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WEDNESDAY MORNING:::JAN. 15

CITY MATTERS.

FROM WESTERN VIRGINIA.—The Wheeling *Press* contains the following items of interest:

On Saturday, Weeling was rife with rumors respecting the large force, superior munitions and threatening intentions of General Jackson towards Romney—the probability of an evacuation of that place by the Union forces; and the passage of five thousand troops to take place on Saturday night over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for Romney from no one knew where. On Sunday, the troops were said not to have gone over the road, and the order for their transportation thither was said to have been countermanded.

On Saturday, a letter was received in this city from a reliable party, dated Jan. 9th, saye: Col Annleansel is just in from Braxton, having traveled all night. On Tuesday, he made a successful reconnoisance at the Glades, above Sutton, in Webster county, and attacking three hundred rebels and killed twenty two of them, took twelve horses and ninety-seven head of cattle, without the loss of a man.

On Saturday, Mr. Bumgardner, U. S Marshal of Wayne county, arrived in this city, bringing with him three prisoners, A. J Buckner, from Cabell, a teamster of Humphrey Marshall's force; Marcus Bean, of Wayne county, a member of Jenkins' Cavalry, and George M'Corkle, also of Wayne, a home "scout."

Supreme Court.

Chief Justice Lowrie and Justices Woodward, Thompson and Read. The following opinions were delivered this morning:

Shippen vs Price, Motion to quash the appeal from Nisi Prius discharged.

Union Insurance Company vs Foy.—Motion to quash the writ of error is maintained and writ quashed.

Patterson vs Arnold and others, and Wallace vs Harmstead. Re argument ordered in both cases.

Forsyth vs Wells. Judgment reversed and new trial awarded.

Miller vs The Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company, Judgment affirmed.

Donnelly vs Ryan. Judgment reversed and a *venire facias de novo* awarded.

Cahill vs Redmond. Argued this morning and judgment granted. —*Philadelphia Bulletin of Monday*

COL EMORY'S SIXTH U. S. CAVALRY. The Sunday Morning *Chronicle*, Washington City, says of the regiment, a portion of which was recruited here: "Colonel Emory, of the Sixth U S. cavalry, located near the Poor House, informs us that the health of his regiment, thus far, has been most excellent. He also states, as an evidence of the discipline and good order which prevail in his camp, that he has at the present time but five prisoners at the guardhouse. The uniform good conduct noticeable in this regiment is attributed by the colonel to the assiduous attention and general liberality of spirit evinced by his officers towards the men, whose confidence and esteem they have so long enjoyed."

DAILY MAIL ON ROUTE No. 2651.—We understand a petition is being circulated in favor of an increase of mail service on the above route, which embraces the offices of Rich Valley, Walker's Mills, Noblestown, Candor, Burgettstown, Cross Creek, Patterson's Mills and Independence; and passes through a country thickly settled and inhabited by as intelligent and thriving a population as is contained in Pennsylvania It is said the papers printed in Washington come by way of Pittsburgh, when destined for the above named offices. We hope the prayer of the petitioners may be granted.

PITTSBURGHER ROBBED.—The Baltimore *Sun* says: On Saturday morning, while a crowd of persons were assembled at the corner of Baltimore and Calvert streets, to witness the passage of a train of army wagons, the pocket of Mr. John Schallenberger, of Pittsburgh, was picked of a wallet containing upwards of eighty dollars, principally in treasury notes in the denomination of five dollars. He had no idea when it was done, though a few minutes before he discovered that he had been robbed he had his hand on his pocket book.

LIBRARY LECTURE.—The distinguished orator and statesman, Edward Everett, is engaged to deliver an address under the auspices of the Library Association, at Concert Hall, on Tuesday evening, 21st—subject, "The Origin and Character of the War." It is the intention of the committee to have reserved seats throughout the hall, or at least a portion of it.

ASSAULT.—The Mayor had before him yesterday evening the captain and clerk of one steamboat and the mate of another, on cross suits for assault and battery. No one was much hurt, and the matter was, we believe, amicably adjusted. A man named Cahill was also before him, charged with assaulting his wife. He was held to answer.

BRUTAL.—Mayor Wilson yesterday committed to jail John Gavin, of "Hardscrabble," who had beaten his wife, suffering from erysipelas, knocking her down and kicking her until she was terribly disfigured, being cut and bruised frightfully. She was sent to the Poor House in such a condition that she may not recover. Gavin was committed for assault and battery with intent to kill.

DIRECTORS ELECTED.—At an election held at the office of the Allegheny Insurance Company on Monday, the following Board of Directors was elected for the present year: Isaac Jones, John D. McCord, C. G. Hussey, Harvey Childs, Richard C. Gray, Wm. Dean, Adam Jacobs, Robert B. Sterling, Robert H. Davis, B L. Fahnestock, John Irwin, jr., Robert L McGrew.

COLEEN BAWN.—This really beautiful drama is still drawing good houses at the Theatre. It is well cast and the characters generally are well rendered. It will be repeated to-night and is well worth a visit to the Theatre if only to hear Mr. Collins' fine singing.

MEADVILLE POST OFFICE.—There were mailed at the Meadville Post Office, for the quarter ending December 31st, 19,355 letters, being an increase of two thousand over the previous quarter. It is estimated the office will nett the Government $2,000 yearly over its expenses

HORSE STOLEN.—On last Friday night, a fine black horse, sixteen hands high, well built and high spirited, was stolen from the stable of Benjamin Smith, five miles North-east of Canton, Stark county, Ohio. Fifty dollars reward is offered for the recovery of the horse and thief or $25 for the horse alone. It is thought the thief took the Harrisburgh road.

DISCHARGED.—The jury trials for the present term of Court having all been disposed of Judge Mellon yesterday afternoon discharged the traverse jury with the thanks of the Court

SINGULAR.—Not a single "liquor case" has been tried at the present term of Court.

ADMITTED.—Mr. Hugh Duffy was yesterday, on motion of B. F. Jones, Esq., admitted to practice in the criminal courts of this county. Mr. Duffy passed a very creditable examination.

CAPT. E. S. WALCOT, of Colonel Black's regiment, is at home on a brief furlough.

Election of City Officers by Councils.

The Select and Common Councils met in joint session on Tuesday evening for the election of city officers. The Republicans, who have an overwhelming majority on joint ballot, as well as in each distinct branch, had nominated officers in caucus, and the election was considered a mere matter of form.

In Select Council the following members were present: Messrs. Allen, Dickson, Duncan, Lutton, Morrow, Miller, McMillan, McCarthy, Quinn, Reed, Rees, Thompson, Ward, McAuley, President—14.

The reading of the minutes of last meeting was dispensed with.

In Common Council, present: Messrs Armstrong, Bailey, Barckley, Carroll, Coffin, Colville, Diamond, Fryer, R. Hays, Hayden, Irvin, Kearns, Kelley, Killen, Kirsch, McClelland, McGowan, McGregor, McVay, O'Neill, Rebman Roberts, Smith, Snively, Zeihoffer, McCandless, Pres't—25

After prayer, by Mr. McGowan, the reading of the minutes of last meeting was dispensed with.

The Select Council now entered, and President McAuley presiding, the two bodies proceeded to elect city officers.

The caucus nominations were strictly adhered to throughout and the result was as follows:

City Solicitor—J. F. Slagle.
Recording Regulator—Isaac Morley.
City Assessor—J. D. Newman.
City Gauger—Matthew Edwards.
Superintendent of Markets—Thomas Dougiass.
Clerk of Markets—M. F Irwin
Monongahela Wharf Master—William Forsyth.
Allegheny Wharf Master—Jas. Allen.
Tobacco Inspector—Christ. Oyer.
Salt Inspector—Jacob Fedder.
Ashes Inspector—Ed Ditheridge.
City Printers—Gazette and *Dispatch* (English) and *Freiheits' Friend* (German)
City Job Printers—Singerly & Myers.
Street Commissioners—1st Dist: John Owens; 2d Dist: S B Coober.
Superintendent of Water Works—Jos. French.
Assessor of Water Rents—Robt, King
Board Measurers—First Ward—Robert Walker; Second Ward—John M'Kee; Third Ward—James M'Masters; Fourth Ward—Rowan M'Clure; Fifth Ward—Joseph Bowman; Sixth Ward—O. P. Gelsheimer; Seventh Ward—J B Crawford; Eighth Ward—H E. White; Ninth Ward—John Polsly.
Messenger to Committees—E F. Pratt.

The election of all the officers was unanimous, with the exception of the city printers. When the *Gazette* and *Dispatch* had been nominated, Mr Quinn nominated the *Post* and the vote being taken, resulted thus: *Gazette* 34; *Dispatch* 88; *Post*, 8.

Capt. Pratt being the last officer elected, returned thanks in a brief but patriotic address, in which he remarked that he was now entering into the fifteenth year of his service as Messenger.

The Select Council having retired President McCandless read the following committees, which had been appointed for the present year:

Finance—Brown, Phillips, Berger, S. C; Barckley, McGowan, Kearns, Holmes, C C

Water—Allen, Brown, McCarthy, Miller, S. C; McGregor, Bailey, Irvin, Hayden, Rowbottom, C. C

Streets, Grading and Paving—Ward, Reed, S. C.; Bailey, R. Hays, Coffin, C C.

Claims and Accounts—Thompson, McMillan, S. C.; Roberts, O'Neill, Rowbottom C C.

Monongahela Wharf—Morrow, Reed, S. C; A. Hays, Coffin, Long, C C.

Allegheny Wharf—Lutton, S. C.; McVay, R Hays, C C.

Ordinances—Dickson, Rees, S. C.; Kelly, Snively, Kirsch, C. C.

Gas Lighting—Miller, Wills, S. C.; Hayden, Rebman, Smith, C C

Police—Phillips, Duncan, S. C.; Barckley, Fryer, Killen, C. C.

Fire Engines and Hose—Quinn, Ward, S. C.; O'Neill, Long, Zeilhoffer, C. C.

Markets—Rees, Berger, S. C.; Armstrong, M'Gowan Diamond, C C.

City Printing—M'Millan, Morrow, S. C.; M'Clelland, Colville, Kearns, C. C.

Wooden Buildings—M'Carthy, Allen, S. C.; Carroll Irvin, Snively, C C

Appeals from City Assessments—Quinn, Lutton, S. C.; Killen, Rebman, Armstrong, C. C.

City Property—Dickson, Duncan, S C; Hays, Carroll, Fryer. C. C.

Aqueduct and Canal—Thompson, Wills, S. C., McVay, Smith, Holmes, C. C.

After adopting the rules of the last Councils for the government of this, the Council adjourned until the last Monday of the month, when the first regular meeting of the new Councils will be held.

The Select Council transacted no business after returning to its chamber.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Y. M. M LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The annual meeting of the Y. M Library Association, was held at the Library on Tuesday evening, 14th inst Hon D. Ritchie, President of the Board of Directors read his annual report. W H. Kincaid, Secretary, read the reports of the Treasurer and of the various committees: after which the annual election for officers for the current year took place Three tickets were in the field, but the following was successful:

President—James Park, Jr. Vice President—Felix R. Brunot, Secretary—Wm H. Kincaid. Treasurer—John Stewart Directors—Thos. H Rabe, Robt B Townsand, A. U. Howard, C A R Bennet, B B George. Auditors—Wm. Owens, Jr., Chas. H. Zug, James Caldwell.

FROZEN TO DEATH.—Mrs. Jane Galbreath, about thirty six years of age, residing at Dickson's coal works, in the vicinity of Ireland station, on the Allegheny Valley Railroad, was frozen to death on Monday afternoon. Her husband a coal digger employed at the works, had been as usual, on Monday, and returning in the evening for supper, missed his wife. She had "made up" some bread during the afternoon, which had been left unbaked, and a portion of meat was found upon the fire burnt to a crisp. Mr. Galbreath started out to search for his wife, but failed to obtain any tidings of her. When he returned he was attracted by the singular actions of a little dog, which kept running out towards a rabbit pen in the garden, as if to draw his attention there. Following the little animal, Mr. Galbreath was taken directly to his wife, who was lying upon the ground, in an insensible condition. She was still breathing but unable to speak He carried her to the house, placed her in bed, and laid down beside her for a time, but finding her limbs extremely cold, arose and bathed her feet with warm water. She still remained speechless, and soon after expired. Deceased was addicted to intemperance and the Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from exposure and intemperance.

DROWNED.—John River, of McKeesport, was drowned in the Youghiogheny, last Friday, by breaking through the ice, while attempting to cross the river on his return from Elizabeth. Deceased was about twenty-six years old and leaves a wife and one child.

REVIVED.—We are pleased to notice the reappearance of the Lawrence *Journal*, after a short suspension. G. D. Kuester succeeds his father, J. M. Kuester, in its publication.

THE last grand jury visited the House of Refuge and jail previous to their adjournment. They report both in good order and the inmates healthy.

LIEUT. SPENCER, of the Anderson Cavalry, was presented with a fine saddle and bridle by the company, last week at Louisville.

Allegheny Municipal Election.

The election for Mayor, Director of the Poor and Ward officers took place in Allegheny yesterday. There were three candidates for Mayor, viz Simon Drum, the present incumbent, Geo. Garber and James W. Roberts. For Director of the Poor, James P. Fleming had no opposition. In the First and Second Wards there was little or no opposition to the regular Republican tickets. In the Third Ward an opposition Republican, and in the Fourth a mixed Citizens' ticket was run. The result was as below. Those marked thus* are elected:

WARDS.	Mayor			Director of Poor
	Drum	Garber	Roberts	Fleming
First Ward	136	28	10	143
Second "	248	7	28	274
Third " 1st Precinct	156	34	5	115
" " 2d "	77	195	3	198
Fourth " 1st "	14	55	32	101
" " 2d "	50	10	0	47
	871	429	78	884

This gives Drum 344 over Garber and 266 over both.

WARD OFFICERS.

FIRST WARD—Select Council—Geo. Lewis,* 159; Common Council, A. D. Smith,* 171, Jos Love,* 178, J. H. Beattie,* 169, W. C. Stockton,* 168; School Directors—Moses Boreland,* 156; S P Shriver,* 155; Assessor—S Bulford,* 162; Judge of Elections—Robert White,* 156; Inspectors—W. H Robinson,* 150, D. W. Smith,* 146; Alderman—A Hay,* 16; Constable—David Gow*

SECOND WARD—Select Council—Joseph Kirkpatrick,* 272, John McDonald, 168; Common Council—Wm Tate, Jr.,* 317, H. M. Dunlap,* 249; John R. Brown,* 223, John Brown Jr.,* 252, A I. Morris 170, Geo Hutchison, 157, Wm Stewart, 142; School Directors—D Macferran,* 245, D G. Bradford* 244; Assessor—John Sterrett,* 242; Judge of Elections—Henry Ackley,* 258; Inspectors—W. W Marling* 231, Wm. McHendry,* 220; Constable—Hugh Gallagher,* 2.

THIRD WARD.

Select Council.

	1st pr.	2d pr.	Total.
Wm. Walker,* R	179	242	421
George Gerst,* R	112	204	316
Mich Voeghley, O	52	28	80
Common Council.			
Conrad C. Smith,* R	137	188	330
Gottlob Fass,* R	135	196	331
Jas McBriar,* R	157	177	334
Chas F Whitmore* R	185	216	400
Henry Gerwig, O	43	54	97
Jacob Hutchinson, O	57	109	166
Wm Owens, O	51	49	100
School Directors.			
Jas Brown,* R, 3 years	144	174	318
Jno Barr,* " 1 "	153	174	327
Jas Park, Jr.,* R 3 "	158	174	332
M McGonigle, O 3 "	14		14
Assessor.			
A C Alexander,* R	133	198	331
Judge of Elections.			
J L L Knox,*			128
Richard Brown,			88
Wm Miller,*			106
Charles Guttman, O			80
Inspectors of Elections.			
Robert Wray,* R			124
John Moore,* O			82
Charles Sauter,* R			101
G P Beckstein,* O			80
Charles Sleeper,* O			66

FOURTH WARD.

Select Council.

	1st pr.	2d pr.	Total.
Jas Marshal,* R	214	150	364
Common Council.			
Wm Smith, R	118	57	175
Louis Moul, R	111	63	174
John Meakins,* R	121	44	165
Andrew Davison,* R	133	55	188
Sylvester Baker,* O	107	98	205
R D Francis,* O	111	106	217
Geo Kelly, O	54	99	153
John Teisell,* O	90	116	206
School Directors.			
J S Slagel,* R	208	149	357
R Gleason, R	128	49	177
B Lutton Sr.,* O	80	100	180
Assessor.			
James Graham,* R	212	149	361
Judge of Elections.			
W W Ball, R	106		
Lewis Philips,* O	112		
Wm Burton, R		43	
Martin Leyf,* O		74	
Inspectors.			
Wm Burton,* R		118	
Thos Christy,* O		17	
C W Shafer,* R		46	
Jas A Hasell,* O		99	
Alderman.			
David Neely	162	93	255
Constables.			
Wm Hobson,* R	120	96	216
Wm Montgomery* R	73	25	98
F Scheide, O	12	25	37

Elections for Burgess and Council men were also held in the adjoining boroughs, but we are without returns.

AN OLD EDITOR DEAD.—We were informed last night that Mr. John Bausman, formerly editor of the *Tribune*, Washington, Pa, but more latterly connected with the *Gazette*, of this city, died yesterday at the Pennsylvania Hospital, of nervous atillity. He was widely known and will be generally regretted.

DEAD,—Since our outside went to press we learn the boy Grim, who had his leg cut off by a train on the P Ft. W. & C. R. R, died last night of his injuries.

CHARTIERS VALLEY RAILROAD ELECTION.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Chartiers Valley Railroad Company, held on Monday, the following Directors were chosen for the ensuing year: J K. Moorehead, Jacob Painter, Isaac Jones, D. T. Morgan, John H Ewing, Wm Park, Daniel Houston.

$24 000 were subscribed at a late meeting at Sharon, Mercer county, to secure the extension of the Pittsburgh and Erie Railroad from Jamestown to West Middlesex.

PAID OFF.—The First Pennsylvania Reserve Corps, Colonel Roberts, was paid off on Wednesday last.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH,

Last Night's News up to Two O'clock.

THIRTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—HOUSE.—Mr. Hutchins, of Ohio, advocated the abolition of the franking privilege. He said that while the *Globe* published the official proceedings of Congress, it was the Associated Press that conveyed the intelligence of the proceedings to the great mass of the people

Various amendments were rejected.

The question was then taken on striking out all of the bill excepting the first, which absolutely abolishes the franking privilege from and after the first of July, and decided in the affirmative by a large majority.

Mr. Odell, of N Y., offered the following substitute which was rejected, proposing to abrogate and repeal all acts conferring the franking privilege—the chief officers of the Post Office Department and the Deputy Postmasters, however, to be privileged to receive and send communications exclusively on official business. All letters, parcels, newspapers, periodicals, public documents and books printed by order of either House of Congress and all other mailable matter sent from or directed to any member of either House or to the Secretary of the Senate or Clerk of the House, shall be prepaid before their delivery at any Post Office for transmission in the mails Publishers of newspapers and periodicals may send to each other from their respective offices of publication, free of postage, one copy of each publication and may also send to each actual subscriber within the county where their papers are printed and published, one copy thereof free of postage, the act to take effect from and after the first day of July next

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, moved to table the whole subject. Disagreed to Yeas, 43; nays, 108 The bill was then passed. Yeas, 107; nays, 42; The bill as passed is as follows. Be it enacted, &c. that from and after the 1st of July, 1862 the franking privilege shall be and is hereby repealed.

The House, in Committee of the Whole, took up the bill making an appropriation to carry into effect the act providing for the exhibition of American product at the Worlds Fair.

Mr. Julian, of Md, made a speech maintaining that slavery was the basis of the insurrection, and that the National life and liberty can only be saved by giving liberty to all

After further debate the House tabled the bill by a large majority.

Adjourned.

SENATE.—Mr. Grimes moved to take up the bill relating to the jail delivery. He said the statement in the communication of Lamon was a true statement of affairs. He was refused admittance to the jail yesterday because he had not a pass from this foreign satrap who was brought here from Illinois to impose upon the inhabitants of the district. He intended to expose the character of this Marshal.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill taken up.

Mr Carlile said the Senate had spent time enough on this bill and he wanted it passed so as to remove one peg on which to hang sympathetic treaties on the negro race.

Mr. Morrill said he could not let this correction of an abuse go with a fling to this side of the chamber. This is simply a bill to correct an abuse against the liberty of every man and could not rest under the imputation of distributing this delicate relation of the negro question

Mr. Wilson thought that the Senator from Maine had done well in taking notice of the remarks of the Senator from Virginia.

We had been talked to here by Mason and he feared the Senator from Virginia was treading in the footsteps of his predecessor, but he neither feared rebukes nor wanted them, and he would also add his word of condemnation to the insulting conduct of Marshall Lamon The loyal people in the district were never so oppressed for ten years. A Colonel came to him to-day with an order from a Brigadier to send back a fugitive slave Thank God, that name has not passed the Senate. He thought it time we acted upon principles and rebuked these men who are a disgrace to humanity. In regard to the Marshall we ought to say to the President that he had insulted the Senate and must be removed

Mr Carlisle said the Senator could not have heard what he said He merely gave the expression of his own opinions that the time should be devoted to measures connected with the preservation of the Union.

Mr. Sherman said he had not heard a word unkind or improper from the Senator from Virginia, and thought his name ought not to be mentioned in connection with a traitor. He thought the time had arrived for important action in financial measures.

Mr. Fessenden said there was an erroneous impression in the country that the Senate should act on these financial measures immediately, and pass a tax bill The e bills all take time and deliberation, and Senators could not act till the bills came from the House He thought gentlemen should not be blamed, because in the intermediate time, they attended to other things.

Mr Wilson said he had listened to the language of the Senator from Virginia, and also to his speech before the holidays, and he thought he meant rebuke and reproach from his manner.

Mr. Carlile said his manner might be unfortunate but he never intended to make any reproaches and the Senator ought not to impugn motives where none avowed.

Mr Wilson expressed himself satisfied with the explanation and said he meant nothing unkind.

After further discussion a vote was taken on Powell's amendment to except fugitive slaves L st; yeas, Bayard, Kennedy, Pearce, Powell, Saulsbury, 5—nays—35.

Mr Clark offered an amendment that no person be hereafter confined in jail without a warrant from a magistrate or court, or an order from one of the Houses of Congress. Agreed to. The bill passed; yeas 31—nays Carlile, Kennedy, Powell and Saulsbury—4

On motion of Mr. Sumner, a bill for the relief of the owners of the British ship Petshire, was take up and passed.

Adjourned.

Rebel Depredations.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 14.—The rebels of Hammon's command came up the river on Sunday night, and burned the depot and a blacksmith shop, and took all the goods from the store of Mr Mustain at Horse Cave. They also burned the Woodland depot, Cave City Hotel and stable. The citizens at all these places were notified and escaped to Munfordsville, as the rebels stated that they intended to return on Monday night and burn every house that could be used by the Federal army in its advance as a hospital or quarters. They also burned up all the hay, oats and fodder stacks along the road, and drove off or killed all the cattle, horses and mules to be found

Not Resigned.

ST. LOUIS, January 14.—There is high authority for saying that General Sigel is still in Brigadier service at Rolla, Mo. court, and has no intention of resigning.

From Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 4.—The following official documents have just been received at the headquarters here:

PAINTSVILLE, January 8.

Captain J. B. Fry, A. A. G: I entered this place with the 42d regiment Ohio, 14th regiment of Kentucky and the 80th of the second Virginia cavalry. On hearing of my approach the main rebel force left their strongly entrenched camp and fled. I sent my cavalry to the mouth of Jennis where they attacked and drove the rebel cavalry which had been left as a vanguard, a distance of five miles, killing three and wounding a considerable number. Marshall's whole army is now flying in utter confusion. He had abandoned and burned a large amount of his stores. We have taken fifteen prisoners. Our loss was two killed and one wounded. I start in pursuit to-morrow morning.

J. A. GARFIELD.
Commanding Brigade.

HEADQUARTERS, 18TH BRIGADE,
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY,
January 11, 1862.

Captain J B. Fry, A. A. G.—I left Paintsville on Thursday noon with 1,100 men and drove in the enemy's pickets two miles below Prestonsburg. The men slept on their arms. At four o'clock yesterday morning we marched towards the main body of the enemy at the forks of Middle Creek, under command of Marshall.—Skirmishing with his outposts began at 8 o'clock, and at one o'clock, p. m., we engaged his force of 2,500 and three cannon posted on the hill. We fought them until dark, having been reinforced by 900 men from Paintsville and drove the enemy from all their positions. He carried off the majority of his dead and all his wounded.

This morning we found 27 of his dead on the field. His killed cannot be less than 60. We have taken 25 prisoners, 10 horses, and a quantity of stores. The enemy burnt much of his stores, and fled precipitately in the night. To-day I have crossed the river, and am now occupying Prestonburg. Our loss is two killed and twenty wounded. Signed,

J A GARFIELD,
Col. Commanding Brigade.

All is quiet down the road.

The Bowling Green correspondent of the Nashville *Courier* says that Gen. Johnston has called upon the Provisional Government of Kentucky for 25,000 infantry and 5 000 cavalry for three years.

Floyd's Brigade are going to Scottsville, Ky.

Marshall's Forces Retreating.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 14.—The War Department has received a dispatch from Col Garfield, dated Pointville, Jan. 8th confirms the report of the dispersion of Humphrey Marshall's forces. It says Marshall's whole army are now fleeing in utter confusion, and have burned a large amount of stores. We have taken 15 prisoners.

Another dispatch from Col. Garfield to Gen. Buell, dated Prestonburg, Jan. 11th. Left Pointsville on Thursday noon with 100 men; he engaged Marshall's force of 2 500 and these cannon posted on the hills, and fought them till dark, and drove them from all their positions. We counted 25 of their dead on the field. The enemy's loss cannot be less than 60 We took 25 prisoners and a quantity of stores. The enemy burned most of his stores and fled precipitately during the night. To-day I have crossed the river and have been occupying Prestonburg. Our loss is 2 killed and 25 wounded.

One hundred and twenty five condemned government horses were sold at auction today, bringing from one dollar to $98 for an average of $28 each. It is said that some of these animals have contagious diseases

Captain Tompkins of the U. S. Army, has been appointed Quartermaster at Annapolis to fill the vacancy.

The following changes it is rumored, will shortly be made: Colonel Biddle Roberts to be Provost Marshall for Washington, in place of General Andrew Porter, who will enter upon the field and General Seth Williams, Adjutant General of the army of the Potomac, to be Adjutant General of the army of the U S, in place of Adjutant General Thomas.

Arrival of the Champion.

NEW YORK, January, 14.—The steamer Champion has arrived from Aspinwall, bringing $885 973 in treasure from California

The United States tug Bambridge and the storeship Falmouth were at Falmouth on the 4th inst.

Advices from the Isthmus state that General Payson occupies Buena Ventura, and the entire Court of Cauca, except Tumaco, against which he had sent three vessels and a land force of 600 men, and there was no doubt of its capture. The Governor of Buena Ventura had been made prisoner.

General Lopez was besieging Popyican The news is entirely favorable to the Liberals.

Among the passengers by the Champion, is the late flag officer Montgomery, who is succeeded in the command of the United States squadron in the Pacific by Captain Bell, who arrived at Panama, with late Central American dates, and it was thought that some slight accident had occurred to her.

Mr. Matthews, British Minister to Guatemala, was at Panama.

A letter from St. Helena reports the capture by a British gun boat of the slave bark Tyra, of New York, with 825 negroes on board.

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☞ Any omission in our river columns will be accounted for by a death in the family of our river reporter.

☞ The fine packet steamer Iowa, W. A. Moore commanding, leaves this day for Cincinnati and Louisville. For speed, accommodations and attentive officers this boat has no superior.—The first clerk Capt. D. Moore, is one of the most correct business men that comes to this landing.

☞ The fine steamer Bay City, Capt. J W. Anawalt, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville This boat runs regularly in that trade, and makes her trips with promptness and despatch.—Mr. Dines, who has charge of the office is very popular, and has many friends.

☞ Commodore Hendrickson's fine packet Dicotah is announced for Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis She has undergone thorough repairs, and in fact Hendrickson, Mason and Evans (all first class mechanics) have devoted their undivided attention to bringing her out in better condition than ever, and they have succeeded. We take pleasure in recommending boat and officers.

☞ The far famed steamer St. Cloud, Capt. C. A. Dravo, is announced for Cairo and St. Louis on Wednesday This boat has unsurpassed accommodations, experienced and attentive officers. Capt. Dravo, as an officer and a gentleman stands A No. 1, while Capt. Bingaman, who has the charge of the office, has hosts of friends.

☞ The favorite steamer Saint Louis, Capt. C. A. Reno, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat makes her trips with great regularity, and is very popular with passengers and shippers. Our attentive friend Sealy will be found in the office.

☞ The first class passenger packet Melnotte, A. McGowin, commanding, leaves this day for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat is in fine order, and offers superior accommodations to passengers and shippers. Capt. McGowin, being an officer of great experience, is very popular, whilst our friend Lorens who has charge of the office, will see that passengers are well cared for.

☞ The fine steamer Emma, Captain J. H. Maratta, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. We take pleasure in recommending boat and officers.

☞ The steamer Saint Louis, Capt. S. A. Reno, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville on Thursday next. So look out.

☞ The splendid side wheel passenger steamer Commercial, Capt. G. W. Neare, leaves this day for Cincinnati, Cairo and St Louis. This boat has unsurpassed accommodations and is in charge of both careful and experienced officers ever attentive. Friend Dravo will be found in the office.

☞ Capt. George D. Moore's packet, Prima Donna, is announced for Cincinnati, Cairo and St. Louis.

☞ The splendid passenger steamer Citizen, Capt. R. Calhoun, leaves for Cincinnati, Louisville and Evansville on Wednesday, positively, at 9 a. m. This boat has the best accommodations, will run regularly in the trade, and leave on the day advertised This, together with the popularity of her officers, cannot fail to make her popular. The clerks are Messrs. Caughey and Eakin We take pleasure in recommending them

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