

NATIONAL UNION TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, Abraham Lincoln, OF ILLINOIS. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, Andrew Johnson, OF TENNESSEE.

Meeting of the Legislature.

Both Houses of the Legislature assembled at 12, m., to-day, having been called together in advance of the time fixed for their meeting, by the extraordinary events which have lately taken place on the southern border and the southern tier of counties of the State.

Pennsylvania has the means within herself, to protect her citizens from every outrage. All that we need, is their proper organization—a prompt and thorough discipline of the men capable of military service, and there will be an end to invasion and a truce in the outrages to which our southern border counties have been subjected during the war.

The Difference Between the Value of Greenbacks and Rebel Paper Money.

The traitor sympathizer in the north, has been able to do the National Government a great harm, by holding up to the view of the sordid and the ignorant, what they call the depreciation of the national credit.

ADMIRAL DAHLGREN, the gallant father of the lamented Col. Dahlgren who was killed while making a raid on Richmond, and whose body was subjected to every description of barbarous indignity, has been able at length to expose the falsity of the order said to have been found on the person of young Dahlgren for the assassination of the rebel authorities and the burning of Richmond.

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EX-PRESIDENT BUCHANAN is described by the copperhead organs as being "active and vigorous as he was ten years ago." No doubt of it; particularly in sympathizing with the men, who are now battling to destroy the Union.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, HARRISBURG, August 9, 1864.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania: GENTLEMEN:—I have called you together in advance of your adjourned session, for the purpose of taking some action for the defence of the State.

It is of course expected that the inhabitants of an invaded country will do what is in their power to resist the invaders, and the facts hereinafter stated will show, I think, that the people of these counties have not failed in this duty.

It might have been hoped—nay, we had a right to expect—that the people of the loyal States engaged in a common effort to preserve their Government and all that is dear to freedom, would have forgotten, at least for the time, their petty jealousies, and sympathized with all their loyal citizens, wherever resident within the borders of our common country.

At that time, a call was made upon Pennsylvania for volunteers to be mustered into the service of the United States and to serve for one hundred days in the States of Pennsylvania and Maryland and at Washington and its vicinity.

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near Williamsport, part of the command advanced on Hagerstown, the main body moved on the road leading from Williamsport to Greencastle. Another rebel column consisting of infantry and artillery crossed the Potomac simultaneously at Sheppardstown, and moved towards Leitersburg.

Gen. Averill, it is understood, was under the orders of Gen. Hunter, but was kept as fully advised by Gen. Couch as was possible, of the enemy's movements on his right and to his rear. Gen. Couch was in Chambersburg, where his entire force consisted of 60 infantry, 45 cavalry, and a section of a battery of artillery, in all, less than 150 men.

I commend the houses and ruined people of Chambersburg to the liberal benevolence of the Legislature, and suggest that a suitable appropriation be made for their relief. Similar charity has been heretofore exercised in the case of an accident not so serious as that at Chambersburg, and I cannot doubt the disposition of the Legislature on the present occasion.

On the fifth day of this month a large rebel army was in Maryland and at various points on the Potomac as far west as New Creek, and as there was no adequate force within the State I deemed it my duty on that day to call for Thirty Thousand Volunteer Militia, for domestic protection.

It seems to us that not merely in this section of the case, but in its national relations, the security of this border line between the loyal and rebellious States is an object justifying and requiring a disposition of a portion of the National force with an especial view to its defence.

We are aware that as a general rule well founded objections exist to the enlistment of a force to be exclusively used for home or local defence, but we regard such objections as now suggest an exceptional case, and the complete protection of this part of our frontier as of admitted national importance.

The following letter from the Assistant Adjutant General, dated August 1st, 1864, is the only reply received by me up to this time:

In this connection please refer to the act of Congress, approved February 13, 1862, as promulgated in General Orders No. 15, series of 1862, from this office.

Very respectfully, Your obedient servant, THOMAS M. VINCENT, Assistant Adjutant General.

Major General D. N. Couch, Harrisburg, Pa., July 22, 1864. A true copy respectively furnished for the information of His Excellency Governor A. G. Curtin.

WAR DEPT., ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 1, 1864. Major General D. N. Couch, Harrisburg, Pa.

In each of the three years, 1862, 1863 and 1864, it has been found necessary to call the State militia for the defence of the State, and this has happened with the assent and assistance of the General Government.

The election of officers in the volunteer force in the field has been found to be injurious to the service, while promotions by seniority, and appointments of meritorious privates, has produced harmony and stimulated to faithfulness.

As this force would be subject to sudden calls, the larger part of it should be organized in the counties lying on our extreme border, and as the people of these counties have more personal interest in their protection, the recommendation is made to authorize the Governor to designate the parts of the State in which it should be raised and to save the time and expense of transporting troops from remote parts of the State and the maintenance and pay in going to and from the border.

for your information, which will be independent of pay and subsistence. The State should provide at least six four-gun batteries of field artillery with all the modern improvements.

Having an organized force under the control of the authorities of the State, and mustered into service for domestic protection, we would not, as heretofore, lose time in arranging for transportation and supplies with the National Government, when it became necessary to call it into the field.

I am informed that the general sentiment of the people in question is in favor of something being done at once, and a military measure, think it will be of essential service to the General Government, and recommend that the War Department encourage the movement by authorizing the loan or issue of uniforms, provided the law in question is enacted.

On the same day I approved in writing of the proposition, and expressed my opinion that the Legislature would pass an act in accordance with it at its adjourned session on the 23d of August.

The Bounty Bill passed at the last session is found to be defective and unjust in many of its provisions, and from the manner in which it is administered in some parts of the State, oppressive on the people. I therefore recommend a careful revision of it.

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WAR DEPARTMENT, ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., August 1st, 1864. HIS EXCELLENCY, THE GOVERNOR OF PENNSYLVANIA, Harrisburg, Penna.

From Port Royal.

Arrival of the Charleston Prisoners at New York. SUCCESSFUL RAID BY GEN. BIRNEY INTO FLORIDA.

Destruction of Bridges, and Capture of a Railroad Train, and a Quantity of Arms. New York, Aug. 9.

Admiral Farragut's Attack upon Mobile. Our Fleet Passes Forts Morgan and Gaines. THE OPPOSITION STUBBORN AND TERRIFIC.

The Union Monitor Tecumseh Sunk. Surrender of the Rebel Ram Tennessee. SHE DESPERATELY STRUGGLES AGAINST OUR WHOLE SQUADRON.

The Enemy's Fleet Scattered. One Vessel Captured—Another Sunk. Capture of the Rebel Admiral Buchanan. OUR FLEET ADVANCING TRIUMPHANTLY.

Official Gazette. NEWS FROM MOBILE—OFFICIAL REBEL ANNOUNCEMENT OF FARRAGUT'S VICTORY—SEVENTEEN YANKEE SHIPS PASS FORT MOORGAN—THE REBEL RAM TENNESSEE SURRENDERS—THE REBEL ADMIRAL HAS HIS LEG SHOT OFF AND OTHER CAPTURES—REBEL GUNBOAT SCRAMA CAPTURED AND QUARTERS TAKEN BY ASSAULT.

By Telegraph. END OF THE RAID. Mayland and Pennsylvania Free from Invaders. They are Overtaken by Averill. He is Reported to Have Defeated Them and Captured all Their Artillery, and Five Hundred Prisoners.

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OFFICIAL GAZETTE. REPORTED DEFEAT OF REBELS BY GEN. AVERILL. HE CAPTURES ALL THEIR GUNS AND FIVE HUNDRED PRISONERS.

RUMORS OF AN INTENDED RAID UPON BUFFALO. Rebels and Sympathizers from Canada to be the Raiders.

MARRIED.

August 4th, by Rev. G. J. Martin, Mr. MERRY SWEENEY to Miss CATHERINE HERALD, all of Dauphin county, Pa.

DIED.

At 2 o'clock, this (Tuesday) morning, ANNE BARTINE, daughter of P. J. and Annie E. Jones, (Fine street, between Second and Third,) in the 7th year of her age.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE. THE good will and fixtures of an old and well established Restaurant. For further particulars address [aug-9-dif] J. W. F., Harrisburg, P. O.

BOY LOST.

A BOY Three years old, named FRANKLIN SPOTTS, left his home, in Mulberry street, near Second, this morning, about nine o'clock. Has black eyes, light hair, had on when he left home a red shirt with white body, a light straw hat trimmed with white ribbon. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received, if left at the above-named place. aug-9-dif

\$40 REWARD.

STOLEN, on the 8th inst., from the Ivery Stable of the subscriber, in Harrisburg, a ROAN Mare 2 years old 15 1/2 hands high, small star on face, black mane and tail; who marks on right hind pastern; shows the white of her eyes when working or moving her head; always paces when under the saddle. Also, a set of harness, saddle, and top. Also, a set of side panels, leather cushion and top. Also, a set of harness. \$40 reward will be paid for the return of the mare, buggy and harness, or for such information as will lead to their recovery, and the arrest of the thief. aug-9-dif F. K. SWARTZ.

Wanted.

A WHITE GIRL, who understands the duties of housekeeping. Apply at No. 3, Locust street, near Front. aug-9-dif

Wanted.

SEVERAL Iron Molders and Wood Workers at the Eagle Works W. O. HICKOK. aug-9-dif

Wanted, To Purchase.

A CONVENIENT Dwelling, with six or eight rooms, located within four squares of Market street, north address post office box 224, with description and price. aug-9-dif

A RARE CHANCE FOR SPECULATION.

FOR SALE, THREE THOUSAND CAVALRY SABLES. As such are as will give five times as much as they cost to make money. The Sables must be sold to satisfy unpaid claims. Samples will be sent to any party equal to sample. For full particulars address [aug-9-dif] G. E. KEEFER, P. O. Box 37, Reading, Pa.

LOST.

ON the night of the 27th of July, 1864, in the cars from Baltimore to Harrisburg, or in passing from these cars to the cars for Pittsburg, a small round top car with a black and red cross on the sides will be liberally rewarded for leaving the car at this office, and will also confer a great favor upon its owner. aug-9-dif