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MENTALLY.

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.

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YOUNG MEN

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What a pity that a young man, the hopes of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life by the consequences of deviating from 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 connubial happiness. Indeed without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

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Many are aware of the cause of their suffering,
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SEE SYMPTOMS ABOVE.
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Pennsylvania Legislature.

REPORTED EXPRESSLY FOR THE TELEGRAPH.

SENATE.

MONDAY, April 7, 1862.

The Senate met at 3 o'clock P. M., Mr. HALL, Speaker, in the chair.

A number of petitions, &c., were presented and appropriately referred.

Several private bills were read in place and reported from committees.

The school bill being the special order was taken up, the question being on the fifth section, which was agreed to.

The sixth section was negatived.

The question being on the seventh section, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Education, and the Senate

Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MONDAY, April 7, 1862.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House re-assembled at 3 o'clock, P. M.

CLOTHING FOR WOUNDED PENNSYLVANIA SOLDIERS.

Mr. SMITH, (Chester,) on leave, read in place a joint resolution relative to the furnishing of necessary clothing to the wounded Pennsylvania volunteers, and moved to suspend the orders for the purpose of considering the resolution.

The motion was agreed to.

The resolution was read as follows:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, That the joint resolutions approved the 28th day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1862, and the 27th day of March, 1862, relative to the proper treatment of the killed and wounded Pennsylvania soldiers, be so construed as to authorize the Quartermaster General to procure and furnish, upon the requisition of the Surgeon-General or Surgeons having charge of such wounded soldiers, all necessary clothing required by them.

The resolution passed finally.

MILITARY CLAIMS.

An Act to provide for the adjudication and payment of certain military claims, read in place by Mr. CESSNA this morning.

Passed finally.

LICENSE LAWS.

An Act amendatory of the licence laws of this Commonwealth.

Passed finally.

STAY LAW.

An Act to extend and continue in effect the provisions of an act relating to judgments and executions.

Pending discussion,

The House adjourned till to-morrow morning.

From the 46th Penn. Regiment.

Correspondence of the Telegraph.]

TWO MILES BEYOND WOODSTOCK, VA., *April* 1, 1862.

Mr. EDITOR:—This morning the 5th Army corps, Major General N. P. Banks commanding in person, left Strasburg, in the vicinity of which it has been encamped during the past week, and moved on toward Mount Jackson, distant twenty miles, at which point Gen. Jackson, with a force of thirty thousand men is lying. The division of General Shields took the advance, and the division of General Williams following as a reserve. The day was warm and roads good, but very dusty. All along the route evidence of the terrible desolation which Virginia is sustaining were apparent, yet many of her people still persistently and blindly cling to the fortunes of Davis & Co.

On reaching Woodstock, the county seat of Shendanoah county, a pleasant little place, our advance had a skirmish with Ashby's cavalry, who were covering the retreat of a small body of Jackson's men, but upon our artillery being brought into position and a few shells sent among them, they beat a hasty retreat, our boys capturing two prisoners. On crossing the Shendanoah river, some three miles beyond Woodstock, they set fire to the turnpike bridge, but so closely did we pursue them that our troops extinguished the fire before any material damage was done. Three miles further on, however, they set fire to the railroad bridge, a fine and costly structure which was entirely consumed.

We marched through Woodstock to the tune of "Dixie," and but four ladies in the whole place had the patriotism to wave their handkerchiefs. To-night we bivouaced, our tents being left at Strasburg. The air is keen and frosty. To-morrow we move forward and a lively brush is anticipated, as Jackson cannot help but make a stand, or prove himself a most arrant coward.

As we progress I will, if our mails permit, give you the incidents of our journey.

Yours, as ever, SOLDIER.

FIRE LAST NIGHT.—The alarm of fire about seven o'clock last night was occasioned by the burning of a small one-story and a-half house, occupied by a German family, situated on the commons between the canal and Paxton creek, near Simons' steam planing mill. The entire fire department of the city was early on the ground, but such was the inflamable nature of the building, that was almost entirely consumed before the several hose carriages and engines could be put into operation. Most of the furniture was saved. It is not known how the fire originated.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, April 7.

Cotton quiet, but steady. Flour heavy; sales 8,000 bbls. at a decline of 5c; State $5 15@5 20. Wheat firm; sales 24,000 bus. at $1 30 for Milwaukie Club. Corn unchanged; sales 59,000 bus. at 59@61c. Sugar steady.—Stocks closed better.

BY TELEGRAPH.

From our Morning Edition.

From Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds.

REPORT OF LIEUT. MURRAY TO COMMANDER ROWAN.

WASHINGTON, N. C., OCCUPIED BY THE U. S. FORCES.

A PORTION OF THE HATTERAS LIGHT-HOUSE PROPERTY RECOVERED.

The Stars and Stripes Hoisted over the Court House.

The Swamps and Woods Filled with Refugees from the Rebel Draft.

A Regiment of North Carolinians Offered to the Union Service.

WASHINGTON, April 7.

The following communication has been forwarded to the Navy Department by Courde Rowan:

U. S. STEAMER LOUISIANA,
Washington, N. C., March 26, 1862.

SIR:—In obedience to your orders of the 20th inst., I proceeded to this place, arriving at the obstructions about five miles below, on the morning of the 21st.

The naval column consisted of this vessel, the Delaware, Lieutenant commanding Quackenbush and the Commodore Perry, Lieutenant commanding Flusser. We were accompanied to the obstructions by the steamer Admiral, an army transport, with eight companies of the 24th regiment of Massachusetts volunteers, Col. Stevens, and a small tug boat. We met with no resistance. The batteries having been abandoned and their armament removed by blasting and other processes.

We soon forced a channel through the piles, though they had been driven very deep in triple rows, and cut off three feet below the surface.

At eleven o'clock last night we arrived abreast the town, the Delaware being from the transport, the field officers, two companies of troops and the regimental band were landed.

The authorities, with many of the citizens, met us on the wharf, where I briefly explained to them the object of our visit. The military then formed, and we proceeded to the Court House, where, with all the ceremonies, we hoisted the flag of the Union. The troops returned to the Delaware with unbroken front.

I found, on further consultation with the authorities, on whom I made my demand for the restoration of the Hatteras light house property, that underlying an apparent acquiescence of the people of the town and neighborhood, in permitting the building of gun boats and the construction of batteries to repel the approach of the United States, was a deep rooted affection for the Union, and not a little animosity for its enemies. The latter element not being diminished by the importation of troops from a distant State.

The result of this state of affairs was to be anticipated, the abandonment of its defences by the troops, followed by the destruction of what remained of rebel property by the people.

The launched gunboat had been towed several miles up the river loaded with turpentine and fired on the night of our arrival; a few hundred bushels of meal and corn left in the commissary stores was distributed to the people by my orders. The most valuable part of the Hatteras light property, the lenses, have been taken to Farborough. I have hopes of their recovery through the instrumentality of the people of Washington. The rest of the property is secure, with the channel buoys and moorings. In addition to the batteries on the other side of the obstructions the enemy had thrown up breast works, east of the town and joining, extending half a mile.—They also had fortified their camp which commanded the high road. A sketch of the river from the obstruction to the bridge above the town is enclosed. It includes all the fortifications, the woods and swamps, in this and Hyde county are represented as being alive with refugees from the draft—many of them encouraged by our presence, came in. They are deep and bitter in their denunciations of the secession heresy, and promise a regiment if called to aid in the restoration of the flag.

I am, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
A. MURRAY, Lieut. Com.
To Com. S. C. ROWAN, commanding naval forces in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds, N. C.

Five Days Later from Europe.

Arrival of the Steamer Hibernian,

THE TUSCARORA AND THE SUMTER STILL AT GIBRALTER.

ENGLISH PRESS ON AMERICAN AFFAIRS

PORTLAND, April 7.

The steamship Hibernia, from Liverpool, on the 27th ult., via Londonderry, on Friday, the 28th, arrived at this port at 3½ o'clock this afternoon with five days' later advices than were furnished in the steamer Niagara, including the weekly report of the markets.

The royal mail steamer Arabia arrived at Liverpool on the 24th.

The steamship City of New York arrived out on the 27th, and the steamer Borossa on the same day.

The steamer Etna sailed for New York on the 26th.

The U. S. gunboat Tuscarora and the pirate Sumpter were still at Gibralter.

GREAT BRITAIN.—The English journals criticise the commencement of the campaign in Virginia.

The London *Daily News* elougises General McClellan's tactics, and is of the opinion that the crisis is approaching, and although the confederates are retreating, they have prepared a field for a great battle.

The same journal rejoices at the adoption, by the House of Representatives, of President Lincoln's emancipation project, considering it as an immediate step in favor of the cause of human rights.

The London *Times* reiterates its belief that no practical use can be made of Mr. Lincoln's proposition itself, but regards it as important in admitting the principle of an accommodation between the North and the South. The *Times* believes that the real defence of the Confederates will be found in the vastness and desolation of their country, and argues that if they are really in earnest, the North must look for bootless victories and exhausting conquests.

The London *Herald* thinks that a peace may possibly be conquered by one side or the other in and around Richmond.

The London *Times* has a letter from Russell, dated Washington, March 11th. The passage of the federal army over the long bridge was a magnificent spectacle and most imposing display of military power. Russell also says, "whatever may happen to McClellan, he can never lose the credit of having formed disorderly masses of men into an army; of having instilled into them the principles of soldier's life and discipline."

Lord Palmerston, is confined to his room by an attack of the gout.

Geo. Peabody's unprecedented munificence has been formally consummated; in the correspondence now published in the English journals, in which he places £150 000 at the disposal of Mr. Adams, the American Minister, Lord Stanley, Sir Emerson Lennet, and Messrs. Sampson & Morgan as trustees for the purpose of ameliorating the condition of the poor of London.

ITALY.—There are rumors of ministerial modifications at Turin, and various changes are reported, but none of them have received confirmation. A ministerial circular has been issued maintaining the rights of Italy to recognition as a power asserting that Rome should be the centre of the Government, and affirming that a solution of the Venitian question according to the wishes of Italy is necessary for the general peace.

The king of Belgium is reported to be ill and in a critical condition.

FRANCE.—The rumors of ministerial change in France are authorively contradicted. The Paris Bourse is firm—rentes are quoted at 70f.

A grand banquet was given to Garibaldi at Milan, on which occasion the hero and some of his companions made patriotic speeches indicative of approaching movements in favor of the cause of Italy.

Garibaldi left Milan on the 27th, amid the cheers of the people. His tour through Lombardy is for the purpose of stirring up the young men to join his volunteer corps.

Demonstrations are becoming quite frequent in Venitia, and numerous arrests are reported at Mantau and Venice.

SPAIN.—The Spanish government has ordered Gen. Prim not to negotiate with the Mexicans till the allied troops have entered the city of Mexico.

The United States sloop-of-war Constellation, from Portsmouth, N. H., had arrived at Cadiz.

XXXVIIth Congress--First Session.

WASHINGTON, April 7.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr VOORHEES (Ind.) offered a preamble, setting forth that the tariff bill passed during the extra session, is unjust and oppressive to the agricultural portion of the community, and concluding with a resolution that the Committee on Ways and Means be instructed to report a bill at as early a day as practicable repealing the said law, and substituting therefore a system founded on the principle of yielding an adequate amount of revenue, and not of that protecting the manufacturing interests of the country.

Mr. STEVENS moved to lay the resolution on the table. Carried—yeas 88, nays 35

The House then proceeded to definitely act on the amendments to the tax bill, heretofore reported from committee of the whole on the state of the Union.

The following are among the amendments concurred in by the House:

The duties and taxes to be assessed in pursuance of this act shall be a lien upon the property subject to the duty or tax from the time of assessment till fully paid.

The sum of over nineteen thousand dollars appropriated heretofore for the legislative expenses of Nebraska for the year ending June, 1863, is to be applied as that territory's portion of the taxes.

Tennessee is to have till the first of December to assume her portion of the tax.

Distillers of apples and peaches may take out a license for that business for the space of three months on the payment of twelve dollars.

There shall be exempt from restraint the tools or implements of a trade or profession.

One cow, arms, household furniture and provisions kept for use, and the apparel necessary for a family.

The license of wholesale liquor dealers to be increased from $50 to $100.

Any person who peddles jewelry shall pay $25 for each license.

Photographers, $10 for each license, when their receipts do not exceed $500; when over $500, and under $1,000, $15; when over $1,000, $25.

Agents for procuring patents and claim agents, shall pay $10 license.

Proprietors or agents of all exhibitions for shows not enumerated shall pay ten dollars.

Taxes on all articles manufactured and sold in pursuance of contracts bona fide, made before the 30th of March, 1862, shall be paid by the purchaser thereof.

On anthracite coal a tax of fifteen cents per ton, and on bituminous coal one-eighth of a cent per bushel.

This amendment was agreed to by a vote of 86 yeas to 39 nays.

The proviso thereto that this tax on coal shall not take effect till the expiration of the reciprocity treaty with Great Britain, was rejected—yeas 41, nays 86.

The House also concurred in the following amendments:

On spirits, rectified and mixed with other liquor, or prepared in any way, to be sold as whisky, 15 cents per gallon. To be sold as brandy, rum, gin, wine or by any other name, not otherwise provided, 30 cents per gallon on the basis of the first proof, and so on in proportion for any greater strength than first proof.

On railroad iron and other iron, according to the state of manufacture, a tax of one to two dollars per ton and on steel from four to ten dollars per ton.

The House non-concurred in the amendment that all distilled liquor now manufactured or that may be manufactured before the first of May next, in the United States, shall pay the same per gallon, when sold, as provided by this act upon distilled spirits manufactured from and after that date.

The amendment imposing a tax of one cent per pound on cotton, on and after the 1st day of May next, but exempting all cotton held and owned by any manufacturer of cotton fabrics on and prior to that date, was concurred in—yeas, 75, nays, 53.

From Washington.

The Damage to the Merrimac in the late Naval Engagement.

CAPTURE OF HORSES BELONGING TO REBEL CAVALRY.

A VALUABLE MAIL SEIZED.

WASHINGTON, April 7,

The following in regard to the Merrimac has been received at the Navy department.

When she left for Norfolk on Sunday the 9th of March, in the evening, she had seven feet of water in her hold. One shot from the Cumberland had riddled her, and one shot from the Monitor through her port hole dismounted two guns. The Monitor put a ball through the boiler of the Patrick Henry and killed two men and scalded others

The steamer Freeborn has arrived up from Liverpool point bringing some additional particulars of the skirmish at Stafford Court House. Gen. Sickel's troops captured some forty horses belonging to the rebel cavalry, a number of small arms and the mails in the Stafford post office in which were found many letters, some of them being probably of importance to the government.

Six prisoners were also taken who were brought up in the Freeborn and taken to the old capitol prison.

As the crew of the Freeborn were getting off the horses and other property captured, the rebels opened a heavy fire upon them from the thicket, but on the Freeborn returning the compliment with shrapnel, the enemy hastily decamped.

The mails for California, Oregon and Washington Territory are now transmitted overland from St. Joseph, Mo., to which place correspondence can be sent from any post office.

From Western Virginia.

ADVANCE OF GEN'L MILROY.

The Rebels Falling back on Monterey and Huntersville.

NEW YORK, April 7.

A special dispatch, dated Wheeling, to-day, says a telegram just received, says that the rebels are retreating before the forces of General Milroy, who has advanced from Cheat Mountain and now holds Camp Allegheny, lately evacuated by the rebels. The latter has also fallen back from Monterey and Huntersville, and seem to be driving for Staunton, where they will have means of escape by railroad.

THE CONNECTICUT ELECTION.

HARTFORD, April 7.

At the late election held to-day, Governor Buckingham was re-elected by a largely increased majority over that received by him last year which was 2086.

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