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CITY MATTERS.

The Two Mill Levy for Volunteer's Families.

For the information of the public we give place to the following letter, addressed by Edward Campbell, Jr., to the County Commissioners and the reply of the latter:

PITTSBURGH, July 12, 1861.

To the Commissioners of Allegheny County:

GENTLEMEN:—I learn from your published correspondence with gentlemen acting for the Committee of Public Safety, that you will levy a tax of two mills on the dollar of the taxable property of the county, for the purpose of affording relief to the families of volunteers, unless the people of the county, before the 25th inst., should order otherwise.

As it will be impossible for the people of the County to learn your purpose, or to act on the subject before the day named; and as your action appears to be in some degree influenced by the importunities of the Committee of Public Safety; I deem it proper to advise you that at the meeting of the Committee on to-morrow (Saturday afternoon,) an effort will be made to show that the proposed levy will not be needed; that the tax already levied and now partly collected will be amply sufficient, after defraying all ordinary expenses of the county, to enable you and the judges to furnish all the relief asked by the Committee; and I respectfully ask your aid, at the meeting of the Committee to-morrow, in presenting the facts to those urging the levy.

If I correctly understand the law, you can grant the required relief out of any money now in the treasury, or already levied and to come in; and this relief is in no manner contingent on the levy of the special tax, which another section of the act authorizes in cases—as I suppose—only where enough has not already been levied

If I am mistaken, either as to the provision of the act, or as to the sufficiency of the amount levied, of course my objection to a further levy must fall—for no one will hesitate about supplying the families of those who fight our battles. But if there is already a sufficient amount levied, and if the law permits you to grant the necessary relief out of this amount, I trust that both you and the Committee of Public Safety will concur with me in the opinion that the present is no time for increasing the taxes of our people, even for the patriotic purpose referred to, if that purpose can be as well accomplished without additional taxation.

I am informed that but very few members of the Committee usually attend its Saturday meetings; but we, may on a subject involving a tax of fifty thousand dollars, probably get enough present to authorize a change of their request for additional taxation, if we can satisfy them that it is not needed—or if the general Committee will not act, possibly its Executive Committee, through whom most of the business is done, may give some attention to the matter.

But as the meetings and proceedings of the Executive Committee are secret, I am not certain that we can be heard in it. It can do no harm, however, to try.

Your statement of our county finances published last fall, demonstrates, I think, that a further levy is not necessary.

May I expect your co-operation in an attempt to satisfy either the public or private Committee of Safety, that such is the fact?

Yours, respectfully,
EDWARD CAMPBELL, Jr.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ALLEGHENY CO.,
Pittsburgh, July 12. 1861.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—In answer to the above would say that, according to our statement published last fall, we supposed that a levy of seven mills on the dollar would pay off the debts and meet the ordinary expenses of the county. But owing to the number of men that have left the county, and the hardness of the times, we believe it will take all that will be collected of the eight mill tax levied this year to meet the demands that will be made on the Treasury for the ordinary expenses and debts of the county. Yet if it could be clearly shown that a sufficient portion of the present levy would be left for the purpose aforesaid, after paying the debts and ordinary expenses of the county, none would be more willing than we to comply with the request of the above correspondent.

Z. PATTERSON,
J. BRAUFF,
GEORGE HAMILTON,
County Commissioners.

ENGINEER KILLED.—An engineer on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad was killed on Wednesday afternoon, about four miles this side of Steubenville. The express train was passing around a curve, when, coming in contact with a fallen tree, the locomotive was partially overturned and the engineer was buried under the wood in the tender, which was thrown forward by the concussion, and also badly scalded by steam from the guage cocks.—He died a few hours after the accident, at Steubenville. Deceased resided in Manchester, where he leaves a young wife.—He had been on the road for seven years and was a careful and competent engineer. The name of the deceased was Robert McLaughlin.

HON. J. K. MOORHEAD has been appointed Chairman of a committee appointed by Congress to report a proper site for a National Armory, in place of the Harper's Ferry Arsenal. Mr. M.'s influence with the committee, with the advantages of our city, may secure the location of the Armory here. The committee appointed by the public meeting in this city not long since, have prepared an elaborate memorial setting forth the advantages of our location for the establishment of a national foundry, with which they have gone to Washington City, with the intention of laying our claims before the special committee.

POST OFFICE AFFAIRS.—A new post office has been established at Lock No. 4, on the Monongahela river, in Washington county, at which Mr. John Loomis has been appointed postmaster. It is directly on the route from Brownsville to Pittsburgh. A new post office is established at West Overton, Westmoreland county, Pa., and C. S. Overholt appointed postmaster. A new office is established at Barnard's, Armstrong county, Pa., and John T. Kirkpatrick appointed postmaster.

DEATH OF A PITTSBURGH VOLUNTEER.—A German named Fritz Martin, a member of the Pittsburgh Invincibles, Capt. Trovillo, died on Monday at Martinsburg, Va., of inflammation of the bowels. He was buried in Green Hill Cemetery, near Martinsburg, by his comrades, Chaplain Stewart, of the Thirteenth, performing the funeral services. Deceased was a brother of Christopher Martin, janitor at the Court House, and was, before enlistment, in the employ of Adam Wagner, dairyman, on the Brownsville road.

FORESTALLING.—Joanna Murphy was yesterday arrested and taken before Mayor Drum, having been caught in the act of buying up ripe currants, with a man and boy following at a safe distance to take the baskets as they were filled. She had two large baskets full when she was arrested. She was unable to pay the fine and the fruit was confiscated.

SELLING LIQUOR ON SUNDAY.—James Paul, of the Fourth Ward, Allegheny, was before Ald. Scott, on Thursday, on a charge of selling liquor on Sunday, on oath of Wm. Meredith. He entered bail for a further hearing, which takes place on Tuesday next.

An Unexpected Meeting—A Father finds a Son supposed to have been Shot, after Nine Years' Absence.

A most unexpected meeting of a father with his son, who was supposed to have been dead several years, occurred at the railroad depot yesterday morning. Three companies of the United States Cavalry, from the Western frontier, were waiting for the departure of the train for Pittsburgh. The men were lounging about the depot, improving to the utmost the brief relaxation from duty afforded by their journey Eastward. One of the troopers, passing along the C. & P. side of the building, came suddenly upon an old man whose face seemed familiar. The trooper asked one of the depot men who the old man was, and was told his name was Wren. "Wren!" exclaimed the soldier, with an expletive more forcible than elegant,—"he's my father!" The soldier rushed up to the old man, grasped his hand and asked him if he did not know his son. Then followed explanations, a recognition and such handshakings and words of affection as the soldier at least had not known, he said, "for nine years." The explanation of the case is as follows: Nine years ago, the soldier ran away from his father's house, in Columbiana county. He went to Cincinnati, enlisted in the army, and was sent to the Western frontier. The last letter received by his parents from him, stated that, having shot his captain, he was himself to be shot. He had been allowed only fifteen minutes to live, and was employing his time writing to his parents. The letter enclosed a lock of the soldier's hair, and was received by his parents as conclusive of his death. The feelings of the father, when he beheld again his son yesterday morning, may be imagined. In the explanation of the statement in his last letter that he was to be shot, Wren said he was rescued by two Indians. Wren's brother, a fireman on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh railroad, was also at the depot, and saw his brother. The brother, then a small boy, cried and begged him not to go, when he was about leaving his father's house.—His mother has died during his absence.—*Cleveland Herald.*

COUNCILMAN DEAD.—In another column will be found a notice of the death of Mr. Chadwick, an old merchant of the city, at the time of his death a member of the Common Council. He was a man highly esteemed by all, and his death will be universally regretted. Members of Council, in the absence of any formal action, should attend his funeral this morning.

CALL ACCEPTED.—Rev. A. D. Clark, D. D., Professor of the United Presbyterian Seminary, Allegheny, has accepted a call tendered him by the congregation in Manchester, formerly under the charge of the Rev. J. C. Steele. Professor Clark is an able and talented minister, and will doubtless prove satisfactory to those who have called him.

CONFIRMED.—Governor Pierpont has received a statement in regard to the recent fight at Sissonville, that it is ascertained that forty of the body guard were killed in the attack, as at first stated, but it is not known whether Wise and Patton were mortally wounded or not, as they were taken away.

QUICK WORK.—On Thursday, Messrs. Phelps, Parke & Co, Manchester, received a contract for fifty-two army wagons, for General McClellan, which were to be finished this evening. The firm have all the facilities and will doubtless fill the contract.

Co. C. U. S. ZOUAVE CADETS have been accepted and sworn into Col. Geary's regiment. Fifteen more men are wanted for the company and any desirous of joining should call on Capt. Thos. J. Ahl, who is now in the city.

THE Manchester Passenger Railway Co. having failed to pay up the price of the right of way through that borough, the Council have instructed their solicitor to ascertain the cause of delay.

A MOVEMENT has been made towards introducing steam fire engines in Allegheny and the matter has been referred to the Committee on Fire Enignes and Hose, to report at next meeting.

A RECRUITING RENDEZVOUS for the 3rd Cavalry regiment has been established at Franklin.

COLUMBIADS.—Several columbiads, destined for Cairo, shipped from this city, have reached Cincinnati.

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MOVEMENTS OF THE MILITARY.

LOUISVILLE ITEMS.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

WASHINGTON CITY ITEMS.

&c., &c., &c., &c.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—HOUSE.—The following Committees were announced:—First to enquire and report relative to the establishment of a National Armory west of the Alleghanies.—Messrs. Moorehead, McClernand, Bingham, Kellogg, of Mich, Stratton, Delano, Rollins, of Mo., Vandever and Wallace.

The Select Committee to inquire into the subject of Army Contracts—Messrs Van Wyck, Washburne, Hilman, Fenton, Dawes, Steele, of N. H., and Jackson.

On Pacific Railroad—Messrs. Curtis, Campbell, Mallory, of Md., Blair, Cox, Webster, Franchat, Arnold and Thayer.

Mr. Vallandigham, of Ohio, offered a preamble and resolution substantially as follows:

WHEREAS, It is rumored that Gilbert Marston, of N. H., James E. Kerrigan, of N Y., Charles J. Biddle and Edward McPherson, of Pa., and Samuel R Curtis, of Iowa, holding seats in this House, have been sworn into the military service, under the authority of the United States; and whereas, James H Campbell, of Pa., has also been admitted on the floor of this House, he holding a military commission; therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on Elections be instructed to inqure and report, without unnecessary delay, whether the gentlemen above named, or any of them, claiming seats here and at the same time holding military offices under the authority of the United States, are constitutionally disqualified from being members of this House while holding such military commissions.

Mr. Lovejoy, of Ill., desired the resolution to lie upon the table.

Mr. Vallandigham, of Ohio, said that two similar cases have heretofore been decided by the House, and it was determined that they were disqualified as members, owing to their military commissions. He did not wish to trespass on the patience of the House by elaborate remarks at this time, but this being a grave matter it should be investigated.

Mr. McKnight, of Pa., wanted an amendment made, namely: to insert Mr. Vallandigham's name in the resolution, after that gentleman's speech on Wednesday. The Committee on Elections ought to examine into Mr. Vallandigham's credentials, to ascertain whether or not he was accredited to the wrong Congress.

Mr. Vallandigham replied that if the gentleman desired any personal controversy with him he could have it elsewhere, whenever and wherever he should decide. He (Mr. V.) came into the House to abide by its rules and the usages of decorum, but not to violate them.

Mr. McKnight said neither did he mean to violate the decorum of the body.

There were cries of order during this spirited colloquy.

Mr. Campbell, of Pa., said that, as for himself, whose name was mentioned in the resolution, he held his seat here by virtue of the confidence of the people of the Eleventh Congressional District of Pennsylvania. His commission as colonel was under the authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. He had no two offices under the Federal Government. He had taken the oath of allegiance to support the Constitution, as Vallandigham did, and in this respect they were even. This matter did not rise to the dignity of a legal question. If this House should decide that there was any conflict of commissions in his case, he would resign his seat here and follow the flag of his country in the open field, wherever it may be. [Applause]

LOUISVILLE, July 12—12 M.—A resolution was offered in Councils last night, requiring the Revision Committee to enquire into the abduction of youths under age to the Southern Confederacy. The State Military have decided that no more money shall be spent on the military encampment, and have also demanded that the Governor call in the arms in possession of the State Guard, and make a fair distribution of them between the Home and State Guards. These movements look to the disbandment of the Guard now at New Albany.

The Indiana *Ledger* is authorized by Collector Anthony to say that hereafter no obstructions will be made to the passage of provisions and other articles from New Albany to Louisville.

D C Stone, late captain of the Louisville Battery, publishes a card denying his disobeying certain orders, as charged by Gen Buckner, and threatens through Union papers to show that Buckner's decision against him was false, and given through mere prejudice, and that the Board comprising the court, including the judge advocate, knew it to be so

The Richmond *Dispatch* learns that a large number of the negroes captured by the federal troops have been sent to Cuba to be sold, as one means of defraying the expenses of the war.

ROARING RUN, Va., July 12—A battle was fought yesterday afternoon at Rich Mountain, two miles East of this place, where the enemy numbering about 2,000 in command of Col. Pegran, were strongly entrenched. About three o'clock in the morning Gen. Rosencrans with a portion of the 8 h, 10th and 13th Indiana and 19.h Ohio regiment left this place, and after a very difficult march of 7 or 8 miles, cutting a road through the woods, succeeded in surrounding the enemy about 3 o'clock in the afternoon; a desperate fight immediately ensued, lasting about one hour and a half, resulting in the loss of 60 of the enemy killed and a large number wounded and taken prisoners; some of the latter are officers. They retreated precipitately, leaving behind six cannons, a large number of horses, wagons, camp equipage, &c. The loss on our side is about 20 killed and 40 wounded, among the latter is Capt Chrismiller of the 12th Indiana Regiment.

BOSTON, July 12—Capt. Gerrior, of the British bark Major Norton, from St. Martins, reports that on the 9th inst., in lat. 39 long. 68, he saw a full rigged brig showing French colors, which hailed him in English, but he replied in French, which they did not understand; they, however, chased the bark for three hours, but were outsailed. The brig was of about 180 tons, and American built. She had no name on her stern, and was undoubtedly a privateer.

BOSTON, July 12.—A brig from Bangor, arrived at Newport this morning with the crew of the brig John Welch, from Trinidad, for Falmouth, which was captured by the privateer, Jeff. Davis, on Saturday, off Cape Hatteras. The crew were put on board the ship John Goodwin, from New York, bound to Montevideo, which they also ransacked, but allowed to proceed on account of her draft of water. The same privateer also captured the schooner J C. Warner, of New York, and an unknown brig, about a hundred miles East of Nantucket, South Shoals.

WASHINGTON, July 12—Nineteen clerks from the Patent Office, thirty from the Land Office and forty from the Census Bureau, have been removed because of the decrease of government business.

Seventy-one of the mutinous members of Blenker's N. Y. Regiment have signed a paper obligating themselves to use whatever arms the government may designate, and were released from jail to-day.

More of the contrabands have been released from jail and put to work on the government stables.

MANCHESTER, N. H., July 12.—A tornado at Londonderry, yesterday, unroofed houses, demolished sheds, ruined orchards, the crops, &c. Its area was about one and one third miles in width, through valuable timber land, leveling everything, blockading the roads, and doing damage to the extent of several thousand dollars. No person was injured, though the population were much frightened, and fled in every direction.

FORTRESS MONROE, July 11.—J. T. Songster, of Col. Baker's regiment, a native of Philadelphia, was shot by mistake by a sentry, on Sunday night, and died yesterday.

Thirty men of Col. Wardrop's regiment made a reconnoisance within nine miles of Yorktown. They went up between James river and Great Bethel. At the latter place is posted two hundred Confederate cavalry and one hundred artillery.

ST. LOUIS, July 12—About four hundred of Colonel McNeil's regiment, reserve corps, visited the *State Journal* office early this morning and removed the type, paper, &c, and read an order from General Lyon prohibiting the further publication of that sheet. The proprietors will respect the order and lay the whole matter before General Fremont on his arrival here.

MONTREAL, July 12.—A severe shock of an earthquake was experienced here last night, and lasted several minutes. It was felt at several places, at the same time, in Canada West. In Ottowa city chimneys were thrown down and buildings shatered.

WASHINGTON, July 12—The Senate has adopted an amendment to the five hundred thousand volunteer bill, directing the acceptance of all artillery, infantry, and cavalry which was offered for three years' service.

NEWPORT, July 12—The schooner Enchantress, from Boston, bound to St. Iago, was captured by the privateer, Jeff. Davis, on the 8th, and sent to some Southern point.

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A SPY ARRESTED.

PROCLAMATION OF COL. M'NEIL.

Proceedings in Congress.

&c., &c., &c., &c.

WASHINGTON CITY, July 12.—The Freeborn gun boat, Lieut. Lowery commanding, arrived up from Acquia creek at half pass 6 o'clock, a. m., to-day, having been cruising at night up and down between that point and the mouth of the river, preventing communication between lower Maryland and Virginia. The service is active, arduous and dangerous. On Sunday at noon, the Freeborn was at Acquia creek, with the Resolute, Pawnee and Pocahontas. Two large oil casks were discovered floating down towards the fleet with ebb tide; when within a quarter of a mile, a small boat was sent from the Pawnee to reconnoitre them. The small boat discovered that they were infernal machines. One struck the rudder of the Resolute and became detached from its buoy and sunk; the other careened over and the fuse was put out by dipping in the water. The latter was hauled on board the Pawnee; it had a cylinder made of boiler iron, 5 feet long, and 18 inches in diameter, filled with all sorts of destructive elements designed to blow the Potomac squadron to atoms. The machine weighed about 400 pounds, connecting the cylinder with a cask or buoy which was full of a coil of slow matches which was an india-rubber coated fuse. The machine looks devlish. The Freeborn brought it up to the Navy Yard where it attracts great attention, thousands having visited it.

The James Guy went to Port Tobacco yesterday at 4½ o'clock P. M., after Taliaferro, late clerk in the War Department, a Virginian, and son-in law of the late Senator Mason of that State. He went thither by land yesterday, and Capt. Darling of the Capitol police discovering the fact, charged him with being a spy of Jeff. Davis, and obtained the James Guy and went in pursuit. The Guy arrived at Port Tobacco on Thursday night, and found Taliaferro, who was arrested, taken on board and brought here a prisoner, arriving at the Navy Yard at half past four today. A large bundle of letters addressed to prominent citizens in the South were found on him, also plans of our camp in and around Washington

WASHINGTON CITY, July 12—SENATE. Mr. Foot, of Vt., presented what purported to be credentials from the Governor of Kansas, of Frederick P. Stanton, as Senator, in place of Lane.

Mr. Lane, of Kansas, said that this looked like an attempt to bury a man before he was dead.

He had been employed in raising a brigade in Kansas, and, when full, if the brigade desired it, he would take charge of it, and then would surrender his certificate, not to a government, actuated by hostile feelings, but to the people of Kansas. He wanted the people of Kansas to select a successor, and when that is done there will be a man on the Senate floor true to the Union and to the cause of human freedom.

The papers were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Browning, of Ill., offered a resolution that the Secretary of the Treasury pay to the legal representatives of Stephen A. Douglas the amount of salary due at the time of his death.

The House bill relating to the further collection of imports, the force bill, was taken up and the bill passed. Yeas 36; nays 6. Messrs. Breckinridge, Bright, Johnson, of Missouri, Kennedy, Polk and Powell, voting in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the bill for the better organization of the military establishment, was taken up.

An amendment was passed providing for a superintendent of the Military Academy, to be selected from the army, and the engineer from the topographic and ordinance corps. An amendment was offered increasing the army rations, providing 22 ounces of bread or flour instead of 18; 1 pound bard bread, fresh beef instead of salt, when required; beans and rice, and potatoes when practicable, three times a week, when not practicable, other food equivalent in value. Without voting on the bill the Senate adjourned.

WASHINGTON CITY, July 12—HOUSE.—On motion of Mr Blair, the House went into Committee on the bill to authorise the employment of volunteers to aid in suppression rebellion against and defending the government of the United States. The bill provides that the President is authorized to accept the service of volunteers, either cavalry, infantry or artillery, as he may deem proper, to the number of 500,000, and to pay expenses attending the same, $500,000,000 to be appropriated.

After a long debate the bill was passed, with several amendments, one of which provides that all letters written by soldiers may be transmitted by mail without prepayment of postage, under regulations prescribed by the Post Master General. Adjourned.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Three companies sent for the relief of Col Smith, at Monroe, Mo., returned last night to Hannibal. They report the road unobstructed between Hannibal and Monroe. On arriving at the latter place, they formed a junction with Smith's force, who had entrenched themselves at the Academy buildings.—The rebels, 1200 strong, were grouped around over the prairie, out of reach of Smith's rifles. They had two pieces of artillery, which were brought to bear, but the distance was so great that the balls were almost spent before they reached our lines. Smith's artillery of longer range did considerable execution. The fight lasted until dusk.

The last shot from Smith's guns dismounted one of the enemy's. Just at that moment Gov. Wood, of Illinois fell on their rear with cavalry sent from Quincy on Wednesday, completely routing them, taking 75 prisoners, one gun, and a large number of horses; 20 or 30 of the enemy were killed. Not one man of the Federal forces was killed, although several were severely wounded. Col. Smith is determined to shoot some of the most prominent rebels. Gen. Tom. Harris, the rebel leader escaped.

PORTLAND, July 12.—The ship Mary Goodell, from New York to Buenos Ayres, has arrived. She repots having been boarded on the 9th, off Natucket South Shols in lat. 39:10, long. 67:30, by the privateer brig Jeff Davis, but her cargo being British property, she was released, after putting aboard Captain Tifield of the brig John Walsh, Captain Smith of the schooner S. J. Warning, and Deveraaux of the schooner Enchanter. The privateer took from the Mary Goodell five of her crew and a supply of water.

ST. LOUIS, July 12.—Col. McNeil publishes a proclamation to the people of Missouri, stating that the suppression of the *State Journal* was in consequence of its giving aid and comfort to those in active rebellion against the authority of the United States Government, and encouraging the people to take up arms against that authority, to commit an act of violence and oppression against the loyal citizens, and by the fabrication of false reports respecting U. S. troops, inciting disaffected citizens to the commission of overt acts of treason, with a view of entirely subverting the Federal authority in the State.

The Clinton, Mo., *Journal*, published by the printers in Major Sturgis' command, states that outrages are being committed along the western border of Missouri, by lawless banditti, led by Montgomery and Jameson. It is also authorized to state that they are acting without the authority or sanction of the United States, and will be treated as outlaws by all good citizens and soldiers, wherever found.

WHEELING, July 12.—The debates in the House of Delegates within the last day or two, have been very interesting. They occurred mainly on the resolutions of Mr. Carthers, of Brooke, to instruct the Senators to vote for men and money without stint to the government, and to oppose all compromise until the rebelion, was crushed, and upon the resolution of Mr. Vance, of Harrison, to protest against Mr. Lovejoy's repeal of the fugitive slave law. Mr. Carthers' resolution was passed with only one dissenting voice.

Mr. Arnold, of Lewis, is regarded as a doubtful Union man. Mr. Vance's resolutions were tabled by a large vote.

ST. LOUIS, July 12.—A gentleman from Hannibal last night, says Colonel Smith's command at Monroe, was reinforced by 300 mounted men from Illinois yesterday afternoon when the rebels were attacked and dispersed. Gen. Harris was forced to leave his horse and take to the woods. A number of the rebels were captured.

Capt. McAllister, reported killed, is only seriously wounded and will probably recover.

The Hannibal Home Guards arrived here safely last night.

Candidates

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