hostilities between the United States and the Confederate States, and before intercourse with the South had been interdicted by the federal government, several business houses of this city removed their stock of goods to Richmond, Va., preferring that city to Baltimore. Among them was the dry goods house of Messrs. Lanier, Brothers & Co. They carried their goods by way of Washington, and were not obstructed. One of the firm, Mr. L. L. Lanier, returned to this city a day or two ago, and was yesterday arrested by the federal police on the charge of treason, in having furnished aid and comfort to the enemy. He was taken to Fort McHenry, where he is now confined."

FUGITIVE ZOUAVES FOR ACTIVE SERVICE.—The Buffalo, New York Commercial is credibly informed that a female Zouave company is organized, uniformed, armed and equipped in that city, and have for several weeks past been perfecting themselves in military movements under the direction of a competent officer. They have attained such a degree of perfection in drill that they contemplate parading in public within a couple of weeks. It is said also that they are organized for no simple holiday purpose, but intend volunteering for field service, and if that is refused them, they will offer themselves as hospital assistants and nurses.

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Pope will permit no free scouting, considering it injurious to the troops. To hold the people under strict discipline, for depredations, if troops are called for their relief, they must be sent in sufficient numbers to possess villages, quartering soldiers in citizens' houses and showing rations from the citizens. This is believed to be the only means of keeping the people quiet.

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New Advertisements. NOTICE! THE Post Office Department having issued NEW STAMPS, of all denominations, viz: ONE, THREE, FIVE, TEN, TWENTY, THIRTY, FORTY, FIFTY, SIXTY, notice is hereby given that an exchange of the old for the new stamps will be made at this office for a period of SIX DAYS from this date, after which time the old stamps will not be received. Smaller offices in this vicinity can exchange their stamps at this office. GEO. BERGNER, P. M. Aug. 19, 1861.—6td

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DR. JOHNSON. Dr. Johnson member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges of the United States, and the greatest part of whose life has been spent in the Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has discovered some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known. Many troubled with ringing in the ears and head when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, headache, with frequent blushing, and sometimes with derangement of mind were cured immediately.

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