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Immediately cured and full vigor restored.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. J., may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a physician.

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MENTALLY.

The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded:—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion to Society, Self-distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evil effects.

Thousands of persons of all ages, can now judge what is the cause of their decline in health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated, have a wild appearance about the eyes, cough, and symptoms of consumption.

YOUNG MEN

Who have injured themselves by a certain practice, indulged when alone—a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are felt even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

It is a fact that a young man, the hopes of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all the pleasures and enjoyments of life by the consequences of indulging in the path of nature, and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons must, before contemplating

MARRIAGE,

reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote conjugal happiness. Indeed without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the future becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the gloomy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

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WINTER TIME TABLE.

FIVE TRAINS DAILY TO AND FROM PHILADELPHIA.

ON AND AFTER

MONDAY JANUARY 27th, 1862.

The Passenger Trains of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will depart from and arrive at Harrisburg and Philadelphia as follows:—

EASTWARD.

THROUGH EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Harrisburg daily at 3.20 a. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 7.40 a. m.

FAST LINE leaves Harrisburg daily, (except Sunday,) at 1.00 p. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 5.10 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg daily (except Sunday) at 5.55 p. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 11.00 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, via Mount Joy, leaves Harrisburg at 7.30 a. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 12.35 p. m.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, via Columbia, leaves Harrisburg at 2.00 p. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 7.20 p. m.

WESTWARD.

THROUGH EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 10.30 p. m., Harrisburg at 3.05 a. m., Altoona 8.40, a. m., and arrives at Pittsburg at 1.25 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 8.00 a. m., and arrives at Harrisburg at 1.20 p. m.; leaves Harrisburg at 9.00 a. m., Altoona, 3.30 p. m., and arrives at Pittsburg at 9.30 p. M.

FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia at 11.25 a. m., Harrisburg 4.05 p. m., Altoona at 9.10 p. m., and arriving at Pittsburg at 1.40 a. m.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 2.30 p. m., and arrives at Harrisburg at 8.00 p. m.

MOUNT JOY ACCOMMODATION via Mount Joy leaves Lancaster at 11.33 a. m., arrives at Harrisburg at 1.30 p. m.

The NEWS EXPRESS and PASSENGER TRAIN will leave West Philadelphia at 4.00 a. m.; Lancaster 7.07 a. m.; Mount Joy at 7.43 a. m., Middletown at 8.25 a. m., and arrive at Harrisburg at 8.55 a. m., connecting with Mail Train west, from Harrisburg, at 9.00 a. m.

SAMUEL D. YOUNG,
Supt. East, Div. Penna. Railroad.

Harrisburg, January 24, 1862.—dtf

Northern Central Railway

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

THREE TRAINS DAILY TO AND FROM

BALTIMORE.

Close Connection made at Harrisburg TO AND FROM NEW YORK.

SLEEPING CARS RUN ON ALL NIGHT TRAINS.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, NOV. 24, 1861, the Passenger Trains of the Northern Central Railway will arrive at and ddpart from Harrisburg and Baltimore as follows, viz:

GOING SOUTH.

MAIL TRAIN arrives at Harrisburg		1.05 P. M.
and leaves	"	1.20 P. M.
EXPRESS " arrives at	"	3.47 A. M.
and leaves	"	3.30 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Baltimore at	8.25 A. M.
and arrives at Harrisburg:	1.00 P. M.
and leaves North at	1.20 P. M.
EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Baltimore at	3.00 P. M.
and arrives at Harrisburg	6.00 P. M.
and leaves North at	8.10 P. M.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION TRAIN

Leaves Harrisburg for Baltimore at	8.45 A. M.
Returning—leaves Baltimore at	3.30 P. M.

The only train leaving Harrisburg on Sunday will be the Express Train, South at 3.20 A. M.

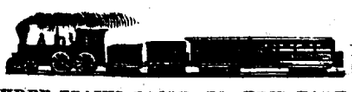
For further information apply at the Office, in Penn'a Railroad Depot

JOHN F. UHRICH, Agent.

Harrisburg, Nov. 23, 1861.—dtf

WINTER TIME ARRANGEMENT.

NEW AIR LINE ROUTE.



THREE TRAINS DAILY TO NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA WITHOUT CHANGE OF CARS.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1861, the Passenger Trains will leave the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Depot, at Harrisburg, for New York and Philadelphia, as follows, viz:

EASTWARD.

EXPRESS LINE leaves Harrisburg at 3.30 a. m., on arrival of Pennsylvania Railroad Express Train from the West, arriving in New York at 11.5 a. m., and at Philadelphia at 9.00 a. m. A sleeping car is attached to the train through from Pittsburg without change.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg at 8 a. m., arriving in New York at 5.30p. m., and Philadelphia at 1.25 p. m.

FAST LINE leaves Harrisburg at 1.40 p. m., on arrival of Pennsylvania Railroad Fast Mail, arriving in New York at 9.50 p. m., and Philadelphia at 6.40 p. m.

WESTWARD.

FAST LINE leaves New York at 6 a. m., and Philadelphia at 8 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg at 1 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN leaves New York at 12.00 noon, and Philadelphia at 3. 15 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg at 8.10 p m.

EXPRESS LINE leaves New York at 8 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg at 3.10 a. m., and connecting with the Pennsylvania Express Train for Pittsburg. A sleeping car is also attached to this train.

Connections are made at Harrisburg with trains on the Pennsylvania, Northern Central and Cumberland Valley Railroads, and at Reading for Philadelphia, Pottsville, Wilkesbarre, Allentown, Easton, &c.

Baggage checked through. Fare between New York and Harrisburg, $5 00; between Harrisburg and Philadelphia, $3 25 in No. 1 cars, and $2 70 in No. 2.

For tickets or other information apply to

J. J. CLYDE,
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Miscellaneous.

PUBLIC SALE.

IN PURSUANCE of on order of the Orphans' Court of Dauphin county, Will be exposed to Sale, on

SATURDAY, the 8th day of March, 1862,

at the Court House in the city of Harrisburg at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following real estate, viz: A certain two-story frame house and piece of ground situate in said city and county, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on South street, the corner of the piece of ground and house formerly owned by James Williams, twelve feet and six inches from West alley, thence along said South street towards High street twelve feet six inches, thence on a line parallel with west alley towards State street forty-six feet six inches, thence on a line parallel with State street twelve feet six inches towards West alley, thence on a line parallel with West alley forty-six feet six inches to the place of beginning, together with the piece of ground adjoining the aforesaid house and ground on the west side thereof, one foot wide on South street extending in depth the same width parallel with west alley thirty-two feet ten inches, being now used as an alley belonging to the aforesaid house and ground, whereon is erected a two story frame house, late the estate of ELIZABETH THOMPSON, deceased.

Attendance will be given and conditions of sale made known by DAVID M. ROBINSON, Executor of said deceased. JNO. RINGLAND, Clerk, O. C.

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DEALER IN

BOOTS AND SHOES,
BUFFALO AND GUM OVER SHOES,
TRUNKS AND CARPET BAGS.

AT THE OLD STAND corner of the alley, next to the Court House, Market street, Harrisburg, Pa.

Thankful for the patronage heretofore bestowed upon the late firm of A. Hummel & Co., we trust by strict attention to business, and by keeping a well SELECTED STOCK OF GOODS to merit a continuance of the same.

Please call and examine our STOCK and PRICES before buying elsewhere.

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Goods are purchased direct from the manufactures for cash enabling them to sell very low.

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MADE of Good Tobacco, and from one to two years old, of my own manufacture. A fine lot of choice Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Pipes, Snuff and a large variety of other articles constantly on hand for sale wholesale and retail. Thankful for former patronage, I hope by strict attention to business to receive a liberal share of the trade.

A fine Smoking Room attached, where customers may lay back and test my Segars and Tobacco.

Don't forget the window with the Ship in it; that is the place to buy your Tobacco and Segars. North Market Square, above Market street, Harrisburg.

Dec. 4, 1861.—d3m WM. WYKOFF.

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EMBROIDERED REPS,
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Rich Figured all Wool Delaines,
Plain Merinoes and Cashmeres,
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Warranted makes of plain black silks,
New Styles Low Priced Delaines

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THIS OLD TRANSPORTATION LINE is still in successful operation and prepared to carry freight as LOW as any other individual line between Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Sunbury, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Jersey Shore, Lock Haven, and all points on the Northern Central, Philadelphia and Erie, and Williamsport and Elmira Railroads.

Local Agent at Harrisburg,
D. A. MUENCH.

Goods sent to PEACOCK, ZELL & HINCHMAN, Nos. 808 and 810 Market street, above Eighth, by 4 o'clock, P. M., will arrive at Harrisburg, ready for delivery the next morning. C. F. MUENCH,
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no9-d3m H. SHELLENBERGER & BRO.

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Lykens Valley Broken	@	$2 90	per ton
" " Large Egg	"	2 90	" "
" " Small Egg	"	2 90	" "
" " Stove	"	2 90	" "
" " Nut	"	2 25	" "
Wilksbarre	"	2 90	" "
Lorberry	"	2 90	" "

All Coal delivered by the PATENT WEIGH CARTS; it can be weighed at the purchasers door, and if it fails short 10 POUNDS, the Coal will be forfeited.

All Coal of the best quality mined, delivered free from all impurities.

Coal sold in qantities, at the LOWEST WHOLESALE PRICES.

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A large lot of superior baled Hay for sale.

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DRUGGISTS, PHYSICIANS, STORE-KEEPERS AND CONSUMERS,

We are daily adding to our assortment of goods all such articles as are desirable, and would respectfully call your atention to the largest and best selected stock in this city, of

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Oils, varnishes and Glues,
Dye-Stuffs, Glass and Putty,
Artist Colors and Tools,
Pure Ground Spices
Burning Fluid and Alcohol,
Lard, Sperm and Pine Oils,
Bottles, Vials and Lamp Globes,
Castile Soap, Sponges and Corks,
&c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c

With a general variety of

PERFUMERY & TOILET ARTICLES,

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COLORS, PAINT AND
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IN ALL THEIR VARIETIES,
COLORS AND BRONZES
OF ALL KINDS.

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We respectfully invite a call, feeling, confident that we can supply the wants of all on terms to their satisfaction.

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JONE'S AND WHITES'S PORCELAIN TEETH,

PATENT MEDICINES AND HAIR RESTORATIVES

Of all kinds, direct from the Proprietors.

Saponifier and Concentrated Lye!

Wholesale Agents for Saponifier, which we sell as low as it can be purchased in the cities.

CHAYER'S MEDICAL FLUID EXTRACTS

COAL OIL! CARBON OIL!

Being large purchasers in these Oils, we can offer inducements to close buyers. Coal Oil Lamps of the most improved patterns, very cheap. All kinds of lamps changed to burn Coal Oil.

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Thousands can testify to the profit they have derived from the use of our Cattle Powders by the increasing quantity and quality of milk, besides improving the general health and appearance of their Cattle.

Our long experience in the business gives us the advantage of a thorough knowledge of the trade, and our arrangements in the cities are such that we can in a very short time furnish anything appertaining to our business, on the best of terms.

Thankful for the liberel patronage bestowe on our house, we hope by strict attention to business, a careful selection of

PURE DRUGS

at fair prices, and the desire to please all, to merit a continuance of the favor of a discriminating public.

CHEAP SUGARS!!—Call at

NICHOLS & BOWMAN,
116 corner Front and Market streets

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON

DISPATCHES FROM COM. DUPONT.

Infernal Machines found in the Savannah River.

THE REPORTED ARRIVAL OF ARMS AT NEW ORLEANS INCORRECT.

THE CASE OF MARSHAL LAMON

THE NEW NAVAL BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.

Dispatches have been received at the Navy Department from Commodore Dupont, dated Port Royal, February 18th, enclosing a report from Commander Rogers, in which he says, while sounding in the Savannah river, at a short distance above the mouth of Wright river, he discovered several objects floating upon the surface, which appeared at first sight to be empty tin cans, and as such were not regarded by him as worthy of notice. Lieutenant Sproison of the Seneca, shortly after hailed him, and told him he thought the objects alluded to were buoys, attached to an internal machine. Upon closer examination they saw enough to satisfy them that the suspicions were correct.

The buoys five in number were placed several yards apart, at right angles to the share immediately in the channel leading from Wright river and visible only at low water. They were connected by a spiral wire, the end of the wire entering an orifice in the upper ends of the buoys. They were also secured by wires to what they presumed to be weights at the bottom, but which further examination led them to believe were vessels containing explosive matter.

An attempt was subsequently made to produce an explosion by pulling the wires, which failed.

The wires were then cut, and the outer buoy was brought off in one of the expedition boats. In consequence of the delicate nature of the exploding apparatus, the result of the examination of the buoy brought on board, it was deemed more prudent to endeavor to sink the remaining buoys rather than attempt to move them, so that the enemy should not have the satisfaction of feeling that a single life had been lost by the diabolical invention.

The buoys were sunk by firing rifle shots into them, one having exploded the night previous from some cause unknown. and shortly after a launch had passed over the spot where the buoys were placed having in tow a heavy lighter with guns.

It further appears that the torpedo or infernal machine brought on board the Unadilla was afterwards set upon a bank and a rifle ball fired through it, when it exploded.

Assistant Secretary Fox has received a letter from a friend in New York, saying the statement of a Richmond paper that 150,000 stand of arms, which arrived at New Orleans on the steamer Victoria, which recently run the blockade to that port, is not true.

A reliable passenger who came out from Orleans to Havanna on the Victoria, says that she was able to obtain there only 150 guns, and these were all the arms she took back on her return.

The New Orleans militia are not yet therefore supplied with arms.

The recent paragraph in this correspondence with regard to recent disclosures exonerating Marshall Lamon from certain charges in connection with the jail, had no reference to the testimony given before the Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, and which will not be made public until all the evidence shall be taken. The information was derived from other sources, the correctness of which, like that of many other things, is controverted.

The bill recently unanimously reported from the House Committee on Naval Affairs, to establish the grade of line officers of the Navy, proposes important changes, one of which is to create nine flag-officers or admirals, to be selected not below the grade of commanders, who who shall have given evidence of courage, skill and genius in preparing for an actual battle, and received the thanks of Congress, as a preliminary to promotion, the leading principle being to select such officers, irrespective of seniority. The other features of the bill offer encouragement to merits.

FROM TENNESSEE.

CAPTURE OF CLARKSVILLE.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF COMMODORE FOOTE.

CLARKSVILLE, TENN., Feb. 20, 1862.

To the Hon Gideon Wells, Secretary of the Navy:

We have possession of Clarksville. The citizens being alarmed, two-thirds of them have fled, and having expressed my views and intentions to the mayor and Hon. Cave Johnson, at their request I have issued a proclamation assuring all peaceably disposed persons that they may with safety resume their business avocations, requiring only the military stores and equipments to be given up, and holding the authorities responsible that this shall be done without reservation.

I left Fort Donelson yesterday with the Conestogo, Lieut. Commanding Phelps, and the Cairo, Lieut. Commanding Bryant, on an armed reconnoisance, bringing with me Col. Webster, of the Engineer corps, and chief of Gen. Grant's staff, who, with Lieut. Commanding Phelps, took possession of the principal fort, and hoisted the Union flag at Clarksville. A Union sentiment manifested itself as we came up the river.

The rebels have retreated to Nashville, having set fire, against the remonstrances of the citizens, to the splendid Railroad bridge across the Cumberland river. I return to Fort Donelson to-day for another gunboat and six or eight mortar boats, with which I propose to proceed up the Cumberland.

The rebels all have a terror of the gunboats. One of them a short distance above Fort Donelson had previously fired an iron rolling mill belonging to Hon. John Bell, which had been used by the rebels.

A. H. FOOTE,
Flag Officer commanding the naval forces on the Western waters.

From the Eighteenth U. S. Infantry.

[Correspondence of the Telegraph.]

CAMP THOMAS, Ohio, Feb. 19, 1862.

Mr. EDITOR:—Some people imagine that those who dwell in camps see little of interest and none of the romantic, that it is as lethargic a life as that of a recluse, or as dismal as that of a swamp angel. This may be true of some camps, but of this one *it is not.*

Here we are as comfortable as a brood of pet chickens, and partake of our frugal meals with as much grace and ease as if feasting at the sumptuous banquet of Cleopatra and Mark Antony.

We have the pleasure occasionally of putting on our white gloves, tall hats with sable and glossy plumes waving luxuriantly from the side, fine dress coats, brightly polished shoulder scales, and with our glittering rifles parade about our camp, while a bevy of black-eyed lassies gaze on and applaud us as we depart with a coup de grace for our wigwams.

Romance is found here in its wildest form. A few days ago a young recruit, enlisted by one of our gallant lieutenants, was brought to camp dressed *a la militaire.* It was soon discovered that the youthful looking warrior belonged to the feminine gender, and immediately was she marched to head-quarters, where her case was speedily disposed of. She gave a brief narrative of her wanderings to several, from which I have been able to glean the following: When the rebellion broke out, and a call was made by the President for the brave sons of freedom to rally around the old banner for three months, she, I suppose, deeming herself a sun or a brilliant star in some constellation, immediately enlisted. She was in three battles, and for a brief period drove a team. It is said she endured the long journeys and the hardships of camp life with the fortitude and courage of an old veteran. She became so deeply enamored with the life of a soldier, that she concluded to join the gallant regulars for three years; hoping, I have no doubt, that she would wake some bright summer's morn and find herself a (brig-a)dear general-ess. Her voice was quite effeminate and although not quite so musical as the lute, I suspected her sex as soon as I heard her speak. Her hands were not like twin lilies, nor her locks as long and silky as those of "Venice;" the former had lost their alabaster tint, and were now as dark as a young hay maker's in summer, and the latter was cropped off close to the head.

A witty captain at my elbow remarked to me, before I was certain of the young soldier's sex, "Would you not like to have this boy for your cook?" I replied, "Certainly would I." She heard the remark and the answer, dropped her head, and endeavored to blush gracefully, but the rosy tint refused to steal through the nut brown of her cheek, or tinge the gipsy hue of her forehead.

She stated that her parents were dead, and her friends few and far away; she therefore concluded to enter the army, and serve her country, rather than beg. Her story was found to be true, and our good Colonel immediately provided for her wants.

On Saturday morning of the 15th, a whispered rumor was current in camp that the battalion was soon to depart, which proved itself true before evening. There was not that bustle, confusion and disorder in the preparation for departure that I have observed in volunteer camps, everything was prepared and arranged with a speed and accuracy I have never before seen. New shoes and other articles of clothing were immediately furnished all those needing them, and the battalion furnished with blank cartridge, and practiced in the loadings and firings.

On Sunday afternoon the battalion in dress suit, was drawn up in line of battle by Colonel Carrington, who spoke to them as kindly as a father, yet firmly, as a *true* soldier. He concluded by saying, as he pointed with his glittering sword to the top of the towering flag-staff on his right, "To yon glorious emblem of liberty, the banner of freedom, the proud flag of our loved country, that *shall* soon wave triumphantly in the breeze of the sunny south, we will fire a salute."

The men done exceedingly well, all firing together with the exactness of old warriors. You may expect to hear of the Third battalion, of the Eighteenth United States Infantry, doing severe damage among the rebels with their terrible rifles before long. On Monday morning, the 17th inst., long before the orient was flushed by the appearance of old Sol, the troops were all at work, and before seven o'clock the funnel-shaped Sibley tents that dotted the hill side so neatly at early morn and the lively and jokeing troops, (with the exception of company C,) had departed. There was four companies of the Third battalion, Eighteenth U. S. Infantry, and two companies of the Sixteenth, all regulars, armed "cap-a-pie" and under the command of Major Will. A. Stokes as they marched to Columbus, three miles distant, where they took the cars for Cincinnati. On Tuesday eve they expected to be some distance south of Louisville, Ky., and by the last of the week by forced march they will join General Thomas, and participate in the soon expected battle.

Captain Eyster's company (C,) is still in camp anxiously awaiting his arrival with a few Harrisburg braves to complete the company, when they will join the command of Major Stokes, who desires their presence as speedily as possible, knowing I suppose, that when we depart we will be accompanied by an excellent officer, Captain E., and closely followed by our skillful and assidnous Colonel.

In my next letter to the TELEGRAPH, which will be from Tennessee or Alabama, I hope and expect to give you a graphic sketch of the heroic deeds performed by the glorious Eighteenth.

ATHENIAN.

GEN. BUCKNER IN THE HANDS OF THE U. S. MARSHAL.

CAIRO, Ill, Feb. 22.

Gen. Buckner has been delivered to the U. S. Marshal, on the warrant issued by Justice Catron. He will be taken to Kentucky and tried for treason.

ARRIVAL OF FORT DONELSON PRISONERS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22d.

Four thousand Fort Donelson prisoners have already arrived at Camp Douglas. Two thousand more will arrive to-morrow morning.

THE TWENTY-SECOND AT CLEVELAND.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 22.

To-day generally was observed as a holiday. To-night the city is finely illuminated, streets thronged, and people exchanging congratulations.