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This Medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the WATERY OR CALCAREOUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMATION, and is good for
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For Weaknesses
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SEE SYMPTOMS ABOVE
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Use HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU for all affections and diseases of the
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Diseases of these Organs require the aid of DIURETIC
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IS THE GREAT DIURETIC,
And is certain to have the desired effect in all Diseases for WHICH IT IS RECOMMENDED.
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*From 8 to 20 years standing,*
WITH NAMES KNOWN TO
SCIENCE AND FAME.
Price $1 00 per bottle, or six for $5 00.
Delivered to any address, securely packed from observation.
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Cures Guaranteed! Advice Gratis!
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H. T. HELMBOLD.
Sworn and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1854.
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" " Extract Buchu,
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M. H. LEE,
MANUFACTURER OF UMBRELLAS, PARSOLS and WALKING CANES, will furnish goods at LOWER PRICES than can be bought in any of the Eastern cities. Country merchants will do well to call and examine prices and quality, and convince themselves of this fact.
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NICHOLS & BOWMAN,
corner of Front and Market streets.

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BALTIMORE
LOCK HOSPITAL!
HAS discovered the most certain, speedy and effectual remedy in the world for
DISEASES OF IMPRUDENCE.
RELIEF IN SIX TO TWELVE HOURS.
No Mercury or Noxious Drugs.
A Cure Warranted, or no Charge, in from one to Two Days.
Weakness of the Back or Limbs, Strictures, Affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, Involuntary discharges, Impotency, General Debility, Nervousness, Dyspepsy, Languor, Low Spirits, Confusion of Ideas, Palpitation of the Heart, Timidity, Tremblings, Dimness of Sight or Giddiness, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose or Skin, Affections of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels—those terrible disorders arising from the Solitary Habits of Youth—those secret and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the song of Syrens to the Mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or anticipations, rendering marriage, &c., impossible.
Young Men
Especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of Young Men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence or waked to ecstasy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.
Marriage.
Married Persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness, organic debility, deformities, &c., speedily cured.
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.
Organic Weakness
Immediately Cured, and full vigor Restored.
This distressing Affection—which renders life miserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper indulgences. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived the pleasures of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged, the Physical and Mental Functions Weakened, Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility, a Wasting of the Frame, Cough, Consumption, Decay and Death.
Office, No. 7 South Frederick Street.
Left hand side going from Baltimore street, a few doors from the corner. Fail not to observe name and number.
Letters must be paid and contain a stamp. The Doctor's Diplomas hang in his office.
A Cure Warranted in Two Days.
*No Mercury or Nauseous Drugs.*
Dr. Johnson,
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.
Take Particular Notice.
Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgence and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, unfitting them for either business, study, society or marriage.
These are some of the sad and melancholly effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the heart, Dyspepsy, Nervous Irratibility, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.
MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forbodings, Aversion to Society, Self Distrust, Love of solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.
THOUSANDS of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated, having a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.
Young Men
Who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.
What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequence 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 melancholly reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.
Disease of Imprudence.
When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds that he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms on this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease become a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, by sending him to "that Undiscovered Country from whence no traveler returns."
It is a *melancholly fact* that thousands fall victims to this terrible disease, owing to the unskilfulness of ignorant pretenders, who by the use of that *Deadly Poison, Mercury,* ruin the constitution and make the residue of life miserable.
Strangers.
Trust not your lives, or health, to the care of the many Unlearned and Worthless Pretenders, destitute of knowledge, name or character, who copy Dr. Johnson's advertisements, or style themselves in the newspapers, regularly Educated Physicians incapable of Curing, they keep you trifling month after month taking their filthy and poisonous compounds, or as long as the smallest fee can be obtained, and in despair, leave you with ruined health to sigh over your galling disappointment.
Dr. Johnson is the only Physician advertising.
His credential or diplomas always hangs in his office.
His remedies or treatment are unknown to all others, prepared from a life spent in the great hospitals of Europe, the first in the country and a more extensive Private Practice than any other Physician in the world.
Indorsement of the Press.
The many thousands cured at this institution year after year, and the numerous important Surgical Operations performed by Dr. Johnson, witnessed by the reporters of the "Sun," "Clipper," and many other papers, notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, besides his standing as a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a sufficient guarrantee to the afflicted.
Skin Diseases Speedily Cured.
Persons writing should be particular in directing their letters to his Institution, in the following manner:
JOHN M. JOHNSON, M. D.
Of the Baltimore Lock Hospital, Baltimore, Md.

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MORTON'S
UNRIVALLED GOLD PENS.
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MARKET STREET
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Pure Ground Spices
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Lard, Sperm and Pine Oils,
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Castile Soap, Sponges and Corks,
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With a general variety of
PERFUMERY & TOILET ARTICLES,
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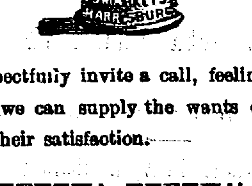
COLORS, PAINT AND
ARTIST'S BRUSHES
IN ALL THEIR VARIETIES,
COLORS AND BRONZES
OF ALL KINDS,
D. W. GROSS.  H. A. ROSS.

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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.
THAYER'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.
FARMERS AND GRAZIERS,
Those of you who have not given our HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS a trial know no their superiority, and the advantage they are in keeping Horses and Cattle healthy and in good condition.
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 liberal patronage bestowed 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. ap16-d1y

PURE Cider Vinegar, for sale at
NICHOLS & BOWMAN'S,
corner Front & Market streets.


## The Telegraph.

[STORY FOR CHILDREN.—The subjoined story, written by a young lady correspondent, is published for the benefit of mothers, to amuse their sometimes restless and petulent little ones. The writer makes no pretension to literary ability, but having often witnessed the good effect of an amusing story among children, concludes that the following might add to their enjoyment]

### A Story for Little Ones.

A BEAR STORY.

Once upon a time (all orthodox tales commence in this manner) there were three bears, who lived in a nice house in the woods. One was called the "Great Huge Bear," another the "Middle Sized" Bear, and the third the "Little Wee Bear."

One day this happy family took a walk and forgot to look the door; soon a little girl named Silver Hair came by and seeing the door open she walked in and being very tired sat down in the "Great Huge Bear's" chair, but it was too large; so she tried the "Middle Sized Bear's" chair, but it was too low; so she sat down in the "Little Wee Bear's" chair and it just suited her. So she sat there till the bottom came out.

Then she saw three kettles of porrige on the fire, she tasted the "Great Huge Bear's" but it burnt her, next she tried the "Middle Sized Bear's," and it proved too cold, and lastly she tried the "Little Wee Bear's" and it was just right, so she ate it all up.

Feeling quite tired by her efforts she thought she would lie down, so she went up stairs, but the "Great Huge Bear's" bed was too high, and the "Middle Sized Bear's" too low but the "Little Wee Bear's" was very comfortable, so she lay down and soon was fast asleep.

After while the Bears came home. Somebody's been in my chair, said the Great Huge Bear," (in a very deep voice.) "Somebody's been in my chair," said the "Middle Sized Bear" (voice not so deep.) Somebody's been in my chair, and set the bottom out said the Little "Wee Bear," (in a thin squeaky voice.)

Supper time was near, the Bears went to their porrige, when the "Great Huge Bear" said "somebody's been in my porrige," then the "Middle Sized Bear," sung out "somebody's been in my porrige," then the "Little Wee Bear" said "somebody's been in my porrige and eat—it—all—up.

Then they went up stairs, and the "Great Huge Bear" said "somebody's been in my bed," and the "Middle Sized Bear" said "somebody's been in my bed," just then the "Little Wee Bear" cried out in amazement, "Here is the Somebody in my bed fast asleep," and they all ran to see who it was, but the noise they made woke her up and she was so frightened at seeing the Bears she jumped out of the window, and has not been heard of since.

HATTIE HARLAND.

### When Parson Brownlow will Join the Democracy.

The recent visit of Parson Brownlow to various parts of the free states, and the fact that he so very lately passed through this city, brings to recollection the following "stunner," which travelled the rounds of the press in 1860, An Arkansas correspondent, who probably desired to "waken up" the Parson, wrote to him stating that he had learned with pleasure *"that Rev. Mr. Brownlow had espoused the principles and had also attached himself to the organization of the Democratic party."* The Arkansas Democrat was delighted with what he considered so distinguished a proselyte, and therefore wrote to the Parson for information as to the probable date of his conversion. Mr. Brownlow kindly furnished the date, or at least the *data* for *that* interesting occurrence in the following characteristic letter. As we wrote above, this letter has already been published in our columns, but its republication now will be acceptable and instructive to our readers:

"KNOXVILLE, August 6, 1860.

"Mr. Jordan Clark—I have your letter of the 30th ult., and hasten to let you know the *precise time* when I expect to come out and formally announce that I have joined the Democratic party. When the sun shines at midnight and the moon at midday—when man forgets to be selfish, or Democrats lose their inclination to steal—when nature stops her onward march, to rest, or all the water-courses in America flow up stream—when flowers lose their odor and trees shed no leaves—when birds talk and beasts of burden laugh—when damned spirits swap hell for heaven, with the angels of light, and pay them the boot in mean whisky—when impossibilities are in fashion, and no proposition is too absurd to be believed, you may credit the report that I have joined the Democrats.

*I join the Democrats!* Never, so long as there are sects in churches—weeds in gardens—fleas in hog pens—dirt in victuals—disputes in families—wars with nations—water in the ocean—bad men in America, or base women in France. No, Jordan Clark, you may hope—you may congratulate—you may reason—you may sneer—but that cannot be. The thrones of the Old World—the court of the Universe—the Governments of the world, may all fall and crumble into ruin—the New World may commit the national suicide of dissolving this Union, but all this must occur before I join the Democracy!

*I join the Democracy!* Jordan Clark, you know not what you say—when I join the Democracy, the Pope of Rome will join the Methodist church—when Jordan Clark of Arkansas is President of the Republic of Great Britain, by universal suffrage of a contented people—when Queen Victoria consents to be divorced from Prince Albert by a county court in Kansas—when Congress obliges by law James Buchanan to marry a European Princess—when the Pope leases the Capitol at Washington for his city residence—when Alexander of Russia and Napoleon of France are elected Senators in Congress from New Mexico—when good men cease to go to heaven or bad men to hell—when this world is turned upside down—when proof is afforded, both clear and unquestionable, that there is no God—when men turn to ants, and ants to elephants, I will change my political faith, and come out on the side of the Democracy!

Supposing that this full and frank letter will enable you to fix upon *the period* when I will come out a full-grown Democrat, and to communicate the same to all whom it may concern in Arkansas.

I have the honor to be, &c.,
W. G. BROWNLOW.

THE COST OF A SIEGE.—The siege of Sabastopol commenced in October, 1854, and ended by the reduction of the south side of the city in September, 1855—eleven months The French started with sixty pieces of cannon—supposing these to be sufficient. The allies employed 2587 cannon, for which were served 2,381,942 shot and shell, and 11,484,804 pounds of powder, exclusive of what was used by the fleet on the day on which they assisted in the bombardment. The fleets mounted 2156 guns, half of which were brought to bear on the fortifications Alexander aud Constantine, and the quarantine and cliff batteries, mounting 261 guns, 200 of which were brought to bear on the squadron. The bombardment lasted five hours and a half, and 968,680 shot and shell were used. For the infantry of the French army there was provided 61,606,869 musket cartridges. The artillery constructed 118 batteries, requiring 800,000 sand-bags, and 50,000 gabions. The engineer department constructed 59¼ miles of entrenchments, requiring 80,000 gabions, 60,000 fascines, and nearly 1,000,000 sand-bags, besides 1,251 metres of mining galleries, some of which were 50 feet below the surface. The French transported to the Crimia 309,268 men, and 41,974 horses and mules, of the men they lost 69,229 by sickness and causualties. The reader can make his own calculations as to the number and tonnage of vessels it would require to transport the men, horses, guns, &c.

HOW THE REBELS ARE GIVEN TO EXAGGERATION!—The Huntsville *Democrat*, of the 9th, in referring to the battle at Pittsburg Landing, says:

Skirmishing occurred on Friday and Saturday, and a general engagement began at Shiloh, near Monterey, five or six miles from the Tennessee river, and about the same distance from the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, about five o'clock, A. M., Sunday, and lasted till dark. Our troops began the attack, and are represented to have driven the enemy from their rifle pits and earth works at the first charge.

One account says, we drove them across the river—another says, to their transports under cover of their boats—capturing 88 cannon, all their camp equipage, commissary stores, a large quantity of ammunition and arms, and 6,000 prisoners.

On Monday morning the fight was resumed, and continued until 11 o'clock at night, the enemy having been reinforced by Gen. Buell's army, which crossed the river on Sunday night. Our troops attacked the enemy as vigorously as on Sunday, and drove them twice to the cover of their gun-boats, with great slaughter.

The number of Federal prisoners is variously stated from 6,000 or 8,000 to 15,000 or 20,000. Several thousand were sent off to Grenada, Columbus, &c., Miss., and Tuscaloosa, Ala. One account is, that we captured all, another says nearly all, the enemy's cannon and 8,000 stand of muskets and rifles.

ONE of M'Clellan's soldiers, on the Yorktown expedition, tried to buy a pie at a house which the troops passed on their march. The people were astonished, and exclaimed, "What! a pie, and molasses $5 per gallon!" The blockade in that vicinity does not seem to have been a paper one and no doubt the same is the case elsewhere; this cry of "paper blockade," is in a great measure, got up by that class who croak at everything.

### XXXVIIth Congress—First Session.

WASHINGTON, April 25.

SENATE.

Mr. SHERMAN, (Ohio,) presented the resolutions of the Legislature of Ohio concerning the rebel prisoners at Columbus, saying that the feelings of the loyal people of Ohio were outraged by the fact that the rebel prisoners at Camp Chase, were allowed to retain their slaves by Col. Woody, thus practically establishing slavery in Ohio, and in the name of the people of Ohio solemnly protesting against this outrage on the loyalty of the people.

The resolutions were accompanied by a note from Gov. Tod, saying that Col. Moody did not permit this state of affairs; that the slaves were sent there as prisoners, and Moody was obliged to take care of them.

Mr. SHERMAN said the fact was the negroes were sent there with their masters as prisoners, and did serve their masters, but he believed no blame could be attached to Col. Moody or the Governor of Ohio.

Major Jones, the Inspector, had reported matters all right at Camp Chase.

The Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. DAWES said, Mr. Stevens opposed the government committee only when they interposed against a private speculation of Stevens' brother for a large amount of arms, the money to be drawn from the treasury. In the course of his remarks he said, although Cameron denied ever making a contract, he did make one, involving a million and a third dollars for European muskets three days before he left the Cabinet, which amount the committee saved. Mr. Dawes was very severe on Cameron, as giving fat contracts to his friends to reconcile old political differences.

Mr. KELLY condemned the committee as not being actuated by a spirit of justice, and complained of their conduct toward Alexander Cummings, whom they had condemned on an error of the printer, which as individuals they had refused to correct. The consideration of the subject was postponed till Monday, and the House then adjourned.

### Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, April, 25.

Cotton firm—sales of 2,000 bales at 29½c.—Flour advanced; 14,800 bbls. sold; State at $4 70@4 75, Ohio $5 20@5 57, southern $5 20@5 70. Wheat firm; 8,000 bus. red $1 30 Milwaukee club $1 22. Corn declined; 32,000 bus. sold at 58@59c. Pork steady; 2,800 bbls. mess for government contracts, sold at $12@13. Lard firm. Whisky firm; 23@23½. Sugar firm and active at 6½@8. Molasses active at 27@28. Freights active.

# BY TELEGRAPH.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

COMMODORE FOOTE.

Death of Pennsylvania Soldiers.

The French Minister's recent Visit to Norfolk.

Contracts awarded for building Iron-Clad Gun Boats.

Confirmation of Military Appointments.

Daniel E. Sickler re-nominated for Brigadier General.

WASHINGTON, April 25.

Commodore Foote, owing to the wound received in the battle at Fort Henry, has asked to be relieved from command of the Western fleet, but the Department has, it is understood, ordered Capt. Chas. H. Davis to repair to the squadron as his second in command, thus relieving him from much of the physical labor of his responsible position.

The following deaths of Pennsylvania soldiers occurred yesterday, in the hospitals here:—William Torrey, Fifty-third; M. D. Keyser, Sixth; William Henderson, Eleventh; and Robert Hickman, Forty-ninth.

A body of one of the victims of the Ball's Bluff blunder, found in the Potomac and hitherto unrecognized, has been ascertained to have been that of a member of the California regiment.

In addition to what has heretofore been asserted in contradiction of the false statements of the Richmond papers. There is good authority for stating that Count Mercier, the French minister, had no official communication whatever with the Southern authorities.

The report that Lord Lyons has gone, or is going, to Richmond is as untrue as the recent unfounded rumors of changes in the cabinet.

The Navy Department is quietly though efficiently at work increasing the means of national defense. The Atlantic Works and Harrison & Loring, Boston, have been awarded contracts for building iron-clad vessels under the recent law.

The Senate to-day, in executive session, confirmed the nominations of George Cadwallader, of Pennsylvania, and George H. Thomas, of Virginia, as major generals, and Colonel Alfred H. Terry, of Connecticut, and Miles S. Shackle, of Indiana, Major Henry W. Wersells, of the Sixth infantry, Colonel John W. Geary, Major Samuel W. Crawford, of the Thirteenth infantry, Leonard F. Ross, of Illinois, as brigadier genrals of volunteers; Brigadier General James W. Ripley to be chief of ordnance, and William A. Hammond surgeon general, with the rank of brigadier general; also, Charles F. Garrett as assistant quartermaster, and Harvey A. Smith, of Kansas, commissary of subsistence.

The Senate is said to have rejected Nathan Reeve as Assistant Quartermaster, and the following as Brigadier Generals: John Cochran, H. H. Lockwood, Charles F. Clark, and Charles Dana.

John Trimble, of Tennessee, was confirmed as U. S. Attorney for the Middle district of that State.

Owing to a misapprehension which caused the rejection of Daniel E. Sickles, the President to-day renominated him to be Brigadier General. The prospect of confirmation is favorable.

## From General Halleck's Division.

HEAVY CANNONADING HEARD IN THE DIRECTION OF PITTSBURG.

A BATTLE SUPPOSED TO BE IN PROGRESS AT CORINTH.

THE UNION GUNBOATS AT HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA.

CHICAGO, April 25.

*Special dispatch to the Chicago Times.*]

Cairo passengers, by the Belle of Memphis, say that at Savannah they heard heavy firing in the direction of Pittsburg. The cannonading was brisk, and gradually grew louder, being heard for miles this side of Savannah.—It is the belief that a general engagement was brought on, which is strengthened by the fact that on Wednesday significant preparations were made by Gen. Halleck for an attack.

Our gunboats on the Tennessee had effected a passage over the muscle shoals, and penetrated as far as Huntsville, Alabama, where they captured a quantity of rebel commissary stores.

## From the Tennessee River.

Steamers Fired into by Guerillas.

THE LOWER MISSISSIPPI FEARFULLY OVERFLOWED.

Great Loss of Property.

CAIRO, April 25.

The steamers Belle of Memphis, and Choctow, from Pittsburg Landing on Thursday morning, arrived last night. They were fired into thirty-five miles below Pittsburg by a band of guerrillas, from behind dwellings on the left bank of the Tennessee river. The Choctaw received seven shots, and her mate was killed.—The Belle of Memphis received twelve shots, mortally wounding one negro boy on board.

The roads at Pittsburg are improving.

Skirmishing of pickets continue. The river there is still rising.

The lower Mississippi is fearfully overflowed, causing the greatest loss of property ever known.