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PITTSBURGH, MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 14, 1862.

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suall place four miles. North of Pittsburg Landing. The First Attack. At two o'clock this morning, Col. Pea-body, of Prentiss' division, fearing that the miss quarter it seemed, for the period of four hundred men beyond the camp, for the 'purpose of looking after any fore which might be lurking in that direction. The Gurnhoat takes a Hand.

Merchant Tailors,

of the great pane at ban han, for appear-ances indicated that the same scenes were likely to be re-enacted upon this occasion. Men and women came promiscuously, singly and by dozens, filling the road, limping, staggering along, in some cases, sup-ported on the arms of comrades or others, but all having the same destination, and bent on the accomplishment of the same purpose, viz: to escape from the sound of the whizzing balls, which were flying in ev-

ry direction. The timely arrival of Gen. Grant, who The timely arrival of Gen. Grant, who that hastened up from Savannah, led to the adoption of such measures as put a termination to this uncalled for flight from the battle field. A strong guard was posted across the thoroughfares, with orders to halt every soldier whose face was turned riverward. Some few of the wounded were allowed to proceed, but the self-constituted riverward. Some few of the wounded were allowed to proceed, but the self-constituted guard who had chosen that as a means of escape, were made to keep within the lines under penalty of a stronger admonition at the hands of the established line of sen-trics. **Ten O'clock.** At ten o'clock the entire line on both sides was engaged in one of the most ter-

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The shots were thick and fastand told with thrilling effect. In the meantime General Wallace had

In the meantime General Wallace had taken a circuitous route from Crump's Landing, and appeared suddenly on the right wing of the enemy. In the face of this combination of circumstances the rebels failure, and as night was about at hand they slowly fell back, fighting as they weut, un-til they reached an advantageous position Buell and Nelson on Hand---Eight Hours More Hard Fighting --- The Rebels Forced to Re-

bill they reached an advantageous position, somewhat in the rear, and yet occupying the main road to Corinth. The gunboats continued to send their shell after them until they had entirely got beyond their reach. Thus ender an advantageous position, the main road to Corinth. The gunboats and yet occupying to be advantageous position, the main road to Corinth. The gunboats and the send their shell after them until they had entirely got beyond their reach. Thus ender a corint the send th PITTSBURG, April 7th, 1862. continued to send their shell after them much filed with the wounded, were en-until they had entirely got beyond their gaged in ferrying the troops belonging to reach. Thus ends an outline of the battle Nelson's Division from the opposite shore. For the first day.

those on shore, and returned lustily by those who had so opportunely arrived to take part in the battle of to-day. As the After a wearied watching of several take part in the battle of to day. As the boat reached the shore the troops immedi-ately left, and, without music, took their way to the advance on the left wing of our

way to the savance on the left wing of our forces. They received marching orders at a late hour in the afternoon, and had come on a "double quick" from Savannah. They gave, however, but little evidence of

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their kettles having been left behind, and the beating rain being sufficient to extin-guish any fire which they might kindle. No order had been given to keep cooked rations on hand previous to the fight, be cause it was but little expected that any would be needed in so short a period. Herein and a new reaction to the soil. climate, or herein and a new reaction to the soil. climate, or might injure the wrong party.' ferred to previously as being confined by sickness at Savanaah. His presence would have been a great benefit on this far as numbers were concerned --the hospi-tals having been tolerably well filled with

Carrying off our Surgeons. the sick previous to the attack. Though the health of the men was im

Carrying off our Surgeons. I found, even at the end of the first day's **F** lighting, that many of our surgeons were missing. They were known to have been at the hospital tents at the period in which the battle opened, but after this time they were not to be found. After the retreat of the enemy had began, and those of the sick who had been left in the hospitals were again under the protection of our troops, proving, yet there were many who had not yet been discharged as fit for duty. These were on the sick list at the time the enemy so suddenly made their appearance within the camps on the front lines. Many of them left for the river, an order being

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is killed, but upon investigation, I find that it is Colonel W. II. II. Wallace, of Illinois, who had been left in command of the force of General Smith: whom I have re-

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It was now a matter settled beyond dis

pute, that the onemy were retreating. They were making but little fire, and heading

The Charge of the Cavalry.

