

The Surrender of Fort Morgan

Official Dispatch from Admiral Farragut. WASHINGTON, Sept. 2, 1864. The Navy Department to-day received the following from Admiral Farragut:

PLAUSIBLE HARBOR. On Monday, Sept. 2, 1864. Sir: I have the honor in my dispatch, No. 21, to state to the Department that Fort Morgan had surrendered on the 24th inst., to the army and navy, though at the time the dispatch was written and mailed the ceremony of surrender had not actually taken place.

The correspondence preliminary to that event is herewith forwarded, marked Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, and the Department will perceive the terms of capitulation were the same as in the case of Fort Gaines. Gen. Page endeavored to obtain more favorable terms, but with no success.

I regret to say that after the assembling of the Rebel officers at the appointed hour, 2 p. m., for the surrender outside the fort, it was discovered on an examination of the latter, or that most of the guns were spiked, many of the gun carriages wantonly injured, the muzzles of the guns were spiked, and destroyed, and there was every reason to believe this had been done after the white flag had been raised.

It also appeared that Gen. Page and several of his officers had no words to be said for the surrender outside the fort, but that the whole conduct of the officers of Fort Morgan and Fort Gaines presents such a striking contrast in moral position and character, that it is difficult to believe that the same man could have committed such a crime.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant, J. M. SMITH, Major-General, U. S. A., Commanding at Fort Morgan.

Prize Salutes

On Tuesday of this week in obedience to orders from the War office, and in honor of the recent victories of Farragut's fleet and Grant's army over the rebel forts and ships in Mobile Bay, a hundred guns were fired at Cahaba Barracks. On Thursday the same joyful ceremony was performed in commemoration of Sherman's brilliant victories at Atlanta.

At the same time every fort and navy yard in the loyal North was sounding with the same glad acclaim. Strange to say while the salute was being fired, every corner of his country, on the contrary, every corner of the South, in honor of our gallant and distinguished victor, was firing a salute.

APPOINTED.—J. M. WASHINGTON, late Quartermaster of the 1st P. R. C., has been appointed chief of the Pennsylvania State Guard now being raised under the authority of the recent act of Assembly.—ISAIAH GRAHAM, late Capt. of the 1st P. R. C., has been appointed mustering officer of the same corps.

LECTURE.—Rev. S. Barnhart, of Chambersburg, will lecture on the burning of that place by the Rebels, at Mt. Holly Springs, Md., Church, on Wednesday evening next. The proceeds will be devoted to the benefit of said church. Tickets 25 cents. Let those who wish to hear an interesting lecture and contribute a mite to a good cause attend.

COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.—We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of A. M. TRIMMER, Esq., principal of the late Commercial College of Chambersburg. Mr. T. comes to us well recommended by prominent citizens of that unfortunate place, and we assume that his will give satisfaction to all who attend and prize his institution. It is needless for us to dwell upon the importance of our young men preparing themselves for the active avocations of life. The demand for competent accountants and book keepers alone should stimulate our youths to prepare themselves at such an institution as Mr. Trimmer proposes to establish here.

STATE FAIR.—The Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society will hold its next fair at Easton Pa., Sept. 27th, 28th, 29th and 30th, 1864. The most ample accommodations will be afforded for the accommodation of the public. The grounds are fertile and well watered, and the buildings are of the most substantial character. The fair will be held on the premises of the Agricultural Society, near the depot at Easton. The fair will be held on the premises of the Agricultural Society, near the depot at Easton. The fair will be held on the premises of the Agricultural Society, near the depot at Easton.

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Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate

THE Real Estate of Richard Parker, sold, with and by virtue of the Order of the Court, on the premises, in Monroe Township, Cumberland County, about two miles east of Chambersburg, containing 121 1/2 ACRES, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land.

168 Acres and 62 perches, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land, situated on the north side of the Yellow Branch Creek and John Grubb's land, containing 121 1/2 ACRES, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land.

Valuable Limestone Farm at Public Sale. On Friday, October 7th, 1864. Situated about two miles west of Carlisle, in North Middleton Township, near the Yellow Branch Creek, containing 121 1/2 ACRES, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land.

Desirable Limestone Farm at Public Sale. On Friday, September 16th, 1864, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the undersigned will expose at Public Sale, on the premises, in North Middleton Township, Cumberland County, about two miles east of Chambersburg, containing 121 1/2 ACRES, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land.

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Highly Improved Limestone Farm at Private Sale. Situated about 1/2 mile east of Carlisle, on the York Road, containing about 121 1/2 ACRES, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land.

Manston House. A large and comfortable Manston House, situated on the north side of the Yellow Branch Creek and John Grubb's land, containing 121 1/2 ACRES, more or less, of first rate Gravel Land.

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Public Sale of a Valuable Farm

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U. S. 7-30 LOAN

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