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LATEST FROM THE SEAT OF WAR.

WASHINGTON, August 21, 1861.

The New York Regiments.

Good influences from the State of New York are at work among the regiments disaffected by lawyers and Democratic politicians, in regard to their alleged "three months enlistment." These influences were more necessary than the friends of the misguided troops dream of. Dry Tortugas may soon cease to be the punishment of mutiny, and the painful necessity of shooting the criminals forced on the Government. The aim of the Government is long, too. It can reach conspirators against the army, whether they are in Buffalo or in Maine.

Gen Rosecrans' Command.

The War Department received this evening a telegraphic dispatch from Gen. Rosecrans, giving the gratifying intelligence that he and his command are all right, and that if they should happen to meet with Lee or Loring he will exact Rich Mountain and Carrick's ford over again, and with like results. The command is in fine condition, and eager to drive the rebels out of Western Virginia once more.

Our Army in Missouri.

Letters from Gen. Fremont to the Government, express, in strong terms, disapprobation at the tardiness with which reinforcements are sent forward. Gen. Lyon faced the enemy, fought, and fell in despair; and what is left of his gallant little army is still without reinforcements.

The Potomac not Fordable.

Though the river has fallen considerably since the setting in of fair weather, it is not yet fordable, and will not be for some days. There is no danger of the rebels crossing unless they are supplied with boats.

More Insubordination.

Just as the clemency of Government had been successfully invoked in behalf of the 21 Maine men and the mutineers of the 79th, the fine Buffalo Regiment must, by an act of mischievous folly, take mercy to mutiny no longer possible. Last night 40 of the New York 21st, stationed at Fort Runyon, were taken to the yard, with an order from Gen. McDowell, accompanying the list of names, consigning them to the Dry Tortugas for labor on military works.

The Union Men of Kentucky Awake.

We learn by private advices from Kentucky that Union men are rapidly receiving arms, and organizing. For five regiments are ready, and it is believed that in a few days 50,000 loyal citizens of Kentucky and Eastern Tennessee, from which hundreds of fugitives are prepared to fight their way back, will be in line. The Secessionists, which meets on Monday week, will probably put an end to the pretended doctrine of neutrality, in respect of which the people are far in advance of their leaders, by declaring the right of the General Government to march troops through the State, and by deposing Magoffin, and inviting Breckinridge and Powell to resign.

Alarm among the Rebels.

The rebels have evidently taken alarm at something they have discovered. After cautiously moving forward to the immediate proximity of our lines, they have suddenly, and with a haste equal to that of our troops retreating from Bull Run; left even the sick and wounded behind and withdrawn their lines to behind Fairfax Court House. This cannot be a feint. It is nothing more nor less than a panic without a gun being fired or a movement made on our side.

The Safety of Washington---An Advance to Richmond.

It is perhaps true that a rise in the Potomac from the recent rains saved Washington from an assault at all points by the combined forces of the rebels at a critical moment; but the opportunity for preparation has been improved, and additional forces are needed here to protect the rear while the now well disciplined and organized army of General McClellan proceeds to do its duty. The advance, when made, will not probably be by way of Manassas Junction, and the rebel Generals seem to have become aware of this fact. They have evidently abandoned the idea of attacking Washington, and are anxious now to take care of themselves. They have evidently withdrawn their advance and fallen back in the direction of Centreville. They evidently anticipate an immediate attack; but owing to the consummate skill with which General McClellan has directed the movements and preparations on our side, the first intimation the rebels are at a loss to know at what point their position is to be assailed. If the reinforcements called for arrive in time, the next startling news given to the country may be that Richmond is in our possession, and the whole rebel army of Virginia cut off.

Sickness at Manassas.

Information from secession sources states that much sickness prevails at Manassas among the rebel troops. There is some small-pox, though not so much as has been reported in Northern papers. Measles and malarious fevers are very prevalent, and in some companies over half the members are on the sick list.

Another Brigadier General.

Major W. S. Barry, Chief of Artillery in General McClellan's staff, was to-day appointed Brigadier General of Volunteers.

Insurrection in Virginia.

I learn from a source entitled to credit that a formidable insurrection occurred among the slaves in Orange county, ten days since, set on foot by a negro preacher. Several negroes were hung for having taken part in the movement. There are very few whites left in that county, nearly all having been drafted into the military service of the State.

The Rebels Falling Back.

The *Star*, of this city, says it has positive information that Beauregard withdrew his forces last night to a mile in the rear of Fairfax Court House, owing, as the *Star* alleges, to a fright caused by a supposed advance of the Union troops.

Mounted Rangers.

The Department has accepted a regiment of mounted rangers, to be raised in Colorado Territory, which has been tendered by Judge Pettis, of that Territory.

The Rebel Army.

James Rogers, one of the deserters from the rebel ranks, a member of the Polish Legion, says that when his regiment left New Orleans, there was not another regiment remaining in the city, and that it was almost impossible to obtain recruits, though the most active efforts were making to do so.

The Plans of the Rebels.

Information has been received at headquarters to the effect that the recent rains had entirely broken up the plans of the rebels for a movement upon the city, by their having so swollen the Potomac as to make it unfordable. There is now no point between Georgetown and Harper's Ferry where the river can be forded.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Twenty-three rebel prisoners, among whom are a colonel and a captain, have been released by order of the War Department, because they professed Union sentiments. They were captured by our forces at the battle of Phillippa. Considerable dissatisfaction at their release is expressed here.

Deserters from the rebel army state that nearly all of the enemy's troops have been moved up from Richmond to Manassas Junction, and that much sickness and discontent prevailed among the men.

It is understood that Mayor Berret, of this city, will resign his place in the new Police Board rather than take the oath of allegiance.

Gen. Anderson leaves this city to-day to assume the command of the United States forces in Kentucky.

Under the new orders of the War Department, our army will soon be completely uniformed in blue.

THE SIXTY-NINTH REGIMENT decided, last night, to volunteer for the war, and to go out under command of Lieutenant Colonel Negley. It is probable that Captain Thomas Francis Meagher will accompany them.---*New York Tribune, 22d.*

Affairs in Mexico.

We publish this morning a very important letter from our correspondent in the City of Mexico. It announces that England, France and Spain have simultaneously closed their relations with the Mexican Government, and withdrawn their ministers, on the ground---which may or may not be more than a pretext ---that the Government has, in its financial extremity, suspended for two years payment of its public debt.

In December last, the Liberal Party of Mexico, with Juarez at its head, and fighting for civil and religious liberty, achieved a decisive victory over its great enemy, the Party of the Church. The real friends of constitutional freedom---such as understood the nature of the struggle in Mexico---rejoiced, and high hopes were entertained that the Mexican Republic was about to start upon a peaceful and prosperous career. These hopes, though not destroyed, have been for the moment frustrated.

When the victorious constitutional government became installed in power in the City of Mexico, it held no relation with foreign Powers. The United States had acknowledged that government, but at the period mentioned we had no Minister in the country. The representatives of European Powers resident in Mexico, had not only recognized the Government of the Church Party, but they had been its active and open partizans. This co-operation of the foreign representatives in Mexico with the enemies of the Liberal Party did not cease until some time since, that party came into power. The Spanish Minister, Senor Pacheco, never relaxed his violent opposition to the Constitutional Government. He was expelled from the country. English, French and Prussian Ministers eventually recognized the victorious and duly installed constitutional Government. But upon the heels of this recognition came claims for old debts due their respective citizens, and for damages to an enormous amount, inflicted by the very Government whose sole crime is to be a Government, and whose sole strength while it did exist rested upon the support of these same foreign Ministers. It was in vain that the constitutional Government represented that the country had just emerged from a civil war, which had prostrated its industry, depleted the treasury, and dried up the sources of the revenue. It was in vain that Government begged for time to establish order and put the wheels of industry, trade and commerce in motion, and thus enable them to liquidate their debts. With their hands on the throats of those who compose the distressed and patriotic Government in the City of Mexico, these foreign mercenaries have persistently demanded payment without a moment's delay.

Taking advantage of this state of affairs in the capital of the Republic, the *debris* of the Church party, in large and small bodies, have been plundering and murdering in various sections of the country. Mexico has thus been harassed, and kept in a state of complete disorganization of her foreign and domestic enemies, for a number yet powerful for mischief. To her natural friend and ally, the United States, she could look for no assistance. There was no treaty between the two countries upon which to base any reciprocal friendly action. No facilities for direct mail communication even existed. We only sent a Minister to that country to sit with folded hands and look upon its troubles, and contemplate the arts of foreign diplomacy in turning them to their own advantage and to our injury.

What is to result from this state of things it would be idle to conjecture. We have rumors from Washington, which it is necessary, however, to receive with caution, that the three European Powers have taken this step without any reference to the affairs of the United States---and that they intend to purchase from Mexico for their own benefit immunity from conquest, at the price of recognising the Southern Confederacy. If these rumors should prove true, we shall soon have opened another and more serious chapter of our national history. For the present, however, we forbear speculation upon them.---*N. Y. Times.*

Extraordinary Fall of Rain---Two Women Drowned.

Yesterday, another of those unfortunate visitations which promise to make the year of grace eighteen hundred and sixty-one memorable in the calendar of history, came over our city. About one o'clock in the afternoon, a sudden flash of preternatural heat was succeeded by what at first appeared to be only a copious shower, but which rapidly gathered strength and violence, until it seemed as if the windows of heaven had again been opened, and that a second deluge was to be poured out upon the earth, that it might be once more washed and cleansed from the accumulated sins of ages, as it was in the days of Noah.

The heavy masses of water which came tumbling and splashing down the hill sides, like so many cataracts, baring before them not only the loose earth *Ahrin* had there accumulated, but even those large stones and rocks with which smaller rains had choked up the water courses and turned the waters from their natural outlets through the ravines and creeks to other more picturesque and dangerous channels. The streets rapidly overflowed, and street-railroad horses floundered belly deep, where an hour before they trotted over dry stones; while their passengers clambered with undignified grace upon the car seats, that they might escape the waters that submerged the floors.

As the current of waters came coursing down Race and Parallel streets, it picked the bowlders from the pavement and washed away the earth a yard deep in large patches. The Miami canal, unable to carry off the torrents that rolled down the hill sides, overflowed its banks to the terror of the surrounding inhabitants, who fled from the rising waters as from a pestilence. At Dear Creek, the scene was terrific. Mothers rushed from their dwellings to dry ground with their infants in their arms, and returned to find their second-floor struggling amidst the rising torrents. Houses were lifted from their foundations and set down in places where they had not been. We are not romancing when we say that such a scene of fright and alarm as was yesterday displayed at the head of Court street has not been seen in this city since the days of Fort Washington; nor, not even when the great tornado swept over us like an angel of wrath.

Mrs. F. M. Bratzer went into the cellar of her house, on Hamilton road, near Elm, to remove some property, and was drowned by the sudden rushing in of the water. She leaves seven children.

It is reported that a woman and two children were swept away in Storrs township, while trying to save their hogs.---*Cin. Com.*

Mounted Rangers.

The Secretary of War has accepted a regiment of mounted rangers, to be raised in Colorado Territory, which has been tendered by Judge Pettis, of that Territory.

The Rebel Army.

The rebels have apparently taken alarm at something they have discovered. After cautiously moving forward to the immediate proximity of our lines, they have suddenly, and with a haste equal to that of our troops retreating from Bull Run; left even the sick and wounded behind and withdrawn their lines to behind Fairfax Court House. This cannot be a feint. It is nothing more nor less than a panic without a gun being fired or a movement made on our side.

The Safety of Washington---An Advance to Richmond.

It is perhaps true that a rise in the Potomac from the recent rains saved Washington from an assault at all points by the combined forces of the rebels at a critical moment; but the opportunity for preparation has been improved, and additional forces are needed here to protect the rear while the now well disciplined and organized army of General McClellan proceeds to do its duty. The advance, when made, will not probably be by way of Manassas Junction, and the rebel Generals seem to have become aware of this fact. They have evidently abandoned the idea of attacking Washington, and are anxious now to take care of themselves. They have evidently withdrawn their advance and fallen back in the direction of Centreville. They evidently anticipate an immediate attack; but owing to the consummate skill with which General McClellan has directed the movements and preparations on our side, the first intimation the rebels are at a loss to know at what point their position is to be assailed. If the reinforcements called for arrive in time, the next startling news given to the country may be that Richmond is in our possession, and the whole rebel army of Virginia cut off.

Sickness at Manassas.

Information from secession sources states that much sickness prevails at Manassas among the rebel troops. There is some small-pox, though not so much as has been reported in Northern papers. Measles and malarious fevers are very prevalent, and in some companies over half the members are on the sick list.

Another Brigadier General.

Major W. S. Barry, Chief of Artillery in General McClellan's staff, was to-day appointed Brigadier General of Volunteers.

Insurrection in Virginia.

I learn from a source entitled to credit that a formidable insurrection occurred among the slaves in Orange county, ten days since, set on foot by a negro preacher. Several negroes were hung for having taken part in the movement. There are very few whites left in that county, nearly all having been drafted into the military service of the State.

The Rebels Falling Back.

The *Star*, of this city, says it has positive information that Beauregard withdrew his forces last night to a mile in the rear of Fairfax Court House, owing, as the *Star* alleges, to a fright caused by a supposed advance of the Union troops.

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James Rogers, one of the deserters from the rebel ranks, a member of the Polish Legion, says that when his regiment left New Orleans, there was not another regiment remaining in the city, and that it was almost impossible to obtain recruits, though the most active efforts were making to do so.

The Plans of the Rebels.

Information has been received at headquarters to the effect that the recent rains had entirely broken up the plans of the rebels for a movement upon the city, by their having so swollen the Potomac as to make it unfordable. There is now no point between Georgetown and Harper's Ferry where the river can be forded.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Twenty-three rebel prisoners, among whom are a colonel and a captain, have been released by order of the War Department, because they professed Union sentiments. They were captured by our forces at the battle of Phillippa. Considerable dissatisfaction at their release is expressed here.

Deserters from the rebel army state that nearly all of the enemy's troops have been moved up from Richmond to Manassas Junction, and that much sickness and discontent prevailed among the men.

It is understood that Mayor Berret, of this city, will resign his place in the new Police Board rather than take the oath of allegiance.

Gen. Anderson leaves this city to-day to assume the command of the United States forces in Kentucky.

Under the new orders of the War Department, our army will soon be completely uniformed in blue.

THE SIXTY-NINTH REGIMENT decided, last night, to volunteer for the war, and to go out under command of Lieutenant Colonel Negley. It is probable that Captain Thomas Francis Meagher will accompany them.---*New York Tribune, 22d.*

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