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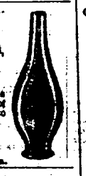

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Important from Vicksburg.

Highly interesting and important facts relating to the situation at Vicksburg at the time of its surrender, General Sherman's pursuit of Johnston, the movements of Kirby Smith, the falling of the rebel prisoners, Gen. Pemberton, Senator Brown of Mississippi, etc., etc., will be found in the following special dispatch to the Chicago *Tribune:*

MEMPHIS, via CAIRO, July 13.

The Graham is in from Memphis. The Sultana and Rath had arrived at that point from below. The *Bulletin* contains the following news:

The item in regard to the capture of 9,000 prisoners may be exaggerated, but passengers up, including officers of intelligence and good means of information, assert that Sherman has met Johnston in force variously estimated at from 35,000 to 50,000, driving his pickets on several occasions, when he had attempted to make a stand, forced him, like Dickens' little Joe, to move. Johnston has the best equipped army in the rebel dominions west of Richmond, with the exception of his heavy artillery. The evidences are that he must make a stand against Sherman, and he seems to be hesitating where to do it. But one place will suit Sherman about as well as another. He has the flower of Grant's army with him, and a base of supplies which is just as good as could be desired.

News of a conflict is hourly expected, as every mile Sherman advances in the direction he is now going more directly endangers Mobile. If Johnston is going to stop him at all, he must do it soon.

Passengers from Vicksburg also confirm the *Bulletin*'s statement of the working of the parol business with the rebels. The *Bulletin*'s account is as follows:

"Gen. Osterhaus, with 2,500 men, was reported to have occupied Jackson, Miss. Gen. Sherman was following after Johnston in the direction of Canton, and will force him to fight whenever he finds him. He is already reported to have captured between 7,000 and 9,000 of Johnston's forces. General Logan's Division occupies Vicksburg, and he is the commandant of the post. The good feeling of the inhabitants is quite perceptible, as they all feel better now that the city is in safe hands and the reign of fire is over. There has been some discrepancy about the number of Confederates captured at Vicksburg, but the official report is larger than any estimate which has yet been made. On the 15th inst., rations were issued to 32,540 Confederates. This is official, and may be relied upon. Gen. Grant captured in Vicksburg 130,000 rations of salt, 4,000 pounds of bacon, besides a quantity of beans, sugar and molasses. The bacon was cut aside as five days rations for 10,000 picked men, who were to endeavor to cut their way out. The men found it would be impossible, and the project was abandoned. On the 3d inst., the medical director of the Confederate hospitals sent word to Pemberton that the men were dying for something to eat. Pemberton immediately called a council of war, and then the negotiations for capitulation commenced. The number of guns captured is 209 pieces light, and 37 siege guns, besides arms for every man in Vicksburg, and 15,000 Enfield rifles for Kirby Smith's army. Smith's army got to the other side of Vicksburg, and was seen on the Louisiana shore, but seeing the flag of the free waving over Vicksburg, he retired in good order for parts unknown. Gunboats ply up and down the river, and he is unable to cross.

Gen. Pemberton admitted in a recent conversation that an army of 50,000 men had been used up in the effort to hold Vicksburg. He also admitted that his loss since the siege commenced was upwards of 5,000 men, a larger number than Grant lost in all his operations before the captured city. The feeling among the captured is variously manifested. Gen. Bowen, for instance, swears that he has been sold; other officers attribute their misfortune to the worst of generalship in Pemberton; others swore that Pemberton sold out to Grant, but all the privates appear delighted and are quite free in expression of their determination not to follow the Confederacy, but to return to their homes. The soldiers from Louisiana are constantly deserting across the river, and all others who can find the means of doing so follow their example.

To such an extent has this been carried that Gen. Pemberton has been forced to complain to Gen. Grant, and to ask the use of force to prevent the troops from leaving.

The island is said to have declined to interfere. He assured Gen. Pemberton that he considered it no part of his duty to use arms to force men to fight for the Confederacy. According to the cartel, Gen. Pemberton and his army were to be paroled, and placed outside the Federal lines. Thus far it has been impossible for that to be done; and in the meantime he had no interest in compelling men to go when they do not want to go; consequently notice has been given, that all who wish to take the oath and go home, can do so. Some of the officers refuse to take the parol, and will not be sent North as prisoners.

Hon. Albert Gallatin Brown, the colleague of J.F. Davis in the United States Senate, came to Snyder's Bluff on the 6th and took the oath. He said he had never believed in secession; had never been a secessionist, and had never been in favor of the rebellion. His wife, who was present, said his course had ruined her, and there need be no fears that he would act disloyally in future. Brown has since been ill of bloody flux, of which he was suffering at that time. He was permitted to return to his home.

The condition of Gen. Pemberton is pitiable in the extreme. His officers falsely and meanly ascribe the result to all sorts of baseness and imbecility, while the poor man is nearly crazy, and evinces in an unmistakable manner the humiliation and anguish he feels. He keeps confined to his room, walks frantically all the time, tearing his hair, and giving all sorts of evidence that he is an insane man. He was one of the few, as we learn from an eye-witness, who gave unmistakable manifestations of repugnance to taking the parol. His condition excites the commiseration of all unbiased persons of Vicksburg.

Among those who were killed during the siege is Gen. Martin Green, of Missouri, brother of Senator Green, of that State. Also, Capt. Horgue, of the Aproal Battery.

Morgan's Raid in Indiana.

An Indianapolis dispatch, of the 4th inst., in the Cincinnati *Gazette*, gives the following account of Morgan's raid in Indiana:

Last year, when Kentucky was invaded, Indiana mustered, armed, equipped and sent into that State one regiment a day for fourteen consecutive days; but now that Indiana has been invaded, upon the call of her Governor for troops, 61,000 men were raised in 48 hours and tendered to the authorities, about one-half of whom were accepted, armed, mustered and moved to various points to prevent Morgan crossing the river. Moving northward as attempted to get out of Indiana and cross the Ohio at New Albany, Madison and Aurora; but he was met by superior forces of infantry at each place, whereupon he became disgusted with Hoosierdom. As soon as Morgan's forces reached this State they commenced robbing stores, residences and citizens.

At Mauk port, the first town in Indiana they reached, the houses of citizens were entered and the furniture broken; bed-clothing and carpets torn in tatters, and clocks and mirrors smashed up. The entire route from Mauk port to Congdon was one of destruction, houses being burned and all that could be having been destroyed. Whole fields have been laid waste, and every act of vandalism conceivable was performed by this band of land pirates. They reached Corydan on Thursday evening at five o'clock, and, without even demanding a surrender of the town, threw a number of shells into it, among helpless women and children. Near Corydon a minister named Glenn, who owned the finest horse in that section, was fired upon by the rebels. He was dragged into the house by his wife, who closed the door. The rebels burst open the door, wounded him through both thighs, set the house on fire, and left Glenn to perish in the flames. His wife and other ladies in the house dragged him out to an orchard, and thus saved him from being roasted alive. Near Frankfort they also killed Garrett Hunt, and just above the town they murdered Wm. Erahee.

At Corydon all the storehouses were rifled, and the wanton destruction of property seemed to be the great object of the raiders. When the town was captured, 500 of Col. Jordan's Home Guards were made prisoners, the balance of them escaping in the direction of Palmyra. Near Corydon, an old citizen, Wm. Heith, fired upon the rebels. He was the keeper of the toll-gate this side of Corydon. The rebels shot him and burned his house. They also burned a fine stone mill in the neighborhood of Corydon.

Caleb Thomas, of Edwardsville, was killed near Corydon. He was shot through the forehead. Jeremiah Hance, of Laconia, was also shot near Corydon. Morgan demanded and received $2,100 from the owners of three mills for not burning them. One man could not raise the amount demanded and his mill was burnt.

They robbed every store in the place, and carried off about twelve thousand dollars worth of goods, and destroyed all kinds of goods and notions they could not use.

A sharp little fight occurred before the rebels occupied Corydon, between six hundred citizens and the rebels. The rebel loss was six killed and twenty-nine wounded.

Our loss is 2 killed and 370 captured. The Hon. T. C. Slaughter is among the captured citizens. Douglas, Dambo & Co., and J. S. Wright, were the principal sufferers financially, although the merchants and shopkeepers suffered more or less from the robbers. At Salem the depot was burned, but no other property of much value was destroyed. A contribution of $25,000 was levied on the town.

Wash Dupuaw, one of the wealthiest citizens of Southern Indiana, was compelled to pay $5,000 to keep his mills from being destroyed. The injury to the Jeffersonville Railroad was very slight. It was all repaired by Monday evening, and trains are now running regularly on the road. On the New Albany and Chicago road the rebels destroyed fourteen bridges, from six to one hundred feet in length, but all were repaired yesterday evening, and the road is now in running order. At Palmyra his men were allowed every license in the destruction of property, and many of the grossest outrages were perpetrated upon unoffending citizens. Horse-stealing is the order of the day with the raiders.

We learn that they have already stolen from six to seven hundred head, all fine animals. At Dupont they broke into the stores and took all the boots, shoes and clothing they could find. They also took about 2,000 canvas hams, but afterward threw most of them away, they being so closely guarded that they could not conveniently carry them.

The Attack on Charleston.

The Baltimore *American* of Tuesday says:

The glorious work has begun. It was commenced when General Hunter was removed from the command of the Department, and the gallant and indomitable General Gilmore appointed to fill the vacancy.

Now for the important news, which we lay before our readers with pleasure. On the glorious 4th of July the heavy batteries we have recently erected on Folly Island, commanding the rebel batteries at the mouth of Lighthouse Inlet, intended to dispute the entrance to the ship channel, were opened upon with a destructive fire, making short work of them. The Federal batteries had been erected under cover of foliage, and the astonished rebels knew nothing of their existence. Our guns were of the heaviest calibre, and numbered thirty-four. Large numbers of troops had been sent to Folly Island, and there was every indication of earnestness and activity in the military department.

Admiral Dahlgren, on his arrival at Port Royal, and relieving Admiral Dupont, immediately ordered the Monitors to prepare for active service. The work being done on them, and in contemplation, unnecessary, so far as efficiency was concerned, was ordered instantly to cease, and a shout of joy and gladness went up throughout the whole squadron. Those fancy improvements could be put on after the war is over. Now the vessels were wanted for the purpose for which they were constructed. Improvements and modifications could be made when the vessels were out of commission, and where there was an abundance of men and mechanism to perform the work, and not when valuable time would be wasted in the face of the enemy." Glorious decision, and honored be the man who made it!

Instead of establishing himself in the chair of royalty on board the Wabash, and receiving the homage of the courtiers, Admiral Dahlgren raised his flag on the humble little transport Mary Dinsmore, which had been equipped for the purpose, and on the Fourth of July was preparing to move to join his iron-clad fleet in the harbor of North Edisto. The officers and crews of the Monitors resting for service, and disgusted and sick from the delay, disappointment and inactivity, were in ecstacies at the prospect of having a chance to test these glorious little vessels on the walls of Sumter, and equally confident of success. They felt that they were relieved from the tyrannical restraints imposed upon them to shield incompetency, and that the day of proving the earnestness in the great work of national retribution was approaching.

Admiral Dahlgren had ordered all the workmen from the Monitors to proceed at once to the completion of the repairs on the captured iron-clad Atlanta, intending to use her also in the attack on the defences of Charleston. She was nearly completed when the Arago sailed, and was being manned for the occasion by officers and crews from some of the heavy wooden vessels, which of course could not take part in the fight. It is thus evident that Admiral Dahlgren is not so kind-hearted as to have any fears of "irritating the enemy," and as we have at the head of both the navy and the army of the Department of the South two earnest, active fighting men, no doubt is left of the success of the movement now in progress.

Kentucky and Tennessee.

A special dispatch from Lexington, Ky., dated July 14, says:

Scouts in to-day report all quiet in the direction of Tennessee. The rebels are apparently evacuating the State, or turning their forces to the assistance of Bragg. Gudbert and Big Creek Gaps are both evacuated, the guns removed and the buildings destroyed. Knoxville is clear of rebel soldiers and armaments. It is reported that a great Union expedition has proceeded in destroying London Bridge. This is denied by the rebels, who state that the fire was extinguished before material damage was done.

Morgan's men and guerrillas still continue to be sent in, and small parties, tired of being hunted down like wild bears, have come into Camp Nelson. Over 100 have been received within two days. The body of young Morgan has been recently brought through our lines to his mother, whose anxiety just now about her favorite boy John is said to be extreme.

A Cairo dispatch, of the 14th, however, shows that a far less satisfactory state of affairs exists in Western Tennessee. It says:

B. D. Stubblefield, of Wayne county, Tenn., a Union man, whom the rebels have been hunting nearly a year, has arrived here. He reports the guerrillas and bushwhackers increasing in force in that region.

Every Union man is driven into the woods. Forrest and Roddy, each with a force well on to 5000, are scouring the country, and leaving nothing, in the way of subsistence.

THE PRESIDENT AND THE SOLDIER.—During the past week an eye-witness informs us that as he was passing through the little grove of trees between the President's house and the War Department, early in the morning, he saw President Lincoln just ahead of him, sitting down under a tree talking to a soldier who had just presented his petition or claim for something. The President sat right down under a tree, took out his pencil, and then and there "acted upon it," by indorsing and referring it favorably to the proper department. After conversing a short time with the soldier, and encouraging him, the President proceeded to the Executive mansion.—*Washington Chronicle.*

Heintzelman.

A writer in the New York *Times* thus describes this admirable veteran: In physique, Heintzelman is a man of fifty-six or fifty-seven years, of middle stature, and of a wiry build, which betokens those wonderful powers of physical endurance for which he is distinguished. His hair and beard are firm in texture and plentifully mixed with the gray of long service. His expression partakes of his other general characteristics. It, too, is firm, steadfast, resolute, capable of fight. In no respect is he yet weakened by age. Every motion betokens the sound, healthful, enduring man, competent to fatigue and ignorant alike of nerves and dyspepsia.

Intellectually, he is a difficult character to study. Morally, you know him to be pure, brave, honest; but also diffident and silent. He lacks "dash." A dash of impudence would amazingly improve him. And so he covers up and conceals himself. The quiet, reserved, and gentlemanly person seated at headquarters you recognise only as a remarkably truthful man, cautious in opinion and never exaggerating a fact; intelligent, thoughtful, competent; but you can hardly imagine he is the veteran of so many battles, and that in the heat of action he is electrically full of fire and *elan*. But you do know that he is a great general, one of those men who are grandest when in action. When we come to look up the record, we find that the army of the Potomac is the mausoleum of generals. Pen have come out unscathed from the fiery ordeal of criticism bestowed upon it; but what savage Knight of the Quill has yet done else than honor Heintzelman?

A Historic Parallel.

History is full of equivocating, shuffling, and trimming great men, like Gov. Seymour. Three hundred years and more before the Christian era, when Philip, of Macedon, was threatening the liberties of the Athenians, they had men whose love of party was greater than their love of country. They had men who could cut the knot of gloom and disaster, "Didn't we tell you so; didn't we warn you of the danger of sectional strife; didn't we tell you that you underrated the power of the adversary!" Governor Seymour, judging from his speech on the Fourth of July, might have been studying Athenian history. His language is an exact copy of that Athenian copperhead, which is described so finely by Demosthenes in one of his orations: "For what, Athenians, does your eloquence profit the country? You now descant on what is past and gone, as if a physician, when called to patients in a sinking state, should give no advice, nor prescribe any course by which the disease might be cured; but, after one of them had died, and the last offices were performing to his remains, should follow him to the grave and expound that the poor man never would have died had such and such things only been done. Moon-stricken! is it now that at length you, too, speak out? During the opening danger to the Athenians, Æschines was bobbing for eels in the Mediterranean, while Seymour was fishing for pollywogs in Fox River.—*Albany Knickerbocker.*

THE *Journal of Commerce* says:

"Harpers have recently published Miss Fanny Kemble's 'Journal of a Residence on a Georgia Plantation,' which is an old journal, produced at this late day for popular reading. It is curious and amusing."

We should "admire to see" the visage of the Christian gentleman whose dominant sensation in perusing Mrs. Kemble's expose of the horrors and miseries inseparable from the condition of Slavery. Such a one must discern in the multifarious ugliness of a battlefield or the destruction of a great city by earthquake a fountain of inexhaustible hilarity. Will he send us his photograph?—*N. Y. Tribune.*

THE London *Patriot* states that, since the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher has been in England, he has expressed his intention not to undertake any public engagements. He says he shall neither speak on the platform or preach in the pulpit. He disavows all political purposes in his visit to Europe, and, so far from seeking to influence public opinion here, he expressed his utter indifference to it.

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