Pittsburgh Gazette.

FRIDAY, MORNING, AUG. 1.

CITY AFFAIRS.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, No. 55 Fifth street—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	90	82
12 " M.	106	84
6 " P. M.		83½
Barometer		29 6-10

BOUNTY FUND.—Subscription books are open at Kramer & Rahm's Banking House, Bank Block, Fifth street, where those who have not been enabled to contribute to the good cause have an opportunity of enrolling their names, &c. We hope to be able to record the subscriptions equal in amount to any other in the State.

Sick and Wounded at Annapolis.

Among the sick and wounded Pennsylvanians in the General Hospital at Annapolis, Md., are the following:

Corp J Agnew, 10th
M W Adair, 105th
J B Agnew, 10th
J A Blair, 11th
Chas Buverdeld, 11th
Jones Bingham 101st
Samuel Boyon, 9th
Wm Blanchard, 10th
James Black, 10th
J Baird, 61st
Wm Belham, 101st
Henry Brandolph, 11th
E B Cavana, 62d
John Copler, 105th
John Crooks, 63d
H Klingensmith, 11th
L Garty, 61st
W F Campbell, 105th
E Campbell, 105th
M Coleman, 9th
J B Clark, 101st
W W Davis, 103d
S J Denny, 62d
Wm Diks, 63d
A De Camp, 61st
H Doff, 101st
L J Donnelly, 62d
O Doll, 61st
Jos Kichlan, 61st
Levi Ehrenricht, 63d
Samuel Edwards, 62d
G A Hassack, 9th
J S Hunter, 9th
John Haymaker, 63d
George Irvin, 63d
J L Johnston, 101st
Jacob M Jenny, 61st—leg and breast, Pittsburgh
A Jenkins, 9th—breast Pittsburgh
Joshua Jobe, 61st
Jas A Knox, 102d
J M Kimbler, 63d
James M Kinnear, 63d, last right hand, Pittsburgh
Wm Knap, 11th
J W Keefer, 8th
G Kahn, 62d
Wm H Klug, 9th
W Koovner, 63d, fever, Allegheny co
Elias Kuncle, 105th
Capt T Kirk, 63d
Lieut W Kennedy, 63d
B S Krise, 10th
W E Kroom, 102d
Capt Logan, 105th
Geo W Lewis, 101st, knee, Allegheny co
Thos Laurence, 63d, back, Allegheny co
Saml Loy, 9th, Pittsburgh, convalescent
Jas McCullough, 63d
Isaiah Murray, 63d
Geo McCutchens, 63d
Sergt Jas M Morrow, 101st, thigh, Pittsburgh
S K Stambaugh, 63d
O B Young, 9th

Robert Karwin, 62d
I Fankst, 101st
Jas Frittinger, 61st
Geo Fincle, 9th
Abel Fisher, 62d
Wm Fulton, 61st
Wm Fairchild, 61st
Job Fisher, 101st
W Frankenline, 103d
J G Felger, 103d
Alphonso George, 63d
Wm Gordon, 1st Cavalry, residence, Pittsburgh
W H Goodrich, 10th
D Graves, 63d, Crawford co
J M Gemel, 61st
D Grants, 62d
Robert George, 62d
Chas Gaherha, 62d
J Hightbogger, 63d
B E Hudson, 10th
A Hall, 9th, fever, Pittsburgh
Christ. Henderson, 11th
W A Hadden, 105th
J G Hayes, 10th
M Hilbert, 4th, Clarion county
A Harris, 61st
H Healy, 103d
Wm Hobert, 105th
Jacob Hirst, 62d
J S Irvin, 62d
J Stewart, 10th
J Singerson, 63d, Allegheny county
Corp R H Smith, 26th Sharpsburg
O Sibble, 61st
Sergt Francis Shawt, 61st, hip, Pittsburgh
John E Scott, 103d
James Shiner, 103d
Lieut I A Leitz, 62d
T Stewart, 57th, Mercer co
G Seymour, 62d
P Sherenger, 105th
B Snowden, 105th
Sd Snell, 102d
John M Stack, 62d
Harvey Stewart, 5th, right arm, Pittsburgh
Geo H Sickles, 11th
Corp J F Stewart, 63d
Daniel Tonse, 62d, rheumatism, Pittsburgh
P Tompkins, 61st
J Thorburo, 61st
S Thompson, 85th
G H Taft, 101st
Daniel Tenny, 63d
J R Waugh, 10th
Corp Wm Vesey, 10th
Wm Wilkinson, 63d
S Warren, 101st
Saml H White, 63d
H Winn, 101st
Geo Wilie, 62d
Joseph Walford, 63d
B P Davis, 63d

DEATHS.

Sliss Blair, Co C, 101st
D J Davis, Co G, 9th
Thos Hildreth, Co D, 105th
Simon Myers, 13th

Additional Subscriptions.

In addition to the subscriptions to the Volunteer Fund already published, are the following:

Dilworth, Porter & Co.	$500
McCandless, Jamison & Co.	500
James McCulley & Co.	500
J. I. House & Co.	500
Robinson, Minis & Miller	500
Hallman, Rahm & Co.	500
Hays & Stewart	500
Wm. Semple	200
Charles McKnight	250
S. Riddle & Co.	300
Alex. Speer	100
Reymer & Bro.	100
W. & D. Reinhart	100
H. W. Oliver	100
W. M. Gormly	100
R. Robinson & Co.	100
Robert Dalzell	100
Whitmore, Wolf, Duff & Co.	200
Lippincott & Co.	250
Chess, Smyth & Co.	250
Means & Coffin	200
George B. Jones	100
Richard T. Leech, Jr.	100
James Dalzell & Son	250
R. S. Hays	250
John Graham	100
John Harper	200
E. Edmundson & Co.	100
James A. Hutchison	200
Maffitt & Old	150
Benjamin P. Bakewell	100
W. S. Haven	100
Robert Finney	100
T. B. Young & Co.	100
Thomas Moore	100
R. D. Cochran	100
Kean & Keller	100
Andrew Ackley	100
Joseph P. Haigh	100
Jared M. Brush	100
James Rees	100
J. S. Liggett & Co.	100
A. McFarland	100
Marshall & Brother	100

—Making the aggregate amount subscribed $35,700.

Defence of the Report of Committee on Claims and Accounts, on the Extension of Union Street.

Editors Gazette: In reply to the card of Mr. J. W. Riddell, reflecting on the report made to Councils, at their last meeting, by the Committee on Claims and accounts, on his bill of costs for the proposed extension of Union street, amounting to $406 51. He claims that he only receives $150. This is certainly a mistake, as shown by Mr. Riddell's own statement. It is true that his bill for services is only $150, although he did claim $250, but after a consultation with the present City Solicitor and other attorneys, he modestly consented to reduce it to the amount named, but Mr. R. forgot to explain to the public, in his card, that it was through him entirely that all the costs mentioned were imposed upon the city; that in addition to his $150 for services, he comes in again under the cloak of *costs* for $87 more, in the shape of docket fees on twenty-nine suits, unnecessarily entered by him, which was the cause of accumulating all the costs mentioned, with the exception of the Auditor's fee of $50, and $9 25 for printing.

In reply to Mr. R.'s intended sharp fling about our reflections on the "august Legislature," it is only necessary to say, as stated in the report of the Committee, that the act was passed through the Legislature for the special benefit of a passenger railway company, who desired a terminus on Fifth street, and the act provided that all the costs attending it should be assessed on the property adjoining supposed to be benefitted, but no part of the expense was to be defrayed by the city. Afterwards, the Railroad Company mentioned, concluded not to extend their line to Fifth street, and, if the representations made to the Committee are correct, Mr. Riddell, after piling up all the costs he could as City Solicitor, then proceeded to *Harrisburg*, and used his influence to have the act repealed, thereby saddling the city with the entire costs—$406, 51. Whether the same arguments were used with the Legislature that secured the repeal of the "Tonnage tax," the Committee did not endeavor to ascertain, but were unanimous in the opinion, that the whole transaction was a gross fraud on every taxpayer of the city. R.

A Good Opportunity.

Mr. E. J. Seibert, at one time an employee of this office, has obtained authority from Gov. Curtin to recruit a company for nine months. Mr. S. is a Regimental worthy young man, and persons wishing to enlist cannot do better than join his company. He has already a good many recruits, but as the time for nine months volunteers expires on the 10th inst., he is very anxious to have his roll full before that date. Being personally and intimately acquainted with Mr. Seibert, we can cheerfully commend him as a young man of good moral character and strict integrity, and well adapted for the important position he has assumed. For particulars, we refer to his advertisement, which can be found in another column.

Another Rip Van Winkle.

After a long correspondence, in which he was urged to express his views concerning the country; after attending several meetings, in which he plainly changed with his evasions; after barely escaping a vote advising him to resign his church, on account of the dissatisfaction his course had caused; after a large portion of his church had left him, because he would not, as in his letter he said he could not, pray for the success of the Government in its endeavors to suppress the rebellion—after all this, and a good deal more, Dr. Plumer comes out with the utmost gravity, and says: "I was *surprised*, when I was told that any one thought it would be proper that I should avow my principles any more publically than I had already done, in order to prevent a misunderstanding of my true position." What a remarkably gradual surprise it must have been. X.

City Mortality.

The number of deaths in this city, from July 22d, to July 29th, as reported by Dr. A. G. McCandless, physician to the Board of Health, is as follows:

Males, ...16	Adults, ...10	Total, ...23
Females, ... 7	Children, ...13	

The diseases were: Small pox, 1; diarrhoea, 4; spasms, 1; old age, 2; congestion of brain, 1; intemperance, 1; convulsions, 1; measles, 1; inflammation of bowels, 1: scarlet fever, 1; thrush, 1; cholera infantum, 2; consumption, 4.

GREEN FRUIT.—As green apples, pears, and other unwholesome fruits are beginning to make their appearance in our markets, we would recommend all who have any regard for their health, and do not wish to be taken sick with the cholera morbus, and other complaints which prevail at this season of the year, to abstain from eating this kind of fruit in large quantities. Ripe and fresh fruits are wholesome articles of diet, but nothing can be more injurious than an unguarded indulgence of the appetite manifested by some people for unripe fruit. By being care ul as to the kind and quantity of fruit used, the payment of large fees for medical attendance will be avoided.

BROKE JAIL.—On Thursday night of last week, Alexander Tyrrell, charged with arson, and Myron Griffin, charged with an attempt to commit a rape, escaped from the Venango county jail, at Franklin. It appears that they had by some means removed the irons from their legs during the day, preparatory to an attempted escape, and when the keeper entered the room to shut the prisoners in the cells for the night, they made an attack on him, extinguished his light, and rushed out. The sheriff has offered a reward of $50 for their arrest.

THE PICTORIALS.—The New York *Illustrated News*, *Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper*, and *Frank Leslie's Budget of Fun* for this week have been received, can be purchased at the periodical depot of J. W. Pittock, Fifth street, opposite the Postoffice.

FROM YESTERDAY'S EVENING GAZETTE.

War Meeting in Manchester.

A large and enthusiastic meeting was held last evening in the Borough of Manchester. The meeting was called to order by J. E. Brady, Jr., Esq., and on his motion Judge Park was chosen President; Doctor W. J. Madeira, Vice President, and A. T. Wilson, Esq., Treasurer. After the organisation of the meeting, Young's brass band discoursed some fine music.

Wm. H. Moody, Esq., being called upon, was introduced by the President. Mr. M. made a very neat and patriotic address; spoke with great earnestness, and said that he would not invite them to go, but he would ask them to *come with him*. Though his sacrifices were great, he thought his country's interest was paramount to everything else, and he would sacrifice all in order to see this distracted country once more enjoying the blessings of peace and unity. He saw with prophetic eye, that before a quarter of a century would elapse, this government would exist stronger and more united than ever, giving freedom to all mankind. He recognized a great many familiar faces before him. Being a working man himself, he had met them often in council in order to promote their welfare, and he hoped soon to meet them in the battle-field in the hour of their country's danger. Mr. Moody made a few more feeling remarks, and retired with the applause of the well-pleased listeners.

Capt. Adams, of Manchester, who is recruiting for the Howe Engineer company, was next called upon. He said these were indeed war times, and he was ready for the emergency; that this war was a war of annihilation—that the South would annihilate us if we did not annihilate them. He had with him his book for enlistments, and stated that he had the names of a great many, and he was expecting to complete his list in a few days. If God would spare him and give him strength, he would endeavor to lead them as became the sons of Pennsylvania.

Rev. J. D. Turner, Chaplain of the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry, was next called, and after explaining his position in the army, made a very eloquent and earnest speech, showing the magnitude of this rebellion, and the heinousness of it—the earnestness of the enemy, and the danger of our nation, if we would not rush to the rescue. There were no sacrifices that should not be offered for the great boon given us by our forefathers; and if we should not save what they gave us, by the baptism of blood, the shades of Washington, Jackson, Madison, Monroe and Patrick Henry, would frown upon us from their graves. He spoke very feelingly of the barbarity of the rebels towards our poor wounded in the field. He had no patience with any man who would sympathize with this rebellion, and he wanted all to be like him—for the Union, without "if," "nigger," or "no nigger." He wanted the Union or nothing, and concluded by saying that in this life we are obliged to make sacrifices, and we should not stop now in this moment of danger to make every effort in order to wrest from the enemy's grasp that part of the country possessed by them, and forming a part of our heritage. He was confident that before another year would elapse, the country would be restored to peace, and we would live once more united. His speech was full of vivid illustrations, and intense with patriotism, narrating his experience of camp life, and the suffering and privations of the brave men fighting for their country. The reverend gentleman retired amidst enthusiastic applause.

Young's brass band played the "Star Spangled Banner," after which Prof. Eaton was introduced, and read the splendid poem written by T. Buchannan Read, "Our Country's Defenders." Rev. Hess, being called upon, made a short address, and was followed by Rev. Mr. Conrad, who also made a neat and pertinent address, after which the meeting adjourned.

McAuley Guards.

This is the name of a company recruiting on Federal street, Allegheny, near the suspension bridge, by Capt. J. J. Hall and Lieut. J. Wells. The company is named in honor of one of our most patriotic and public spirited citizens, James McAuley, Esq., President of the Iron City Bank.

Capt. Hall is a soldier of experience, having served four years in the English army; he will be remembered as a popular drill-master of several of our home guard companies. Lieut. Wells is also an experienced military man, having served three months in Co. B, of the Duquesne Grays, under the late lamented Capt. Foland.

The Company opened their office last evening, and have already quite a list of recruits. We hope to see the ranks filled up speedily. No better opportunity will be offered to young men desiring to volunteer under experienced officers.

A Soldier in Trouble.

Thomas Hess, a private in the 103d Regiment, and residing in the vicinity of Kittanning, has been committed to jail by the Mayor, to answer a "further hearing" on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by John Harmon. Hess states that he was sick in the hospital, and got leave to visit his family; arriving here, he fell in with Harmon, and spent money with him drinking until he (Hess) became crazy. He was then arrested on a charge of assault and battery, and committed for a further hearing. He had a large knife, which he captured at the battle of Williamsburg, and Harmon alleges that he assaulted him with this. The wound could not have been very serious, as Harmon was at the jail to-day, offering to settle the matter for ten dollars. An effort is being made to have Hess released.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—This Court was in session to-day, but there being no cases ready for trial, it adjourned until Friday morning.

Another New Company.

An advertisement in another column announces that Mr. Wm. H. Moody intends recruiting a company *for the war*—not for nine or twelve months. He was formerly reporter of the *Commercial Journal*, and one of the publishers of the *Evening Reporter*, but has for some time been connected with the *Dispatch*. Mr. M. has many ties to bind him to home, but he conceives it to be his duty now, as it is the duty of every young man, to break these ties for a season, and hasten to the rescue of our imperiled country. He intended to enlist as a private, but upon solicitation of a number of influential working men (to which class he himself belongs) he was induced to exert his influence in raising a company. As he always enters with energy and diligence upon whatever he undertakes, we confidently predict his success. X.

Judgment Against the Mayor.

Alderman Nicholson has given judgment against Mayor Sawyer for the sum of $40, being the value of the silver mounted pistol which he took from the man Ryan, and for the recovery of which suit was instituted by Mr. Coyle, through a power of attorney. The fact of the seizure of the revolver, and his refusal to surrender it to the rightful owner, having been satisfactorily proved, the Magistrate gave judgment for the value thereof. Thus the matter ends for the present. Whether the judgment will be satisfied, or whether the case will go before a Court and jury, for further ventilation, we are not prepared to say.

Assault with a Brick.

On Monday evening, two men named Richard Davis and Thomas Parks began "skylarking" on Fourth street, when their fun turned to "earnest," and the matter ended in Parks seizing a poker and striking Davis over the head and arms. On Tuesday evening they met again on the street, when Davis seized a piece of brick and laid Parks' scalp open, above the forehead. The latter, thinking the "fun" had gone too far, entered suit for assault and battery with intent to kill, and Davis was committed to answer in default of bail. Should the matter not be settled, we presume a cross suit may grow out of the affair, as Davis exhibits more wounds than Parks.

THE BOUNTY FUND.—The Executive Committee have resolved to place books for subscription to the bounty fund, at the banking house of Messrs. Kramer & Rahm, Fifth street, and at the Mechanics Bank, Federal street, Allegheny. They give public notice to this effect, and appeal to every citizen to come forward and contribute to the extent of his *ability*, and to aid in placing our quota in the field at the earliest possible period. The Committee only ask such an amount as the donor can spare, but the Governor's rule is a very good one—"give till you *feel* that you have done something."

A WORTHY EXAMPLE.—The employees in the Fort Pitt Works, of Knap, Rudd & Co., have agreed to contribute the proceeds of one day's work in each month, for the support of the families of volunteers from the works now in the army, or who may hereafter leave the works to join the army. This will raise a large sum, several hundred dollars per month, which will be placed under the control of a committee selected by the workmen themselves, and faithfully distributed. This is a noble example, and worthy of general imitation.

SMALL CHANGE.—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: "We are gratified to learn that the near approach of the time promised for the appearance of the Stamp Currency is bringing gradually into use a much freer supply of silver change. Yesterday and the day before, we understand, there was more specie in circulation than for a fortnight previous. The stamps will soon be in use, when the change difficulty will no doubt cease. As the small silver coins are dealt in only by weight, they are worth little, if any more, than the Government notes, and as the difference daily lessens they will more and more come into circulation."

MORE SURGEONS FOR THE ARMY.—The State Medical Board is now sitting at the Medical Hall of the University of Pennsylvania. It will continue its session until Friday afternoon. During the past two days, fifty-five gentlemen passed satisfactory examinations for the post of Assistant Surgeons to the regiments from this State. Only two of these were from western counties—J. H. Roberts, of Allegheny, and Thomas B. Lastrels, of Crawford county.

INTENT TO KILL.—Caroline Turner, colored, has been committed to jail by Alderman Miller, of Allegheny, to answer a charge of assault and battery with intent to kill, on oath of Louisa Peterson. The accused alleges that Louisa Peterson struck her with a brick, and exhibited a lump on the side of her head in proof of this, and that she did in retaliation was to seize Louisa by the neck and hold on to her. The Court will settle the matter.

A MEETING of the citizens of Moon and adjoining townships will be held at Middletown, on Saturday next, at one o'clock, to assist in raising volunteers for the quota of Allegheny county. Gen. J. K. Moorhead, Rev. J. J. Marks (Chaplain of the 63d Regiment), E. H. Collier, Esq., and others, are announced to speak. Ladies are invited to lend their influence at the meeting, and help along the good cause.

ART OF DETECTING COUNTERFEIT WITHOUT AN INSTRUCTOR.—Prof. E. N. Bowes, of Indiana, the celebrated detector complier, is in our city, and has with him a neat chart, giving infallible rules for detecting counterfeit notes without an instructor. The chart, we believe, is well recommended by brokers and business men, and it is of great utility to any one handling paper money.

RETURN OF THE FAVORITES.—Carncross & Dixie's Minstrels, now on their return to Philadelphia, will give four of their entertainments in this city, commencing Monday evening, August 4th. We bespeak for them crowded houses. They will not remain longer than the time advertised, as they appear in Harrisburg on the 8th. Go and hear them.

DROWNED.—On Wednesday afternoon about four o'clock, a man named George W. Keeney, employed on board the oil flat Citizen, was drowned while making the fording at the head of Logan Eddy, about 18 miles up the Allegheny river. His body has not yet been recovered. He leaves a wife and two children.

DEAD.—The man Gaw, who fell from the railing in front of the Washington Hotel into the canal basin, where he was found early on Sunday morning, died from the effect of the injuries received, yesterday. An inquest was held by Coroner McClung, the jury returning a verdict in accordance with the facts.

LITTLE CAMBRIA.—Little Cambria has her quota of two companies nearly ready for the field. One was expected to leave for Harrisburg to-day, and sixty names were on the muster roll of the other. This makes nearly 2,000 men furnished by Cambria county since the breaking out of the war.

R. HARVEY FAIR, Orderly Sergeant of Co. B, Capt. Porter, 11th Reserves, died at Richmond on the 14th inst., of wounds received in battle. He was a very worthy and popular young man, and resided near Indiana, Pa., where he leaves a host of friends to honor his memory.

MR. JOHN W. PITTOCK, Fifth street, opposite the Postoffice, has received the London *Weekly Times*, of July 13th, in which may be found a very full report of English and European news, extending over eight pages of solid printed matter.

RECRUITING has commenced in Indiana county. Col. Altman, J. H. Benford, and S. Nicholson, are engaged in raising companies. The quota from that county, we believe, is only two companies.

DEAD.—Stacy Craig, of McKeesport, a member of Capt. Ryan's company, 63d regiment, died recently in the hospital at New York, and was buried in Cypress Hill Cemetery.

DIED:

KEEVIL—On Friday morning at 1 o'clock, MORGAN KEEVIL, only son of Mrs. Sarah A. Morgan, aged 11 years and 4 months.

WALSH—On Thursday morning, July 31st, Miss ELLEN E. WALSH, in the 19th year of her age.

Her funeral will take place on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her mother, No. 40 High street.

THE LATEST NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

OUR SPECIAL DISPATCHES.

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 31, 1862.

APPOINTMENT OF COLLECTORS AND ASSESSORS.

It is understood that a plan has been about resolved upon to adopt the new Congressional Districts, instead of those from which the present Representatives are elected, as before, for the appointment of Collectors and Assessors under the new TAX law. The first effect of this law would be to render the Secretary and President entirely independent of the recommendations by Congressmen, which have hitherto been regarded as almost equivalent to an appointment. It is said that this plan has been under consideration for some time, and although not absolutely decided upon, it is likely to be adopted. It would make Secretary Chase almost absolute in the bestowal of this immense patronage.

SUBJECT OF DRAFTING CONSIDERED.

It is understood that the Government has been considering the subject of drafting, and begins to incline strongly to adopting it. It is desired, however, that the Governors of States should take the responsibility of deciding, in their respective sections, whether it is necessary or not.

THE ADVICES FROM EUROPE.

It is known that the advices from Europe, received at the State Department this morning, are quite as peaceful as any for months past.

GENERAL MITCHEL.

Gen. Mitchel has returned to New York again. No command is known to have been assigned him yet.

THE GUNBOAT STORY NOT CREDITED AT THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

The Chicago *Times* story about the rebel gunboats built in England having run the blockade at Mobile, and opened the port, is not credited at the Navy Department. They have secret agents in Europe whose vigilance could not be so completely outwitted, besides no such gunboats could have been built save in government ship yards, and an act like that would amount to war at once.

FROM GEN. POPE'S DEPARTMENT.

Advices from Pope's Department indicate that the rebels are fortifying Gordonsville. Their strength may be estimated at any figure from 20,000 up.

Gen. Pope's forces are no longer at Warrenton, and Pope himself is energetically on the move.

PORT ROYAL SHERMAN.

Port Royal Sherman appears in this morning's *National Intelligencer* in an elaborate defense of his campaign in South Carolina. He says that the expedition was not fitted out with the intention to operate in the interior or on Charleston or Savannah, but with the sole purpose of opening the harbor for our blockading squadron. He says that if he had marched at once on Charleston or Savannah, he would have deserved dismissal from the service and a straight jacket. He concludes by saying that he still believes that his proclamation to the South Carolinians on his arrival to have been just the thing. Sherman is here, out of command, because officers of his division in Gen. Hallock's army protested against him as incompetent. No other operating for him has since appeared.

THE WHEREABOUTS OF BEAUREGARD.

To-day's Philadelphia *Press* announces that Beauregard is now certainly known to be in Selma. He is to be taken to a watering place in Alabama.

GEN. POPE.

No authority is given for Gen. Pope's departure, and his orders about the officers absent from their commands have cleared the shoulder straps out of Washington. The scarcity of brass buttons now is in amazing contrast with the situation a couple of weeks ago.

The news from Gen. Pope begins to excite great hope, and even enthusiasm, over having made a forward movement once more.

STANTON'S FURLOUGH ORDER.

Secretary Stanton's order about furloughs is considered here equal to seventy-five or one hundred thousand recruits.

ARRIVAL OF PRISONERS.

Sixty or seventy prisoners were brought in to-day, from Gen. Pope's department.

PERSONAL.

Theodore S. Fay, Minister to Switzerland, has returned here to-night.

Com. Goldsborough is in town.

"INTERNAL VIEW OF M'CLELLAN'S RETREAT."

To-day's *Independent* publishes what it calls an "Internal view of McClellan's Retreat," understood to be writen by Beecher's brother, now in the army, in which a statement is made that McClellan spent about two hours during the progress of Monday's battle on board the steamer Jacob Bell, drinking champagne.

News from the Yazoo River.

VICKSBURG, July 25.—A gentleman recently from the Yazoo River country, reports that the steamer Star of the West, captured off Galveston by the rebels, is up that river, and armed with 22 guns. She is iron plated to a considerable extent.

The J. L. Webb, a powerful ocean towboat, is also up that river, and has been plated something in the style of the Sumter. She is constructed as a ram.

They have also the tug Mobile, mounting one gun.

The Star of the West and the Webb came up from New Orleans, when that city was captured, bringing, among other recent plunder, 108 guns.

At Liverpool, sixty-five miles up the river, the rebels have an ingeniously contrived raft, which is a perfect lock against ascending boats. They also have a battery on shore at that point.

In addition to the above named vessels, there are about thirty river steamers up the Yazoo river.

A New Camp at Lancaster.

LANCASTER, July 31.—A camp was established in this city a few days ago, and Captain E. Franklin appointed its commandant, and Captain Edward McGovern was detached from the Seventy-Ninth Pennsylvania Volunteers as its military instructor. Camp equipage and uniforms for the new regiments will arrive to-morrow. About 500 men have been sworn in, and the regiment will be full in a week.

A grand war meeting will be held on Saturday next at 2 o'clock. Addresses will be delivered by Daniel Dougherty, Col. Forney, Morton McMichael, Hon. Thad. Stevens, Wm. B. Fordney, H. N. North, and other distinguished speakers.

Capt. Dollin's Cavalry Defeats the Rebels near Brownsville.

JACKSON, Tenn., July 31.—Capt. Dollins' cavalry attacked eighty rebels, yesterday, near Brownsville, capturing forty prisoners. The rebels were afterwards reinforced, and recaptured twenty-nine men and fourteen horses. The Federal loss was four killed and six wounded. The rebel loss was about the same.

Guerrillas Routed.

LEXINGTON, July 31.—Major Bracht, of the 18th Ky. Regiment, who is in pursuit of one hundred and twenty-seven guerrillas, under Corbin, overtook them at Mount Sterling, killing thirteen and capturing ninety-seven prisoners, including Corbin. Eight prisoners of the same gang were taken elsewhere, leaving nine only to escape. Major Bracht, who lost none of his men, returned to Lexington.

Arrival of the Gunboat Wyandotte.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The gunboat Wyandotte arrived at this port this morning.

Important from Washington.

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, July 31.—The absence of officers and privates from duty under various pretexts while receiving pay at great expense and burthen to the government, makes it necessary for efficient measures to be taken to enforce their return to duty, or that their places be supplied by those who will not take pay while rendering no service. This evil, moreover, tends greatly to discourage the impulse of those who would contribute to the support of families of faithful soldiers. It is therefore ordered by the President:

First. That on Monday, the 11th day of August, all leaves of absence and furloughs by whomsoever given, unless by the War Department, are revoked and absolutely annulled, and all officers capable of service are required forthwith to join their regiments, under the penalty of dismissal from service, or such penalty as a court martial may be awarded, unless their absence is occasioned by lawful cause.

Second. The only excuse allowed for the absence of officers or privates from duty after the 11th of August, are—first, the order or leave of the War Department; second, disabilities from wounds received in service; third, disability from disease that renders the party unfit for mility duty; but any officer or private whose health permits him to visit watering places, or places of amusement, or make social visits, or walk about town, city or neighborhood in which he may be, will be considered fit for military duty, and as evading duty by absence from his command or ranks.

Third—On Monday, the 18th day of August, at 10 o'clock, a. m., each regiment and corps shall be mustered. The absentees will be marked in three lists, and the same be made within forty-eight hours after muster. One copy shall be sent to the Adjutant General of the army, one to the Commander of Corps, the third to be retained, and all officers and privates, fit for duty, absent at that time shall be regarded as absent without cause; their pay will be stopped, and they will be dismissed from service or treated as deserters, unless restored; and no officer shall be restored to his rank unless by judgment of a Court of Inquiry, to be approved by the President, he shall establish that his absence was with good cause.

Fourth—Commanders of corps, divisions, brigades, regiments and detached posts shall strictly enjoin, enforce and muster as aforesaid. Any officer failing in duties herein mentioned will be deemed guilty of gross neglect of duty, and be dismissed from service.

Fifth—A Commission shall be appointed by the Secretary of War to superintend the execution of this order in the respective States. The U. S. Marshals, in their respective districts, the Mayor and Chief of Police of any town or city, the Sheriff of respective counties in such State, all Postmasters and Justices of the Peace are authorized to act as special Provost Marshals, and arrest any officer or private soldier, fit for duty, who may be found absent from his command without just cause, and conveyed to the nearest military post or department. Transportation and expenses of this duty, and $5, will be paid for officer or private so arrested and delivered. By order of the President.

(Signed) E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

The President has appointed the following named persons as Collectors and Assessors of taxes under the internal revenue law:

Oregon—Collector, Lawrence W. Coe; Assessor, Thomas Frazer.

Washington Territory—Collector, H. A. Goldsborough; Assessor, S. C. Sparks.

California—First District, San Francisco—Collector, Wm. Y. Patch; Assessor, Caleb T. Fay. Second District, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties—Collector, J. B. Murdock; Assessor, Richard Savage. Third District, Tuolumne and Calaveras counties—Collector, Jno. Sedgwick; Assessor, Thos. Campbell. Fourth District, Sacramento and Nevada counties—Collector, A. A. De Long; Assessor, J. M. Avery. Fifth District, Sonora and Yolo counties—Collector, Charles Maltby; Assessor, Wm. A. Alason.

The above are the first appointments of Collectors and Assessors made under the law.

Information has been received by the War Department of the capture of two rebel vessels, up Chipolks creek, on James river, near Claremont, by an expedition sent out by Commodore Wilkes. The schooners are named J. W. Largess, owned by a person by the name of Wm. Allen, of Claremont, and a schooner loaded with wood, master and owner, Geo. Myers. They were brought out of the creek without molestation.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Governor Tod, of Ohio, has decided that after the 15th of August he will pay no more bounties. If there shall be a deficiency of volunteers then, it will be made up by draft, without any bounty. Other Governors propose the same thing, and the Secretary of War will probably adopt it.

On Saturday, at the urgent request of the Governor of Iowa, in order to reach well-disposed traitors who are discouraging enlistments, he was authorized by the Secretary of War to make a draft whenever and wherever he should think proper.

Similar applications have been made by other Governors, and they will probably be granted.

List of Sick and Wounded Prisoners at Chesapeake General Hospital.

FORTRESS MONROE, July 31.—The following is a list of sick and wounded Union prisoners, from Richmond, admitted into the Chesapeake General Hospital, July 28, 1862.

Thos Swope, 6th Pa cavalry
Lewis Boss, do
Wm B Haywood, do
Daniel Kruss, do
Henry Blakely, do
Robert Cope, do
Chas Casey, do
J J Henderson, do
F E Jackson, do
Geo Vernon, do
D Price, do
Jos Donohoe, do
Chas Atwatter, do
Geo Bogue, 106th
J Hopkins, 103d
Geo Soulliard, 63d
M Willet, 63d
John Miller, 96th
G H Thomson, 83d
A H Fuller, 83d
D O'Brien, 61st
Thos Elliott, 81st
Sam'l Dorman, 72d.
Wm M Rest, 72d
Peter Boyce, 62d
H G Johnson, 49th
A B Carson, 7th
David Machamee, 49th
L Gilleski, 11th Res
T C Kerlaughlin, 10th Res
J Wagoner, 95th
Thos Stone, 63d
Saml Mitchell, 83d
P G Smith, 50th
Warren Brown, 93d
Saml D Marvine, 81st
Geo Tapel, 63d
Wm McCammon, 63d
Henry Henderson, 61st
H J Bannchown, 71st
Jno W Chapman, 71st
Francis Perry, 72d
Lee Bowell, 72d
John Fagan, 63d
Henry Shagle, 62d
B W Clement, 62d
A L Babcock, 57th
Geo H Sparks, 1st Rifles
L G Alexander, 7th
M O Mathews, 7th
Charles Stable, 7th
George H Burrows, 7th
L R Terbett, 7th
J Hoffolinger, 7th
A Andrew, 4th
O S Wilkman, 4th
O S Whiterman, 4th
George Larken, 2d
John Henry, 2d
B Johnson, 5th
L B Potts, 1st
Henry Miller, 1st
Henry Kelly, 1st
H McGingan, 22d
C O Young, 5th
Lewis Wapley, 6th Cav
O Haber, 6th Cavalry
L Kelley, 6th Cavalry
Wm K Gibson, 6th Cav
N Jones, 6th Cavalry
Wm. Lawrence, 1st Cav
J Wheeler, 5th U S Art'y
Corp G W Durand, 4th
Corp O H Carson, 7th
Thos Doyd, 5th Reserves
W W Wagoer, 11th do
Levi A Bowen, 7th do
T M Cartel, 5th Res—Myers, 5th
Alonzo Spiers, 11 Res
Geo A Cook, 72d
Jno W Davis, 4th
Joe Lacey, 4th
E Johnson, 4th
Michael Sullivan, 61st

Returned to service:

Wm Ewing, 100th
John Connor, 100th

Mustered out of service:

A Campbell, 9th Res
Jos Weir, 7th Res
Jos M'Auley, 7th Res
Alexn Whi e, 7th Res
HG Chubbock, 5th
Henry E Phillips, 3d
Wm G Knight, 3d
Al Rheinfield, 4th
James McGran, 2d
Wm W Weller, 2d
J Lincoln, 1st N Y
Geo O'Brien, 1st Res
G Baum, 1st Res
C D Murphy, 1st Res
John Wrindell, 1st
John Metsell, 3d
John Nevin, 10th
W G Cook, 1st
Wm D Lindsay, 61st
John Rose, 103d
Thos G Smith, 102d
L M Temple, 105th
L W Luke, 105th
Joe A Gere, 105th
John W Manners, 105th
Joe Blackley, 105d
John W Rae, 106th
E Lovecall, 106th
D L Bran, 95th
Thos Fisher, 95th
Dani Jones, 52d
F S Adams, 12th Reserves
R S McCall, 11th
H Eschbauch, 11th
T Thomas, 10th
Andrew Roy, 10th
L G Beal, 9th
Geo W Simpson, 9th
Jno Hemphillee, 9th
David Little, 10th
M Shortley, 8th
Joe Mizir, 8th
J W Mitchell, 8th
F L Colbocker, 9th
Wm Michels, 7th
M Langley, 10th
J A McNight, 7th
M Donaldson 1st U S Art'y
Ben Brown, 6th Cavalry
R S Gliffiles, 11th
George McGehey, 11th
L A James, 6th
Josiah Shawl, 8th
John Wright, 7th
Isaac Sisell, 6th Cavalry
L E Long, 6th Cavalry
F Phson, 6th Cavalry
B D Keyser, 6th Cavalry
Elias Evans, 6th Cavalry
H S Geo, 6th Cavalry
D W Quick, 6th Cavalry
E Dickerson, 6th Cavalry
Patrick Henry, 14th
William Burns, 12th
B W Stevens, 11th
Isaac Miller, 4th
L Carr, 2d
And Foley, 11th
John L Brodie, 5th
P Ford, 2d
E Handley, 6th U S Art'y
Wm Taylor, 100th
Daniel Frazer, 100th Pa.

The following is a list of sick and wounded prisoners, from Richmond, admitted into the hospital at Newport News, July 28th:

William A Sloan, 57th
William H Manger, 49th
James Wilkinson, 6th
David Page, 6th
George Kathimore, 11th
Daniel Crest, 11th
Daniel Graham, 11th
James M Hall, 57th
Wm Walker, 5th
Wm Rahley, 5th
Mich Devinger, 5th
B M Lenton, 103d
G G Gabart, 7th Reserve
Corp G W Durand, 4th
Corp O H Carson, 7th
Thos Doyd, 5th Reserves
W W Wagoer, 11