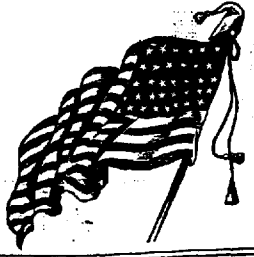


Daily Telegraph



HARRISBURG, PA. Thursday Morning, March 6, 1862.

PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.—We thank our member in Congress, Hon. Jno. W. Killinger, and our Senator, Hon. David Wilmot, for several valuable Congressional documents lately received.

It is not real for the Constitution which attaches suspicion of disloyalty to any man. He who respects that instrument and obeys its wise mandates, is not he who is forever prating on the necessity of its preservation. The pillar is sometimes the loudest in bawling "stop thief," and the cry of "wolf, wolf," comes with an ill grace from those whose hands and teeth are bloody with the sacrifices they have already made of their country's peace, honor, glory and prosperity.

SLAVERY ONCE, SLAVERY FOREVER. There is a wild clamor about the institution of slavery, which those who own slaves are not as willing to surrender as most people suppose. This is instanced by the fact that the Constitution of the new state of Kanawha makes no other provision in regard to slavery, than that all the laws of the state of Virginia on this subject, shall be continued in force; which refers the subject to the Legislature of Kanawha either for concurrence or rejection. The fact that the people of the new state of Kanawha (or of that portion of the territory of Virginia which forms the new state thus named), were forced to adopt a distinct state organization by the distinctive tyranny and overbearing of the slave-holding leaders of this slave-holding rebellion, would have led most people to suppose that slavery would be repudiated on the first opportunity by those thus oppressed. But those who have anticipated this, see their disappointment in a fact which will prevent the admission of the new state of Kanawha into the Union, because if Congress thus agrees to take to the bosom of this Union other states with slavery for their interests and incentives, they might as well acknowledge all the rights now claimed for that institution, and receive slavery as it formerly was, supreme in the Senate and potent in the Executive Departments of this government.

COLONEL CHARLES CAMPBELL. We merely had time and room, yesterday, to announce the bare fact that Colonel Charles Campbell had been appointed to the command of the 57th regiment, vice Col. Maxwell resigned. Col. Campbell is among the most efficient and most experienced of all the Colonels leading regiments from this state, while his services on the field have won him a reputation which will equal that of any officer of his grade in the federal army. To a devotion to his profession, Col. Campbell joins a loyalty to his country, at once zealous and incorruptible. He has the personal quality to impart enthusiasm to his regiment, and the commanding knowledge to render it invincible in a fight. He will not be the last in the fight or the first to leave any field.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. WEDNESDAY, March 5, 1862. The SPEAKER called the House to order at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer by the Rev. Captain Felty, chaplain in the U. S. army. The Clerk read the journal of yesterday, which was approved.

RECONSIDERATION OF HOUSE BILL NO. 363. Mr. CESSNA, seconded by Mr. BIGHAM, moved the reconsideration of the vote on the final passage of House bill No. 363, (disagreed to yesterday), entitled "An Act extending the time for the payment of the enrollment tax on certain acts of incorporation."

RECONSIDERATION OF HOUSE BILL NO. 395. Mr. ELLIOTT moved the reconsideration of the vote on the final passage of House bill No. 395, (passed yesterday), entitled "A supplement to the act incorporating the borough of Washington, Washington county."

THE MILITARY COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE yesterday morning agreed to report favorably on the House bill establishing a new article of war, preventing army and navy officers from returning fugitive slaves. This House passed this bill some days since by a heavy majority, and the Senate will probably follow suit.

Pennsylvania Legislature

SENATE. WEDNESDAY, March 5, 1862. The Senate met at 11 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by Mr. Speaker HALL. The journal of yesterday (Tuesday) was partly read, when, On motion of Mr. BENSON, the further reading of the same was dispensed with.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. WEDNESDAY, March 5, 1862. The SPEAKER called the House to order at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer by the Rev. Captain Felty, chaplain in the U. S. army. The Clerk read the journal of yesterday, which was approved.

FROM NASHVILLE. PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR. ASSURANCES OF PROTECTION. He Recommends the Citizens to Return to their Usual Avocations. Sale of Intoxicating Liquors Strictly Prohibited.

FROM MISSOURI. A COMPANY OF UNION TROOPS DISPERSED BY 800 REBELS. CAPTURE OF TWO WAGONS AND ARMY STORES BY THE REBELS. THE REBEL ARMY IN ARKANSAS. DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY BY GENERAL PRICE. STRONG UNION FEELING AMONG THE PEOPLE. AN OLD SOLDIER OF 1812 DISPLAYS HIS STARS AND STRIPES.



From our Evening Edition of Yesterday. FROM FORTRESS MONROE. ARRIVAL OF UNION PRISONERS AT RICHMOND FROM COLUMBIA, S. C. COLONEL CORCORAN AND WILCOX AMONG THE NUMBER.

Awaiting Transhipment to Newport News. Reported Arrest of John M. Botta by the Rebels for Manifesting Union Proclivities. Martial Law Declared in Richmond and Vicinity.

THE SALE OF LIQUOR FORBIDDEN. The Rebel Fleet Engage a Battery near Savannah and Retire. THE PIRATE NASHVILLE. HOW SHE RAN THE BLOCKADE. UNION FEELING AT RICHMOND.

"The Handwriting on the Wall." GREAT PANIC AMONG THE CITIZENS. FORTRESS MONROE, March 4. The ship DeWitt Clinton arrived here last night. She was at first mistaken for the frigate St. Lawrence.

FROM MISSOURI. A COMPANY OF UNION TROOPS DISPERSED BY 800 REBELS. CAPTURE OF TWO WAGONS AND ARMY STORES BY THE REBELS. THE REBEL ARMY IN ARKANSAS. DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY BY GENERAL PRICE.

STRONG UNION FEELING AMONG THE PEOPLE. AN OLD SOLDIER OF 1812 DISPLAYS HIS STARS AND STRIPES. (Special despatch to the St. Louis Republic.) On Wednesday night, Captain Montgomery of Wright's battalion, with his company, 500 surprised at Klettsville, Barry county, Mo. rebels, supposed to belong to McBride's division, and who had taken refuge in a house occupied by our men, killing two and wounding one.

FROM PORT ROYAL, S. C. ARRIVAL OF 320 BALES OF COTTON. 30,000 Rebel Troops Reported at Savannah. New York, March 5. The steamer Ericson has arrived from Port Royal with dates to the 1st inst., and 320 bales of cotton and 140 passengers.

FROM KEY WEST, FLORIDA. The U. S. Steamer Richmond Ashore. New Bedford, March 5. Key West dates to the 22d ult. have been received by the arrival of the schooner Gauthrie.

FROM PORT ROYAL, S. C. ARRIVAL OF 320 BALES OF COTTON. 30,000 Rebel Troops Reported at Savannah. New York, March 5. The steamer Ericson has arrived from Port Royal with dates to the 1st inst., and 320 bales of cotton and 140 passengers.

FROM KEY WEST, FLORIDA. The U. S. Steamer Richmond Ashore. New Bedford, March 5. Key West dates to the 22d ult. have been received by the arrival of the schooner Gauthrie.

ARRIVAL OF THE STRAMER CANADA. The steamer Canada has arrived. Her dates are two days later than the Norwegian.