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LETTER FROM WASHINGTON.

From Our Own Correspondent.
WASHINGTON, August 11, 1861.

The Secretary of the Treasury, and the Secretary of the Interior are both away. The first is in New York, and the other at Saratoga. Mr. Harrington takes the place of Mr. Chase, and sits at Cabinet councils. W. H. Smith presides in the Interior Department. Potter has had Harrington's case under examination in the Committee of which he is chairman. I cannot believe that the charges made against him either of present or former sympathy with the traitors, have any good foundation. But these are times when you doubt with impunity anybody almost.

On Saturday last, Potter received a long letter from a man in Baltimore, very precisely and circumstantially written and signed with his true name, and the number of his residence, in which he denounces a lieutenant from Virginia, now in service on the Potomac. The writer declares that this lieutenant is secretly leagued with men in rebellion, and retains his position in order that he may more effectually aid them. That it is, says the informer, that constantly from Maryland, all along the shores of the Chesapeake, provisions and arms, and soldiers are constantly passing into Virginia, and all communications necessary to the success of Secessionists are permitted to pass. I have already told you how Mrs. Hart was left to pass the guard to her truant husband, and this is but one of many cases.

Even those who would be most vigilant and faithful to the flag, are deceived by the devilish ingenuity of the traitors and their equally guilty wives or paramours. Miss Dix was so deceived, and through her a couple of "secessioners" of the feminine order got into Maryland last week.

I place no confidence in the reports I read of what Prince Napoleon is said to report he saw in the rebel camp. All whom I have seen here who have conversed with him agree in declaring that he is absolutely silent on what he saw and heard. The sensation press put words into his mouth that I do not believe were ever there before.

The result of the election in Kentucky has exercised a most salutary influence in that State. The sentiment of the people is now well known now to leave the matter in doubt. The consequence is that offers of sixty troops are made from that State, and a good many trembling sighs have taken fresh courage there. Hon. Green Adams, Sixth Auditor of the Treasury, who has always been and is now an out-spoken Union man of the Holt school, is now in Kentucky stirring up his fellow citizens to take arms in defence of the Union and cause playing the secession game under the name of neutrality.

An accident, which came near being fatal, occurred on Friday to Henry Stanbery, member of the 9th Regiment, and a citizen of Penn township, Allegheny county. He had some of his comrades were out on a scouting expedition. Three or four of them met and sat down to rest under a shady tree, stacking their arms. The stack upset and one of the guns exploded, the bullet striking the barrel of another, just in front of Stanbery's face. The barrel struck, was flattened and bent out of all shape and use. The powder flashed into Stanbery's face burning it badly. His thumb was also badly wounded in some way by the explosion. He is in the hospital and doing well.

The form of an oath which I have seen, has been prepared, and will shortly be administered, which will serve to weed out all who are inclined to be disloyal. This, however, is not enough. There are a thousand eyes watching them here. The demands of the people of the loyal States that all doubtful characters shall be driven forth of this city, are beginning to be observed. LUDO PICUS.

LATEST FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, August 12, 1861.

The Detection of Rebels.

Congressman Potter's Rebel Detective Committee is still in session. It has a list of 150 whom are unexamined. About 175 Department Clerks have been removed on its representations. The Secretaries unhesitatingly remove all they report disloyal. The President is anxious to have the Departments purified. The Committee receives no extra pay for this extra labor.

The Supply of Sharp's Rifles.

Sharp's rifle factory is now being operated night and day for the Government, and is turning out fifteen hundred rifles per week. The fact is mentioned as one of some significance that the Spanish Government has recently offered to contract for the manufacture of one hundred thousand stand of these weapons, with sabre bayonets, and fifty thousand carbines. Our Government, however, very properly declines to allow any of these weapons to leave the country, at a time when they are all wanted here.

The Pirate Sumter.

The Navy Department has advices of the return of the pirate Sumter to New Orleans, through Atchafalaya Bay. The Jeff. Davis is the only rebel war vessel known officially to be on the ocean, as the Department is not apprised of the escape of the McRae. Fast steamers are on the way to make the blockade of New Orleans effectual. Four pirates have been disposed of---the Savannah captured, the Petrel shelled and sunk, the York beached and burned, and an unknown vessel driven ashore by the transport Rhode Island. Of the last exploit there are no official advices.

The Rebels on the Potomac.

A gentleman who went down the Potomac one night last week told me that during the passage the progress of the steamer was signalled by lights, pedestrally sent up about three miles in advance. The rebels have doubtless arranged this system of giving notice of the approach of Government vessels, so as to warn their rebel friends of danger in attempting to cross the river, and so enabling them to keep out of the way. There is no doubt that the rebels of the Southern States and those of Maryland keep up a continuous intercourse all across the Potomac River, and that large numbers of letters and papers and the like are thus by this means carried. William and every night. The Government has been making attempts to put a stop to this traffic, but without much success. The fact is, the means thus far used are about as effectual to success as the old woman's mop to sweeping back the ocean.

Arrest of Spies.

J. H. Lindaberger, late of California, was yesterday arrested at Port Tobacco, near this city, *en route* for "Dixie." He is doubtless a spy, and was arrested at the instance of Secretary Seward.

A man named Abe W. Flowers, formerly in office here, has been caught in an attempt to convey important information to the rebels. He was arrested on the river some miles below Alexandria, as he was about to start for Richmond. He protested that he was on a simple fishing excursion. He is held for examination by General Mansfield.

General Anderson.

Brigadier-General Anderson, of Sumter fame, arrived in this city to-night from the mountains of Pennsylvania, where he has been spending some time for the benefit of his health. Informal ovations greeted him at nearly every station on the route. The General is here on government business.

Baltimore Treason.

The Baltimore secession journals publish Secretary Cameron's letter to General Butler in relation to the detention of fugitive slaves, in a mutilated form for circulation at the South.

Brigadier-General Cooper.

Hon. James Cooper, now of Maryland, but formerly senator from Pennsylvania, was today commissioned a brigadier-general in the volunteer service.

The Navy Department have sixty vessels under construction and fitting out for blockading purposes. In less than a month it is expected that most of them will be in commission.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Fox, has returned from the North, whither he went on business connected with the department.

So far, about seventy vessels have been purchased, thirty chartered, or a larger number of ships than previously composed the navy. They are generally of light draught, intended rather for coast than for sea purposes, much attention having been paid to swiftness in the selection.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.---Capt. Fox, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, reports that during his recent trip to the North he engaged one hundred vessels for the use of the Department, and that they will be employed in the enforcement of the revenue laws. The Navy Department is sanguine of its ability to enforce the recent law of Congress for the closing of the rebel ports, as the most efficient manner.

The rebel Congress has passed an act for the imprisonment or expulsion of all Union men.

The Treasury Department is about to issue an order to the effect that no government creditor shall be obliged to receive Treasury notes in payment of sums due him.

Recent advices from the South state that the demoralization in the rebel army is great, in consequence of the saddest commissariat and no pay.---*N. Y. Evening Post.*

From Missouri.

We are without our Western mails. The following we had in our New York papers. It is not so late as our dispatches from St. Louis, but it has not before been published here:

FRANKLIN, Mo., Monday, Aug. 12.

A Messenger from Springfield to Colonel Wyman arrived at Rolla at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. He reports the advance guard of Gen. Lyon met the advance guard of the enemy on Thursday, and an engagement ensued, which resulted in driving the rebels into the woods. The loss on either side, if any, is not stated. Our cavalry had taken up a position on the north side of the Little Rock road with a design of drawing out the enemy. Two companies of cavalry went out at 2 o'clock on Thursday night, and secured four prisoners, twenty head of cattle and four horses. Gen. Lyon was trying to draw the rebels into battle.

FRANKLIN, Mo., Monday, August 12.---From Mr. Wells, the messenger from Springfield to Col. Wyman, we learn the following additional items of news from that point:

The time of the First Iowa Regiment expires on Thursday, but they are determined to remain with Gen. Lyon until the issue is decided to their quarrel.

According to information received from prisoners, deserters and scouts, the forces of the enemy number about 21,000. Their main body is still encamped on Wilson's Creek, but their advanced guard of cavalry is posted four or five miles nearer. Various estimates have been made by Gen. Lyon to draw their cavalry into an engagement, but without success. It is thought by some that the rebels are waiting reinforcements from Arkansas. Gen. Lyon has no fortifications or intrenchments, but is abundantly supplied with ammunition and provisions, and the people in Springfield is employed day and night making cartridges, &c. Nearly all the women and children have been sent out of the place.

SPRINGFIELD CITY, Monday, Aug. 12.---Major Moore, with a detachment of the Irish Brigade, arrived this evening from Syracuse, bringing in 22 prisoners, captured in Georgetown, Heaths' Creek, and in the adjacent county. Most of them were taken with arms in their hands or their way to join Magoffin. The forces here will from here have been unable to find either Boon's or Magoffin's camp. The country is swarming with guerillas, who appear to be emboldened by the news received from the South.

Garibaldi.

The New York papers will not agree with each other or themselves for two days together about Garibaldi. The *Times'* Washington correspondent says:

"The statement that Garibaldi has tendered his services to this Government through the State or any department, has no foundation in truth."

The *Herald* says:

"GARIBALDI'S VISIT TO THIS COUNTRY.---Several weeks ago one of our Consular agents abroad expressed the opinion that Garibaldi would visit this country, and commend a column of our Union forces, if the present crisis of the Government would indicate that his services were needed. These being no official information on the subject, of course the President could take no official action; but it is understood that he has taken measures to ascertain the views of General Garibaldi on the subject, and to ascertain whether he would accept a command if offered to him, and if so, has authorized parties to express to him the great gratification it would afford the President to witness his return to the United States, and to see him at the head of a column of our troops. It will be some time before a response will be received to the President's inquiry."

The *Tribune* says:

"A letter from Minister Fogg states that Garibaldi said to him---'If your war is for Freedom, I am with you, with 20,000 men.'"

The Privateer Sumter Heard From.

Capt. Bonham, of the brig Sea Forth, arrived to-day, fifteen days out, that the privateer Sumter arrived off Curacoa on the night of the 17th of July, and fired a gun for the fort, but the people of the fort, not knowing her national flag, would not allow her to come to until the Governor had been consulted. The Sumter then sent an officer with an armed crew ashore, to talk with that official as to coming into port, to coal up and refit, which the Governor allowed, against the protest of the United States Consul.

She lay at Curacoa for eight days, and during the time the crew had their liberty ashore, and as Capt. B. says, "raised the devil generally." The Captain of the Sumter said he was very sorry he had not arrived three days sooner, as he would be able to handle about fifty of which Capt. B. had a cargo, and had only arrived the day previous. Capt. B. was detained four days, waiting the departure of the Sumter, which took place on the 24th. He saw no privateers or suspicious vessels on the passage home.---*N. Y. Trib.*

The Navy Department may do its best to make the embargo of the southern ports effective, it may gather such a force about the great harbors as to seal them hermetically against ingress or egress, and so accomplish the main purpose for which the embargo was laid, but we shall never shut up all the little pirate rat-holes by this means, till there is a cordon of vessels each with the maintops of its two next neighbors in sight, from the Chesapeake to the Rio Grande.

A cheaper way to do the business is to civil old hulks of brigs and schooners, stem and stern, across the principal shallow inlets and petty harbors of the southern coast. The Navy Department would find its choice of vessels less difficult in looking for sinking qualities instead of sailing qualities, and foreign powers would not find it easy to raise the blockade.---*N. Y. World.*

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