More Prisoners for Fort Lafayette.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
A SOLEMN, SACRED AND STRINGENT CATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

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Among the others were four men who refused to take the oath of allegiance at Fort Lafayette, and who, on refusing the following stringent and unqualified form, were discharged by the Marshal:—

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE UNITED STATES.

I, Daniel May, solemnly swear that I will bear true allegiance to the United States and support and sustain the constitution and laws thereof; that I will maintain the national sovereignty paramount to the sovereignties of any State or Confederate powers; that I will discourage all countenance and forever disclaim sympathy, rebellion and disintegration of the federal Union; that I disclaim and denounce all aith and allegiance with the so called Confederate armies, and pledge my honor, my property and my life to the sacred performance of this my solemn oath of allegiance to the government of the United States of America.

Charge of Enticing a Soldier to Desert.

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

SEPT. 3.—Mr. Commissioner Stilwell issued warrants for the arrest of Henry Mayer, Morris Colvert and Henry Zander, on a charge of procuring and enticing Christopher Gunn, an enlisted soldier, to desert from the United States service, and for harboring, concealing and giving him employment, well knowing Gunn to have been a deserter. The warrant was delegated by the Marshal to Deputy D. B. Dwire, who succeeded in arresting two of the parties. Commissioner Stilwell held each to bail in the sum of five hundred dollars.

Personal Intelligence.

General William Hays, of the Army of the Potomac, arrived in town last evening, on a brief visit, and is stopping at No. 67 Seventh street, with his family.

Americans registered at Sunn's American Agency, 17 Charlotte street, Bedford square, London, England, for the week ending August 22, 1863:—E. C. Litchfield and family, Mortimer Porter and daughters, Edward P. House, Captain W. [illegible], owner, S. H. Moseley, Chas. H. Matthews, W. S. Smith, Geo. H. English, Rev. J. J. Kelley, New York; George P. Stanes, Rufus Choate, L. A. Bigelow, Boston; J. A. Edley, St. Louis, Mo.; E. R. Fairfax Williams, Virginia; Samuel H. Wilcox, Ithica, N. Y.; E. Whitin, Whitinsville, Mass.; J. R. Maltby, Maine; James Denman, California; C. Sargent, Dorchester, Mass.; C. A. Maltby, Gordon Hall, Northampton, Mass.; H. C. Yates, Syracuse, N. Y.; C. J. Bradley, Providence, R. I.; Wm. L. Mattson, H. C. White, H. C. White, Jr., Hartford, Conn.

Arrivals and Departures.

DEPARTURES.

LIVERPOOL—Steamship Asia from Boston—Mr Liberty Billyeu, John Slade, Mr Bashford, G W Chamberlain, J W Fairbanks and Mrs Sarah Levy, of Boston; Charles Hovey and Rev Theodore Edson, of Lowell; Samuel Robinson, of Lawrence; Capt J W Hacker, of Portsmouth, N H; Nathan Lamarus, of Hartford; Mr and Mrs J J L Cammon, Mr Lenoy, M L Martine, J Lichtelheimer, Max Bardenheimer, Mrs Wilson and three daughters, and Rev Mr Crofield, of New York; A F Att Montrose and James M Earle, of Philadelphia; Duncan Bucannon, of Vermont; J A Faulds, of Louisville; D A Pa e, of Chicago; Mrs Henry Norton and two children, of Iowa; B Greenwald, Mrs Greenwald and child of San Francisco; Col Baring, of the British Army; Mrs Goelie, of Nassau; Mrs Norton Wattey, Lord Lofton, Thomas Woodward and son, C F Quicke and Thomas Jackson, of England; P Bennore, of Italy; Edward Lewis, residence not given—42. For Halifax—T Spaulding and John Merritt, of Boston; Mr and Mrs J B Knowlan and H H Luller, of Halifax; Mr Fiechon, of St Pierre; W G Ryder, of England; Capt Kennedy, of British Navy; Mrs Della Dunn and son, residence not given—10. Total, 52.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY, Sept. 3—6 P. M.

This has been a day of fever, excitement and panic. The decline in the stock market and the advance in gold are almost unexampled even in the present era of rapid fluctuations. At one P. M. to-day Mr. Cisco met the presidents of the associated banks and explained to them that the Secretary of the Treasury required money, and desired to dispose of $35,000,000 of new legal tender notes, one year to run, bearing 5 per cent interest. He asked the banks to take them, paying for them in the old legal tender issue, in instalments, the first instalment of 5 per cent being payable at once, and the last before November 30. The proposition was at once unanimously agreed to, and the money passed to the credit of the Treasury Department. We understand that similar conferences have been or will be held at Boston and Philadelphia, and that $15,000,000 more of the same class of interest bearing legal tender notes will be placed in those two cities, making the total issue $50,000,000. The notes will probably begin to be delivered to the banks by 1st proximo. It was this negotiation which led to the excitement in gold and stocks today. At first blush it would appear that the arrangement merely amounts, in plain English, to a further issue of fifty millions of irredeemable paper, and in this view the gold operators would appear to have acted more intelligently than the operators in stocks. The new notes are to be a legal tender for their face, and for some time to come the smaller denominations will evidently pass current as money from hand to hand, thus increasing, not diminishing, the supply of money available for purposes of speculation and commerce. After a time, when a certain amount of interest has accrued, the notes will not circulate freely, but will be hoarded for the sake of the interest they bear, unless money rules at a high rate of interest. If money becomes active, operators in merchandise or stocks will be able to afford to disregard the accrued interest on these notes, and so long as the activity lasts they will be used as money for their face. Nothing has transpired with regard to the times at which the Secretary will call upon the banks for payments under the new negotiations; but, judging from the experience of past loans and the natural probabilities of the case, we presume that the calls will be for ten per cent at a time, say $3,500,000, at intervals of eight to ten days each. The Sub-Treasury balance is large, and the Secretary stands in no pressing need of large sums of money. Our banks could afford to pay $3,500,000 every ten days without creating any disturbance in the money market, especially as the experience of past loans shows that the money returns to the banks almost as fast as they pay it into the Sub-Treasury. If any scarcity of currency occurred, they could draw upon the $75,000,000 of temporary deposits in the Sub-Treasury, for the redemption of which the Secretary holds $50,000,000 of old legal tenders, in addition to the $400,000,000 now afloat.

Notwithstanding reports to the contrary, the money market, though quite active, has not been stringent to-day. Several loans were called in this morning, partly by banks who desired to strengthen themselves in view of the government loan, and partly by lenders who sought to get higher rates for their money by increasing the disturbance in the market. But at the close of bank hours many, if not most, of the leading stock houses and many of the bankers had money over which they would have been glad to lend at 7 per cent. The sifting process which is going on in the stock market is reducing the volume of the loans outstanding. In a day or two the amount of stocks under hypothecation will be considerably reduced.

Gold opened this morning at 128¾, and rose steadily to 132½, at which point it stood at two P. M. In the afternoon it sold at 131, 130, 131, 132 and 131¾, and closed at five P. M. at 132. Exchange was 141, 142, 144, 145, and 144¾ at the close. The advance in gold is due in part to the low price of breadstuffs, which foreshadows a heavy export of bullion this fall, but more directly to the prospect of further issues of irredeemable paper. There is rather more speculation in gold than there was. But, in view of the probable fall of Charleston and Chattanooga, the buyers for the rise must be endowed with remarkable courage.

The panic in stocks to-day was the most severe that we have had for years. At the first board there was a perfect rush to sell stocks, seemingly for account of parties whose margins were becoming exhausted. New York Central fell 5 per cent, Erie 4, Erie preferred 1½, Hudson River 4½, Harlem 8, Reading 3¾, Southern old 6¼, guaranteed 2, Fort Wayne 6½, Illinois Central 4, Pittsburg 6, Toledo 4, Rock Island 4, Chicago and Alton 7, Quicksilver 5, Pacific Mail 4. There was no change in governments. Missouris sympathized with the general market to the extent of one per cent. At the close of the session there was at first more steadiness; but, as usually happens in a falling market, between the bears the small fry of street speculators all began to sell short, and the panic was renewed. Erie fell 4½ more, Central 3, Hudson 2½, Pittsburg 3, Southern old 5, Quicksilver 1, Fort Wayne [illegible] seemed for a time as though prices would bring back to the old figures, and all the courage of the bulls had disappeared. At the opening of the second board the market showed rather more steadiness; but on the call to attack was renewed on the railway shares, and prices were again lower. Southern old fell 2½ per cent, making a total fall of 16 per cent in one day; Erie was done at 106, against 116 yesterday afternoon; Harlem fell 6 per cent more, making a fall of 14 per cent in one day. So enormous a decline as this will of course be followed by a sharp reaction, in which the bears will lose some of the profits they have made on the decline. It is characteristic of this class of operators that the lower a stock falls the more they want to sell it short. At the four P. M. call of the public board the market continued to decline. A dead set was made upon Erie, Southern old and other leading stocks, and they were forced down 1 a 2 per cent more. Erie was done as low as 103 after the call—a fall of 13 per cent in one day. Pittsburg likewise fell off 2 per cent. The following were about the closing quotations:—

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New Jersey	1	do. do.	125,000
Pennsylvania	15	do. do.	1,421,500
District of Columbia	1	do. do.	500,000
Illinois	3	do. do.	200,000
Indiana	12	do. do.	1,200,000
Iowa	3	do. do.	210,000
Michigan	1	do. do.	75,000
Ohio	19	do. do.	3,453,000
Missouri	1	do. do.	100,000
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THURSDAY, Sept. 3, 1863.

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6000 Alt&TH2mpr	93	800 do.	100
14000 Alt&TH mc bds	86	200 do.	99
37000 do.	86½	100 do.	830 98
25000 Pitts, Ft W&C 3d	86	200 do.	98½
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28000 do.	129¾	250 do.	98¼
5000 do.	129⅝	100 MiS & N Ind g stk	132
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50 do.	30½	700 do.	83
150 Del&Hud CanalCo	160	300 do.	83½
250 Penn Coal Co.	146	100 do.	b10 83½
300 Camb Coal pref	28½	200 do.	s3 83
400 do.	29	200 do.	83¼
200 QuicksilverMinCo	65	200 Ill Cen RR scrip	127
100 do.	63	100 do.	b60 127
150 do.	64	350 do.	126
500 do.	64½	600 do.	125
60 Minnesota Min Co	90	100 do.	125¾
100 Pacific Mail SS Co	226	100 do.	125¼
1300 NY Central RR	129	200 Cleve & Pitts RR	97
1850 do.	130	2200 do.	96
200 do.	130½	100 do.	s30 94
200 do.	s30 130	1500 do.	94
100 do.	130¼	300 do.	b10 95
100 do.	130¾	500 Gal & Chi RR	105
100 do.	b30 131	200 do.	105¼
100 do.	s10 130	50 do.	s3 105
1008 Erie RR	110	100 do.	b30 106
500 do.	110¼	50 do.	105¼
800 do.	110½	1000 Clev & Tol RR	s13 115
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600 do.	s10 111¼	100 Chi & Rk Is RR	108
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100 do.	s10 110	200 do.	107½
600 Erie RR pref	104	400 do.	b30 108½
1000 do.	105	100 Mil&PrduCnRR	s3 70
200 do.	104¾	150 do.	72½
100 Hud Riv RR	s30 140	250 do.	s3 72
400 do.	144	200 Tol & Wabash RR	75
500 do.	143½	200 Alt & Tr Haute RR	60
50 do.	b10 145	400 Alt & Tr H pref	s3 80
1000 Harlem RR	149	150 Chi & N W RR	32
300 do.	148½	100 do.	33¾
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1600 do.	107	300 do.	122
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200 do.	103	100 do.	b10 123
100 do.	103¼	600 Cleve & Pitts RR	94½
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100 do.	141	200 do.	s30 93½
100 do.	s30 140	100 Gal & Chi RR	b30 105½
100 do.	141½	150 do.	105
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500 do.	141	200 Chi&Rk Is RR	b30 106½
500 do.	141½	300 do.	106
300 Reading RR	113	100 do.	106¼
1000 do.	113½	100 do.	b30 106
300 do.	113¼	300 Pitts, Ft W&ChiRR	80
500 Mich Central RR	117	250 do.	79¾
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250 Mich So & N I RR	93	1300 do.	79
400 do.	92¾		

Sales at the Public Board.

HALF PAST THREE O'CLOCK P. M.

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CITY COMMERCIAL REPORT.

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ASHES continued in demand at 7c. for pots and 9c. for pearls, with sales of 40 bbls.

BREADSTUFFS.—The rapid rise in gold and sterling exchange to-day favorably affected the market for most kinds of produce. Flour was active and 5c. a 10c. higher, the main inquiry having been for export, though the trade purchased more freely, and there was some speculative demand, chiefly for inferior grades, of which there was a liberal supply offering. The day's receipts of flour were 13,339 bbls. The day's sales comprised 21,000 bbls. State and Western, 2,400 bbls. Southern, and 950 bbls. Canadian. Included in the sales of State and Western were 9,400 bbls. unsound, mostly at from $4 25 a $4 90 to sell short, and the panic was renewed. Erie fell 4½ more, Central 3, Hudson 2½, Pittsburg 3, Southern old 5, Quicksilver 1, Fort Wayne [illegible] seemed for a time as though prices would bring back to the old figures, and all the courage of the bulls had disappeared. At the opening of the second board the market showed rather more steadiness; but on the call to attack was renewed on the railway shares, and prices were again lower. Southern old fell 2½ per cent, making a total fall of 16 per cent in one day; Erie was done at 106, against 116 yesterday afternoon; Harlem fell 6 per cent more, making a fall of 14 per cent in one day. So enormous a decline as this will of course be followed by a sharp reaction, in which the bears will lose some of the profits they have made on the decline. It is characteristic of this class of operators that the lower a stock falls the more they want to sell it short. At the four P. M. call of the public board the market continued to decline. A dead set was made upon Erie, Southern old and other leading stocks, and they were forced down 1 a 2 per cent more. Erie was done as low as 103 after the call—a fall of 13 per cent in one day. Pittsburg likewise fell off 2 per cent. The following were about the closing quotations:—

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100 Erie RR pref	103½	100 do.	122¾
200 do.	103	100 do.	b10 123
100 do.	103¼	600 Cleve & Pitts RR	94½
50 Hudson River RR	143	1050 do.	94
100 do.	141	200 do.	s30 93½
100 do.	s30 140	100 Gal & Chi RR	b30 105½
100 do.	141½	150 do.	105
500 Harlem RR	142	100 Cleve & Toledo RR	113
500 do.	141	200 Chi&Rk Is RR	b30 106½
500 do.	141½	300 do.	106
300 Reading RR	113	100 do.	106¼
1000 do.	113½	100 do.	b30 106
300 do.	113¼	300 Pitts, Ft W&ChiRR	80
500 Mich Central RR	117	250 do.	79¾
100 do.	s10 117	200 do.	79½
250 Mich So & N I RR	93	1300 do.	79
400 do.	92¾		

Sales at the Public Board.

HALF PAST THREE O'CLOCK P. M.

400 shs N Y Cen RR	127¼	500 shs M So & N I RR	89½
200 do.	127	100 do.	89¼
100 do.	126¾	450 do.	89
100 Erie RR	105½	100 do.	88½
600 do.	105¼	300 do.	88
300 do.	104¾	200 Reading RR rw	113
600 do.	104½	300 do.	113
100 do.	104¼	300 do.	b3 113¼
600 do.	104⅝	300 Clev & Pitts RR	91½
100 do.	104½	200 do.	b3 91⅜
200 Erie pref	102½	100 Chic & Rock I RR	105¾
150 do.	102¾	100 do.	b3 105¼
100 do.	b3 102½	100 do.	105½
50 do.	102¼	200 do.	105¼
600 Mich So & N I RR	90	500 do.	s10 105

CITY COMMERCIAL REPORT.

THURSDAY, Sept. 3—6 P. M.

ASHES continued in demand at 7c. for pots and 9c. for pearls, with sales of 40 bbls.

BREADSTUFFS.—The rapid rise in gold and sterling exchange to-day favorably affected the market for most kinds of produce. Flour was active and 5c. a 10c. higher, the main inquiry having been for export, though the trade purchased more freely, and there was some speculative demand, chiefly for inferior grades, of which there was a liberal supply offering. The day's receipts of flour were 13,339 bbls. The day's sales comprised 21,000 bbls. State and Western, 2,400 bbls. Southern, and 950 bbls. Canadian. Included in the sales of State and Western were 9,400 bbls. unsound, mostly at from $4 25 a $4 90

POLITICAL.

A MEETING OF THE EIGHTEENTH WARD DEMOCRACY will be held this evening in Clinton Hall, Houston street, near Third avenue. HUGH D. SMITH, President.

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLICAN GENERAL COMMITTEE, Tammany Hall.

At a meeting of the Democratic Republican General Committee, held at Tammany Hall, on the 3d day of September, 1863, the following resolutions were adopted:—Resolved, That the democratic republican electors of the city and county of New York friendly to regular nominations and the usages of the party are requested to assist a primary election in their respective wards on the 8th day of September, instant, between the hours of 5 and 7 o'clock P. M., to select the usual number of delegates to the ward and members in this General Committee, to represent their several assembly districts in this city in a county convention, to elect seventeen delegates and seventeen alternate delegates to the State convention, to assemble in the city of Albany on the 9th instant pursuant to the call of the Democratic Republican State Central Committee.

Resolved, That the convention provided for in the foregoing resolution meet in Tammany Hall on Saturday, the 5th instant, at 12 o'clock M., and that the delegates selected by said convention be requested to meet for organization at Tammany Hall on Monday, September 7, at 12 M.

Resolved, That the election be held in the several wards at the places and under the direction of the inspectors below named, the certificate of a majority of whom in each ward shall be conclusive and final evidence of the election of the delegates in such ward.

FIRST WARD—109 Greenwich street. Inspectors—Michael Ahern, Michael Kehan, James Ramsey.

SECOND WARD—70 Cliff street. Inspectors—Arthur Keating, Thomas McCauley, Albert C. Williams.

THIRD WARD—257 Fulton street. Inspectors—John Taylor, John J. Finn, William Britton.

FOURTH WARD—5 Duane street. Inspectors—Charles Melvet, Wm. Savage, John Curtis.

FIFTH WARD—Fifth Ward Hotel. Inspectors—James Lawrence, Wm. Burras, Charles Riley.

SIXTH WARD—Ivy Green, 72 Elm street. Inspectors—Timothy Brennan, Owen Kinsey, Thomas Ryan.

SEVENTH WARD—173 Madison street. Inspectors—Jacob F. Valentine, Wm. Dougherty, Augustus Oliver.

EIGHTH WARD—90 Charles street. Inspectors—Henry White, Emmet M. Faye, Isaac Robinson.

NINTH WARD—Adriatic Hotel, corner of Barrow and Hudson streets. Inspectors—James O'Neil, Wm. M. Richardson, Robert Keenan.

TENTH WARD—Griffith's, Orchard street. Inspectors—Charles F. Merritt, Henry Howe, Frank Wilmott.

ELEVENTH WARD—Schneider's, 249 Third street. Inspectors—Wm. Vollmer, John Fallon, Simeon Decker.

TWELFTH WARD—James Hope's, corner 125th street and Third avenue. Inspectors—James Hope, John Balmore, Jonas Chandler.

THIRTEENTH WARD—37 Willett street. Inspectors—Hugh Reilly, James Malone, Daniel F. McIntyre.

FOURTEENTH WARD—Central Hall, 174 Grand street. Inspectors—Patrick McCudden, Peter Marrin, David Dugan.

FIFTEENTH WARD—12 East Houston street. Inspectors—James Gibson, William Robb, John Gambleton.

SEVENTH WARD—Ralphs's, corner Seventeenth street and Ninth avenue. Inspectors—Peter Halpin, Wm. White, W. Morrison.

SEVENTEENTH WARD—Gantz's, corner Fourth street and avenue A. Inspectors—Thomas Cannon, Wm. Guntze, Owen Haley.

EIGHTEENTH WARD—Larkin's, northeast corner of Third avenue and Twenty-third street. Inspectors—Henry Mathews, Daniel O'Neil, Peter Gray.

NINETEENTH WARD—Wm. Leehan's, Fifty-Sixth street and Third avenue. Inspectors—Thos. Lahey, John Rorke, Patrick Walsh.

TWENTIETH WARD—Strain's, corner Thirty-seventh street and Seventh avenue. Inspectors—James Conboy, Thomas Cannon, H. Loewen