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LATEST FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31, 1861.

News from Centreville.

Yesterday Gen. Butterfield dispatched Brigade Quartermaster Norton with ten wagons and an escort of the New York Forty-Fourth to Shreve's Farm, four miles north-west of Falls Church, and west of the Leesburg Pike, to obtain forage. A short distance north of Falls Church they captured a rebel picket, who had left his post to forage for whisky. Capt. Norton at once sent him to head-quarters, though he learned from the prisoner that the rebel pickets were stationed not far back of Shreve's place. Capt. Norton judiciously posted his men to repel an attack, but he successfully accomplished the purpose of his expedition without encountering rebel pickets.

The prisoner's name is C. R. Ball, a private of Company E, Capt Revers, Sixth Regiment Louisiana Volunteers, commanded by Colonel Seymour, editor of the New Orleans *Commercial Bulletin*. The regiment is a part of Gen. Walker's Louisiana Brigade. He states that around Centreville is one continuous camp of Confederate troops, including sixty thousand Virginians, under Gustavus W. Smith, and an equal number of North Carolinians, South Carolinians, Georgians, Mississippians and Louisianians, from fifteen to twenty thousand of whom are at Manassas. Beauregard was at Centreville, his headquarters being but a half mile from the village. A new regiment of cavalry from North Carolina had just arrived, well equipped. Stewart's cavalry was to the left of Centreville, Radford's to the right. Latham and Kemper's Artillery were under Smith's command. He confirms the previous advices of extensive fortifications having been constructed about Centreville, and he states that so well have the rebel commanders selected their position that they are confident that a hundred thousand men could not dislodge them. They are awaiting an attack, and were not contemplating any movement against our troops. He states that the Southern troops are well supplied with the necessaries of life, and are confident that when the battle ensues it will be decisive in favor of the Southern Confederacy, and that then they will return to their homes. He enlisted for the war, but had no idea at the time that it would continue more than three months. The troops were armed mostly with muskets, from which they shoot Minie balls with excellent success. They had some Mississippi rifles, and recently they received a quantity of Enfields. On Tuesday, his regiment came to Hunter's Mills, two miles northwest of Vienna, to do picket duty, they relieving a Virginia regiment. They had thrown out their pickets south of and towards the railroad, but as yet they have not appeared within sight of our pickets. They are to be relieved by the Seventh Louisiana.

He confirms the previous accounts of the precipitate retreat of the rebel forces at Fairfax, a fortnight since. He says that it was caused by a confident belief that the Yankees were coming upon them in full force, and that on their retreat, they burned and destroyed a large amount of property. Bell had previously been on picket in the vicinity of Hall's Hill, and was familiar with the country between Hall's and Bailey's Cross Roads. His statements, like those of all rebel deserters and prisoners, are received with much caution by the military authorities.

An Onward Movement.

Among the *on dits* on the street is one to which I am inclined to give credit, viz: that at a full and free conference of the President and cabinet and Gen. McClellan, it was determined that there should be an advance of the army of the Potomac, but at what time is of course not known.

That Forward Movement.

It must be confessed that the number of those who believe there will be no forward movement from Washington this fall is on the increase. True, there are mysterious gleings out from semi-official quarters that something is going to happen—a perfectly safe prophecy—and it is evident that troops are constantly on the move and that soldiers keep pouring into the capital. Yet from the fact that the rebels are in immense force here, that they need not fight except upon their own chosen ground, and that we, to force a battle, must move equal numbers against intrenched positions, makes the grand advance predictors pause, and emboldens more cautious people to assert that the army may as well prepare for winter quarters. It is very clear, however, that the naval expedition has a good deal to do with the plan of our generals. Should Charleston, Savannah, Mobile, or New Orleans fall, it may create a diversion of the rebel forces from here. If they should leave in any considerable numbers, the rebel army may be attacked and Manassas taken. Should the expedition fail—but it will not do even to think of such a disaster. At any rate, I think it safe to say, you will hear of the success of the expedition before you hear of the taking of Manassas.

Official Conference.

The President and the Secretary of War had a long conference to-day with Adjutant General Thomas, at the office of the latter, the purport of which has not been made public.

Adjutant-General Thomas' Report.

The indiscreet publication of the indisgreet report made by Adjutant General Thomas has caused much excitement. It is universally condemned.

Confiscation Cases from St. Louis.

A number of confiscation cases have been sent from St. Louis here, for final determination. As a matter of course, they were referred to Attorney General Bates for advisement. It is a little remarkable that no one has made application for the remission of any order confiscating chattels under the Fremont proclamation

The Lower Potomac.

It is reported that two schooners, laden with hay and other government stores, were captured by the rebels yesterday. They attempted to run the blockade. A gentleman who came up from Port Tobacco this morning, reports that the rebels occasionally fire at the men who are working on the fortifications now being thrown up by General Sickles and General Hooker. Sometimes the shot pass inland half a mile. At other times they fall short. It is believed now that communication with the rebels from the Maryland shore is entirely cut off. It appears that the rebels are strengthening their old batteries and erecting new ones all along the Virginia shore. The large body of rebels who were encamped in the vicinity of Fairfax, it is thought, have been sent down to strengthen these batteries. They, no doubt, are in dread of an attack by land and water.

Arrest of a Supposed Spy.

To-day, a person, who is supposed to be a nephew of a General in the rebel army, was arrested in this city, on the charge of furnishing information of our movements to the rebel army. He was about to leave for Port Tobacco. The person, after appealing to Gen. Porter, was committed to the Thirteenth street Jail to await further developments.

A Reconnoissance by Gen. Sickles.

A reconnoissance was made yesterday by Gen. Sickles and staff, accompanied by a squad of Indiana cavalry, along the shore of the Potomac, about forty miles from Washington, when they were fired upon by a rebel battery on the Virginia shore. One of the shots fell short, and another passed over them.

Flat-boats in the Occoquan.

There seemed to be no doubt that the rebels have a large number of flat-boats at Occoquan Creek, manufactured at Fredericksburg, designed for crossing the Potomac.

Cost of the War on Both Sides.

It is estimated that the expenses of the war for the year commencing to-morrow will be about five hundred millions for the United States and three or four hundred millions for the confederates. The naval expedition which is costing us so much, it is expected will increase the confederate expense enormously, merely for fortifications, which they are doubtlessly erecting at every vulnerable point along the Atlantic coast.

Stolen Copper from the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

It is stated that some of the large quantity of copper which was stolen from the Brooklyn navy yard last spring has found its way to Richmond, to be manufactured for percussion caps, which are in great demand in secessiondom.

Washington Society.

The female secessionists here are scarcely able to restrain expressions of their gratification at the result of the late crossing of the Potomac. You may tell who are traitors at heart by the ghoul-like satisfaction expressed in their faces ever since that fatal event. Fear of the authorities only prevents them from hurraing for Jeff. Davis in the public streets.

Col. Brown's Private Orders.

Many persons are laboring under the belief, induced by absurd newspaper gossip, that Col. Harvey Brown, at Fort Pickens, is still acting under orders from Ex-President Buchanan. Col. Brown was given private orders about the time of the Sumter affair, which allowed him the fullest latitude, except as to the time of attack upon the enemy's positions adjacent. An extended movement on his part is doubtless reserved until the naval fleet can strike simultaneously at its destination, and both fort and fleet act in concert. The stories about Col. Brown's being obliged to see batteries erected under his guns, without molesting them, are nonsense. You will probably hear from Fort Pickens soon.

The Clashing Between Regulars and Volunteers.

The members of Congress who are here are discussing the propriety of wiping out the distinction between the regulars and volunteers, by declaring the volunteers to compose the army of the United States. Unless something is done to legally obliterate the distinction now maintained, and to do away with the tyrannical rule of the regular department, the volunteer system will be utterly destroyed. As it is now, no officer, however capable or meritorious, can obtain any position or consideration with the heads of the army bureaus, and nothing is conceded to the volunteers that can possibly be withheld. For their arms, clothing, equipments, transportation, &c., the volunteers must dance attendance, day after day, upon men who openly deride and malign them, and who never treat them with decency, and never speak of them except with contempt. It is astonishing the extent to which this feeling is carried, and still more astonishing that the President and Secretary of War have permitted it to be manifested, as it has been done, and is being done daily and hourly.

Contractors for the Army.

At the ensuing session Congress will be called upon to pass a law placing army contractors upon the same footing with those who are subject to the rules of war. In this way only can the government be protected from the gross impositions which are attempted to be forced upon it.

Seizure of Lumber.

The government being in want of large quantities of lumber for the erection of barracks, etc., endeavored to purchase some from the dealers here, but the exorbitant prices demanded necessitated a seizure at fair rates. The speculators proved the weaker party.

Maryland State Election.

The State election in Maryland, to take place on Wednesday next, commands intense interest here. There is no probability of the success of the Union succeeding in the election of their ticket; but in several sections of the State, the most energetic exertions are made to secure the defeat of the Union ticket and success of the bogus Peace party.

The Third Congressional District of Pennsylvania.

Mr. John Kline is already here hard at work, and in expectation of successfully contesting the seat of Mr. John P. Verree, of the Third Congressional District of Pennsylvania. From the published report of the Committee on Elections, who took the testimony in this case, it appears that Mr. Kline had a majority of nine votes over Mr. Verree. Mr. Kline contends that if the ballot boxes of the Twelfth Ward, which were carried off, could be found, his majority would be considerably increased. It is the opinion of the politicians here that the Committee will report both in favor of Mr. Kline and Mr. Lehman, in the First District.

High Prices of Wood and Coal—Petition to the Secretary of War.

It is understood that the Government has given orders this morning that no freight belonging to private individuals can come over the Baltimore and Washington Railroad until after all the Government stores are transported. This necessary measure has caused a sudden rise in the price of wood and coal. A petition, numerously signed, has been sent to the Secretary of War, calling for his interference in the matter. The petitioners set forth that under pretence of the blockade of the Potomac the dealers and speculators in wood and coal have already raised the price of coal to $12 per ton, and of wood to $10 per cord, and they notify the public that they will soon charge from $15 to $20 for the same. They recommend the same course as was pursued in April last in regard to the extortionate prices asked for flour.

Gen. Fremont's Removal.

The following is a special dispatch from Washington to the Chicago Tribune:

No doubt that the order superseding Fremont by Hunter has gone west, as I telegraphed. Dispatches from Washington for General Hunter, which would not have been sent to a subordinate direct, passed, I understand, through St. Louis, last Sunday. Fremont may therefore have already ceased to command the Western Department. Furthermore, Adjutant General Thomas's report could not have properly been published until Fremont's removal. It is rumored to-day that Fremont has sent in his resignation. It is known outside of official circles, that the resignation of a Commander of a Department was received to-day, which was unsigned.

We have no doubt that Gen. Fremont has been removed. This was a foregone conclusion from the beginning. We have no doubt, also, that the President is actuated by motives of duty alone. We have the utmost confidence in his integrity and in his single heartedness. His responsibilities are tremendous, and he deserves and should receive the confidence of the public; and Gen. Fremont's friends should forbear harsh criticism. But when Gen. Fremont shall have the opportunity to defend himself from the published charges, the public will hold subordinates to a strict account, if it shall appear that they have been governed by improper motives.

The following, on this subject, is from the letter of "Occasional," supposed to be Mr. Forney himself, published in the Philadelphia *Press*, of Friday:

If John Charles Fremont is an earnest and self-sacrificing advocate of the war, he will anticipate the decree of the President, and gracefully retire. My hope is, that before the report of General Thomas, and the subsequent order of the Executive, reach him, he will have achieved a great victory over the rebels, which will inspire his countrymen to forgive that which is now almost universally denounced. If there is one thing that we should be able to contradict in this unprecedented struggle, it is the accusation that corruption is permitted in the expenditure of the public money for war purposes. I do not believe General Fremont to be a corrupt man; and this is the voluntary judgment of many who know him well. The report of Adjutant General Thomas shows that he is surrounded by operators and speculators, and that he has allowed himself to be used to further their plans. In all this painful affair, the President has acted with characteristic moderation and justice. Understanding the element of which General Fremont is the somewhat ostentatious representative, he has proceeded with caution in every step he has taken; and now that he has determined that no considerations of party or of personal feeling shall obstruct his action, it is to be hoped that those who claim to be the particular supporters of his policy, and the foremost champions of the war, will at least refrain from unfriendly and unkind criticisms.

From Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 31.—A misunderstanding is said to exist between Governor Curtin and Colonel Thomas A. Zeigler, which it is supposed will probably lead to the disbanding of his regiment. The Philadelphia papers frequently confound this regiment with that of Colonel Jacob Ziegler, known as the McClellan regiment. The latter has no difficulty with the Governor.

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