



FOR PRESIDENT. ABRAHAM LINCOLN, OF ILLINOIS.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT. ANDREW JOHNSON, OF TENNESSEE.

GOLDEN SENTENCES. "THE CRISIS WHICH THREATENED TO DIVIDE THE FRIENDS OF THE UNION IS PAST."

"IF WE HOLD OUR OWN AND PREVENT FURTHER MILITARY SUCCESS ON THE PART OF OUR FOES, THERE IS EVERY PROSPECT THAT MCGLELLAN WILL BE ELECTED, AND HIS ELECTION UPON THE CHICAGO PLATFORM WILL LEAD TO PEACE AND OUR INDEPENDENCE."

MAJ. GEN. HOOKER. This distinguished chief and hero of many hard fought battles, arrived in this city last night, being ordered here by the President.

"THE CULPRIT FAY." Mr. Joseph Story Fay, who raised the American flag at half past on Independence Day, has won his title clear to a southerner. He is here to be known as "The Culprit Fay."

Fay is a very unfortunate gentleman. But it may be said of him in Savannah, Ga., that he never was more than half a wild man. But this reminds us that Fay used to live and do business in Savannah, where he was a member of the very respectable and wealthy firm known as Poddiford & Fay.

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From Sheridan.

His Command Beyond Harrisburg and En Route to Staunton.

Early's Scattered Columns Hastening Down the Valley.

Dispatches received by the Government this morning, containing the latest report from Gen. Sheridan, announce his arrival at Harrisburg on Monday and his intention to follow up the pursuit of Early, who was hastening toward Staunton with the shattered fragments of his defeated and demoralized army.

Every attempt of Early to take advantage of the gaps in the Blue Ridge mountains to annoy Gen. Sheridan's rear, has been defeated with great loss to the rebels.

Below is an exclusive report, furnished us by a gentleman just from the front, of the repulse of the rebel Wickham, by Gen. Torbert, on Saturday last. It proved a serious disaster to Early.

At the present time of writing Sheridan has undoubtedly reached Staunton. It is very doubtful whether Early will be able to make a stand there unless he is strongly reinforced by Lee, which, for reasons that we do not care to state at this moment, we believe he cannot afford to do.

All along the route of Early's retreat his men abandon their arms and equipments, and private dwellings are filled with sick and wounded.

A CAVALRY FIGHT IN THE LURAY VALLEY. The Rebels Whipped—Their Loss Several Hundred Killed and Wounded and Eighteen Captured—They are Driven out of the Valley.

We learn that on Saturday Torbert's cavalry met the rebel cavalry near Luray Court-house, and after a spirited fight, which lasted several hours, killed them with a loss of several hundred killed and wounded, and about eighty prisoners. The rebels were commanded by Gen. Wickham. Our losses were small—probably less than one hundred, all told. The rebels retreated up the valley. On Sunday our cavalry effected a junction with Sheridan's infantry near New Market, and by this time are probably again operating on the flanks and rear of Early's retreating column.

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THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD—SALE OF TICKETS IN THIS CITY. Some days since we noticed at length the reopening of the complete above-named road to the West. It gives us pleasure to learn from an advertisement in another column that the sale of tickets over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad has been resumed for all parts of the West, at 432 Pennsylvania avenue, American Telegraph building.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE NATIONAL LODGE, No. 19, F. & A. M., No. 1, will hold a public meeting on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in the rooms of the National Council, at corner of 1st and 2nd streets, N. W.

THE MEMBERS OF THE UNION EXERCISE CLUB, and all loyal New Yorkers temporarily residing in Washington, are earnestly requested to attend a meeting on Wednesday, 29th instant, at 7 P. M., in the rooms of the National Council, at corner of 1st and 2nd streets, N. W.

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