

NATIONAL UNION TICKET.

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

The Victory of General Averill. The telegraph has already informed our readers that this dashing cavalry general has punished the rebels severely in their retreat from Chambersburg.

Whilist General Averill was in the vicinity of Chambersburg, when the pirate McCausland was burning that town, a large number of our people here complained of the tardiness of General Averill's movements, and censured him for not attacking the house-burners; but we learn from undoubted sources that General Averill never received the dispatches which General Couch had forwarded to him, and that he was not aware of the situation of matters at that place.

A Contrast. A few days since a rebel leader, McCausland, was burning Chambersburg, an undefended village in this State which had never offered resistance, turning half-naked women and babes out from their flaming houses, destroying churches and hospitals, and violating with his robber crew, all the laws of honorable warfare acknowledged among civilized nations.

We like such contrasts, and we are not surprised at them. Gen. Rousseau is the public officer of a great nation, and he is a gentleman; McCausland is a vulgar brigand and rebel, serving a horde of robbers.

How GRANT CUTS RED TAPE.—During his visit to Monocacy on Saturday, Gen. Grant illustrated his irreverence for red tape in a pleasing incident. Some months ago the Ninetieth New York, then in a distant field of operations, re-enlisted as veteran recruits, but were not able then to take their furlough, on account of a press of business.

Another New York Falsehood Contradicted. The New York press has been so filled with falsehoods against the people of Pennsylvania that we have become tired of contradicting them. We find, however, a word from Col. McClure in the New York Times contradicting one of the falsehoods circulated against him personally, which we insert in justice to the gentleman named. It reads: A CARD FROM A. K. MCCLURE.

To the Editor of the New York Times. Your correspondent writing from the southern border of Pennsylvania, says in the Times of the 4th inst: "I was informed by a gentleman on the train that Col. McClure paid \$5,000 as a ransom for his threatened property, and after all the soundings set the torch to his house, and it now stands a smoking ruin."

The foregoing statement has not the shadow of truth. I paid no sum of money to ransom my property, nor did any one for me; and although my loss is scarcely less than \$50,000, not one dollar of tribute would have been paid to barbarous freebooters to save it. I was not present, but no member of my family would have entertained a proposition of any kind to ransom anything belonging to them or me. A. K. MCCLURE. Chambersburg, Friday, Aug. 6, 1864.

Hon. L. W. Hall.

This gentleman, as most of our readers are aware, was the candidate of the National Union party of Blair county, for the Congressional nomination in the 17th District. In the convention of delegates which named him, he received a most decided and flattering vote, and the earnest and cordial support subsequently given him by his conferees was as complimentary as it was well-deserved.

After three days of unsuccessful balloting, and when it again assembled, the relative positions of the various aspirants remaining as before, a nomination seemed impossible. It was at this stage of the proceedings that Col. Hall, laying aside all personal considerations, and anxious only to subserve the interests of the party, withdrew from the contest and requested his conferees to urge his nomination no further. The manly and patriotic letter which he wrote upon that occasion, and which we publish below, does credit both to his head and heart, and though his claims have for a time been postponed, we are well assured that the day is not far distant when a grateful constituency will, in a fitting way, show that they appreciate his merits and ability.

GENTLEMEN.—The Congressional Conference, having balloted through three successive days, without any result, before adjournment, I deem it proper to relieve you of any embarrassment so far as I am personally concerned. I need not say to you, gentlemen, my personal friends, and who are familiar with the history of the events which resulted in placing me in my present attitude, that I am not now, and have not been, anxious to be the Union candidate for Congress in this District.

To the National Union party of the county of Blair which, in the convention of its delegates, by a vote so decided and flattering, designated me as its candidate, and to you, gentlemen, representing the sentiment of that party and its convention, for the zeal and earnestness with which you have aimed to carry out that preference, I return my most profound acknowledgments. I would, however, be unworthy of the confidence thus reposed in me by my friends at home, if with a selfishness incapable of looking beyond personal claims or aspirations, I should ask you to do more than you have already done, to effect my nomination.

I am, gentlemen, faithfully your friend, LOUIS W. HALL. To Messrs. McCamant, Geyer and London, Congressional Conferees of Blair County.

The Proper Course.

We congratulate the people of Pennsylvania on the passage of a resolution in the Senate, by a large majority, giving notice that they will not go into the consideration of any private legislation. Let this be fully adhered to. Private corporations and individuals have taken up sufficient time during the past winter, and we sincerely hope that nothing but public business will be attended to. Let a military and such other bills as the State necessarily may require be passed, and the members of the Legislature will be ready to return to their homes.

Pennsylvania Legislature.

REPORTED EXPRESSLY FOR THE TELEGRAPH. SENATE. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1864.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock A. M., the Speaker in the Chair. The Journal of yesterday was read and approved. EXTRACTS FROM HOUSE JOURNAL.

On motion, the Senate concurred, and Messrs. JOHNSON, M'GHEE, TUNNEY, HARRIS and RICEWAY were appointed the committee. Also, another extract referring so much of the Governor's message as related to military organization to a joint committee of five members of each House.

THE GREAT FIGHT IN FRONT OF ATLANTA.

Our Total Loss 3,521, Killed, Wounded and Missing. THE REBEL LOSS MUCH GREATER. Official Report of Gen. Logan.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. Major General Sherman, in transmitting the following report of General Logan, says though the number of dead rebels seems to be excessive, he is disposed to give full credit to the report that, though our loss was only 3,521, killed, wounded and missing, the enemy's dead alone on the field nearly equalled that number, viz: 9,230.

GENERAL.—I have the honor to report the following general summary of the result of the attack of the enemy on this army on the 22d inst.: Our total loss of killed, wounded and missing, was 3,521, and ten pieces of artillery. We have buried, and delivered to the enemy under flag of truce sent in by them in front of the 3d Division, 17th Army Corps, 1,000 of their killed.

The number of their dead in front of the 4th division of the same corps, including the ground not now occupied by our troops, Gen. Blair reports, will swell the number of their dead to 2,000. The number of their dead buried in front of the 15th corps, up to this hour, is 360, and the commanding officer reports that at least as many more are yet unburied, the burying parties being still at work.

We have one thousand of their wounded in our hands, the larger number of wounded being carried off during the night, after the engagement, by them. We captured 18 stands of colors, and have them now. We also captured 5,000 stand of arms.

The attack was made on our lines seven times, and was seven times repulsed. Hood's and Hardee's corps and Wheeler's cavalry engaged us. We have sent to the rear 1,000 prisoners, including 33 commissioned officers of high rank.

RECAPITULATION.—Our total loss, 3,521; enemy's dead, thus far reported buried and delivered to them, 3,230; total prisoners sent north, 1,017; total prisoners wounded and in our hands, 1,000; estimated loss of the enemy at least 10,000.

Very respectfully your ob't serv't JOHN A. LOGAN, Maj. Gen'l. Maj. Gen'l V. T. SHERMAN, Com'r Military Div'n of the Mississippi.

From Kentucky.

ATTACK BY GUERRILLAS.

3 of Our Men Killed and 42 Horses Captured. McCook's Loss in His Late Raid not over 500.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 9. This morning twenty guerrillas attacked a party of men under W. B. Lamond, who were bringing sixty horses to Gallatin from Salt River road, five miles from West Point. The guerrillas killed three of our men and captured forty-two of the horses.

The Nashville Union has official authority that the loss in McCook's raid will not exceed 500. J. Walker Taylor, purporting to be a bearer of dispatches, was stopped near Albany last night, bearing a letter from Col. A. R. Johnson's headquarters of Confederate forces in Union county, to Gen. Burbridge, asking if he can consider the shooting of Confederates in Henderson as in accordance with his order regarding guerrillas, and deputizing Major Taylor to confer with him on the subject.

Gen. Emory directed Col. Fairleigh to write to Col. Johnson, refusing to recognize Maj. Taylor, as Johnson was in Kentucky, a State not within the Confederate lines, and in command of a small force, composed chiefly of irresponsible persons, and as he was acting without any authority known to Gen. Emory, he could not officially transmit his message to Gen. Burbridge, and refused further intercourse. As Maj. Taylor claimed to be a Confederate soldier, he would send him info. the Confederate lines.

Sixty guerrillas were encamped at Garrettsville last night. THE RETREAT OF THE INVADERS. THEIR COMPLETE ROUT BY AVERILL. LARGE CAPTURE OF PRISONERS AND ARMS. Capture and Escape of General Johnson.

GEN. AVERILL'S VICTORY—CAPTURE AND ESCAPE OF JOHNSON.—NARROW ESCAPE OF M'CAUSLAND. WASHINGTON, August 9. The Star says that the authorities here have the most gratifying information of the victory obtained by General Averill, on Sunday last, at Moorefield, West Virginia, over the rebel forces under Generals M'Cauley and Johnson, that recently burned Chambersburg.

Averill overtook them at Moorefield, attacked and utterly routed them, capturing between five and six hundred prisoners, including Gen. Johnson, who subsequently escaped, and his whole staff, with their headquarters colors. He also took all the rebel artillery, trains and colors, and a large quantity of small arms.

McCauley himself barely escaped by flying into the mountains. Averill pursued the scattered remnant of the rebel force for twenty-five miles, capturing many of the fugitives. His entire loss in killed is seven men. So the Chambersburg raiders have thus "early" come to grief. The pursuit was only abandoned when Averill's horses were too exhausted to follow the enemy further in the mountains.

A SKIRMISH NEAR ALDIE.—THIRTY-FIVE REBEL WAGONS CAPTURED. WASHINGTON, August 9.—On Sunday a rebel train, under the charge of one of the Kinloch brothers, was met beyond Aldie, in Loudoun county, Virginia. The rebels had detached some of their wagons laden with plunder.

For Europe. The steamship Scotia, which sailed to-day, took out \$59,000 in gold. NEW YORK, Aug. 10.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROVOST MARRIALL'S OFFICE. 14th DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA. HARRISBURG, Aug. 1, 1864. The Board of Enrollment. Of this District is now engaged in revising and correcting the lists of persons enrolled as liable to do military duty.

ALLENAGE. NON-RESIDENCE. UNSUBMITTIVENESS OF AGE. UNFITNESS PERMANENT PHYSICAL DISABILITY. OF HAVING SERVED TWO YEARS IN THE PRESENT WAR. SHOULD PROMPTLY APPEAR BEFORE THE BOARD, prove the same and have their names stricken from the list.

WINNER'S PERFECT GUIDES TO THE USE OF EVERY MUSICAL INSTRUMENT. Winner's Perfect Guide for the Violin, 60 cents. Winner's Perfect Guide for the Flute, 60 cents.

FIFTY VOLUNTEERS WANTED! FOR ONE YEAR'S SERVICE! TO fill the quota of the Third ward of the city of Harrisburg. Volunteers credited to the ward will be paid as follows:

WARD BOUNTY, cash.....\$200 Government bounty.....100 Premium.....100 Total bounty.....\$400 PAY PER MONTH, \$16. TERM OF SERVICE, ONE YEAR.

GOOD NEWS! TO THE CITIZENS OF HARRISBURG. REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF BREAD. The undersigned, Practical Baker, of the Sixth ward, Harrisburg, Broad street, between Second and Third, respectfully informs the public, that he has reduced the price of his bread, and that he will sell it at the following rates, thrives as large as those of any other baker in the city.

DRIFT!! PHILADELPHIA GUARDS!! COL. A. L. ROUMFORD. \$500 BOUNTY! For one year's service only. Men mustered immediately and paid cash down \$400.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CERTAIN MONEY IN THE TREASURY TO BE APPLIED TO THE PAYMENT OF THE PURCHASE MONEY OF THE GOOD WILL ENGINE. Section 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the city of Harrisburg, That said council are hereby authorized to apply the money heretofore for the erection of a Good Will Engine, to the purchase of the Good Will Engine.

AN ORDINANCE TO PREVENT BLOWING OFF IN CERTAIN PARTS OF THE CITY. Section 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the city of Harrisburg, That it shall not be lawful for any person, firm or corporation, to erect or place any engine on any of the streets of the city, to open or allow to be opened the cylinder cocks of the engines so as to let steam or water escape, under a penalty of not less than one nor more than five dollars for every offense, to be recovered as after penalties are by law recovered.

WANTED. A WHITE GIRL, who understands the duties of housekeeping. Apply at No. 5 Locust street, near Front. W. O. HICKOK, aug-10

WANTED. SEVERAL Iron Moulders and Wood Workers at the Eagle Works W. O. HICKOK, aug-10

LOST. ON the night of the 27th of July, 1864, in the cars from Baltimore to Harrisburg, or in the cars from those cars to the cars for Pittsburg, a small will be liberally rewarded by leaving the Ring at this office, and will also confer a great favor upon his owner. W. O. HICKOK, aug-10

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-10

A RARE CHANCE FOR SPECULATION. FOR SALE. THREE THOUSAND CAVALRY SADDLES at such rates as will give parties wishing to invest a rare chance to make money. The Saddles must be sold in satisfactory quantities. Samples furnished and all warranted equal to samples. For full particulars address: G. R. KEEFER, aug-10 P. O. Box 87, Reading, Penna.

CROSBY & BLACKWELL'S ENGLISH PICKLES, a rare article for table use, just received and for sale by REIBER & FRAGER, (successors to Wm. Dock, Jr., & Co.) aug-10