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WEDNESDAY MORNING, JAN. 28.

CITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD INTELLIGENCE

Meeting of Coal Men.

The "coal men" of this vicinity and others interested in coal mining and the price of that indispensable article, held a meeting at the Board of Trade rooms yesterday morning.

The meeting was called to order by the appointment of John F. Dravo, Esq., as chairman and Jas. M. Bailey and Jas. O'Connor as Secretaries.

The President read the call and announced the object of the meeting.

Mr. A. D. Smith offered a preamble and resolutions and Mr. Jas. O'Connor another. The two were finally consolidated, as follows:

WHEREAS, The coal miners employed in the various collieries of this vicinity have notified their employers that they will not mine coal for them until they agree to advance the rate of digging to four dollars per hundred bushels; and

WHEREAS, All the employers have advanced the wages of miners from time to time until the advance has reached 50 to 100 per cent more than the rates paid at the time the first advance was given some four months since; and

WHEREAS, Three cents per bushel is nearly double the customary price and allows a very liberal compensation to the coal diggers for their labor; and

WHEREAS, The poor people and those of limited means, who consume coal, have a right to require the manufacturers not to pay an exorbitant price for digging coal, as by so doing the excessive price of fuel becomes an insupportable burden to the poor, to those of small means, and particularly to the wives, widows and orphans of our brave soldiers; and

WHEREAS, Many of the coal banks or collieries are in full operation, whilst a few unworthy and discontented persons have prevailed on some diggers to refuse work at three cents per bushel; and

WHEREAS, Were the employers to agree to a further advance, it would have the effect of raising the price of coal in this and other markets so high as to be opressive to the poor, and to some extent work against the manufacturing interest of this section, and promote a ruinous competition with the inferior coal of the Ohio Valley in the Western and Southwestern markets, and

WHEREAS, The price demanded is beyond all precedent, alltogether unreasonable, and entirely out of all character, when compared with the advance of the price of labor in other branches of industry in this and other sections; therefore

Resolved, That we will not give the exorbitant price demanded, as we believe the best interests of all parties will be subserved by continuing the present rate of mining at three dollars per hundred bushel.

Resolved, That we stand prepared to start our works whenever we can get miners, either here or from abroad, at three cents per bushel.

Resolved, That we deprecate the practice resorted to by some of the miners, of intimidating those who, from necessity or desire, wish to continue to work at the rates offered; and we trust a true sense of justice to their fellow workmen will govern and deter them from engaging in any such unlawful practice.

Resolved, That this meeting of coal men and others interested appeal to the public to sustain them in their efforts to have that necessary article, coal, furnished and mined at a fair and reasonable price.

Mr. Kinney offered a brief preamble and resolution, fixing the price to be paid for digging hereafter at two and a half cents per bushel, as a substitute. This was discussed briefly and finally rejected by a decisive vote, it being considered inexpedient to press a reduction at present.

The first preamble and resolutions were then unanimously adopted.

The President suggested that the coal interest of this vicinity was so vast that there should be some united action among all concerned and proposed the organization of a coal exchange.

Mr. Bailey said the coal dealers of the city had a small association of their own, which had proven most beneficial, and he would be glad to see a union of all the dealers in the vicinity.

Mr. Smith moved the appointment of a committee of five, to draft a constitution and effect a permanent organization of the coal men of the county. The motion prevailed and the chairman appointed the following committee: A. D. Smith, F. C. Negley, Simpson Horner, Geo. Lysle and Jas. Duncan, with instructions to report at a future meeting. The President was, on motion, added as chairman of the committee.

The meeting then adjourned.

The Homicide on the St. Patrick

The recent killing of John Brady, on the steamer St. Patrick by one Lockwood, is given in detail as follows: Lockwood and Brady who were both doubtless under the influence of liquor, were talking about the respective talents of the Wheeling and Pittsburgh pilots, Brady assuming the championship of the latter. They had not talked a great while when Brady knocked Lockwood down. This appeared to have ended the difficulty for the time, but in an hour or so afterwards Lockwood called Brady out upon the guards. A few words passed between the two when Lockwood was observed to draw a knife and cut Brady three or four times. Lockwood is said to have gone about the bloody work with great desperation. Brady's right arm was almost severed from his body and the knife seemed to have been turned in his person. The boat stopped at Pomeroy, where Lockwood was arrested and committed to jail and the body of Brady was transferred to the steamer Liberty to be conveyed to Wheeling.—Lockwood is said to be a violent ruffian. He lives about Buffington, runs a little whisky boat, and makes a living by picking up goods lost from steamers in low water. He is known along the river as a wrecker and pirate.

Methodist Episcopal.

A large meeting of the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church was held in Philadelphia on Thursday night, and resolutions adopted declaring that the growth of the sentiment in favor of lay representation in the councils of the church, as manifested by various circumstances, especially the encouraging vote recently cast in its favor is a sure guarantee of future success, it pressed in the same spirit that has characterized the movement, and recommending a call of a convention of the whole church, prior to the meeting of the general conference to consider the subject.

Pittsburgh Steamer on Fire.

On last Sunday morning the steam tug Liberty, while lying at the foot of Race street, Cincinnati, took fire, and in a short time her upper works were almost entirely consumed. The fire originated through the ignition of some oil on the floor, by coals falling from the furnace. The crew barely had time to escape from their beds to the shore, without even saving their cloths. The hull was saved. The enginess were but little injured, and the boat can be put in good order at a cost not exceeding $2,500. The boat was commanded by Capt. Garland, and is owned in this city. The loss was covered by insurance.

General Jackson.

Pittock has for sale card photographs of the lamented Gen. C. F. Jackson.

Paying Pennsylvania Troops.

A resolution has been read in the House providing for the payment of the State troops. It requires the Governor immediately after the passage of the joint resolution to proceed according to the provisions of the act of Assembly of the 2d of April, 1862, to pay the militia called into the service of this State and of the United States by order of the 11th of September, 1862, out of moneys in the State Treasury, leaving the question of the liability of the United States for said payment to be hereafter adjusted by the proper authorities of this State and the United States.

Wounded in the 77th.

The following are the names of the wounded and missing in Capt. Lawson's company, attached to the 77th Pennsylvania regiment, who were in the recent fight at Murfreesboro: Alexander Getty, East Liberty, wounded in the leg; And'w, Hinehine, East Liberty, slightly in the face; Wm. Gansler, East Liberty, wounded in leg and taken prisoner; John Higgins, Larimer's Station, wounded in hand and taken prisoner; Charles McFarland, East Liberty, missing; Robert Mitchell, Larimer's Station, missing.

For the Western Service.

Rear Admiral D. D. Porter advertises for men of the common grades for the Western gunboat service, from yeoman to coal heavers and common seamen. The Admiral sets forth the many inducements to enter the service, which promises good pay, subsistence and promotion to all.—The enlistments will be for the war or one year. If for the war two months' advance will be paid. The wages of common seamen is $14 per month, and all must enlist as such to be raised to such higher grades as they may be suited for.

Postage Currency.

Capt. Chas W. Batchelor, collector of the Port, gives notice that postage currency in reasonable amounts, will be furnished at the Custom House, in exchange for government funds, daily, from 10 o'clock a. m., to 3 p. m.

Chanfrau.

"Ragged Pat" attracted a fair audience to the Theatre last evening, considering the weather, but there was still plenty of room. We hope to see a better attendance to night, when Mr. Chanfrau appears in a good bill.

Arrested.

John Forney, who last week shot Lieut. Ford, of the Provost Guard, at McConnellsburg, Pa., was arrested and taken to Harrisburg on Saturday. The case will be submitted at once to Capt. Lane, the Superintendent of recruiting at Harrisburg.

Interred.

The remains of Robert Long, of the St. Clair Guards, 62d regiment, who fell in the battle of Fredericksburg, were interred on Monday from his late residence in Upper St. Clair township.

Argument List.

Judges Sterrett, Mellor and Stowe are engaged upon the argument list in the Common Pleas Court, but the cases are not of much interest.

Steamboat Sold.

The steamer Altamont, which has been lying at the Wheeling landing for several months, was sold on Saturday last to Messrs. Fink, Reed and others, for $6,700. The Altamont is about eight years old, but her hull is quite new and in good condition.

Died of his Wounds.

The Cincinnati papers announce the death of Corporal Geo. Jamison, of Co. D, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry, from wounds received in the battle of Murfreesboro'.

Sketches in Peru.

This is the subject of a lecture to be given at Wesley Chapel to Rev. J. A. Swaney, a gentleman well calculated to enlighten and amuse his audience on the institutions of the old country about which cluster so many traditions of the past. There is little doubt but the lecture will be largely attended.

Evening Journal Almanac.

We have been favored by the publishers, Messrs. Weed, Parsons & Co., of Albany, with a copy of the Evening Journal Almanac for 1863. It is a book of 144 pages, into which is crowded more valuable information concerning the country and its resources, the army and navy, the great rebellion, &c., than we have ever seen in the same space. Send fifteen cents to the publishers, Messrs. Weed, Parsons & Co., and get a copy to keep for daily reference.

Positively the Last Week of Goodwin & Wilder's Polymoramas.

We regret to state that this splendid exhibition will leave us so soon, for never have our citizens been more highly entertained than by witnessing this superb work of art. They will give exhibitions every evening this week and a grand matinee for ladies and children this afternoon, and on Friday afternoon an exhibition for the benefit of the Welsh Calvanist Church. We would say do not lose this, the last chance of seeing one of the finest entertainments that ever visited our city.

Harper for February.

We have received the February number of Harper's Monthly—always welcome—this time more so than ever—as it contains more than usually attractive variety of matter, with several illustrated articles. Pittock, opposite the Postoffice, has it for sale.

Artemas Ward.

The lovers of fun must be on hand tonight to hear Artemas Ward deliver his "olla podrida" entitled "Sixty Minutes in Africa." We expect to see Lafayette Hall crowded this evening. All who attend can surely make it pay.

Singing.

H. D. Brecht, teacher, No. 128 Smith field street.

MONEY MARKET.

The following rates were maintained by our Brokers yesterday, vis;

Gold	40	Silver	30
Demand Notes	35		

Eastern Exchange.

New York	¼	Philadelphia	½
Baltimore	¼	Boston	¾

Western Exchange.

Cincinnati	par	Cleveland	par
Louisville	par	St. Louis	par

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ROSECRANS TO BE REINFORCED.

Vicksburg and Port Hudson to be Taken.

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

From San Francisco.

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

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The Herald says: It appears that the leading members of the party, foreseeing that if the war is protracted much longer under its present conditions, the people will shut down on them, and refuse them further supplies of men or money, have hit upon a scheme which they believe will insure the realization of the objects for which they have made such reckless sacrifices of the national resources. It is in the first place their intention to push forward the campaign with all the vigor possible during the next three months, and with this view Gen. Hooker has been placed in command of the army of the Potomac, in the belief that the dash and impetuosity by which he is distinguished will materially conduce to that object.

Whether this officer possesses the capacity to maneuver a large army, such as is now under his orders, or whether he has ability enough to surmount the difficulties opposed to his progress by causes which are usually deemed to be beyond human control, of course has yet to be settled.

The principle of concentration is to be carried out generally in our military arrangements.

Heavy reinforcements are to be sent to Rosecrans.

Vicksburg and Port Hudson are to be attacked by forces sufficient for their reduction; Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah and Mobile are to be assailed in succession, and another effort is to be made to capture the rebel capital. All these objects accomplished, it is expected that by the first of May next the rebels will be brought to terms.

The Herald's Washington correspondent says:

Among the on dits afloat in this city with regard to the change in the command of the army of the Potomac is, that General Burnside insisted on being relieved from his command, on the ground of a difficulty between Gen. Hooker and himself.

It appears that when Gen. Burnside discovered that his artillery, &c., had stuck in the mud, he proposed in an assembled council of war to leave the artillery and make a bold attack with his infantry, on the ground that the rebels would not be more able to move their guns than himself.

Gen. Hooker opposed this, and said he would not go without the artillery.

This opposition caused the expedition to be abandoned, and the army ordered back. Gen. Burnside then came to this city and resigned.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The steamer Saxonia arrived up at one o'clock.

She reports that the steamer Etna arrived at Liverpool on the 18th and the Bohemian on the 14th.

It is rumored that Napoleon has renewed his proposal of a joint mediation in America.

The London Observer says no such offer has been made to England.

The Emperor has distinctly intimated to Minister Dayton his refusal to submit to any proposition for the settlement of the American dispute.

The London Times thinks that the only way to settle the dispute would be for the Federal Government to dissolve itself, and declaring the sovereign independence of each State, leave each perfectly untrammelled to form its own connections for the future, a position of affairs which might enable, under mutual compromises, a new federation to be formed that should again comprise the whole of them.

The metropolitan railway has been opened.

FRANCE—On the opening of Legislative Chambers, the Emperor said:

"The condition of France would be flourishing if the American war had not dried up one of the most fruitful sources of our industry. A public grant will be asked for the cotton operatives. I have attempted to send beyond the Atlantic advices inspired by sincere sympathy, but the great maritime powers do not think it advisable as yet to act in concert with me. I am obliged to postpone to a more suitable opportunity an offer of mediation, the object of which was to stop the effusion of blood and prevent the exhaustion of America, whose future cannot be looked upon with indifference."

ITALY.—Garibaldi has accepted the Presidency of the new Roman Committee of Action. He asks the Romans to listen more to his counsels, and have confidence in themselves alone.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Consols closed dull at 92¾.

SPAIN.—Reports are current of ministerial modifications in the cabinet at Madrid.

The discussion of Mexican affairs continues in the Cortes. Senor Olazaga complains that Spain has lost two millions piastres and a great number of troops in the campaign, and without result. He blames Collantes for not protesting against the French candidature of Arch Duke Maximillian, instead of supporting the interests of a Spanish Prince for Mexico.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—The steamer Sonora, which arrived here to-day from Panama, reports that four French war vessels bombarded the town of Acapulco, Mexico, for three days, commencing on the 16th. The fire was returned from the fort, doing some damage to the vessels. The people abandoned the town.

After killing 14 of the Mexican garison, the fort was finally silenced, when a hundred sailors landed and spiked the guns. The fleet then left.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Thos. H. Crawford, Judge of the Criminal Court of the District of Columbia for the past 17 years, died to-day after a long illness.

A Board of officers of engineers and quartermaster's department, has been ordered to meet in this city for the purpose of considering the subject of improvement in pontoon bridges and their transportation.

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

HEADQUARTERS ARMY POTOMAC, January 27.

The following order has just been published to the army:

HEADQUARTERS ARMY POTOMAC, CAMP NEAR FALMOUTH, Jan. 26.

GENERAL ORDER NO. 1.

By direction of the President of the United States, the undersigned assumes command of the Army of the Potomac. He enters upon the discharge of the duties imposed by this trust, with a just appreciation of their responsibility. Since the formation of this army he has been identified with its history. He has shared with you the glories and reverses with no other desire than that those relations might remain unchanged until its destiny should be accomplished.

In the record of your achievements there is much to be proud of, and with the blessing of God, we will contribute something to the renown of our arms and the success of our cause.

To secure these ends, your commander will require the cheerful and zealous cooperation of every officer and soldier in the army:

In equipment, intelligence and valor, the enemy is our inferior. Let us never hesitate to give him battle whereever we can find him.

The undersigned only gives expression to the feeling of this army, which he conveys to our late commander, Maj. Gen. Burnside, the most good wishes for his future, my staff will be announced as soon as organized.

Signed, JOSEPH HOOKER,
Major General Commanding Army of the Potomac.

The only movement to day is a change of locality for the Headquarters.

A rain is falling with the wind Southwest and the temperature mild.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—At the close of the Senate to-day an exciting scene occurred. A long debate ensued on the bill for the indemnification of the President and others for suspending the writ of habeas corpus and acts done in pursuance thereof. Mr. Saulsbury, of Delaware, made a long speech and was called to order several times. Finally, when censuring the course of the President of the United States, and calling him imbecile and calling him by name, the Vice President called him to order and requested the Senator to take his seat. Mr. Saulsbury, continuing his remarks, the Vice President said if the Senator did not take his seat he should order the Sergeant-at Arms to take him in charge.

Mr. Saulsbury—Then the voice of freedom is not allowed in the American Senate?

Vice President—The Sergeant at-Arms will take the Senator into custody.

The Sergeant-at-Arms then took the Senator into custody and conducted him out of the Senate, Mr. Saulsbury displaying a revolver which he took from his coat pocket. After a short time Mr. Saulsbury came in the Senate again and began to speak.

Chair, (Mr. Clark in the chair.)—The Senator will take his seat.

Mr. Saulsbury—Just as I please; not otherwise.

Mr. Sumner rose to a question of order that the Senator from Delaware had been committed to the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and yet he saw him on the floor of the Senate.

The chair said the Senator was in custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and if he made further disturbance he would be removed from the Senate.

Mr. Saulsbury took his seat, shaking his fist and swearing at the Sergeant-at-Arms and Sumner. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The Secretary of State, in answer to a Senate resolution passed on the 18th inst., asking for the correspondence in relation to the capture of British vessels sailing from one British port to another, having on board articles contraband of war for the use of the rebels, sent in seventeen papers dating from July 30th to the 26th of February, with many other minor letters—The first is a letter from Mr. Stuart relative to the capture of the steamer Adela, bound to Nassau, by the U. S. steamer Quaker City. The Captain of the latter denied having fired into the Adela within two and a half miles from the coast without showing her colors, and stated that he proceeded under the instructions of Flag Officer McReon, to intercept a vessel of her appearance with a cargo of contraband goods.

Mr. Seward asserted that the government had no desire to claim any unusual belligerent rights, and promised to send the correspondence in evidence to the Maritime Court adjudicating the case in Florida. The U. S. Marshal at Leeds, furnishes the evidence that the vessel intended to run the blockade. The case of the British brig Lilla is also referred to Lord Lyons, under date of January 26th, 1863. He writes to Mr. Seward that Earl Russell had caused a letter to be addressed to the General Postoffice, stating that so long as the present blockade lasts, great caution should be observed as to the class of vessels to which mail bags should be intrusted.

From some comments in the newspapers it is proper to state that the gunboat Slidell, reported as having surrendered to the rebels, did not belong to the navy and there is no such officer as Van Dorn connected with it.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided, that assessors may assess as dealers, persons who sell commodities from vessels, boats or barks, or who sell logs and lumber in rafts, and the assessors will report to the collectors accordingly, together with the name of vessel employed in each case, if any, and the license will be prepared in conformity with such return. Applications for license should be made and the license issued in the collection district where the licenser resides.

John Rowe has been confirmed by the Senate as postmaster at Portsmonth, Ohio.

The new general-in-chief of the army of the Potomac arrived in town this morning, and was in consultation with the President and Secretary of War during the forenoon.

In the McDowell Court of Inquiry, Lt. Col. Locke, late of Gen. Porter's Staff, was examined, testifying that he saw Gens. McDowell and Porter together at Bethlehem Church, on the 29th of August, and that on the same day he carried to Gen. King an order from Gen. Porter, to remain where he was, and to hold himself in readiness to move with him to Gainesville.

Gen. King being called, testified that he did not see McDowell on that day except at Manassas, at 8 o'clock A. M.

Colonel King testified that Gen. McDowell was with King when he gave King the order from Porter.

Captain Hughes, Aid-de-camp to Gen. McDowell, being sworn, corroborated the testimony of King.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The Northern Light, from New Orleans on the 17th, arrived at this port at two o'clock this afternoon.

The main features of her news have been anticipated by the arrival yesterday.

Gen. Banks has issued an order assessing the rebel sympathizers for the support of the poor within his district, disposing of confiscated estates, &c., and allowing produce to be sold in open market by well disposed persons; also, requiring all persons who are registered as enemies of the government to take an oath of allegiance.

The order further states that all insults offered to the soldiers of the U. S. army will be punished.

It was reported at Key West that the rebel pirate Ovieto had escaped from Mobile and captured and burned a Boston brig off Tortugas, on the 17th.

The steamer Arago, from Hilton Head, on the 24th inst., arrived at this port today.

Gen. Barnum and staff are among the passengers.

The battery, Montauk, and others, left Hilton Head on the 24th.

Major Gen. Hunter had arrived out and taken command of the Department.

Col. Rich, of the 9th Maine volunteers, has resumed command of his regiment.

The rebel ram, Atlanta, now lies in full view of our blockading fleet, in Ossibon Sound.

The gunboat Vanderbilt was at Port Royal, repairing the damages she sustained in a gale.

The Arago brings the remains of Col. Nathaniel Brown and Lieut. Manton, of the 3d Rhode Island artillery, in charge of Major Freeze.

NEWBERN, N. C., Jan. 20.—Capt. Ashcroft, of 3d N. Y. artillery, stationed at Fort Hatteras, has received authority from Major General Foster to raise a battalion of artillery from the citizens there, and with excellent prospects of success.

Maj. Gen. Foster is desirous of the organization of loyal native North Carolina regiments of artillery and cavalry.

From Southern papers received here it appears that great consternation and excitement has been occasioned in the interior, by the reported concentration of federal troops in this Department.

It has been ascertained that 75,000 rebel troops have been sent into North Carolina from the Rappahanock, and another force has been withdrawn thence for the southwest.

The rebels believe that the army of the Potomac is completely demoralized and on the eve of mutiny, hence their withdrawal of troops to these points.

The English frigate Cadmus left Fortress Monroe this morning for Charleston, S. C.

The steamboat Starr was discharged from service yesterday, and returned to Baltimore to-day.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The steamer Oregon arrived at this port to-day, from Mazatlan on the 17th inst.

The French fleet was expected daily to make its appearance at Mazatlan.

There was a force of 3,000 Mexican soldiers in the city, but they would retire to a distance inland when they would come and make a stand, should the French occupy the place, which is defenceless against a bombardment.

Great activity prevails in mining operations in Sonora and Sinaloa, and very superior machinery was being erected at the several silver mines.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 27.—Yesterday a building (No 29) on East Front street, occupied by Riggs & Murray, (steamboat painters,) French, Wilson & Eveland, (feed store,) was partially destroyed by fire. Total loss about $12,000.

This morning, Evans, Gaines & Co's pork house was also destroyed in the same manner, and a large quantity of pork and lard consumed. Insured.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 27.—HOUSE.—The House considered the Senate bill providing for the pay of certain persons over 45 years of age, who entered the military service.

Mr. Holman, of Indiana, offered an amendment, which was devoted to increase the pay of the soldiers two dollars per month, and those who are honorably discharged before the expiration of their term of service their proportionate amount of bounty.

During the discussion the justice of such legislative action was enforced, while on the opposite side it was contended that if the soldiers were wounded, they received hospital attentions besides being placed on the pension rolls. In addition to this many of them had received State bounties, and it was necessary to pay the debts already contracted instead of incoming additional obligations. The bill was recommitted to the Committee on Military Affairs.

SENATE.—Mr. Howard, of Michigan, introduced a bill in relation to the time of holding the U. S. Circuit and District Courts. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Pomeroy, of Kansas, introduced a bill supplementary to an act to provide for the better organization of the military establishment of the United States. Referred.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill to authorize contracts to be made in such States as may advance the pay and allotment to volunteers and the militia in the service of the United States. Referred to the Military Committee.

Mr. Hale, of New Hampshire, offered a resolution instructing the Committee on National Affairs to inquire into the expediency of increasing the compensation of Paymasters' Clerks in the United States Navy. Adopted.

Mr. Browning, of Ill., offered a resolution, which was adopted, that the military committee inquire into the expediency of authorizing the President to offer volunteers, now in the service, such bounty as he may deem necessary to secure their reenlistments; also, into the expediency of authorizing the President to offer such bounty for the reenlistment of such volunteers for one year or a longer time; also into the expediency of providing by law for three months volunteers, either by enlistment or draft.

A motion to take up the resolution calling for a record of the testimony taken in the Court Martial of Fitz John Porter, was disagreed to—yeas 18, nays 22.

The bill to provide for the removal of the Indians from Kansas, was passed.

The bill for the removal of the Sioux Indians from Minnesota, was taken up.

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☞ The above sale is postponed to the 9th February next, (Tuesday.)

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

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Gallatin, Clarke, do
Armada, Johnston, Wheeling.

DEPARTED.
Franklin, Bennett, Brownsville.
Gallatin, Clarke, do
Minerva, Gordon, Wheeling.

☞ The river—Last evening at twilight there were 11 feet water in the channel, and both rivers rising. Rainy all day.

☞ The Wheeling packet for to-day is the new steamer Armada, Capt. G. W. Johnston. She leaves punctually, passengers and shippers bear this in mind.

☞ The new packet, Nevada, Captain Brickell, being unavoidably detained on account of the wet weather; will leave this day positively for St. Louis and intermediate points.

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1st. Is such a person (giving name and regiment) at present in any hospital of the army of the West?
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The office of the Directory will be open daily from 8 o'clock a. m., to 8 o'clock p. m., and accessible in urgent cases at any hour of the night.
JOHN S. NEWBERRY, M. D.,
Secretary for the Western Department U. S. Sanitary Commission, No. 439 Walnut-St., Louisville, Kentucky. Jan14:3md.

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W. O. HUGHART,
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