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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG. 5.

CITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD INTELLIGENCE

Democratic County Committee.

The Democratic County Committee will meet next Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Democratic Central Club Room, corner of Smithfield and Fifth streets.

A Chapter of Outrages.

Night before last taking advantage of the present unprotected condition of the city, the roughs commenced their work of midnight outrages, We do not pretend to give the list in the order that they occurred, but as we gathered them up in different parts of the city.

The first we shall mention was that of two gentlemen from Cresson, guests at the St. Clair Hotel. They were returning to the Hotel, about 12 o'clock, when as they were crossing Liberty street from Market, they were encountered by a gang of five ruffians, one of whom run against one of the gentlemen.—He remonstrated with them, when the whole five closed in upon them, and attempted to rifle their pockets. At this time quite a number of persons were passing and repassing. Failing to obtain anything, they commenced an assault upon the two gentlemen, who broke from them and run to their hotel. The villains followed them, and four went to the opposite corner, while one entered the office. One of the gentlemen had by this time changed his torn hat and cost, and coming down stairs recognized the fellow who had followed him into the hotel, and immediately knocked him down. The fellow showed fight, but the parties were separated by gentlemen who were sitting around, and who were ignorant of the cause. The rascal then went to his companions across the street, and the five commenced using abusive language, and dared the Cresson gentleman to come out; failing in their endeavors, they armed themselves with heavy paving stones which would weigh probably from 12 to 15 pounds each, and began to throw them through the windows. After indulging in this sport for a few minutes they ran off, three of them going up Penn street, when one dodged into Scott alley, and the other two went around the corner of the church, when they stopped and remained there talking a long time.

Another outrage was committed by some scoundrels, probably the same gang entering the Eagle Hotel, and beating the Watchman and Porter of the establishment.

The third outrage was that of knocking down Mr. McFettridge, near Savage's saloon at the Penn's Central Railroad passenger depot, whom they robbed of $20.

The fourth was knocking down Mr. McGregor of the Fifth Ward, whom they robbed of $60.

The fifth was knocking down a soldier, near Savage's saloon, and robbing him of $40.

The sixth was smashing in the entire window in the front of Paul Stoelzing's bakery, on Smithfield street, below Sixth. This was purely malicious mischief, as they could not hope to be benefitted in any way by it.

The seventh was breaking the windows at Bollman's Foundry, on Smithfield street above the Postoffice.

The eighth was smashing the window at Hageman's tobacco store, No. 342 Liberty street. At this place the shutters were only over the lower half of the window, and they had first attempted to wrench the shutters from their place, but failing in that, destroyed the glass.

The ninth was at T. & J. McQuisten's paint shop, where they broke the glass with sticks, and made a most outrageous noise.

The tenth was a soldier whom they attempted to rob, on the corner of Seventh and Smithfield. They attempted to search his pockets, but did not succeed. He broke from them and run, and got into the Eagle Hotel. Here they assaulted another soldier whom they found there.

The eleventh was fighting and rioting in Fifth street, near Wood. They left this locality shouting and singing obscene songs.

The twelfth was rioting and fighting on the corner of High and Wylie streets. We are informed that these were the Mud Larks.

And thirteenth a fight at a beer hall in Diamond alley, between Wood and Market.

Up to five o'clock last evening but one arrest had been made; the ringleader was arrested on the corner of Seventh and Smithfield streets, and was lodged in the watch house. Warrants are in the hands of the officers for a number of others, who will, without doubt, be arrested.

The cause of all this rioting is apparent. A set of men, freed from that restraint that the law imposes upon them by the presence of its officers, allow their evil dispositions unlimited sway. No matter who the unoffending victims may be, there is nothing to check them, and he must suffer. We ask the question, in all seriousness, how long will this state of things be allowed to exist? We have all the forms of municipal government; let us also realize its effects. The way that matters now are it is positively unsafe for honest people to be abroad after dark. We make an earnest appeal to those having the authority to make an immediate move in this matter.

For the Post.

MR. EDITOR: The *Chronicle* of yesterday stated that a white man had been hand-cuffed and received fifty lashes on his bare back with a raw hide in the hands of a corporal at the instance of an officer in the Provost Marshal's office. I wish to know whether this be true or not, and what authority there is for this degrading punishment? *

We are not able to inform our correspondent, and do not believe a word of the charge. It is not probable an "unusual punishment" would be inflicted even after conviction—much less without trial or at the instance of the Provost Marshal—noted as he is for tenderness of heart and most forgiving disposition.—ED.

In the City.

Among the guests at the Monongahela House, delegates to the Republican Convention in this city, we notice the names of Messrs. Jas. W. Packer, W. E. Moorhead and J. M. Moorhead, of Philadelphia, W. H. Painter, Esq., of the Philadelphia *Inquirer*, E. Darlington, Col. A. K. McClure, of Chambersburg, Col. Eli Slifer, Secretary of State, Harrisburg, Col. L. Todd, of Carlisle, Hon. W. W. Ketchum, and Capt. R. F. Clark, of Luzerne, Jno. E. Norcross, Esq., of the Associated Press, and Hon. Geo. Taylor, and Hon. Samuel Calvin, of Huntingdon. At the St. Charles, S. E Cohen, Esq., editor of the *Dial*, Philadelphia, and S. J. Rea, reporter of the Philadelphia *Inquirer*.

Fire.

The alarm of fire last night, was occasioned by the burning of James Reese's Machine Shop, corner of Hay street and Duquesne Way. It had been fired by an incendiary, about two hours before, but it was thought that it was extinguished. The last time the alarm was given, it was burning vigorously in the fourth story.—We were unable last night to obtain the amount of loss.

SUPERIOR Furniture at Auction this morning at 10 o'clock, at McClelland's Auction; also one of Mr. Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The different conferences of this Society, which has done so much for the relief of the poor in our midst during the past two years, held its first general meeting in the basement of St. Paul's Cathedral, on Sunday evening, June 19, 1863, at which most interesting reports of the good done by the Society from the period of their organization until July 1, 1863, from the different conferences, were read for the information of the friends and benefactors. We regret that the press upon our columns will not permit us to give more than the statistical synopsis attached to each report.

St. Paul's Cathedral Conference, was organized February 17, 1861.

Members admitted	148
Members deceased	3
Members now on active roll	74
Number of persons visited and relieved, including children	1,344
Number of visits made	632
Number of families relieved	485
Number of families on relief roll	49

RECEIPTS.

Collections at meetings	$453 79
Donations	147 31
Collections in Cathedral	299 47
Proceeds of lectures, pic nics, &c	877 26
	$1,768 83

EXPENDITURES.

For provisions and fuel	$930 81
For clothing	281 89
Funeral expenses	49 38
Subscription for relief of poor in Ireland	50 00
Donation to Ladies' Conference for purchase of clothing material	65 00
Support of orphan children and foundlings	74 00
School books, medicines, &c	58 37
Conference expenses	103 52
Balance in Treasury	$1 606 80
	$162 03

Ladies' Conference of St. Paul's Cathedral was organized February 1, 1863.

Number of active members on roll	64
Number of honorary members	11
Number of persons visited and relieved	157

RECEIPTS.

Collections at meetings	$33 00
Donations	40 00
Other sources	92 00
	$165 00

EXPENDITURES.

For provisions	$6 84
Dry goods	128 33
Sundries	4 10
Balance in Treasury	$141 67
	$23 93

In addition, about 150 articles of second-hand clothing have been collected from different sources and distributed. Of the dry goods purchased, 110 yards of muslin for under clothes, and 108 yards of dress goods, and 14 suits of boys' clothing, have been cut out and distributed amongst the poor, and made up under the direction of the Society.

The male conference of the Cathedral now devotes its care almost entirely to furnishing coal, provisions, shoes, &c., and the female conference to furnishing clothing and bed clothes.

St. Patrick's Conference, organized February 17, 1863.

Number of members	34
Number of families relieved	57

RECEIPTS.

Collections at meetings	$206 57
Proceeds of lectures	200 00
Other sources	30 00
	$436 57

EXPENDITURES.

Provisions and fuel	$186 70
Clothing	47 00
Rent of poor families	30 00
Funeral expenses	40 57
Books and stationery	22 00
Subscription for relief of poor of Ireland	50 00
Balance in Treasury	$376 27
	$60 30

St. Peters' Conference, Allegheny, organized December 14, 1861.

Members on roll	61
Families relieved and now on roll	18
Number of persons relieved	107
Number of visits made	188

RECEIPTS.

Collections at meetings	$106 91
Collections in church	76 05
Donations	62 00
Other sources, lectures, &c	268 60
	$513 56

EXPENDITURES.

Provisions	$258 48
Fuel	48 20
Clothing	41 30
Rent	54 50
Funeral expenses	8 50
Conference expenses	31 70
Balance in Treasury	$499 68
	$113 88

The exertions of all the Conferences have been mainly directed to the relief of widows with families, orphans, and soldiers' families. The above statement is a most gratifying exhibition of how much good can be accomplished in a quiet way by systematic exertion. Before relief is given two members of the Society investigate each application fully, and hence no imposition can be practiced by them. They intend celebrating Thanksgiving day, August 6th, by a Festival for the Poor, at Glenwood Grove, for the purpose of enabling them to meet the many calls of charity that will be made in them the coming fall and winter. After offering thanks to the Almighty for the late remarkable victories, we hope all who feel an interest in the poor and in the families of our soldiers, and are desirous of spending a pleasant day in the country, will attend the festival of the society and aid its members in their good work.

Trains will run to the grove from the Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad depot corner of Ross and Water streets every half hour during the day and in the evening, until all at the grove are brought back to the city.

Excursion tickets 15 cents, to be procured before entering the cars.

Why?

An inquiry doubtless arises in many minds, why, with large fields of coal existing in Illinois, in Missouri, in Kentucky, and other Western States, the copper ore of Lake Superior should be brought to Pittsburgh to be smelted and refined; and why iron ore from Michigan and from Missouri should be brought here for the same purpose. The *quality* of our coal is the cause, as well as its abundance. *All coal will not make good iron.* The coal that is found in many localities, while of a good quality for ordinary purposes of fuel, ruins the iron smelted or worked by it. It is therefore necessary that the fuel for the treatment of metals should be of the right quality, or its abundance is of little avail. Quality and abundance combine at Pittsburgh, and therefore it is that metals passing other coal fields whose sole recommendation is abundance, and find their chief market and manufacturing depot at Pittsburgh. The necessity of quality is exemplified by the fact that west of this city the coal from the great Pittsburgh seam is an absolute requisite in all manufactories where metals are worked, and the failure to obtain supplies is followed by the stoppage of the factories.

The abundance of the Pittsburgh coal district is shown by the following figures: The extent of the bituminous coal field by which this city is surrounded is estimated at 8,600,000 acres. There are in the Pittsburgh coal field several seams, at various depths; but the amount of coal contained in them has never been estimated, from want of reliable information of the number of workable coal veins to be found at the same depth from the surface reached by the English and French mines. The upper or "Pittsburgh seam" has been estimated to contain in the area mentioned as being the extent of the bituminous coal field surrounding this city. 1,498,464,000,000 bushels, or 53,576,430,000 tons, the value of which, at the average of five cents per bushel, would be $74,923,200,000, a sum better understood by the comparison that the gold fields of California must yield nearly $75,000,000 of gold annually for 1,000 years to equal the value of this one seam of coal. Of singular comparative interest in connection with this estimate of abundance and value, is the fact that the entire tract of ground, containing such a value in one mineral alone, was purchased only seventy-three years ago by the Penn family for the sum of ten thousand dollars.—*Quarterly Trade Review.*

For the Morning Post.

High Handed Outrage at the Provost Marshal's Office.

EDITOR OF THE POST—*Sir:* Allow me to say, in relation to an article in Tuesday's *Chronicle* under the above heading, that it contains a little truth with a great amount of falsehood. The facts are as follows:

At least a hundred men, many of them Baltimore "plugs," and New York "rioters," imported here for the purpose: have enlisted and been sworn in as substitutes, and immediately deserted, in violation of their oath before God and their duty to their country.

On July 30th, a man (who was subsequently ascertained to have deserted from the 63d Penn'a Volunteers) enlisted as a substitute, deserted the same night and on August 3d, came again in citizen's clothes to present himself as a substitute and a third time committed perjury and defrauded the Government. I ordered him to receive thirty five lashes as a warning to others. For this there is no law, I am therefore liable to punishment for assault and battery, and shall cheerfully submit to any awarded me. All of the *Chronicle's* article beyond this is untrue, and is doubtless based on information derived from some substitute broker who has been before the Quarter Sessions on a charge of attempting to commit felony, or in the U. S. Court charged with being concerned in increasing the circulating medium by counterfeit issues, if they have not enticed substitutes from my Quarters to sell them over again in other Districts.

Yours respectfully,
J. HERRON FOSTER.

Police Matters.

The Mayor, in conjunction with the police Committee, intend employing a sufficient number of efficient policemen this morning and placing them immediately on duty. The city will be no longer without protection.

Boating Items.

Stephen Roberts, Esq., who acted the part of umpire for James Hamill, in the recent boat race, is at present on a visit to our city, and is the guest of Mr. Joseph Fleming. Hamill has sent a challenge to Ward to row him a race for two thousand dollars, the race to take place either on the Schuylkill or the Monongahela; each party to pay his own expenses in case the race comes off on the Schuylkill, or $100, to be allowed Ward in case he should come here. Hamill has sent $250, to Frank Queen as forfeit money. James McKay, the celebrated boat builder, will be here this week, with a new sixteen oared boat, 70 feet in length; built for the Undine Club. It is expected that he will bring along with him a new scull, just finished for Hamill.

Private Watchmen.

Quite a number of our merchants and others have employed private watchmen to guard their property, in some instances paying as high as four dollars a night.

Campbell Minstrels.

This truly excellent troupe were again greeted last night with a crowded house. We are sorry that the crowded state of our columns prevents us from particularizing their performances, but as we feel satisfied that every one will see them, it is hardly necessary. They are so old a company, and have attained so great a degree of excellence and celebrity, that newspaper notices cannot affect them one way or the other. Advice, then, to go and see them is merely superfluous. We will add, however, that if you contemplate taking your ladies, you must, in order to be comfortable, secure your seats during the day.

Great Improvement on Sight.
RUSSIAN PEBBLE.

Just received, an entire new supply of the widely known RUSSIAN PEBBLES. Since their introduction, I have given the fullest satisfaction to a large number whose eyesight was such as to render artificial appliances necessary, and have fully established the superiority of the "Pebble" over all other kinds of glasses. If any whose failing sight renders the use of glasses necessary will give me a call, I will endeavor to convince them of the advantages to be gained by using the Russian Pebble, and will show in what manner it is superior to any other now in use.
J. DIAMOND, Practical Optician,
59 Fifth street, near Wood.

Hotel for Rent.

The "Massey House," located on the corner of Ross and Brockenridge streets opposite the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Depot is now offered for rent. The "House" is in good repair and has been doing a good business. To any person understanding the business a fine opportunity is now offered. Immediate possession will be given. Apply to
THOS. MOORE, No. 180 First street.

GROVER & BAKER'S sewing Machines, for family manufacturing purposes, are the best in use.
A. P. CHAGNAY, General Agent,
18 Sixth street, Pittsburgh Pa.

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MANUFACTURERS OF
FANCY AND PLAIN
FURNITURE & CHAIRS
WAREHOUSE, 133 SMITHFIELD STREET
(Between Fourth street and First Alley.)
n26 PITTSBURGH

HAMPTON'S BATTERY—TEN Men Wanted to enlist in Hampton's Battery; also recruits for any Pennsylvania Battery or Regiment in the Field.
Apply to LIEUT. A. N. HARBOURS,
jel6-tf Girard House.

Pittsburgh Skirt Manufactory.
HAVING OPENED SALES ROOMS in this city, I beg leave to call the attention of the public to my own manufacture of skirts.
1st. I keep a larger stock than any wholesaler in the State.
2d. We make a greater variety of Styles, Shapes, Sizes and Qualities than any manufacturer in the United States.
3d. The steel and all the material for hoop skirts, from its primitive state to the salesroom, are under my own supervision and entire control, consequently customers can obtain skirts from this house without paying a second profit.
Also the largest assortment of Corsets constantly on hand.
☞ Our retail department is in charge of competent ladies.
☞ Merchants supplied cheap at wholesale.
H. SCHNITZER, Manufacturer,
49 Market, cor. 3d, Street.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED EXECUTORS of JOSEPH BELL, late of Robinson Township, Allegheny County, Penn'a, dec'd, offer for sale 110 acres of choice land, situate within 5 miles of the City of Pittsburgh in said township, on the line of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad: said land containing 70 acres of coal, and being part of the homestead farm of the said Joseph Bell, dec'd.
JAMES BELL, } Executors.
ROBT. H. NICHOLSON, }
ALSO, twenty three acres of land adjoining the above farm, on which there is a two story frame cottage in good order and nearly new, 4 acres of said land being creek bottom, and the one half of number of choice fruit trees planted thereon.
For particulars and terms apply to R. H. NICHOLSON, at Adams' Express Office, Grant street, Pittsburgh. jy11lmd

WALL PAPERS—NEW AND Choice patterns at 4½ and 15 cents, for sale by
W. P. MARSHALL,
jy13 97 Wood street.

TELEGRAPHIC.

ARMY OF THE POTOMAC

REBELS TO RE-OCCUPY FREDERICKSBURG.

From Fortress Monroe.

SKIRMISH NEAR WELDON, N. C.

Rebel Accounts of a Fight in Louisiana.

Kentucky Elections.

AMERICAN DENTAL CONVENTION.

STEAMER PACIFIC ASHORE.

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

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Advices from the Army of the Potomac say: The enemy yesterday sent a reconnoitering force towards the Rappahannock, in the vicinity of Kelly's Ford, probably to learn our position and strength, but after a skirmish the foe was driven back.

It is generally believed that up to yesterday Lee had not received any reinforcements of consequence from Richmond, but the rebels have been sending supplies to Fredericksburg, which they intend to reoccupy in strength.

Information has been received that guerrilla parties scour the country between the Rappahannock and the Potomac South of the Occoquan.

FORTRESS MONROE, August 4.—The Norfolk Virginian contains the following:

SAVILLIS HILL, August 3.—News has been received here of the cavalry expedition under Col. Spear. They crossed the Sherwan river at Willston, N. C., and proceeded to Jackson, twelve miles from Weldon, near the Roanoke river, where the enemy was discovered in strong force.

Our advance made a splendid charge on the rebel advance and drove them back, capturing 70 prisoners. Our loss was 2 killed and 8 wounded. We captured 60 bales of cotton and 100 horses.

It has rained incessantly since the expedition started, rendering the roads nearly impassable. The men have suffered great hardships.

The Richmond Enquirer of the 1st, says it is reported that a force of Yankee Cavalry has appeared at a store in Stafford, 15 miles east of Fredericksburg. Gen. Neal Dow will proceed on a trip to Mobile this morning, escorted by officers of the Confederate police. We are not informed of the purpose of sending him to Mobile.

NEW YORK, August 4.—The Richmond Dispatch, of the 1st inst., received at Fortress Monroe, contains the following:

As a partial relief from the unwelcome news which we have been receiving from the South, we have now the intelligence that our forces have gained a decided victory in Louisiana. The President yesterday received a dispatch from Lieut Hardee, stating that Gen. Dick Taylor had an engagement with the enemy under Gen Banks, and that he had completely routed them, capturing 6,000 prisoners.

The Dispatch publishes dispatches received from Weldon and Goldsboro, N. C., announcing that the federal forces had been repulsed near Fort Branch on Jackson, on the Roanoke, and had returned to Plymouth.

The Dispatch says that the bridge over the Tar river, on the Wilmington and Weldon railroad, burnt by the Yankees, has been rebuilt, and trains are passing over it. Freight is received and sent over the road as usual.

Passengers by the Petersburg train yesterday, report all quiet at Weldon.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 1st—Col. Hatch has driven Richardson's band of guerrillas, about one thousand strong, down into Mississippi, and has turned his attention to Gen. Pillow's forces, who are in the neighborhood of Paris, Tenn. Pillow is reported to have crossed the river at Paris, on Sunday last, with six regiments. One of Gen. Dodge's scouts who left Tuscumbia on July 25th, has arrived at Corinth. He reports that Roddy has sent all his baggage and stores towards Rome, Georgia, but remains in Tuscumbia Valley with most of his forces, and also reports nearly half Alabamians of Bragg's army have deserted, taking their arms and are in the mountains refusing to go back.—Lieut. Dannfort, of the 26th Mississippi regiment, left Johnston's army four days ago, and reports Johnston with the bulk of his army at Meridan; part of it is under orders to go to Mobile, they were entirely ignorant of Grant's movements.

WHEELING, VA., August 4.—A joint session of the West Virginia Legislature today elected Waitman T. Willy, of Morgantown, and P. G. Van Winkle, of Parkersburg, United States Senators—the former on the first ballot, and the latter on the sixth.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 4.—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will certainly be repaired through by the 8th inst., for passengers and freight bills of lading with the usual guarantees will be issued to-morrow. The entire line is now free from the enemy and fully guarded by the federal forces.

Special dispatch to the Post, Washington 4th, says: Direct advices from the front say that the army of the Potomac is inactive, and is likely to remain so for some time to come.

The first installment of conscripts reached the camp yesterday. From two to four hundred are expected daily.

The rebel army lies between the Rappahannock and the Rapidan. Lee being at Culpepper.

Furloughs for twenty and thirty days have been granted by Gen. Meade.

The draft in this city was resumed today. There was no disturbance. Among the persons drafted there are eight from the office of the Chronicle and the Pastor of the Catholic church in the Third Ward.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, August 4.—The American Dental Convention held its 9th annual session here to-day. About seventy members were present. Dr. W. B Roberts presided, in the absence of the President.

The morning session was occupied in organizing and electing officers. The following were elected: President, J. Tefft, Cincinnati; Vice President, M. W. Sheffield, New London; Corresponding Secretary, W. H. Atkinson, New York; Recording Secretary, C. N. Pierce, Philadelphia; Treasurer, A. C. Howe, New York.

BOSTON, August 2.—The amount of the contributions received by the Christian Commission in this State for the benefit of sick and wounded soldiers reaches $53 726.

There was a large wool sale this p. m., attended by dealers from this and other cities. Wool sold at prices ranging from 86 to 88½ per pound, and the California grades ranged from 82 to 89, averaging about 85.

LOUISVILLE, August 4.—The election returns from all parts indicate a Union victory. A portion of the State, considered doubtful, give large majorities for the Union candidates.

OSWEGO, N. Y., August 4.—The draft took place here to-day. Everything passed off with good humor.

NEW YORK, August 4.—The steamship Pacific went ashore on the morning of the 30th, near the Trepassey. No particulars have yet been received.

TORONTO, Aug. 4.—The members of the Chicago, Milwaukee and Detroit Boards of Trade, numbering 330, arrived here this P. M., on the Grand Trunk Railway, en route to Montreal and Portland.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 4.—The Kentucky elections came off to-day, the Union candidates, Clay and Smith were elected to Congress, certain.

PHILADELPHIA, August 4.—The sale of $960,000 worth of 6-20s is reported today.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, August 4.—Cotton more active and 1@2c better, 63@66c for mid ling upland. Flour 5@10c better and more active, $5@5 15 for extra state; 5 40@5 65 for extra R H O, and 5 67 for trade brands, market closing quiet. Whisky continues heavy at 45@46c, cash, a shade lower. Wheat more active and 1@2c better, $1@1 15 for Chicago Spring; $1 08@1 2 for Milwaukee Club; $1 10@1 27 for winter red western; $1 22 for winter red Illinois. Corn more active and 1@2c better, 67@68c for shipping mixed; western chiefly at 67@67½c. Oats dull, opened quiet and closed lower, with rather more doing. Beef quiet and steady. Pork dull and lower at $14@10a. Lard dull and lower at 5¾@10c. Rice steady; large supply seeking investment at 5@6 per cent. Sterling opened at 141½ and closed at 141. Gold opened at 27¾ and closed quiet at the lowest figure. Government stocks are without change. 6's, 81; coupons, 106; 1867s, 105½; Registered, 104; 7 30's, 105¾. Stocks very strong, 1 year certificates, now 99¾. Missouri State 6's, 1½; New York Central Div stock, 132. Beef cattle, 1st quality, 10@11; ordinary, 9@10c; common, 8@9c. Interior, 6@8c. Cows and calves, 1st quality, 45@50; ordinary, 30@45; common, 20@25; inferior, 8@3. Veal calves per pound, 1st quality, 7 to 8c and 6@7c; common, 5¾ to 6c; inferior, 4½ to 5¼. Sheep per head, 4 to 5; prime 5 to 5½; ordinary 4 50 to 5; common, 3 to 5¼; inferior 3 to 4. Hogs, well-fed, early, 5 to 5¼; light and medium 5¾. till fat 4¾ to 5.

A Dying Soldier's Tale.

[From the Columbus (Ohio) Crisis.]

A boy of some eighteen summers lay on the battle field near Fredericksburg, mortally wounded. He lay all day, unmindful of the scorching sun and the roaring of artillery. Cannon balls flew past, fanning his pale cheek on their deadly mission, but he knew it not. At last he awoke to consciousness and looked around him.—The moon was shining calmly on the boyish face; the blood oozing slowly from his side was evidence that his young life was almost spent. For a moment he pressed his trembling hand to his side to ease the throbbing pain, and the pale, bloodless lips parted with a sigh of agony. A wounded soldier near, hearing his groans inquired if he was badly wounded. "Yes," replied the dying boy, "I am dying, and I want my mother! for when they compelled me to leave her she bade me come back to her, for I was the staff of her declining years. I promised her I would; but I am dying now, and shall never see her more."

The boy went on to say, for it seemed to relieve his mind to talk, "when they told my mother her only child was drafted and would have to go to the war, she said not a word until we were left alone; then she came to me and laid her white arms around my neck and kissed me. I could not speak them, so I returned her caress silently. At last she spoke: 'George, I have buried two sons, and the next one called was your father. With a sad, almost broken heart, I heard the clods of the valley fall on his coffin lid, and tried to bear this great affliction with christian fortitude, and I succeeded, for I had you to lean upon, my son! But the cup that Abraham Lincoln is pressing to my lips to-night is too bitter,' and she fell fainting in my arms. It would be useless to tell you of the days spent by me to raise money to buy a substitute. We were poor, and they told me to go, and they would care for my mother until I came back.—They said it was but nine months and it would soon pass away. But I am passing away instead, and my mother will be left alone!" Here his voice sank to a whisper, and his last words were, "mother—heaven"—and the moon came out of a cloud, and revealed the childish face set in death. This was all. But is it well? God forgive the agitators of this most unholy war, and bind up the broken hearts of widows and mothers in this their great sorrow.

General Jackson on the Coercion of States.

The following is an extract of a letter written by Andrew Jackson to an intimate friend in Memphis, Tenn., thirty years ago. The letter has been sent by Gen. Hurlbut to the Chicago Historical Society.

WASHINGTON, March, 26, 1833.

* * * Nullification is expiring.—Its last dying groan is just sealed by the repeal of the ordinance and laws passed by the South Carolina Convention, who passed it; and hereafter Nullification and Secession will never be heard of, except in holding up to scorn and detestation their advocates, and particularly their prime movers. The bloody bill (as the Nullies call the judiciary bill or enforcing bill) has put him to rest. It spoke the united sentiments of the people from Maine to Louisiana, that Nullification and Secession are revolutionary measures, and not political rights growing out of our Constitution or Confederacy. The natural right of man is to resist oppression when it comes. It equally belongs to communities. Where they have the physical power, they succeed; otherwise they will be coerced into obedience.

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Believe me, your friend,
ANDREW JACKSON.
R. M. BURTON, Esq.

GRAND MASS MEETING

OF THE FRIENDS OF BARGAINS in BOOTS and SHOES, assembled daily at

CONCERT HALL SHOE STORE,
62 Fifth Street,

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