

Daily Telegraph



HARRISBURG, PA. Saturday Afternoon, October 18, 1862.

THE RECONNOISSANCE FROM SHEPHERDSTOWN.

From one of the special correspondents of an eastern contemporary, who arrived in this city at noon to-day, from the army of the Potomac, we learn that Gen. Humphreys, in command of twelve hundred regulars under Major Lovell, Tyler's brigade of new Pennsylvania troops, and Griffin's brigade, with two batteries and a cavalry force, made a successful reconnoissance from Shepherdstown, conjointly with a similar expedition under Gen. Hancock from Harper's Ferry.

THE RESULT OF LAST TUESDAY.

The result of last Tuesday's election may be summed up in the election of fifteen Union members to the next Congress, counting Mr. Bailly as a friend of the administration. He was supported on that principle by all Republicans in the district, and opposed by a regular Breckenridge candidate, Mr. Glosebrenner.

WE SEND GREETING TO EDWARD McPHERSON,

printer, editor and legislator; and offer to him the renewal of our faith in his purposes and friendship for his person. Political defeat to a man will prove the incentive to larger exertions in some other direction, where honor can be as fairly earned and service as manfully rendered as in the halls of legislation.

IF ALL THE PEOPLE along the route of the rebel rail in Pennsylvania had manifested the same vigilance and displayed the same courage,

as did the good people of Adams county and Gettysburg, horses and cattle would not be as scarce in that region as they are now. The following from the Star and Banner of Gettysburg, 16th inst., exhibits their vigilance and its results: About a half dozen of the advance guard of the rebel cavalry reached New Salem, on the Chambersburg road, about six miles from this place, on Saturday last, and were met by a squad of Capt. McCree's men under Sergeant James Mickleby, and were driven back. A number of shots were exchanged, but no one was injured.

ACCOUNTS, not from newspaper sources, say there is less inclination in Europe to recognize the Southern Confederacy since the battle of Antietam.

IN ALL the counties where the draft took place it has passed off quietly.

OUT OF THE WOODS.

The Philadelphia Inquirer, the other day, claimed that the result of the recent election in Pennsylvania, was a victory for the Government, or the Administration. To this the Patriot and Union objected in strong terms, and to this objection we assented, because as the Patriot claimed the victory for the Breckenridge Democracy, it could not therefore be a triumph of the Government. These two principles, civil-religious liberty and Breckenridge Democracy, are as absolutely opposed to each other as light and darkness.

THE PRINCIPLE STILL SURVIVES.

Whatever the Breckenridgers may claim, and however they may attempt to make capital for their traitor allies in the south, the principle of Republicanism, the eternal principle of free government, still survives in Pennsylvania. As far as this principle could be directly made an issue, and wherever it was thus broadly accepted in the election of those who were to occupy position where it could be tested, it signally triumphed.

HOLD THEM TO THEIR COVENANTS.

We have had the question put to us, since the election, in a sort of taunting triumphant manner, whether the draft and the taxes would not stop? Those who put this question are those who were deluded into voting for Miller on the plea that if he was elected he would end the war with a dash of his pen—abolish taxation with a wink of his eye, and stop the draft with a nod of his head.

THE PROMOTION OF THE DESERVING.

In the midst of the excitement of the election, and the importance of securing the success of sound Union men and pure Republican principles, we have omitted or neglected to pay that attention to other matters which they will and must receive hereafter. Among these, is an order from the War Department lately communicated to the Governors, professing a desire that, hereafter, vacancies in the army should be filled by promoting officers, commissioned and non-commissioned, and privates, who have distinguished themselves on the field, or who have shown capacity for military command.

THE IOWA ELECTION.

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Walnut Street, below State Capital Hotel. Best Regulated and Cheapest Place of Amusement in the World. Never has more been concentrated.

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the Eminent Ethiopian Comedian and Great Tamborinist; and TOM BROOKFIELD, the Champion Jig Dancer of America and Eclectic Comedian; in connection with the BEST DANSEUSES on the American Stage.

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TO conclude every evening with the great FEMALE SCENE OF MINSTRELSY.

ADMISSION: 1st 20 cents, 2nd 10 cents, 3rd 5 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Commence at 7 1/2.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

\$10 REWARD!

LOST, yesterday, at the Millersburg Station on the Northern Central Railway, a SMALL GREEN FLOCKER Book, containing a King, with seven stones in it, a Gold Tooth-pick, a Gold Pencil, a small Breastpin, black enameled, and about eight dollars in money.

U. S. CHECK STAMPS for sale by A. K. FAHNESTOCK.

Murringer's Patent Beef Tea.

A SOLID Concentrated Extract of Beef and Vegetables, convertible immediately into a nourishing and delicious soup of Beef Tea. This admirable article condensed into a compact form, all the substantial and nutritive properties of a large bulk of meat and vegetables.

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NEW ROSEWOOD PIANOS, of the best makers, from \$200 upwards.

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THE BEST MANUFACTURED INSTRUMENTS, FROM \$45 to \$100. Guitars, Violins, Accordions, Flutes, Fifes, Drums, Banjos, Tambourines, Violin and Guitar strings and musical merchandise in general.

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OF various kinds, at the Keystone Nursery, adjoining the city. If failing, to be replaced, on reasonable terms. JACOB MISH. Oct. 13, 1862.