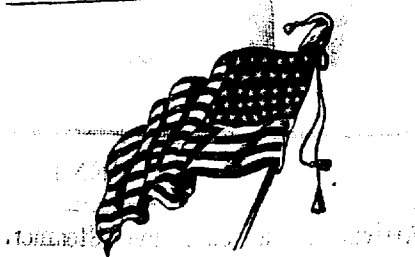


Daily Telegraph



Forever float that standard sheet... Where breaches the foe but falls before us...

OUR PLATFORM THE UNION—THE CONSTITUTION—AND THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE LAW TO THE ARMY.

SOLDIERS:—WE HAVE HAD OUR LAST DEFEAT—WE HAVE SEEN OUR LAST DEFEAT. YOU STAND BY ME AND I WILL STAND BY YOU, AND HENCEFORTH VICTORY WILL CROWN OUR EFFORTS.

HARRISBURG, PA. Saturday Morning, September 14, 1861.

THE VICTORY IN WESTERN VIRGINIA.

Every defeat of the rebels in Virginia is worth a dozen in any other locality, simply because the rebellion receives all its present encouragement and virulence from the politicians and traitors in the Old Dominion.

THE CONFEDERATION LAW continues to afflict the sympathizers with even more than it does the participants in rebellion. They strain and splutter in their arguments against confiscation, and seek to use that law to prove that this struggle is for the emancipation of the slaves of the south.

ANOTHER WESTERN VINDICATION. It is gratifying to behold the manner in which the great west repels the attacks that a few interested and disappointed speculators had been making on the Secretary of War.

THE ADVANTAGE GENERAL of the United States is explained that there is too much telegraphing done by the officers in the army, and that the extravagance and expense of the practice are a source of great annoyance to the War Department.

COL. WILLIAM G. MURRAY, of Hollidaysburg, has been authorized to raise a regiment for the war. Col. M. was formerly a resident of Hollidaysburg, and is a good soldier.

THADDEUS BANKS, of Hollidaysburg, is an independent candidate for the Legislature.

THE NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Corporations are generally able to take care of their own interests without the aid or the defence of the press, and when they commit a wrong or accidentally do an injury to those using whatever facilities they advertise to the public, juries are not inclined to assess the damages too low, nor are courts of justice slow in their enforcement and carrying out of a sentence.

The latest cry, and the meanest opposition waged are those by roads running from New York through Philadelphia and Baltimore to Washington. Parties interested in these roads, with their runners and hucksters, are constantly howling at the government because the Northern Central Railroad is used for the transportation of troops from the north-east and east to Washington.

Under the present management, the Northern Central railroad is justly regarded as one of the safest and most accommodating avenues of travel and transportation in the country, and we have a right as Pennsylvanians to feel proud of the improvement, and justly indignant with those who attempt its injury by falsehood or attraction.

THE DELEGATE ELECTIONS.

The election of delegates to the People's County Convention is to-morrow (Saturday) evening. Few of the people know anything about it, and many are nothing at all.

A TRAITOR CAUGHT WITH A SNUFF BOX.

A Kanawha merchant, who had concluded to repudiate his Northern debts, was yesterday served a trick rather unpleasant to him. He happened to have an unneeded amount of \$1,200 in a wholesale house in Columbia street, in this city.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Another Victory in Western Virginia.

ROUT OF THE REBELS. FLOYD RUNS AWAY.

Rebel Baggage and War Implements Captured.

Twenty-Five of Col. Tyler's Men Recaptured. GLORIOUS NEWS FROM MISSOURI. OFFICIAL REPORT FROM GEN. FREMONT.

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Col. Lytle's 10th Ohio Regiment of Benham's Brigade was in advance and drove a strong detachment of the enemy out of their camp, this side of the position, the state of which was unknown. Shortly afterwards his scouts, consisting of four companies, suddenly discovered themselves in the face of a parapet battery and a long line of palisades for riflemen, when the battle opened fiercely.

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The German Brigade was led gallantly into action by Col. McCook, under the direction of Adjutant General Hartuff; but, after a furious fight of three hours, darkness compelled the recall of the troops, and the men laid on the arms within a short distance of the enemy ready to resume the contest next morning.

When this morning came, however, our scouts reported that Floyd had fled during the night, sinking the boats in the river in his rear, and destroying the temporary bridge he had made when he first crossed to occupy the position. The turbulence and depth of the river, and the exhaustion of our troops made it impossible to follow the fugitive rebels. So hasty was his flight that he left behind his camp equipage, wagons, horses, large quantities of ammunition and fifty head of cattle.

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A REPUBLICAN.

A Cincinnati paper tells this story: A Kanawha merchant, who had concluded to repudiate his Northern debts, was yesterday served a trick rather unpleasant to him.

Such a ticket would be generally approved would command the votes of patriots of all parties, and would be elected by an overwhelming majority.

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THE PIRATE SUMMER.

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At 4 o'clock we began a strong reconnoissance, which proceeded to such length that we were about to assault the position on the flank and front when night coming on, and our troops being completely exhausted, I drew them out of the woods and posted them in the order of battle behind ridges immediately in front of the enemy's position, where they rested on their arms until the morning.

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New Advertisements

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