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Young Men

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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.

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The Telegraph.

From our Morning Edition.

THE NEWS.

So far as we could learn from every available source, there was no fighting yesterday, between the armies of the Republic, and those of the rebels.

It is supposed that the rebels had run short of ammunition; and perhaps it was this fact that induced them to ask for an armistice ostensibly to bury their dead, but really to procure powder and ball.

The fight, it was expected, would be resumed to-day, as soon as the light enabled the contending armies to point their guns.

Our troops are reported to have behaved most gallantly in the struggles on Wednesday. No better fighting was ever done by veterans. They fought as if they were individually impressed with the importance of each man's services, and spoke confidently of achieving a great victory to-day.

Gov. Curtin arrived safely in Hagerstown yesterday. His reception by our state troops was a perfect ovation. After inspecting their condition and providing for all their wants and furnishing all that was necessary for their entire success, he will return to the State Capital. Gov. Curtin was accompanied by Colonel John A. Wright, Special Aid.

Surgeon Gen. Smith, with a large corps of Surgeons, also reached Hagerstown yesterday, and is now actively engaged with his assistants in the relief and succor of the wounded.

The following card from the Secretary of the commonwealth was telegraphed to the principal Post Masters in the State, with the request that they would place it in some conspicuous position:

HARRISBURG, Sept. 18, 1862.

The number of wounded in General McClellan's recent battles, is very large; most of them will probably be brought into Penna. The Surgeon-General appeals to the ladies for the immediate contribution of such articles as are needed for their comfort. All packages should have contents marked outside, and be addressed to General Hale, Harrisburg.

ELI SLIFER, *Sec. of Commonwealth.*

The telegraphic wires are being extended to Boonesboro, thus bringing us nearer to General M'Clellan's headquarters. The line to that point, it is expected, will be completed and in working order to-day.

The Baltimore papers of last night contain nothing new, but from the accounts of the battle of Wednesday we condense the following particulars:

The battle raged on Tuesday and Wednesday furiously on the Antietam creek, a tortuous stream, having its source in the mountains and running down to the Potomac, midway between Bohrersville and Sharpsburg.

The rebels, cut off from the iron bridge at Harper's Ferry by the advance of Gen. Franklin's corps, and fearing to cross the Potomac at any of the fords, with Gen. M'Clellan pushing down hard upon them, took this creek for a line of defence.

During Tuesday the battle raged with great spirit, and the firing on either side was very heavy until towards sundown, when the rebels were flanked by Hooker and Porter, and were being severely punished. Their firing became desultory, and it was evident that their ammunition was giving out.

On Wednesday morning the battle was renewed by the Rebels with redoubled vigor; they acted as if they had been reinforced and furnished with fresh ammunition.

The battle lasted until four o'clock on Monday afternoon, when the Rebels retreated, leaving General Longstreet and the remnant of his Division in our hands as prisoners of war.

Our victory is sure, but it has cost us many officers and men. Major General Hooker was wounded in the foot by a Minnie ball while leading a second brilliant bayonet charge on Wednesday, and General Mansfield is either killed or taken prisoner. He fought most heroically during the entire affair up to the time he was missed.

The loss of the rebels was much greater than ours. Longstreet's division of ten brigades cannot muster seven thousand men.

The entire rebel army will be captured or killed. There was no chance left for them to cross the Potomac, as the river was rising on Wednesday, and our troops pushing them continually, and sending prisoners to the rear by scores.

Stonewall Jackson is now in command of the rebel force in Maryland.

It was reported at Hagerstown that General Miles re-enacted his Bull Run scene at Harper's Ferry, which was surrendered to the Rebels in a shameful manner.

Six batteries of artillery, belonging to Longstreet's Division, were captured on Tuesday and Wednesday, and it is said we have taken nearly fifteen thousand prisoners since Sunday.

Jackson's army, with Lee and other distinguished wounded officers, will be forced to surrender in a day or two, at the farthest.

Our immense army is all in motion, and our Generals are certain of ultimate and decisive success.

Gen. Burnside has taken possession of Harper's Ferry, and is advancing on a special mission.

Every one here is jubilant over the news, and the people talk about seeing the "beginning of the end."

Details of the Allegheny Arsenal Explosion.

A RECAPITULATION OF HORRORS.

The TELEGRAPH yesterday morning, barely announced the fact of a terrible explosion which took place in the Allegheny Arsenal on Wednesday. By the Pittsburg *Dispatch* of yesterday we have full particulars of the horrible occurrence, from which we condense the following account:

After the explosion, the building took fire, and those of the girls confined by the fragments were burned to death. A number were doubtless killed by the explosion, and their bodies consumed. Where the heat was the greatest, nothing remained of the bodies but the whitened bones.

Thousands of people collected on the grounds, and all were horror stricken at the scene. The charred remains of the victims were lying about in rows in several directions. A number were dying of their injuries and removed by friends. We noticed two bodies which had been blown from the building, both so horribly mutilated, as indeed were all that we saw, with but one exception, as to render identification impossible. We saw the bodies of two young women who evidently had been burned alive in each other's arms. In one place we counted forty seven bodies, in another ten, and turn where you would, blackened trunks of bodies—piles of roasted flesh—met your gaze. Here and there lay the fragment of a skull, or some other part of a body.

Two girls were conversing near where a body lay. One of them had escaped uninjured—the other was in search of a sister, and in describing her, said she wore a red dress. A gentleman standing near, pointing to a fragment of a dress hanging upon a tree, said: "Was it like that?" The girl looked up, saw the fragment, and a loud scream from her told us that she identified it as part of the dress worn by her sister.

We came to a spot where two girls were dying. Both were terribly burned. One asked if she was really going to die, and desired a priest to be sent for. She appeared less injured than her fellow-sufferer, and spoke in a loud and clear voice; but death soon came. Her companion was removed from the ground, still alive, but beyond recovery.

Anxious relatives flittrd hurriedly about the grounds, gazing upon the crisped remains, in the hope of discovering some mark of identification. Many of the bodies were encircled with steel bands of hooped skirts.

The building or laboratory, was one story high, divided into halls and rooms, with an open space in the centre, like a court. Accounts as to the cause, as well as the particular point at which the first explosion took place, differ materially, and the facts cannot be definitely ascertained, other than by a proper investigation by a Coroner. Shortly before the first explosion, three barrels of powder had been brought from the magazine and placed on a porch at the laboratory. The driver of the wagon in which the powder was hauled, was knocked down twice by the explosion, but not seriously hurt. His name is Trick and resides in Lawrenceville.

Adjacent to the laboratory was a small building used as an engine room, for heating purposes during winter, and attached to this building were two rooms in which cartridges were filled, and in which were some two hundred pounds of powder. The flames communicating to these rooms caused the last explosion.

It was pay day, and Mr. Bosworth, the paymaster, had paid some fifty of the girls before the occurrence. After the first explosion a number of the girls, who had rushed out of their rooms, went back to see after the others, and thus fell victims.

The firemen were promptly on the ground, and rendered valuable assistance in quenching the fire. For a time it was unsafe to go near the burning building, owing to the continuous bursting of cartridges and shells.

The exact number of lives lost could not certainly be ascertained last evening. It is possible that the bodies of some were entirely consumed. The number, however, will not fall short of seventy.

A scene of terrible excitement occurred at Store House No. 1, situated near Butler street, in which upwards of three hundred girls were employed in preparing the paper cylinders for musket cartridges. Although in no danger whatever, the girls rushed down the stairs to the front entrance, which was already blocked up with a crowd of men and women, in which were parents seeking after their daughters. There was no ingress or egress, and the pressure was frightful. Women were trodden under foot, some injured severely, and the scene was absolutely alarming. Ladders were placed to the upper windows from the outside, by which means a number of the girls got out of the building. It was a considerable time before the outside crowd could be forced back. During the excitement a number of the girls leaped out of the second story windows, and in this way were severely injured.

LIST OF THE DEAD AND INJURED.

The following is a list of the dead and injured, with their place of residence, as far as we could learn:

KILLED.

Two young daughters of Mrs. Maxwell, residing in the Ninth ward, near the fair grounds.

Mary Donnelly, aged about twenty years; parents reside in Lawrenceville. Horribly mangled about limbs and body, and face badly burned.

Mary and Kate Dugan, sisters; resided on the corner of Butler and Allegheny streets, Ninth ward.

Miss Ross, residence unknown.

Kate Dean, residence unknown.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, aged twenty-three years, widow, Mulberry alley, between Factory and Walnut streets, Fifth ward.

Annie Jones, sister of Mrs. Jones, daughter of Morgan Jones, Mulberry alley, between Walnut and Factory streets, Fifth ward.

Mary Ann M'Whinter, residence unknown.

A daughter of Mrs. Davis, Lawrenceville.

Mr. Miller and a small daughter, residence unknown.

Lizzie Shook, Penn street, above fair grounds.

Rose Brady, aged twelve years, daughter of Charles Brady, Sixth street, near Grant.

Ellen M'Kenna, aged sixteen years, daughter of Charles M'Kenna, Faber street, near St. Patrick's Church.

Mary Ann Murphy, aged eighteen years; Locust street, Ninth ward.

Ellen Slatterley, aged sixteen years; Pike street, between Walnut and Factory, Fifth ward.

Mary Slatterley, sister to Ellen, aged eighteen years; Pike street, between Factory and Walnut, Fifth ward.

Essie Heslep, aged twenty-four years; rear of No. 98, Seventh street, near Webster, Third ward.

Grace M'Millan, aged eighteen years; Webster street, near Washington, Sixth ward.

Eliza Lindsay, No. 33 Webster street, near Tunnel, Third ward.

Mary Jane Lindsay, sister to Eliza, No. 33 Webster street, near Tunnel, Third ward.

Mary Cronin, aged seventeen years; Lawrenceville.

Mary Reardon, aged eighteen years; Lawrenceville, near Arsenal.

Robert Smith, aged nineteen years, son of Mrs. Smith, widow woman, residing on Spring alley, near Harrison street, Ninth ward.

Mrs. Elenor Shepherd, Matron of the Laboratory, Lawrenceville, near the Arsenal.

Sarah Jane Shepherd, aged sixteen years, daughter of the Matron, Lawrenceville, near the Arsenal.

Emma Clouse, aged twenty one, Lawrenceville.

Kate M'Bride, aged fifteen years, daughter of Andrew M'Bride, one of the foremen, Lawrenceville.

Mr. Bollman, foreman in one of the shops; Lawrenceville.

Mary Bollman, aged seven years, daughter of the foreman; Lawrenceville.

Mrs. Grabby, widow lady; Pike street, near Walnut. Mrs. G.'s husband was a member of Capt. M'Farland's company, 102d regiment, and was killed during the engagement of Fair Oaks. She had been engaged at the Arsenal but ten days.

Ellen M'Afee, aged sixteen years; Spring alley, near O'Hara street, Fifth ward.

OTHER INCIDENTS.

A young man, Stephen Horley, employed at Zug and Painter's mill, picked up a lady's ring, marked with the initials "C. J." It is in possession of Alderman Taylor, of the Fifth ward.

In one of the charred bodies we noticed eleven bullets, protruding through the flesh; in another we noticed nine bullets.

Scattered all about the grounds were fragments of dinner baskets, shoes, dresses, bonnets, &c., and it is said money was found by different persons. One man picked up a twenty dollar gold piece.

Two girls, one of them in a nude state, but uninjured, and the other much hurt, were discovered by a gentleman residing in the vicinity, after the first explosion. The former he shielded from observation, and left for the purpose of securing some clothing for her, but when he returned he found that she had disappeared. Her injured companion was properly provided for.

Since writing out our account, we have ascertained that over one hundred and sixty of the girls had been paid off before the catastrophe occurred.

APPOINTMENTS OF ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.—The undersigned Assessor of taxes, under the act approved July 1, 1862, entitled, "An act to provide internal revenue to support the Government, and to pay interest on the public debt, for the fourteenth collection district, has appointed the following as his assistants, viz:

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No. 3. Northumberland county—Jacob Seasholtz, Sunbury P. O.

No. 4. Thomas S. Mackey, Milton P. O.

No. 5. Snyder county—John Bilger, Selinsgrove P. O.

No. 6. Union county—Charles Schreiner, Mifflinburg P. O.

No. 7. Juniata county—E. C. Stewart, Mifflin P. O.

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