

The Herald.

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BOROUGH ELECTION. The Republicans and all others, without distinction of party...

The Law of Costs. On our first page to-day will be found an article from the Atlantic Monthly...

RETURNING LOYALTY. The Volunteer this week contains one of Artemus Ward's characteristic effusions...

EXTRA SESSION OF THE U. STATES SENATE. The extra session of the U. States Senate convened on Friday last...

EDITORIAL CHANGES IN PENNSYLVANIA. Edward W. Currier has retired from the editorial control of the Shippensburg News...

E. W. Capron, late editor of the Chester County Times, has purchased an interest in and become the editor of the West Branch Bulletin...

The New York Tribune says: They have a "Democratic" House of Representatives now sitting at Harrisburg, Pa...

COUNTERFEIT POSTAGE CURRENCY. Counterfeit fifty cent postage currency notes have been extensively circulated...

The Volunteer thinks we had better stick to our vocation of "learning" the young idea how to shoot! Now this is not exactly in our line...

A REMONSTRANCE FROM THE SOUTH.

The New Orleans Delta, of January 29th, addresses "A Word to the North," in which it asks: "Are those gentlemen at the North, who are crying peace and armistice..."

"What is this measure or that measure," continues the Delta—"the adoption or rejection of any particular line of policy..."

We recommend these sensible and patriotic words to those persons at the North who look at every incident in the war and at every act of the government with jaundiced eyes...

But there are others, the leaders in this cry against the Administration and against the conduct of the war, who have no loyal hearts. The Vallandighams, the Woods, the Hughes, the Bucknells, these and other companions...

Such wretches as these come to light in every time of war. They gave Washington much trouble in the Revolution; they tried to depreciate the currency in the war of 1812...

Let us take courage, then; away with gloomy looks, distrust and despondency. Every day it is more evident that the rebels are on their last legs...

To VOCALISTS, SPEAKERS, &c.—As your voice and lungs are much taxed, and often get out of order by coughs, colds, &c., try a box of Bryan's Pulmonic-Wafers, only 25 cents a box, sold by S. ELIOTT.

ORGANIZE! ORGANIZE!

UNION MEN! A word with you! Never before in the history of this country, has there been a time when so much was expected from the People...

Not only have the loyal men of the North to fight traitors in arms; but they are expected to counteract the poison distilled in the minds of the ignorant...

We know you are loyal, and that your influence will be on the side of the Government; but we call upon you in all sincerity, to exert yourselves to counteract the efforts of the disunion Democracy...

As an exchange has it, vigilant watching in your efforts to counteract the designs of these Home Traitors. A candid argument with, or the distribution of a loyal publication among the many blind, misbegotten, innocent followers of these Arch Traitors...

The Names.

On Friday last a motion was made in the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, to grant the use of the Hall for the reception of Hon. Andrew Johnson, the noble and patriotic Union Governor of Tennessee...

- Bebe, Benedict, Bowman (Lancaster), Bowman (Tioga), Brown (Mercer), Brown (Warren), Champneys, Cochran (Philada), Coleman, Craig, Freeland, Gilliland, Graham, Grant, Gross, Harvey, Henry, Hopkins (Philada), Hopkins (Washington), Huston, Hutelman, Jacoby, Johnson, Kerns (Philada), Laporte, Lee (Philada), Lehman, Lilly, Macley, McClellan, McCoy, McMurry, Meyer, Magee, Musseelman, Nestled, Osterad, Panoast (Philada), Pershing, Ritter, Schofield, Slack, Smith (Chester), Smith (Philada), Strouse, Stinson, (Philada), Twitchell, Vincent, Wakefield, Warner, White, Windle, Young (Philada), Cessna, Speaker-56.

Alexander, Barger (Philada), Barron, Beck, Bellom, Brown (Northumb'd), Dillone, Ellis, Glenn, Graber, Hess, Hoover, Horton, Jackson, Joseph, Weidner, Wolf-52. DODD AND ABSENT.—T. J. (unbought) Boyer, Camp, Earley, Lullow (Philada), Mc Colloch, McManus (Philada), Poteizer, Ramsey, Shannon, Thompson (Philada), Wimley.

We have not the vote in the Senate, but we know that our Copperhead Senator, GEORGE H. BUCHER, true to his traitorous instincts, voted with his brother-vipers, in favor of this beastly insult to those two noble Democratic Patriots.

PHOTOGRAPHY.

Considering this beautiful art in all its relations, its discovery and advancement, are some of the most wonderful feats of modern science. The Electric Telegraph seems mysterious, but the laws of electricity are well known...

When Prof. Schoenbein announced his discovery to the world, it was considered the most destructive element yet brought forth in warfare, tearing up the solid masses of the earth...

It is said that thirty thousand people in Paris, make a livelihood by being connected in some form with producing photographic pictures, and in this country it gives employment to thousands...

It is often astonishing to us that people will go to a poor artist to have their pictures made; perhaps they get them a few cents less, but they forget that a poor picture has no value whatever.

We are fortunate in having a good establishment in our town. Since Mr. Louman left Huloh's corner and opened his fine skylight gallery in Mrs. Nell's new building...

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THE FALL IN GOLD.

The most signal reaction known in the history of inflated values is just now taking place against the metal gold. Just as the speculation secession sympathizers of New York had got us fixed at a depreciation of some seventy per cent, and had completed their arguments...

The truth is that gold long since ceased to be money in the ordinary sense, and it became a tempting speculation to buy and sell it at exaggerated values. The temptation carried its devotees quite off their feet, and they have, in consequence, paid an immense sum to the original holders of it as premium.

The friends of the Union have gained a complete triumph in New Hampshire.

WAR NEWS.

General Dodge, commanding the district of Indiana, reports unparalleled outrages committed by the rebel troops on defenceless citizens of Alabama...

Another and later account says that she is sunk. Rebel papers say that there are one hundred and twenty-three Union vessels at Port Royal...

The Nashville has been at last destroyed. An incendiary shell was fired at her by one of our gunboats, and she was soon in flames and totally destroyed.

On Saturday night the 28th ult., we were aroused by sounds of artillery interposed with merriment. In a few moments we were informed that Stuart's cavalry were near us. To get things in readiness and be in line was the work of a moment...

The attack was not a surprise, and was not altogether unexpected. Plans had been prepared for the total destruction of the rebel forces, but owing to the terrible condition of the roads, and the lack of earnestness of some of our officers high in command...

There is no question here about the behavior of our troops. They fought splendidly during Thursday and acted with the steadiness of veterans, but were finally overpowered and driven back by the rebel host.

LOSS OF THE REBELS.

The loss of the rebels in the action, as near as could be ascertained, was two hundred and two (210) killed, and five hundred wounded. There is but little doubt that the rebel loss is much greater than this...

During Thursday night the rebel retreats. Our forces left this after the battle were not sufficient here to follow them up. It could have been done, this deadly war being successful might have been turned into a decided Union victory.

The AFFAIR AT CINCINNATI. On Saturday, the 8th ult., the rebels occupied the city of Cincinnati, and the 4th Michigan Infantry, 140; Twenty-second Wisconsin, 150; Nineteenth Michigan, 44.

THE RESULTS.

- 1. The rebels were badly whipped. 2. The Federal loss was very small. 3. Two hundred and thirty rebels were killed and wounded and 160 taken prisoner. 4. We captured fifty six rebels, a considerable number of small arms, one spike brass six parallel howitzer, and quantity of stores. 5. Two cavalry regiments, the 7th Pennsylvania and the 4th Michigan, made a dash on the rebels at Fairfax, a short distance from Leesport, on Saturday, and captured a large amount of property, together with several prisoners. Fifty rebels were killed and eighty wounded. 6. During the raid was made into Fairfax Courthouse early on Saturday morning. The Provost Marshal and Gen. Stoughton, with a number of prisoners and property, were carried off. 7. A rebel force is reported to be marching upon Winchester. 8. Accounts from Vicksburg look very promising. Captures of property and prisoners are made every day, sometimes in large amounts and numbers. A gunboat up Yazoo Pass had nearly reached Yazoo City. The Lake Providence canal is nearly ready. 9. The Memphis Bulletin confirms the report of the sinking of the Indianola, and adds that it is thought that the rebel gunboat Webb had been so much injured in the contest that she too had sunk. 10. A large number of transports with rebel troops are up White river, and they are expected to come out. Should they do so, a battle will take place at that point. We have several gunboats at that locality. 11. The Jackson, Mississippi denounces the blowing up of the Indianola as an unnecessary and unfortunate affair. 12. A rebel newspaper says the cargo of the Princess Royal was worth £78,308. 13. The steamer Columbia, from New Orleans on the 27th ultimo, is at New York. A large number of Union and Rebel prisoners have been exchanged. A large force of Rebel soldiers are reported to be marching on Brownsville. The United States gunboat Kinsman has been sunk in Norwick Bay, by running against a snag.

Letter from the Reserves.

CAMP OF SEVENTH REG'T. P. V. R. C. March 9th, 1863. DEAR HERALD—As when my last was written it was not definitely known where a permanent camp would be located, it may not be uninteresting to your readers to know that we have remained here (Mansons) since. We are in all probability will continue to do so if present indications can be taken as a criterion. As far as we can see, nothing has been done to recruit our division. A few "convalescents" have returned which help a small degree to swell our ranks, but the change is so very small as to be hardly perceptible. Some have been returned to their regiments whose wounds are not yet healed. These men are not now, and never will be fit for service, and why they are not discharged remains to us a mystery. Some have been discharged the service with comparatively nothing to justify said discharge, while others totally unfit are compelled to drag out their existence, until the "powers that be" see fit to release them,—there is certainly a "screw loose" somewhere.

Now that our "drum corps" is reorganized, our slumbers are broken every morning by the shrill notes of the "revolver." The country around our camp being very level, ample facilities are afforded for battalion and company drills, which healthful amusement we indulge in for two hours in the morning and one in the afternoon. Our regiment has been well supplied with the best of clothing and an abundance of it. Should one have seen this regiment at Belle Plaine and contrast its appearance then with what it is now, he could hardly be made believe it was the same—so great was the change. For a day or two after our arrival here, we were considerably perplexed by the sound of heavy artillery, and as was our usual custom on such occasions, from one end of the camp to the other the cry was "Lie down! Lie down!" We soon found out however that the cannonading came from the heavy guns of the various forts and "was only in fun." On Saturday night of the 28th ult., we were aroused by sounds of artillery interposed with merriment. In a few moments we were informed that Stuart's cavalry were near us. To get things in readiness and be in line was the work of a moment, and, as is the Rebel's peculiar lack, we were sent out some seven miles to strengthen the pickets. The night was extremely dark, and it was raining in torrents, but onward we went to Bailey's Cross Roads when we halted to load, and moved to the centre of the picket line—mid all the way to the knees. We reached our destination and remained there until 3 o'clock A. M. when we relieved the 31st Regt on picket. All next day distant firing was heard, of which you have doubtless read accounts in the daily papers. We remained at our posts until Tuesday morning undisturbed. In our company ("A") several promotions have been made viz—1st Lieut. B. Beatty to be Captain; 2d Lieut. Italy to be 1st Lieut. and Wilson Burkholder to be 2d Lieut. Several non-commissioned officers have been appointed, among which our friend Jacob Cart from private to Sgt., meets the full approval of the company, and is deemed a well deserved compliment to a worthy young man, Capt. B. has been detailed to the staff of Gen. Martin (bale)—Military Governor of Washington and although we regret to lose the services of so brave and brave an officer as he, we are glad to have him at the same time we feel proud of his appointment. Our camp are literally besieged by peddlars, news vendors &c. Stout healthy men are engaged in selling almost worthless articles at immense profits. These men as they pass through the camp streets are not uncommonly greeted with many quaint exclamations, such as from one "away off and away off and away off." How are you conscripts? "Then comes the fellow with "ferocious apple dumplings" and the old woman with her "old men pies," and apples "ten for a quarter." We receive the daily papers about 2 P. M. Passes are granted to visit Washington, Georgetown and Alexandria—the distance is not long, but the roads have been in such a horrid condition that very few have been able to go. During good roads and dry weather it would be nothing more than a nice walk from Washington to our camp. As many of our friends and acquaintances in Carlisle will no doubt pay the Capital a visit during the coming summer, (probably 'at of Congress) we would be pleased to have them call on us, should we remain here. During a late visit to Washington we had a chance of seeing the various sights. The shudder-strapped gateway seem to be still among the people institutions. The avenues are thronged with flocks of all grades from Paj. Gen's down. They don't look but perhaps the climate around Washington is more congenial to their health than at the front. Theaters and places of amusements are crowded with representatives from both Army and Navy. To every private soldier we saw during that stay there were four officers, and during the appearance, they are living on "the top of the loaf." What many of these will do for a livelihood when this cruel war is over, is yet an unanswered question.

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Colon and County Matters.

IMPORTANT TO TAX-PAYERS.—The per cent. saved.—The Collector for the 15th District will be at Carlisle (Rheem's Hall), on the 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14th inst., to receive the 15th Taxes for Carlisle Borough, North Middleton, Middlesex, Penn. Dickinson, and South Middleton townships. This will include the tax on earnings, Licenses, and the September, October and November returns. Ten per cent will be added unless paid at the time specified.

Lieut. JOHN TURNER, Quartermaster of the 15th P. V. is at present in Carlisle, on a short visit to his friends, having arrived on Friday last. The Lieutenant looks very well, and speaks very flatteringly of the condition of the army, and its entire confidence that the ultimate issue will be the complete overthrow of the rebels. Shortly before Mr. Turner's departure the 130th was paid off, and he brings with him from the members of companies A, and G, (Porter and Lee's) the large sum of Six Thousand Four Hundred Dollars, (\$6,400), to be distributed among the friends and relatives of these men. All honor to the soldier who when pay-day comes reserves the most generous share for the wife and little ones at home.

THE PENN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILA.—We again call the attention of our readers to the Dividend notes of this Company published in another column, the agent having made an error in the former notice furnished us; We are pleased however to state that the present statement exhibits a far more favorable financial condition than that published in our paper last week.

IMPORTANT TO SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

The attention of School Directors throughout the county is invited to the following section of the Common School Law, passed last winter, in relation to their duties: "That it shall be the duty of the Board of Directors in each School District to publish an annual statement of the amount of money received and expended, and the amount due from collectors, and setting forth all the financial operations of the district, in not less than ten written or printed handbills, to be put up in the most public place in the district." The notice should be signed by the President of the School Board and attested by the Secretary. It is the custom in some districts to publish the statement in the county papers, which answers the same purpose as handbills.