

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE. WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

May 26th, 1861. DEAR POST :-- We passed the left wing of the 12th between Camp Scott and Parkton. The duty of the wing is to relieve the lat Pennsylvania Regiment, and guard the bridges between the State line and Cockeysville. The Colonel was with the wing. The boys do not relish the duty, but will be relieved within a week, and from present apwas guiet in Baltimore, but it is the lull of force. Many of the volunteer companies and citizens may be found in Richmond and at Harper's Ferry, at which point alarming rebels, to meet which an overwhelming force will soon be directed, and you may

soon look for a severe battle.

In this city on Saturday about 2 o'clock, there was the wildest excitement. News of an attack caused the alarm guns to speak out for the first time from near the President's House. Regiment after regiment, intentry and artillery, with double quick step filed across the long bridge and made for Alexandria. The alarm was caused by 700 Virginia troops making a dash at our pickets, but they suddenly retired. Our troops came back, and in the language of a high functionary to your subscriber, there during the funeral cortege of Col. Ellsworth up Penn's Avenue, which was attended by several regiments under arms; private Brownell bearing the flag covered with the blood of poor Ellsworth was in the procession. It was a selemn and never to be forgotten sight. ments and military stores are being moved as to their destination are being offered, excitement. The proper heads of departments are cool and if permitted by our impulsive people to work this thing out the result is certain for the Union.

Col. T. A. Scott has possession of the Virginia roads leading to Alexandria. He was Jackson laid out. The pools of blood were still on the floors, and he says Jackson was a small and rather young looking man. Col. Scott will put on cars and locomotives tomorrow-repair the bridges, and has already a telegraph line established and protected to Alexandria. He is having constructed to-day a line to Arlington Heights, which gives him seven important military points in one circuit under his eve. so as to facilitate the transportation of men and equippage. He seems to get through with wonderful coolness and alacrity. The Committee from Pittsburgh will obtain a hearing to-day. There is no hope of obtaining more men from our or any other portion of the State at present. This thing is settled, but the Committee have a proposition to I will inform you by telegraph.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 27, 1861. DEAR POST-There has been nothing new since my last in the way of District movements. The war power has determined Wednesday to dislodge the secessionists at Grafton. I'he Federal troops will mass at wards, a few men on horseback fired random Cumberland, Frederick and Clarksburg .- shots at the N. Y. Seventh and left immedia-Our Pennsylvania boys will have an oppor- tely. The alarm now became general, and the tunior to see service in a short time in that officers, believing that a concerted attack was direction. The Secretary of War is very made on the right and left of the different clear upon that head. I asked him to ex- regiments, a messenger was despatched in the plain the position of the Pennsylvania utmost haste to the telegraph office at the Long troops in the matter of enlistment. He Bridge, and the information was then immedisays he has accepted six more regiments ately sent to Gen. Mansfield than he has credit for. These six are for the three years, and include the 12th and 13th. This makes 29 regiments in all-16 for 3 years, 13 for 3 months. No more can be admitted, nor even subsisted. The committee here pressed hard and proposed to be estisfied with even subsistance, but the idea prevails here that the State should do that. There will be a recruiting office es

tab<u>lishe</u>d in Pittaburgh soon. I visited Arlington Heights yesterday, now occupied by the New York Eightha capital regiment. The New York Seventh up embankments. There is much activity in that direction, but no immediate danger is anticipated, though a strong force will be

FROM RICHMOND AND THE SOUTH. million of dollars have been expended in forti-Richmond expect to be attacked, and that the York river, which is a deeper and easier mayitransport troops within thirty miles of Richmond, if they can pass the batteries on the banks of the York river. The people of Rich- of the State. mond, however, are confident of their ability to defend the city. There is a company of cavalry there from Petersburg, which attracts much attention. The horses are beautiful and here is extremely handsome.

movements of troops, both in the East and two Brigadier Generals of volunteers. In of companies into the Brigade which he is West, we may look for stirring news from this connection permit me to suggest, as one now forming. He will be able to accept no Virginia, and it is by no means improbable eminently qualified to fill either position, the companies whatever from Pennsylvania that an advance upon Richmond from East, gallant and brave gentleman whose name In reply to a letter from Capt. Wilson days. Gen. Scott will make no move until military and civil capacities, and no one can who being personally acquainted with Gen. he is fully prepared, and when he moves it will point to an official act of his, of which either Sickles, wrote to him for the purpose of getbe with effect. Nor must we flatter ourselves he, or one of his most ardent friends need be that the Virginians are unprepared to make a sahamed. Whether defending the place of mighty resistance, but the Government knows his birth against the insults and aggressions of the strength of the rebels, and will meet it a wiley foreign foe, on the scorching plains of with a crushing power and force.

The Pennsylvania Regiments. all circumstances, h. give

SEEKILE OF DO Campaign. We have no authentic information that Gen

The Penalty of Insubordination. Butler has made a large advance into Virginia from Fortress Monroe, though rumors to that On Sunday, one of the Zouaves (now statement, and of a subsequent engagement, are plentiful. It is not improbable that he has plentiful. It is not improbable that he has a formulated by the Secretary of War and Gen. Scott. It is for sale by Hunt & Miner, Fifth street.

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Harrisburg May 17, 1881.

The Secretary of War and Gen. Scott. It is for sale by Hunt & Miner, Fifth street.

Gen. Butler is there and has expressed or perish in the attempt. The Virginians are busily engaged in

strengthening their positions. A floating battery has been placed on the flats near Craney Island, and five new batteries are been attacked with the small pex, and was sent now completed between Lynnhaven and up the Shenandoah to prevent the infection Loudon bridge. There are ten thousand towards Loudon bridge, which is twelve miles east. There are five thousand men at Portsmouth and five thousand at Gosport. -A gentleman from Richmond says that a million dollars have been expended in fortifying York river to defend Richmond, and that there are lifteen thousand troops there. He says the people of Richmond fully expect to be attacked, but are confi dent of their ability to defend the city.-The Petersburg cayalry company is still

The New York and Vermont Regment were encamped near Hampton. Five steamers were blockading the Chesapeake, and reinforcements were hourly expected from New York at the last accounts, when an at tack on Sewall's Point would be made .-The news of a battle there may be looked for at any moment.

manding officer, will soon have between West of the Fort) and has already been re-Norfolk will be his point of attack-but that would be a comparative barren victory. It is much more likely that Richmond will lite affair. be, before long, the object of investment. rivers, points that way. Moreover, the Richmond journals are getting alarmed amount of information I possess as to their about an invasion by way of York river, cate terms. destination, and very properly. There will which is the way the British came when be no immediate conflict upon a large scale, they took the city. The map shows this to and no fear is entertained of an attempt to be the most assailable method. Richmond outside feeling and a great deal of useless tress Monroe, by this route. The York river is deep and a straight channel, and Richmond from a point on that river, only Virginia capital. This is through a com-bridge to the Point of Rocks, and pickets are of Massachusetts, was unanimously invited to paratively thinly settled country, totally also thickly placed up the Hagerstown wagon act as Chairman, and accepted. He made a

THE EXCITEMENT OF THE WAR. The excitement at Washington on Saturday was without a parallel since the opening of the war. It commenced, too, in the midst of artillery, the columns of smoke rising above the eye, left no doubt in the mind of any one but that the battle was raging fearfully. The official despatches to Gen. Mansfield were fully credited by him, and the alarm of their signal guns was fired in consequence. The first alarm arose from a company of the Twentyfifth N. Y. Regiment very imprudently going submit, which may effect something. If so, to practice at target. Soon after, the piquet guard of the N Y Twelfth Regiment were driven in. They reported that a troop of cavattacked the outposts and compelled them to leave. The N. J. regiments were drawn up in line, ready to march. The Twelfth Regiupon an attack at Harper's Ferry, and about ment (N. Y.) then went in pursuit of the robels, but they had disappeared. Soon after-

ather route of approach.

NOT TO BE PAID FOR. A correspondent of the Philadelphia papers states on the highest authority that the worthless shoes and blankets nurchased by an agent, have not been paid for, and the Governor does ot intend to pay for them. The difficulties which had to be surmounted

our troops were very great. We were not so well prepared for a quick military organization as New York and the New England happily conceived and well delivered speech, States, yet we furnished men and good men the patriotic period of which commanded un too feater and in much greater numbers than versal admiration. We then followed the are close by, digging trenches and throwing they could be received. That there has been (God bless them) had spread a free table wit mismanagement in the arming and equipping the choicest viands and delicacies of the season of our troops is undeniable. But unavoidable causes, incident to the haste and excitement of the occasion may account for a portion of the complaints. There was not time to have all that it was good to have been here.

blings done as they ought to have been done.

Before adjourning, however, arrangements A gentleman from Richmond says that a If rogues have crept into the public service and committed frauds and peculations upon fying York river, in order to defend Rich the soldiers and the people, neither Gov. Curmond; and that there are fifteen thousand tin nor the State authorities will shield them ington borough and the Cavalry and Guarde thousand that city. He says, the people of the state authorities will shield them ington borough and the Cavalry and Guarde thousand supplement. troops in that city. He says, the people of from well deserved punishment. Whether quartermasters, contractors, or special sgents attack will be made by vessels sailing up the have been guilty of these frauds, or other parties, investigation will show and neculation gated stream than James river. Vessels can in any quarter will be exposed and punished. and the evil caused thereby at once remedied.

For the Post. SAMUEL W. BLACK. MR. EDITOR: - One of the provisions of the valuable animals, and the uniform of the mem- act of Assembly of this State, passed at the recent extra session, I believe, authorizes the

Mexico, or teaching rebellious traitors at home, that the laws of the land must be carried out, and order maintained, Gov. Black, All the Pennsylvania regiments are in good among the closest to the glorious star spangled bealth and spirits. They are being drilled into banner—not a star dimmed, or a stripe erased. His appointment, too, by Gov. Curtin, at this diers will give a good account of themselves in all parties, and go very far to dispel the im-JUSTICE.

THINGS AT HARPER'S FERRY. As there are evident preparations for A correspondent of the Philadelphia Inquianother attack on Sewall's Point, it is at rer gives the following account of the conditracting much attention. It is situated two tion of affairs at Harper's Ferry on Friday: miles from Fort Monroe and Seven from thing reliable, and all the information come-Norfolk at Hampton Roads, opposite to the atable is by listening to what is talked of and entrance to the James River. The secess authenticated by repetition To ask questions is to put yourself under suspicion, and to repeat the offence is to insure arrest. A citizen, a few moments ago, gratuitously regaled us with a

his determination to take the Navy Yard off by the skin of his teeth, and declared that the next inquisitive quill driver that came half so easy.

The effective force consists of five regiments, of which two are Virginia State troops, and to twelve pounds, and is a fragment of a one from Arkansas. The latter regiment has

> about fifty young men, equipped in grey shirts and pants, but without arms, except a few and pants, but without arms, except a few small pistois and revolvers. They have been quartered in a deserted lager beer salon, above the Wager House, and are now being drilled at the armory by a West Point Cadet whose name we have not learned.
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> The great body of the troops are camped at a place called Tousontown, two or three miles for of the first when these pieces of the flagstaff, some forty pairs of half Stockings gray, 3 sizes, proper taken. Mr. Stearns also brought a place called Tousontown, two or three miles fort of which was recently found to the first alarms of Boston, and their genuineness can be implicitly relied upon. More than a ton of fragments of exploded shells were lying within the enclosure of the fort when these pieces were taken. Mr. Stearns also brought a way several pieces of the flagstaff, some forty pairs of half Stockings gray, 3 sizes, proper taken. He will be several pieces of the flagstaff, some forty pairs. ack of Harper's Ferry, on the Virginia side.

There is a battery partly mounted and yet and the town, and another is about being comsleted on the Virginia side; immediately back f and over the town. Four very large guns, said to be thirty-twos, arrived yesterday, and are now being taken up to the Virginia battery to mount.

The troops we have seen are but poorly

equipped, and all arrived with the old style flint ock muskets, which appear musty and in in-Gen. Butler, who is a most active comdifferent order Every train from the East is stopped at the 12,000 and 15,000 troops at Fortress Mon-Point of Rocks, twelve miles below here, and roe and Hampton village, (three miles the soldiers rush through pell mell, stare at the passengers, buy Northern newspapers, question a traveler once in a while, and leave, Jackson, Tennessee, on the 23d, where they connoitering, with a view, doubtless, to an after detaining the train fifteen or twenty minadvance into the interior. It may be that utes. If any objectionable individual is found he is either put off and sent back, or arrested and sent on to the Ferry. The search of the Western trains is a much lighter and more po-

One of Adam's & Co.'s Express cars, loaded with butter, was captured and confiscated a few The fact that Gen. Butler's reconnoisances days ago, so that the garrison is well supplied out of the city, and many wise suggestions were extended up between York and James with that article: but there is a very apparent State at an early day to place arms in their scarcity of almost every kind of provision. and a murmur of the soldiers preclaim their lissatistaction at the short rations in no della A man named Tilsey Campbell, belonging to

company from Charleston was caught about daylight this corning, trying to desert. He worth was held at Willard's Hotel, on Friday was put in the guard house, and we understand night, to start a dollar subscription for the take this city. Of course there is much is but about seventy-five miles from For be made the 9th one incarcerated for the same offence, and several are reported to have made their escape. All here appear to think the place next to port by the death of their only son. troops could be marched overland upon impregnable, but they live in a constant state Richmond from a point on that river, only of excitement and alarm, expecting an incurion of the Federal troops at any thirty miles, or one day's march from the The ratiroad is picketed all the way from the sembled. Hon. N. P. Banks, of Chicago, late

> undefended, which cannot be said of any lof the beides The whole bridge is said to be mined so that t could be destroyed, as one Secessionist elegantly expressed it, "quicker than fire would scorch a leather." The guards will not allow

An officer in Lieutenant's uniform left here the solemnities of the funeral of Col. Eile- about 9 o'clock, in the direction of Williams worth, and spread with the utmost rapidity under high excitement since the news of the from one end of the city to the other. The fall of Alexandria arrived here last evening hurried movement of troops, the dash of the and it is understood the messenger goes to Williamsport for reinforcements and that the Arlington Heights, all of which passing before cut off upon the first indication of an approachcommunication by railroad eastward will be

I NION MILITARY PARADE AT CAN-

Canbon, Pa . May 25, 1861. Mr. Editor:-Pursuant to arrangement, a union military parade of the Candor Guarda, Mount Pleasant Rangers and Venice Fencibles, occurred here to-day. The Candor company met the visiting companies with presented alry, numbering some six hundred men, had arms, outside of town; and the whole being marshaled into solid rank made a grand detour of the place with their colors flying and drums beating, in the presence of the largest assembinge ever before witnessed in this village. Old and young wore the badge of the Union. the little children were dressed in the "red, white and blue," the stars and stripes floated out from every window, and the smiles of beauty greeted the brave soldiers from every door step. The multitude was welcomed by J. M. Clark, Esq., (a Breckinridge Democrat,) in a few well-timed remarks, in which he most touchingly announced the killing of the heroic Ellsworth, whose lifeless body then lay in state, with the stars and stripes close to his heart, and the flag of secession at his feet. This announcement brought the flags to half mast; tear-drops moistened the cheeks of the tender; and a solemn stillness indicated a hitherto unfelt realization of the terrific issues in GOOD GAITERS

which we are in the midst.

Major James McLaskey was made the Pres ent, and Col. Jno. Andrews, Capt. McAllis ter, Col. Andrew Miller, and Jno. G. Smith n the hasty organization and equipment of and Jno. Symington, Esquires, the other offi cers of the meeting.
Wm. Glenn, Esq., of Florence, then ad-There, the pretty girls were toasted; t

health of the speaker was drank; and after general fire for the Union, the Constitution an the Laws, the company dispersed; all feeling were made to celebrate the approaching Anni versary of our Independence, at Hickory Washington county, Pa, by a grand Union parade of all the military companies of Wash ounty.

The Captains of the companies meeting here

to-day, are the committee of arrangements.

Invitations are hereby extended to all those above alluded to; eminent field officers will take command; distinguished speakers will be present; bands of music will enliven the occa The people expect this from the government sion; and every other arrangement will be made, to celebrate the day in a manner worth; of the Union and befitting the stirring scene which surround our "altars and our fires, and he green graves of our sires." A. W. A. Yours, &c.

THE SICKLES BRIGADE. Gen. Sickles is overwhelmed with letter Governor to appoint one Major General and from Pennsylvania, asking the acceptance West and North will take place within a few heads this article. He has been tried, both in Stewart a member of the Plummer Guards. ting that company accepted. Gen. Sickles, through his assistant Adjutant General replies as follows:

HEAD QUARTERS, EXCELSION BRIGADE, ) CITY HALL, N. Y., May 24th, '61. APT. WILSON STEWART, Pittsburgh, Pa. Sir:-In answer to yours of the 22d inst. I am instructed by Gen. Sickles to say that he has no power to accept companies Very respectfully your ob't servant, MM. A. SEAVE

A. A. A. General. THE SOLDIER'S COMPANION is the title of On Sunday, one of the Zouaves (now standard Alexandria) named Ruckley assembly T B Peterson & Bros., compiled from the

Trophies from Fort Sumter. From the Boston Transcript.] In the windows of a jewelry store in

vashington street may be seen several rophies from Fort Sumter. They consist of a twenty-four pound shot and two large fragments of a shell. The ball shows unmistakable signs of having been heated, and was no doubt thrown from Fort Moultrie, as that was the only battery which was prostory of how they captured a reporter of the New York Times a few days ago; how he got hot shot As these formidable missiles were the principal agents in disabling Fort down here from the North would not get off Sumter, this trophy possesses a peculiar in-The largest piece of shell weighs from ten

ten-inch shell. The smaller piece is of a shell of less dimensions. Capt. Daniel Schriver arrived from Wheel- up within the walls of Sumter on the 18th men at Norfolk with outposts thrown out ing yesterday morning, with a company of of April last, by Mr. J. B. Stearns, superintendent of the fire alarms of Boston, and

feet of which was standing at that time. The Ferry end of the Long Bridge is guards | The wood being of Southern pine, easily d by two brass pieces, commanded by Capt splintered, and this trophy has been divided Finiey, with the Rosmoske Guarde and the Maryland end by a similar battery, under a Capt. Pennington. As a proof of the superiority of brick over inder construction on the Maryland heights, granite for fortification walls, Mr. Stearns ommanding the whole length of the bridge states that he saw no instance in which shots from the rifled cannon penetrated nore than six courses of brick.

> TENNESSEE. We are indebted to the Adam's Express Company for a Memphis Appeal, of May 22d. t contains nothing of interest regarding the commanding Provisional Army of Tenuessee, for all organized companies not organized into regiments to rendezvous at an encampment at would be organized into regiments. General Pillow says . "Immediate service in the field will demand the presence of all the patriotic volunteers as soon as arms are pro-

believes that steps have been taken by the Governor of the State, which will enable the hands. Let them not be discouraged. Their untry's safety demands their services."

Aid for the Parents of Colonel Elisworth. A meeting of the friends of the late Col. Rila benefit of his parents, who are said to be poor and who have lost their main pecuniary sup-A highly respectable and intelligent class moment. — people from different sections of the Union as-

A subscription paper was opened, and neary five hundred dollars was subscribed, no man being allowed to give more than one dollar. Mrs. John Jacob Astor was named as treasirer of all the committees appointed in the several cities of the North and West, who are equested to reported to her.

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50,000 yards Cotton Muslin, unbleached, 36 inche wide. 20,000 yards Black Silesia, best quality, 36 inches wide. 4,000 yards Bucram, best quality, 40 inches wide. 8,000 sheets Wadding, cotton 30,000 pieces Tape, (5 yards) white, 1/2 and 1/2 inches wide. - Silk-red, white, yellow, green and bine, flags, per yard Silk twist and Sewing Silk, best quality, pe pound.

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case of defalcation on the part of the contractor in ful-filing the contract.

Forms of proposals and guaranty will be furnished upon application to this office, and none will be consid-ered that do not conform thereto.

Proposals for Furnishag Army Supplies and Materials," and be addressed,
COL CHART ES THOMAS,
my 29 Asst Q. M. General, U. S. Army Proposals for a Loan of \$3,000,000 to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. In pursuance of the first section of an Act of the neral Assembly, entitled "an act to create a loan and vide for arming the State," approved Mag 18th, A. D. 1861, and the sixth section of the Act entitled from Ac

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