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THE BLOCKADE OF THE POTOMAC. The Rumored Crossing of the Rebels

Into Maryland Denied The Writ of Habaes Corpus in Military Cases Suspended.

loss log of Washington, Oct. 24. Captain Parke, of the tug Murray, has arrived from Indian Head. He reports that the steamer George Page was seen between Ship-Goods Ordered in the lit is supposed that she ran out of Aquia creek ping Point and Evansport yesterday afternoon. under the darkness and fog during the prevalence of the storm on Tuesday night. She crossed over to the Maryland side yesterday afternoon, and Capt. Parks with his glass could see she was crowded with men. She was ob- Maryland shore in safety. The humane and served to make only one trip. The river there is probably a mile and a quarter wide. She is is due to him. Col. Coggswell took command covered and protected by the rebel river when Gen. Baker fell, and behaved with the batteries.

The Page while on her trip fired three shells over to the Maryland shore in the direction of the position of the third regiment (Sickle's brigade.)

Several small boats have been observed crossng at or near the same point. A schooner with wood which ran the blockade yesterday, heard firing between the steam ers Island Bell and Freeborn and the Matthias

Point batteries quite distinctly on Tuesday night. There were lying at Indian Head yesterday the Harriet Lane, Yankee, Hale, Wyandott, Herbert and Murray, which last has come up. The wood schooner mentioned, reports that

have gone around to Annapolis. There were rumors in the streets this morning that the rebels had succeeded in effecting a crossing of the Lower Potomac into Maryland. But an officer who came up to-day in a gunboat says that they have not attempted to cross. He says, also, that such an attempt would be futile, while our gun-boats still remains in sight

The rebel steamer George Page is cruising in

gun-boats. The Sanitary Commission have selected severis being converted into a hospital.

Daniel Foose, of the Forty-seventh Pennsylvania, and Geo. Watkins, of the Eleventh, died yesterday in the hospital here. A grand review of a number of

the army is to take place next week. The President has informed the Circuit Court here that he has suspended the writ of habeas corpus in military cases, thus putting an end to the numerous applications to get minors out of

the army. Important from Key West.

Arrival at Cardenas, Cuba, of the Rebel Steamer Theodora.

Slidell Aboard. Capture of a Rebel Steamer Filled with Contraband Goods at Tampa Bay-

Commissioners Mason and

SAILING OF THE PRIZE FOR NEW YORK. حلفتو وست Arrest of a Prominent Merchant Charged

With Treason. NEW YORK, Oct. 24. A letter from Key West, dated the 20th, re ports the arrival at Cardenos on the 16th of the rebel steamer Theodora, from Charleston, with the French consul and family, and Messrs. Ma-

France and England, as passengers. SECOND DISPATCH. A letter from Key West dated 20th furnishes the following interesting intelligence: The

steamer Salver, from Havana, with contraband goods, was captured as she was about entering Tampa Bay, Florida, by the United States steamer Keystone State and towed to Key West. Her cargo is said to consist of six hundred pistols, half a million percussion caps, six hundred dozen hats, eight cases of shoes, four hundred thousand cigars and four hundred bags of coffee. Capt. Scott, of the Keystone State, refused to give the prize up to the United States Marshall for adjudication, and to obey the order of the United States Court, and sailed with

the prize for New York. The United States Consul at Havana sent intelligence to Major French of the sailing of the Salver from Havana, and also that another vessel, loaded with arms and munitions of war, would leave on the 18th. There being no naval vessel at Key West, she will undoubtedly slip in to Tampa, which is not now blockaded. Major French arrested Charles Fift, a mem

ACCUSTINE L. CHAYNE.

ber of a large commercial house at Key West, and confined fifth in Fort Taylor. It is suposed the is acquainted with the circumstances connected with the steamer Salvor, and the will be detained as a witness. Mr. Fift lately took the N. B.—JOBBING ATTENDED TO

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THE BATTLE OF BALL'S BLUFF.

Further Particulars of the Fight.

Gen. McClellan is now at his head-quarters, and from the best data obtained at Harrison's Island, up to late this evening, it is believed that the number of killed is 79, wounded in our possession and in possession of the enemy 141, missing now, prisoners in the hands of the enemy and wandering in the woods on both shores of the river, not exceeding 400. The total loss in killed, wounded and missing, 620. This will be reduced by the men returning to camp, as they are constantly coming in.

The officers and men behaved with the most extraordinary courage. They were pressed by an overpowering force but stood firm until their whole supply of ammunition was exhausted and then retreated to the river and threw their guns and swords into the river to prevent the enemy from getting possession of them.

Col. Raymond Lee and Staff were furnished with a skiff to make their escape, The Colonel gallantly refused, and gave orders to use it for conveying the wounded across the river. It was filled with wounded, who reached the gallant officer was taken prisoner. All credit greatest coolness and gallantry. He is also a

prisoner. Gen. McClellan returns with renewed confidence in the action and efficiency of his soldiers. The conduct of General Baker in his effort to rescue the Massachusetts and other men under fire was heroic beyond descrip-

NEW YORK MARLETS.

New York, Oct. 24. Cotton firm—sales 500 bales. Flour buoyant; 28,000 bbls. sold at \$5 35@5 45 for State, \$5 80@5 90 for Ohio. Wheat—sales 38,900 bus. at \$1 18@1 12\frac{1}{2} for Chicago Spring; \$1 22@1 25 for Milwaukee club, \$1 30@1 35 for Red and \$1 40@1 48 for White. Corn sales 162,000 bus. at 52@60c, closing at 57@58½c. Pork firm at \$15 25@15 75. Lard heavy at 8½@8§c. Whisky dull at 20@20½s.

LIGHTNING CALIGRAPHY. - One of the most

remarkable achievements of electricity is thus referred to by a writer in Once a Week: 'Another great element of our present civili-zation is beginning to make signs of its exis-tence in the South Kensington Museum. We allude to the electric telegraph. Bakewell's copying machine is one of the most interesting the Potomac, but she is closely watched by our of this class, as it brings before the public eye the means that can be employed to write with a pen thousands of miles in length. If the Atlantic cable were in working order, for inal sites for the erection of military hospitals stance, a man through its instrumentality could here. The house of the late Senator Douglas sit down to write a letter in London and feel certain that a fac simile of his handwriting was at the same time coming out of telegraph office at New York. The manner in which this as-tounding machine works is as follows:

> this letter, which is placed on a cylinder, a point of metal revolves, this point is connect with the conducting wire; at New York say a piece of chemically prepared paper is placed a like cylinder to receive the message: both cylinders are made to move around by clock work. At the point of this end of the wire passes over the non conducting resin writing, no current passes, hence the point which moves synonymously with it at New York does not change the color of the paper, but all the other surface of the writing tablet being a conductor, the currents pass and deepen its color by chemical action on the far distant recording tablet. The receiver thus obtains a perfect fac simile of his correspondent's handwriting done in white on a blue ground. Specimens of this electrical hankwriting are placed beside the telegraph machine in the Museum of Kensington, and afford an admirable example of the caligraphy of

The message is originally written on a conducting material, such as tin foil; with resin or some non-conducting ink. Over the face of

CURE FOR THE BACK ACHE.—It is a custom in Berwickshire, Scotland, among women-workers in the field when their backs become sore by bowing low down while singling turnips with short shanked hoes, to lie down with their faces to the ground allowing others to step on the lower parts of their backs with one foot, several times, until the pain of fatigue is removed. Burton, in his "First Footsteps in Eastern Africa," narrates a very similar custom of females who lead the camels, who, on feeling fatigued, "lie at full length, prone, standing upon each the French consul and family, and Messrs. Ma-other's backs, trampling and kneading with son and Slidell, the rebel commissioners to France and England, as passengers.

This custom is called "fogsi," in Africa, and in our country, it is called "straightening the back."

the lightning pen.

quirer says: "We have been requested to state that the original underground railroad to Maryland has resumed its trips, with every prospect of uninterrupted success. It will run triweekly." Iv, by the expenditure of a thousand mil-

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