THE EVENING STAR.

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FRIDAY.....JULY 1, 1864.

☞ READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE. SEE OUTSIDE FOR INTERESTING TELEGRAPHIC AND OTHER MATTER.

SENATOR FESSENDEN SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY!

The Crisis is Past, and all is Well!

Last evening the noble Governor Tod, of Ohio, declined the appointment of Secretary of the Treasury, only on the ground of inadequate health.

At the meeting of the Senate this morning the nomination of the Hon. Wm. Pitt Fessenden for Secretary of the Treasury was received. It was unanimously and joyfully confirmed.

Thus, the country has now in charge of the finances a statesman of consummate ability and spotless reputation. The ship of state moves right on in its strength, undisturbed by the beating of the winds and waves.

FROM THE FRONT.

Heavy Firing in the Direction of Petersburg—Butler in Strong Position.

The mail steamer Highland Light, Captain Weeks, arrived this morning from City Point and Bermuda Hundred, with the mails and a large number of passengers, among whom were 166 men belonging to the 40th New York, whose term of service has expired. The Highland Light also brought up twelve bodies, among them that of Lieut. S. G. Sherwin, 11th Wis., and several of Ohio one hundred days men.

The steamer brought down six rebel prisoners, who had taken the oath, to Fortress Monroe, when they were yesterday afternoon placed on board a steamer with about 400 other rebel prisoners, among them several officers, including a colonel, and sent to Point Lookout.

The railroad from City Point is in working order to within a few miles of the front, and trains are running regularly with passengers and supplies.

On Wednesday the tugboat Francis King, while reconnoitering about 20 miles above Bermuda Hundred, was fired into by a rebel shore battery, and a ball struck the engineer, breaking both his legs, but did not do other damage.

Among the passengers was Capt. O. F. Hulser, 2d N. Y. heavy artillery, who is sick.

Heavy firing was heard day before yesterday from the direction of Petersburg, which continued at intervals through the night, and was renewed with vigor next morning.

The rebels are still in force in front of Butler, who is strongly entrenched; and there are no fears that they will risk an assault on his works, which are represented to be of the most impregnable character. Shelling between the two forces is sometimes very lively, but without much effect.

MORE WOUNDED.

The steamer Utica, which arrived here yesterday evening from City Point, brought up 390 wounded men. Many of them are slight cases, having been wounded in the arms and legs whilst in the rifle pits. Three sick officers also came up on the Utica.

NAVAL CAPTURES.

The Navy Department has received information of the capture on the 10th of June of the sloop "Yankee Doodle," coming out of the middle entrance of Pearl river, Mississippi Sound, by the U. S. steamer Elk. The vessel was loaded with cotton and has been sent to New Orleans for adjudication.

☞ Demorest's Quarterly Mirror of Fashions, for the summer of 1864, has been received from John C. Parker, 379 F street, who has it for sale.

PRICE OF PAPERS ADVANCED.—All the Chicago publishers of daily papers announce that after the 4th of July the price of their journals will be twenty-five cents a week, delivered by carriers; $12 per year; $6 for six months and $3 for three months. For the last two years Chicago papers have been furnished to subscribers at twenty cents a week.

FEES OF PHYSICIANS.—The regular physicians of Boston have "struck" for higher fees. The fee for a single visit, cases of regular attendance, has been raised from two to three dollars. For a first visit in consultation, the fee will be from five to ten dollars. For a visit in the night, or between 9 o'clock p. m. and 8 o'clock a. m., the fee will be from five to ten dollars. At these prices few people can afford to be sick.

THE DISTRICT IN CONGRESS.—In the Senate yesterday, Mr. Grimes, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, called up the bill to establish Colfax street, in the city of Washington and District of Columbia. It provides that, from and after the passage hereof, the alley, which is sixty feet wide, across Square 712, and which connects L and M streets north, and the west line of which is two hundred and twelve feet east of the east line of First street east, shall be known as Colfax street. That Congress may hereafter, at any time, amend or repeal this act.

The bill was passed.

Mr. Harlan called up the joint resolution to grant additional rooms to the Department of Agriculture, and called for the reading of the statement of the Commissioner of the Land Office to the effect that the rooms had already been assigned in the Land Office to the crowded Pension Bureau, and cases costing $19,221, filled with 6,000,000 of valuable papers, and that the seeds were filling it with vermin.

Mr. Sherman said the rooms at present occupied by the Department of Agriculture were totally inadequate to the business of the office, and he believed it would be better to build a suitable edifice for that purpose.

Mr. Hendricks coincided in the suggestion, and was in favor of building in the center of the gardens of the department a baronial mansion for the use of the Commissioner, where he could have his seeds and his rats all to himself. He wanted to amend the third section, to insert "when the President shall direct," as to the time of its construction.

Mr. Pomeroy understood there were six rooms in the Land Office unused. He opposed building at the present prices of labor and material.

The bill passed by a vote of 21 to 8.

In the House, Mr. Driggs, of Michigan, introduced a bill constituting a board of health for the cities of Washington and Georgetown, which was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

The Senate bill to incorporate the Potomac Ferry Company was passed.

The House passed the Senate bill authorizing the corporation of Washington to assess a tax not exceeding fifteen cents on a hundred dollars, on real and personal property, in order to meet the Government direct tax.

A Senate bill was also passed, authorizing the Levy Court to levy a tax to pay its proportion of the Government direct tax.

☞ NOTICE.—The next regular monthly meeting of the TIN PLATE AND SHEET IRON WORKERS of Washington will be held at Shepard's Hall, on TUESDAY EVENING, July 5th, at 8 o'clock. It is confidently expected that every member will be present, as an election of officers will be held, whilst other business of equal importance claims their attention. By order.
jy 1 2t* JAS. E. MATTINGLY, Rec. Sec.

☞ NOTICE.—ST. MATTHEW'S COLORED SUNDAY SCHOOL will hold a Festival on the 4TH OF JULY on the President's Grounds, the object of which is to raise funds to aid in the erection of a school-house for colored children. There will be speaking, singing, and a fine band of music. Refreshments will be sold on the ground. The colored people of the city, and all who are so disposed, are cordially invited to attend on this occasion. Admission, for adults, 25 cents; for children, 10 cents. je 1-2t*

☞ THE DRAFT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, WASHINGTON, June 29, 1864.

The attention of every citizen of Washington is called to the fact that another draft is about to be had in this city, and all who are or suppose themselves entitled to exemption therefrom are earnestly entreated to have their names forthwith stricken from the enrollment. Very respectfully,
je 30-3t RICHARD WALLACH, Mayor.

☞ NOTICE.—*To the People of Washington and the Public Generally.*—Upholstering and Cabinet Making and Renovating of all descriptions done in the best style and at the shortest notice. Old Curled hair Mattresses can be made as good as new at WM. J. LEE'S new establishment, No. 363, C street north, between 4½ and 6th street west.
je 30-1m* WM. J. LEE.

☞ BANK OF THE METROPOLIS, WASHINGTON, 27 June, 1864.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of three per cent. for the past six months, payable on or after the 5th of July next
je 28-2aw2w MOSES KELLY, Cashier.

☞ WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN RAILROAD COMPANY.—WASHINGTON, June 24, 1864.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this company, for the election of seven Directors for the ensuing year, will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 13th of July, 1864, at the office of the Company, corner of 15th street and New York avenue. The polls will be opened at 12 o'clock m., and closed at 2 o'clock p. m.
GEO. S. GIDEON, President.
H. C. FAHNESTOCK, Sec'ry. je 27-tjy13

TAKEN UP ESTRAY—A red and white COW. The owner will come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away. Apply to EDWARD FEWHES, first house above Green Spring, on the River Road, Georgetown. je 25-3t*

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

General Grant's Losses.

NEW YORK, June 30.—The Commercial states editorially, on good authority, that our total loss in Grant's campaign, exclusive of cavalry and Hunter's column, will not exceed 52,000. The total loss since crossing the James river will not exceed 7,500.

Only 3,400 wounded remained at headquarters on the 27th.

Highly Successful Cavalry Expedition.

FORT SMITH, June 27.—Information has been received from a cavalry expedition, recently sent southward from here, that a rebel force, eight hundred strong, under Colonel Wells, was attacked on the 26th at a point not mentioned, and all those not killed were taken prisoners and sent to Little Rock. Our loss was very light.

FOR SALE—Lot old Joists and Boards. Apply immediately to JOSEPH B. WELLS, No. 116 High street, near Dunbarton.
1t* Georgetown, D. C.

HORSES FOR SALE.—Just received, 40 Horses, for draft, driving and family purposes. Can be seen at Bull's Head Stable, 13½ st. and Ohio avenue.
jy 1-3t* C. PRICE, Proprietor.

FOR SALE—A fine SADDLE HORSE, six years old, perfectly gentle, works well in harness. Apply at once to MURRAY & SEMMES, No. 405 Pennsylvania avenue, as the owner expects to leave the city in a short time. jy 1-3tif

LADIES' WRAPPINGS LADIES' WRAPPINGS.
Black Silk Circulars,
Black Silk Sacques,
Black Silk Mantillas.
Black Barege Mantillas,
White Barege Mantillas,
Gray Barege Mantillas,
Misses Silk Sacques,
Misses Silk Circulars,
At MAXWELL'S MANTILLA EMPORIUM,
jy 1-5t 328 Pennsylvania avenue.

SELLING OUT TO CLOSE.
GREAT REDUCTION IN BOOKS, STATIONERY, AND FANCY ARTICLES.

The undersigned offer to the trade and public generally great inducements to purchase, as he is closing out his large stock of goods preparatory to leaving the city.

Great bargains in Books, Stationery, Photograph Cards, Albums, Knives, Scissors, Razors, Soaps, Combs, Brushes, Perfumery, &c., &c.

A large lot of goods at half price.

Several very fine Show Cases for sale.

For a short time only, at
THE NATIONAL BOOK STORE,
278 Penn. avenue,
bet. 11th and 12th sts., Washington, D. C.
jy 1-1m

HORSES! HORSES! HORSES!

WAR DEPARTMENT, CAVALRY BUREAU, *Office of Chief Quartermaster*, WASHINGTON, June 30, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M Tuesday, July 12th, 1864, for two thousand (2,000) Cavalry Horses, to be delivered at Columbus, Ohio; two thousand (2,000) at Indianapolis, Indiana; and two thousand (2,000) at Detroit, Michigan, within forty (40) days from date of contract.

Said horses to be sound in all particulars, well broken, full in flesh, from fifteen (15) to sixteen (16) hands high, from five (5) to nine (9) years old, in good condition, and well adapted in every way to cavalry purposes.

These specifications will be strictly adhered to and rigidly enforced in every particular.

No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by a guaranty for its faithful performance.

☞ Should any United States officer guarantee the proposal of a bidder who should prove to be irresponsible, his name will be reported to the Secretary of War with a recommendation that such officer be dismissed the service.

All bidders and guarantors will be held to the strictest accountability, and every failure to comply with terms of contract, or to make the contract when awarded, will be followed by prosecution to the full extent of the law.

Form of bid or guaranty can be had on application to this office, or to Captain Fielding Lowry, Assistant Quartermaster, Columbus, Ohio; Captain C. Hay, Assistant Quartermaster, Indianapolis, Indiana; and Captain G. W. Lee, Assistant Quartermaster, Detroit, Michigan.

Successful bidders will be prepared to enter into written contracts, with good and sufficient surety, immediately on the acceptance of their bids.

The oath of allegiance must accompany each bid.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject all bids deemed unreasonable.

Bids for one hundred (100) Horses and upwards will be entertained.

Bids for *the entire number* of Horses required are invited.

Payment will be promptly made on completion of contract.

No Mares will be received.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Cavalry Horses," and addressed to Lieut. Col. James A. Ekin, Chief Quartermaster, Cavalry Bureau, Washington, D. C.

Any other information will be promptly given, on application, personally or by letter, to
JAMES A. EKIN, Lieut. Colonel and
Chief Quartermaster, Cavalry Bureau.

☞ Purchase in the open market will be continued at the above points until the contract is awarded. Payment made in certificates of indebtedness for seven (7) horses or more jy 1-td

SUBSTITUTES.—I will pay the highest market price to runners bringing men to my office.
G. H. CASSIDY.
je 30-3t* 446 8th st., bet. Pa. av. and D st

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS A BULL, which he will let to Cows. Price $2 each. Apply to WM. DONOVAN, on 6th street, bet. K and L, Island. je 30-3t*

LAMP CHIMNEYS.
300 DOZEN COAL OIL LAMP CHIMNEYS for sale cheap at wholesale, by
BONTZ & GRIFFITH,
je 30-3t 369 7th street, between I and K.

FLAGS! FLAGS!! FLAGS!!!
UNITED STATES FLAGS
All sizes, at
MRS. LOWE'S,
297 Penn. avenue, south side,
je 30-4t between 9th and 10th sts.

500 COTTAGE BEDSTEADS in store and for sale at reduced prices.
ALSO,
2,000 yards HEMP CARPETS, just received, on commision, which will be sold low to close consignment.
The attention of Dealers is called to the above.
BONTZ & GRIFFITH,
je 30-3t 369 7th street, between I and K sts.

FURNITURE.
CARPETS! CARPETS!
OIL CLOTHS,
MATTINGS. MATTINGS.
The Cheapest Store in the District to furnish your house complete is
369 SEVENTH STREET,
Between I and K Streets,
where you can get everything in the
HOUSE FURNISHING LINE,
such as
FURNITURE,
CARPETS,
OIL CLOTHS,
MATTINGS,
COTTAGE SUITES,
MIRRORS,
HAT RACKS,
REFRIGERATORS,
WATER COOLERS,
FEATHER BEDS,
BOLSTERS AND PILLOWS,
MATTRESSES,
BLANKETS, &c., &c.
☞ Terms, Cash.
A discount of 10 per cent. allowed on all bills of $50 and upwards.
BONTZ & GRIFFITH,
369 7th street, bet. I and K sts.
je 30-6t Sign of the High Awning.

BRICKS! BRICKS! BRICKS!—500,000 well made, well burnt BRICKS for sale.
J. PUSEY & CO.,
Successors to J. VAN RISWICK & BRO.
je 29-1w* Corner South Capitol and N streets.

NOTICE.—Persons desirous of having any JOBBING done in the Brick line, by leaving their orders at ANDERSON'S Bookstore, 458 7th street, opposite the Post Office, addressed to W. E. DANTE, Bricklayer, will be promptly attended to. je 29-1w*

PIANOS.—We have received this day, 4 Pianos of Steinway & Sons, and 5 of Haines Brothers, also, several Melodeons, which we offer for sale at the lowest factory prices. Several second hand Pianos upon easy terms.

As Pianos are advancing in price, we advise persons in search of a reliable Instrument, to call and examine our assortment. W. G. METZEROTT,
je 29 corner 11th and Pa. avenue.

FIREWORKS! FIREWORKS!!
The largest assortment in the city.
FLAGS! FLAGS!!
of all kinds.
LANTERNS! LANTERNS!!
for illuminations, &c.

Roman Candles,	Exhibition Pieces,
Scroll Wheels,	Fire Crackers,
Sky Rockets,	Pulling Crackers,
Pin Wheels,	Torpedoes,
Triangles,	Flotillas,
Vertical Wheels,	Chinese Bombs,
Saxon Wheels,	Fire Balloons,
China Flyers,	Toy Cannons,
Flying Pigeons,	Cracker Pistols,
Serpents,	Torpedo and Cracker Pistols combined—a new article,
Grass Hoppers	Transparent Lanterns,
Flower-Pots,	Toy Drums.
Blue Lights,	
Bengola Lights,	
Mines,	

COME EVERYBODY!
and get your supplies for the
GLORIOUS FOURTH
from the great
NATIONAL FLAG AND FIRE-WORKS DEPOT,
300 E STREET, NEAR FOURTEENTH.
Depot for Boswell & Warner's celebrated
COLORIFIC FOR COLORING THE HAIR.
☞ The Trade supplied. je 18-1m

PROPOSALS FOR LOAN.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, June 25, 1864.

Sealed Offers will be received at this Department, under the act of March 3, 1863, until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 6th of July, 1864, for bonds of the United States, to the amount of thirty-three millions, being the amount of unaccepted offers under the Notice of Proposals for Loan, dated 6th inst. The bonds will bear an annual interest of six per centum, payable semi-annually in coin on the first days of July and January of each year, and redeemable after the 30th of June, 1881.

Each offer must be for fifty or one hundred dollars, or some multiple of one hundred dollars, and must state the sum, including the premium, offered for each hundred dollars in bonds, or for fifty, when the offer is for more than fifty. Two per cent. of the principal, excluding premium, of the whole amount offered must be deposited as guaranty for payment of subscription if accepted, with the Treasurer of the United States at Washington, or with the Assistant Treasurer at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, or St. Louis, or with the Designated Depository at Baltimore, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Louisville, Chicago, Detroit, or Buffalo, or with any National Banking Association authorized to receive deposits which may consent to transact the business without charge. Duplicate certificates of deposit will be issued to depositors by the officer or association receiving them; the originals of which must be forwarded with the offers to the Department. All deposits should be made in time for advice of offers with certificates to reach Washington not later than the morning of July 6. No offer not accompanied by its proper certificate of deposit will be considered.

The Coupon and Registered Bonds issued will be of the denominations of $50, $100, $500 and $1,000. Registered Bonds of $5,000 and $10,000 will also be issued if required.

All offers received will be opened on WEDNESDAY, the 6th of July, by the Secretary or one of the Assistant Secretaries. The awards will be made by the Secretary to the highest offerers, and notice of acceptance or declension will be immediately given to the respective offerers; and, in case of acceptance, the bonds of the descriptions and denominations preferred will be sent to the subscribers at the cost of the Department, on final payment of instalments. The original deposit of two per cent. will be reckoned in the last instalment paid by successful offerers, and will be immediately returned to those whose offers may not be accepted.

The amount of accepted offers must be deposited with the Treasurer or other officer or association authorized to act under this notice on advice of acceptance of offer, or as follows: One-third on or before the 10th; one-third on or before the 15th; and the balance, including the premium and original two per cent. deposit, on or before the 20th of July. Interest on bonds will begin with the date of deposit. Parties preferring may pay the accrued interest from date of bond, July 1, to date of deposit.

Offers under this notice should be endorsed "Offer for Loan," and addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury.

No offer will be considered at a less rate of premium than four per cent.
S. P. CHASE,
Secretary of the Treasury.

NOTICE TO OFFERERS RECEIVING DEPOSITS UNDER THIS ADVERTISEMENT.

The preliminary certificate of deposit of two per cent. must not be credited upon your accounts current, as it is to be included in the final deposit.
je 27-td

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—From Union Hotel, Georgetown, a NEWFOUNDLAND PUP, about 2½ months old, color black, with white feet and face. A suitable reward will be paid to any person returning him to the Hotel. jy 1-2t*

LOST—An AFRICAN PARROT, grey, body and red tipped tail. A handsome reward will be paid for its return to No. 283 I street, near 17th.
jy 1-1t*

$5 REWARD.—Strayed away from home, about the 21st of June, a brindle or red COW, with white spot, dark bag, large horns. I will pay the above reward for the cow.
JOHN C. SHAFER,
jy 1-3t* No. 510 14th street.

$10 REWARD will be paid for the return of a small BLACK AND TAN TERRIER DOG, which strayed from home on Monday morning, June 27th. His ears were closely cut, tail long; he has a small scar on his right hip. The above reward will be paid if he is returned to 374 Eighth street, near Northern Market House. jy 1-3t

$5 REWARD—Strayed from the subscriber on the 29th ult., a white and spangled springing COW; the tip of the horns turning up. She has a very large bag, and is supposed to leave to get her calf. The above reward will be paid for her return to Mrs. FITZMORROW, K street, bet. 3d and 4th streets. jy 1-2t*

$10 REWARD.—Strayed or stolen from the subscriber, on the 28th inst., two COWS, one six years old, fly bitten, white, face spangled, white and red on the body, of medium size, with tops of horns turned upward; the other is a horned cow, mixed with large spots of red and white, a large star in her forehead. The above reward will be paid for their return to THOS. GRADY, corner of North Capitol and D sts. jy 1-3t*

$50 REWARD—Stolen from the subscriber's farm, on West River, Anne Arundel county, Md, on 22d June, a bright bay MARE, about 15 hand high; about six years old; very small star in forehead; trots and canters. She is a valuable animal, and in fine order. I will give $25 for the return of the Mare, and $25 for any information that will convict the thief. Address me at West River Post Office, Md.
jy 1-2t* WM. W. ELLIOTT.

FOUND ASTRAY—On the 28th inst., one blazed faced, light bay MARE. The owner will please come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away. R. W. GRAY,
je 30-3t* 422 Massachusetts avenue.

STRAYED AWAY LAST APRIL, FROM THE subscriber, two BAY HORSES—one marked "I C," on shoulder; had a sore on hind leg; no shoes on; and one fore foot split. The other had scratches on front feet. A liberal reward will be paid if left with the owner. EDWARD HUNT,
No. 453 K street, near
je 30-1w* Navy Yard Market.

STRAYED AWAY—On 19th, a medium size red COW, with short horns, one leaning over her right ear, and having a collar on. Any one returning her to No. 541 H street, near 6th, will be liberally rewarded. je 29-3t*

CAME TO SPRING HILL FARM, On the 29th inst., a red and white COW, with wide horns. Near Georgetown. The owner can come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away.
je 29-3t* W. H. PETTIT.

$5 REWARD.—Lost on last Thursday, the 23d instant, a black, horny COW, hip-jointed on the left side. The above reward will be given by delivering her to JAMES DACY, corner of 4th and L streets, No. 203. je 29-3t*

$3 REWARD—LOST—Yesterday afternoon, between 18th street, Washington, and High st. Georgetown, the sum of EIGHTEEN DOLLARS AND FIFTY-FIVE CENTS, contained in a small leather wallet. The above reward and thanks of the owner will be given if left at the Star Office.
je 29-3t*

STRAYED OR STOLEN.—On the 25th of June, two COWS, one a red buffalo, with a cropped tail, the other a yellow, horned cow, with white spotted face and a white stripe down her back. The finder will be liberally rewarded by bringing them to 4th street, between M and N streets, No. 156, or any information that can be given. je 29-3t*

STRAYED FROM THE SUBSCRIBER, JUNE 28th, a big, yellow COW, with small, round, short horns; short tail; and is a fresh milk cow; when left she had a rope tied around her horns. The finder will be suitably rewarded by taking her back to NICHOLAS BURNS, No. 575 First and Second streets, Pennsylvania avenue, Capitol Hill. je 29-3t*

STRAYED FROM THE SUBSCRIBER, a red and white COW, medium size; straight horns; good sized bag, two front teats the largest. Five dollars reward will be paid for her return to No. 138 High street, Georgetown.
je 27-6t* WM. ROBINSON.

BOARDING.

EIGHT OR TEN GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with TABLE BOARD by immediate application at No. 377 13th street, between New York avenue and I street. Also, Furnished Rooms to let. Terms moderate. je 30-3t*

AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY.—Desirable Rooms, with Board, for gentleman and wife, or single gentlemen, can be obtained at 212 Bridge street, Georgetown. This is a delightful locality, overlooking the Potomac, with a view of the Virginia and Maryland heights in the distance, and within a short distance of the terminus of the railroad. je 30-2t*

BOARD.—First-class Boarding House for Officers, Clerks in the Departments, or gentlemen and their wives. Location very fine; only two squares from the War Department, and one from Penn. avenue. House very cool. Bath-room in house, with hot and cold water. Terms: Rooms with Board, from $35 to $125 per month. Apply on the premises, at No. 183 G street, second door above 19th. A few Table Boarders taken.
je 29-3t*

A FEW FIRST CLASS BOARDERS can be accommodated with ROOMS and BOARD by applying between the hours of 5 and 8 p. m., at No. 352 G street, 2d door above 11th st. je 28-eo3t*

ROOMS WITH BOARD at No. 298 north K street, between 7th and 8th. Table Boarders accomodated. je 25-eo3t*

TABLE BOARD AT $25 A WEEK at 134 Pennsylvania avenue, between 19th and 20th streets. And July 1st a desirable room. je 25-1w*

BOARDING—A few first class BOARDERS can be accommodated with Rooms and Board on or after the 1st of July next, at No. 426 20th street, southeast cor. of F. je 20-2w*

PERSONS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED WITH BOARD and LODGING at $5 per week, (or $1 per day,) at the Philadelphia House, No. 517 New New Jersey avenue, near Baltimore Depot.
je 20-1m* D. H. NICHOLS, Proprietor.

STOVE AND KINDLING WOOD, Hickory, Oak and Pine, sawed and split to any length and size; also, cord length. Lowest market prices.
G. L. SHERIFF,
Office, Pa. av., betw. 3d and 4½ sts.
je29-1m Mill and Wharf, 4½ st., at Canal Bridge.

EUGENE SUE.—Paula Monti, 50c; Therese Dunoyer, 50c; La Concaratcha, 63c; Le Commandeur de Malte, 60c; Le Morne au Diable, 60c; La Bonne aventure, 50c; Miss Mary on L'Instructrice, 50c; Comedies Sociales, 40c; Latreaumont, 63c; L'Avarice 40c; La Luxure, 40c; L'Envie, 60c; La Colere, 40c; L'Arguell, 50c.
je23 FRANCK TAYLOR.

TRY DONOVAN'S BLACKBERRY CORDIAL. Price, $1 per bottle. For sale by all Druggists. je 23-6t

SCRIBE'S WORKS.—La Bohemienne, 25c.; Bertrand et Ratron, 25c.; Japet, 25c.; Gustave III, 25c.; Le Mariage enfantin, 25c.; Philibert Marcie, 25c.; Le plus beau jour de la Vie, 25c.; Le Vieux Mari, 25c.; Les Contes de la Reine de Navarre, 25c.; La Camaraderie, 25c.; Le Moulin de Javelle 25c.; Les Malheurs d'un amant heureux, 25c.; La Dame de Pique, 25c.; L'Heritiere, 25c., and many others, just imported.
je 23 FRANCK TAYLOR.

SECOND EDITION.

5 O'CLOCK P. M.

FROM THE MISSISSIPPI—REBEL ATTACK ON WHITE RIVER STATION REPULSED.

Rear Admiral David D. Porter has forwarded the following to the Navy Department:

U. S. S. LEXINGTON, *Off White River Station*, June 22d, 1864.—Sir:—I have the honor to report that an attack was made on this place at 4½ o'clock a. m., by the 10th Mississippi (rebel) regiment, under command of Col. Louther.

The garrison had just completed the stockade on which they were engaged when you left, and in it they fought bravely, though their pickets had been surprised, and the rebels were close upon them before they were discovered.

The Lexington had steam up and moved immediately out into the stream, and opened on them a rapid fire. The enemy was quickly repulsed, and retired to the woods.

We have no casualties, and of the garrison one was killed and four wounded. One negro was killed, and two families of refugees carried off. Two dead and three wounded rebels fell into our hands, but most of their killed and wounded were dragged off the field.

The wounded Federal and rebels are being cared for in this ship.

Had there been another armed vessel here I could have cut off their retreat and captured the whole command, but I did not deem it prudent to leave this point with the Lexington.

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I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
HENRY BOOBY,
Acting Ensign Comd'g.

Lt. Com. S. L. PHELPS, Comd'g 6th District Mississippi Squadron.

ADVANCEMENTS IN THE NAVY.

The following advancement of officers has been made in the navy: Lieut. Commander Francis A. Roe, advanced five numbers in his grade, for distinguished conduct in battle while in command of the U. S. steamer Sassacus in her attack on and attempt to run down the rebel iron clad Albermarle on the 5th of May, 1864.

First Assistant Engineer, James M. Hobby, advanced thirty number, in his grade for distinguished conduct in battle, and extraordinary heroism in the action with the rebel ram Albermarle.

Lieut. Silas W. Terry, advanced five numbers in his grade, for gallant conduct in the Red river expedition.

A BATCH OF DESERTERS.

Seventy-five deserters arrived here this morning from Fort McHenry in charge of Lt. A. Keeler and a guard of the 137th Ohio National Guard, and were sent across the river to the Deserters' Camp, at Alexandria, to be sent thence to their regiments. Among the number was one negro.

FALL IN GOLD.—Gold opened nominally at 288 in New York this morning, and on the news of the nomination and confirmation of Senator Fessenden as Secretary of the Treasury reaching there, it immediately fell to 264, with a downward tendency.

The highest offer we hear made in this city up to 3 p. m. for gold is 245.

NEW MUSIC.—We are indebted to J. F. Ellis, 306 Penn, avenue, for Spring Polka, by Edward A. Berry. The Evening Hour, a collection for piano, violin and flute, by Sep Winner. Selections from the opera of "Faust," arranged for the piano by Getze.

PROMOTIONS IN THE MARINE CORPS.—The Senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations of officers in the Marine Corps: Colonel Commandant—Major Jacob Zeilin. Lieutenant Colonels—Major N. L. Shuttleworth and Captain M. R. Kintsing. Majors—Captains James H. Jones, Thomas G. Field, Charles G. M. Gawley, and G. R. Graham. Captains—First Lieutenants W. H. Carter, McLane Felton, and J. H. Higbee. First Lieutenants—Second Lieutenants W. Wallace, E. C. Saltman, and G. O. Stoddard. These promotions are to fill vacancies occasioned by the deaths of Colonel Harris and Major Garland, and the retirement of Colonel Dulany, Lieutenant Colonels Marston, and Reynolds, and Major Doughty.

Colonel Zeilin arrived here a day or two since, in good health, and will, it is expected, immediately assume command.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—The bedstead factory of S. B. Reeves & Son, corner St. John's and Willow street, was destroyed by fire this morning. Loss not yet ascertained.

The Arctic Expedition.

NEW LONDON, Ct., July 1.—Captain Hall sailed to-day on his Arctic exploring expedition.

Arrival of a Foreign Steamer.

PORTLAND, MAINE, July 1.—The steamer Bararra, from Southampton, June 11, has arrived. Her news has been anticipated.

Re-Nominated.

PORTLAND, July 1.—S. Perham was nominated for Congress in the 2d district yesterday by the Union Convention.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Flour excited, 50 to 75 higher. Wheat excited, 5 to 6. Pork firmer. Lard firmer. Whisky nominal. Gold, 265 to 270.

NEW YORK, July 1, 1 o'clock.—Flour has advanced from 75 cents to $1. Wheat excited and advanced 10 cents. Loan advanced 4 pts.

Gold.

[Special Dispatch to the Star.]

NEW YORK, July 1, 3 P. M.—Gold 255.

CONGRESSIONAL.

FRIDAY, July 1.

SENATE.—The Senate took up the House bill to reimburse the State of Pennsylvania for expenses in calling out the militia to repel invasion in 1863, with an amendment which had been added, to embrace the militia of other States called out for the defense of Pennsylvania and Maryland.

Mr. Davis offered an amendment to include the troops of New York actually serving in the United States army, whether regularly mustered in or not; which was agreed to.

Mr. Cowan said that, as the first section of the bill had been amended, it was necessary to increase the amount of the appropriation to $1,200,000, the amount due to Pennsylvania being about $700,000.

Mr. Harris, in reply, said that, as New York will have to pay one-fifth of the amount proposed for Pennsylvania, it was but just that New York, too, should be paid, though she has made no claim.

Mr. Morgan remarked that, at the present price of gold, and the state of the finances, he would prefer that the States should wait for a settlement, and not press it at this time.

Mr. Cowan, replied, stating that if New York was magnanimous in sentiment, she ought to be magnanimous in practice. The case of Pennsylvania was not the case of New York. Capitalists had advanced money to the former, and it was proper they should be paid.

Mr. Brown offered an amendment to include the Missouri troops.

Mr. Pomeroy did not expect such claims to be pressed now, but if they were he would offer an amendment for the Kansas troops.

Mr. Grimes also spoke of Iowa troops not having been paid, and moved the postponement of the bill till next session.

Mr. Ten Eyck said New Jersey had presented no claim as yet, but if New York was to be paid he would be derelict in duty were he not to ask the same consideration for his State.

Mr. Sprague moved to include pay of Rhode Island volunteers from the date of enrollment to the date of muster into the United States service.

Mr. Hicks thought this claim of Pennsylvania ought to be decided on its own merits, and when other States presented theirs they would be dealt with accordingly. It was to pay individuals who advances money out of their own pockets; and if we neglected these claims, what were we to expect of individuals hereafter on such emergencies.

Mr. Cowan warned Senators against postponing this just claim, and said the recommendation of Secretary Stanton, endorsed by the President, saying that "patriotic citizens of Philadelphia had advanced the money, and suggesting the appropriation of $700,000.

Mr. Doolittle hoped this obligation, for such it was, would be duly met; and Mr. McDougall took the same view.

The motion to postpone was rejected—yeas 6, nays 27.

The amendments of Messrs. Brown and Sprague were agreed to.

Mr. Trumbull did not see why, if Rhode Island troops were to be paid from the day of enrollment to the date of muster, others should not be, and on his motion the provision was extended to Illinois troops and on Mr. Pomeroy's motion those of Kansas were included.

Mr. Davis moved an amendment to pay any troops of the State of Kentucky heretofore or hereafter received into the actual service of the United States, which was agreed to.

The bill was then reported to the Senate, when the question was on the amendment as follows: "And for the pay of officers and men of Rhode Island, Illinois and Kansas volunteers from the date of enrolment to the date of muster into the service of the United States.

Mr. Cowan again hoped the amendments would not be concurred in.

Mr. Willey said he did not understand this to be a bill to pay the State of Pennsylvania, but to pay individuals else, he would move to include West Virginia's claims.

The amendment was agreed to and the further consideration of the bill postponed.

Mr. Johnson called up the joint resolution for the repeal of the act of June 17, 1864, prohibiting certain sales of gold and foreign exchange. He said that no debate was expected, as the existing law had hitherto produced nothing but mischief.

Mr. Henderson said that he should take credit for having opposed the gold bill.

The joint resolution was passed—yeas 21, nays 13.

HOUSE.—The House passed upon various bills for the Speaker's table, appointing committees of conference, etc.

The House passed the Senate bill providing for the satisfaction of bounty land claims.

The House passed the Senate's joint resolution requesting the President of the United States to appoint a day of national humiliation and prayer.

The House took up the Senate bill amending the Charter of the Washington Gas Light Company, so as to authorize them to charge an additional fifteen per cent. for gas.

A letter was read from Mr. Brown, the Secretary, saying if the relief was not afforded, the gas works will have to be closed before December.

Several gentlemen urged the passage of the bill, but it was referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia.

The House took up the Senate bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to set apart rooms for the use of the Agricultural Department, and appropriating one hundred thousand dollars for the erection of a separate building for the use of the Agricultural Department.

The House passed the former part of the bill, and rejected the latter.

The House took up the House bill further to regulate and provide for the enrolling and calling out the national forces, and for other purposes.

LOCAL NEWS.

THE MURDER OF SANDERSON.—Yesterday afternoon, an examination was held before Justice Cull, of the case of Frederick Furst, Chas. Brennan and Daniel Clare, charged with being concerned in the murder of James Sanderson on Wednesday night. It appeared from the evidence that there must have been a scuffle in the house of Sanderson, in which he was killed. One of the witnesses testified to reaching the place just as Sanderson was breathing his last, and also to finding a knife on the floor, which was not bloody. Another witness testified to finding two soldier coats in the house, (which Furst has identified since as his,) and also a revolver, bearing the appearance of having been used as a club. It appears that the men charged belong to the 14th company, 3d Massachusetts Heavy Artillery, and that after the murder Furst ran back to the camp and told what had happened, stating that he had had a scuffle with Sanderson, and while they were tusseling another soldier, Oscar Moore, stepped up with a knife and stabbed him. It appears from Furst's statement that there were a number of soldiers together, and they got some whisky in Uniontown, but it being Sunday Sanderson invited him and Moore to go to his house for water. As soon as they were in the house Sanderson demanded their money, when the scuffle ensued, with the above result.

Brennan and Clare, it appears, with two others, Taylor and Ferry—were arrested as deserters near Bladensburg, they making their way into the city, and the officers suspecting the two first with being concerned in the affair, were brought over on the charge. Sanderson's sister was unable to recognize Brennan as one of the men in the house by his face, but when he turned his back she immediately asserted that he was one.

The Justice held Furst and Brennan for a further hearing on Saturday afternoon, and dismissed Clare.

REPRESENTATIONS AT THE CANTERBURY.—Upon the occasion of Mr. Cavanagh's benefit yesterday afternoon and evening, handsome presents were awarded to the prettiest lady, the handsomest gentleman, the cleanest looking boy and the best looking colored girl in the audience.

The first prize, a splendid gold brooch and ear rings, was awarded to Miss Anne McNabe she being considered the prettiest lady in the audience. The lucky handsome gentleman was Mr. Richard McLaughlin, of the paymaster's department, who received a handsome gold fob chain. Chas. Craig, the cleanest boy in the gallery received a massive gold pencil and pen, and Beccie Adams, the colored girl, was the recipient of a neat set of gold jewelry, pin and ear rings. The whole affair passed off to the apparent delight and entire satisfa