

Nebraska Advertiser

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BROWNVILLE, THURSDAY NOV. 24, 1864.

McClellan's Majorities.

McClellan carried both States and those by a small majority...

New Jersey gives McClellan about 5,500 majority. The Unionists gain 9,000 votes in the State over 1862.

He carried the State of Delaware by about 450 majority. His majority in Kentucky, so far as heard from, is 15,566—the vote standing 18,821 for McClellan to 3,255 for Lincoln.

Jefferson Davis Talk.

The Rebel Congress met in Richmond on Monday, and received the usual address from Mr. Jeff Davis. It is a mild document, Mr. Davis having apparently recovered from the frenzy of frankness into which he fell on his late Southern tour.

He rejoices, as he has reason, over success in the trans-Mississippi Department; the reconquest and for some time permanent occupation of Texas, great part of Arkansas, and nearly all Louisiana.

The Rebels attacked our forces at Strawberry Plains 18 miles above Knoxville in force yesterday morning at day light. The fight continued at intervals all day our forces held their own and repulsed the enemy in every attack.

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are made the instruments and means: Finally, there can be no Peace save by recognition of the independence of the Confederacy.

The Nebraska Register.—This new and valuable little paper has been coming to us regularly ever since its first issue.

An ingenious fellow down east has invented a metallic shirt bosom which is said to last a man his life-time, and wash itself twice a week.

BY TELEGRAPH.

The Herald's Hiton Head correspondent, under date of the 16th, says: Just as the steamer Fulton was about to sail from that place Tuesday, for the East, a report came down the river that Sherman was marching on Savannah.

Gen. Corse, the union commander at Rome, Ga., on the 10th inst., destroyed such bridges there as might be of use to the enemy and abandoned the place for the purpose of withdrawing to some more important point.

The latest rebel accounts from Hood say he is in a position to march into Hood or West Tennessee as he may decide. They admit that the rumors of the capture of Decatur from the Union forces was all a hoax, and further that their attack on that place was merely a ruse to enable Hood to get his army well posted.

The Herald's Shenandoah correspondent says the main portion of Early's army was in the vicinity of Woodstock in a wretched condition and much discontented. When Early made his advance last Saturday he thought Sheridan's mistake he had a hasty retreat.

Intelligence deemed reliable the accuracy whereof cannot be determined tonight says very recently the rebel Gen. Breckinridge, with 3,000 men attacked Gen. Gillam near Bull's Gap, and after a desperate fight defeated Gillam who lost 400 prisoners, the number of killed and wounded is not stated; no fears of the invasion of Kentucky as consequent upon this reverse is apprehended, as the military authorities are fully prepared to check any advance of such a force into the State.

The Bulletin publishes a special dispatch from Washington to the effect that the National Intelligencer understands that Lincoln is about sending Peace Commissioners to Richmond offering a basis upon which the rebels can again return to the Union.

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are reported at New Market and at Jackson. The situation of the army is unchanged.

A private in Sherman's army says every man has been supplied with two pairs of shoes, preparations were made for a 60 days campaign.

Richmond papers announce the defeat of Gillam at Bull's Gap. They state that on the night of the 13th Breckinridge turned Bull's Gap when the enemy retreated, at one o'clock on the 14th he struck their column, routed it, taking several hundred prisoners, 10 stand colors, 6 pieces artillery with caissons and horses complete.

Ex-Gov. Hammond, of S. C., died suddenly at St. Louis on the 19th. Port Royal, 15. Fleet of Steamers from Fortress Monroe with 10,000 rebel prisoners aboard for exchange at Hilton Head. The 17th was to be duly celebrated at Port Royal as the anniversary of our capture of that place.

Cairo Special says Orleans papers received, state that rebel General Slaughter at Brownsville, has been reinforced by 3,000 men and 12 pieces of artillery, in anticipation of an attack from the Federals. Orleans Times says General Canby's wound is not as serious as first reported, but will confine him to his room for a few weeks.

Richmond papers of Wednesday are filled with speculations as to Sherman's movements expressing conviction that he is retreating. Mobile Post correspondence says, Richmond Whig Wednesday states Sherman has sent a large part of his army towards Selma indicating a movement upon Mobile. The Whig also demands rebel authorities to call out a special force of 75,000 men to protect the coast, assails rebel Congress for incompetency.

Raleigh Confederate, announces the evacuation of Federal N. C. It is occupied by a Federal force. The safe arrival of the Tallahassee at Wilmington is also announced. Herald's special with Sherman, says the enemy is in considerable force between Fishers Hill and Sirausburg. His cavalry heading along our front. Our new position being greatly strengthened by erecting earthworks and rifle pits.

Atlanta letter of the 10th, to the Herald mentions the arrival of the escaped prisoners from Andersonville, who confirm the statements made of rebel atrocities towards prisoners, also that in traveling through Georgia they found the crops harvested and barns generally well filled; very few rebel soldiers in the interior, showing that there is plenty to subsist our army on while but little resistance will be offered. Last train from Atlanta bound north was to leave on the 15th, the only troops at Atlanta on the 10th was Sherman's corps.

Herald's Chattanooga correspondent of the 15th says rolling stock in Atlanta has been destroyed, all factories, mills and foundries from Chattanooga to Atlanta and several miles beyond destroyed, railways torn up, iron put beyond use, or brought to the rear. Atlanta no longer of military importance. The country for miles around it is wasted beyond possibility of service to the rebel army.

Another account says Sherman's headquarters on Monday were at Kingston, with the 14th corps; he issued an order telling troops they were about to pass through a country heretofore unexplored by either army, that they were to subsist on the country, taking all the horses and mules within reach. 14th corps rear guard Sherman's army moved from Kingston Monday.

Herald's Key West correspondent 10th states that a rebel steamer with 400 barrels of cotton aboard is blockaded up Swaine river by our boats, another up Crystal river. Freeman's Journal has been excluded from Key West and that Department by Gen. Newton.

Post's Norfolk, Va., special says Fernandina, Fla., has been for some time in possession of U. S. Private letters from fleet off Charleston, says, Fort Mifflin, a blockade runner, slipped her cable and gave chase without effect, returning subsequently to her anchorage, rebels opened fire on her from fort Marshall, to which she paid no attention, a 10 inch shell struck her on the foremast, killing and wounding a number of men, 7 of whom died instantly.

The mailboat from City Point brought information on Thursday that heavy firing was heard yesterday at Butler's front Dutch Gap, accompanied by rebels attempting to force our picket lines, they were completely repulsed.

P. O. Department re-established the P. O. at Helena, Ark.

Enquirer's special says Richmond papers of Friday have Augusta dispatches which say Scouts who left Jonesboro Wednesday morning say Gen. Howell Cobb with 6 or 7 thousand militia and 3 brigades of cavalry attacked the enemy and is steadily driving them in. The Enquirer has another dispatch which says on the 18th rebels captured part of picket line between the James and Appamattox numbering 80 men. News from City Point says picket line recaptured.

Charleston Mercury 15th says since last report 250 shells have been thrown at Sumter 100 at the City. Richmond dispatch of Friday says exchange of prisoners inaugurated, those at Savannah to be transferred to City Point.

Bristol, East Tennessee, Register, says rebels captured and destroyed a train of cars loaded with commissary stores at Morrisison on the 14th; also, a wagon train consisting of nine wagons, killing 13 and capturing a number.

Richmond Sentinel says new moves are on foot in Va., and in Ga. and Tenn. vast campaigns singularly complicated are in process of development. Sentinels dispatch insists that Sheridan has sent part of his army to Grant, says Early

has advanced to near Harper's Ferry. World's correspondent with Sheridan contradicts the report that Early has abandoned the valley, he is still at New Market and Jackson. It is reported that Capt. Brasher, with 60 men, had a fight with Josby on the 19th, and was whipped. No particulars.

Heald's special says the news from Sheridan through rebel sources has created an excited feeling and increased confidence in the wisdom and success of the great movement.

Tribe's Washington correspondent announces the story of an interview between the French minister and Secretary Seward. Tribune's Washington special says Sec'y Stanton was again at his office today, he had no idea of leaving the Cabinet.

The reported death of Gen. Canby is feared by the War Department to be too true. His death will be a great loss. Gen. Rawlins, Grants Chief of Staff, telegraphs that there is a great panic in Richmond concerning Sherman's movements. The 16th corps has been abolished and Gen. Emory ordered to report to Mil. Dist. of the Mississippi.

Washington dispatches of yesterday says, information received here shows conclusively that Early has been routed, with his entire force from the Valley. The World's Washington special says Richmond papers of the 19th, contain positive information that Sherman is for going south of Atlanta, and Steel is moving onward. The people along his route and most of the Southern cities are in a high state of excitement, and there seems to be no troops to retard his progress. Hood is still near Florence, and has made no offensive movements. Dispatches from Gen. Rawlins, Grants Headquarters giving the substance of news in the Richmond papers, confirm the report.

The Provo Marshall has issued orders, for the enrollment lists by putting on the names of those persons who have become liable to military duty since the last enrollment. Taking off the names of those who are not liable to military duty. The 13th army corps has been disbanded and the troops who comprised it and put it into other corps. General Burdette reported an assignment to the 9th corps proves untrue.

The Richmond Examiner of the 15th contains the following dispatch. August 14th, a fight occurred at Rough and Ready between Steel's troops and the Yankees, in which the latter were driven back. Later returns from Atlanta says, the city was evacuated by the enemy at twilight Monday. The mail brings news of the 10th, which left Hood at Tusculum with two divisions, two of his divisions had crossed Tennessee River. The impression was that the rest would soon cross.

Later from the army of the Potomac says, inactivity still prevails with the exception of ordinary movements. The exchange of pickets and batteries and casualties occur. Daily along the picket line, stray shots frequently catch us far in the rear, sometimes inflicting fatal wounds. Burnside reached City Point Wednesday on visit to his old corps.

Tribune's army correspondent special of James River says, information from Richmond renders it pretty certain that Lee is detaching part of his force, for service elsewhere, rebel papers betray evidence of precipitation at reported movements. Sherman's army expresses anxiety concerning Augusta where they have their most extensive powder mills, evidently entertain grave apprehensions.

Removed here to day that Lombard and Early with thirty five thousand moved south from Fishers Hill Tuesday night, evidently to intercept Sherman.

Private reliable news dated Rome, Ga., 17th says: destruction of Manufactures, Mills and other buildings, of great value to the enemy, commenced yesterday extensive rolling mills, stables and storehouses were destroyed by order of Gen. Corse some places of minor importance lifted by soldiers.

Following reports by a reliable contractor: Sheridan destroyed 30 dwelling houses, 450 barns, 31 mills, 3 factories, 1 furnace, burned 100 miles fencing, 100,000 bushels wheat, 50,000 bushels corn, 6,000 tons of hay, captured 1,700 cattle same number of horses, 4,000 hogs.

Montreal Gazette publishes Young's commission from the Rebel Government authorizing him to organize for special service a company not exceeding two hundred in number from those who belonged to the Confederate service.

Washington special states one officer from one of the District Columbia Regts reached here, having escaped from the rebel prison says: 5,000 Union prisoners are in Stockade where they fare somewhat better than at Andersonville, 25,000 prisoners are at Milne Ga., this seems to indicate the removal of our prisoners from Andersonville.

Richmond papers of Tuesday make no mention of Sherman's moves which in fact are regarded here as evidence that he has met with success. Rebel Senate house had a secret session Monday, at which it is surmised that the question of arming the slaves were discussed. Reports the President seriously contemplates issuing another proclamation of amnesty.

A gentleman of this city, has received letters from relatives holding high positions under Sherman, stating that grand movements are about to be made on Savannah, for which point Sherman has already started, taking 30 days rations.

On the 7th, the Steamers Montgomery and Lillian, chased the Pirate Tallahassee from 10 a. m. until dark, pursuit unflagging, at one time so near had they got to her, that in a short time more she would have been their prey, when she set in. She escaped in darkness.

Montreal, 16. Case of the St. Albans' raiders, is postponed until the 13th of December, to procure evidence for defence. Indianapolis, 16. Fifty rebel prisoners succeeded in scaling the walls of Camp Morton Monday night, 40 escaped.

There is nothing later from the Shenandoah Valley worth notice. The rebels have apparently abandoned the Valley, or at least the contest, for the present, with Sheridan for its possession.

World's Washington special learns from an officer who arrived here to-day from the front at Petersburg, that the rebels show no signs of evacuating Petersburg, on the contrary they resumed picket firing in a most animated manner, no demonstrations have been made by them since they captured a small portion of our picket line in front of Butler which they still hold. Terrible suffering expected there this winter.

Serg't Gibson, of the 133d N. Y., and another gentleman who escaped from Charleston, report that the lower part of that city has become untenable in consequence of our shells, there are 60,000 troops in and around Charleston, Shreveys guns are mounted facing Sumter, there are 6 or 8 batteries mounted in the city on the wharves, the citizens are much troubled in consequence of the bombardment, they expect much suffering this winter.

Nearly two weeks have elapsed since there has been any direct information from Sheridan. Government has no intelligence of his recent movements later than those contained in Richmond papers of Friday. Sheridan about a month ago informed the special authorities at Washington of his plans, which, judging by rebel accounts, have thus far been carried into effect with bright prospects of success throughout the campaign.

Information received here from Rebel papers state that Sherman was within 30 miles of Macon on the 19th. It is regarded as probable that that city has been occupied ere this.

The Tribune's correspondent at Washington says information received at the War Department states that Gen Canby was improving. Late Rebel papers say Gov. Wates, of Alabama, has had an official conduit with rebel conscripting officers, the people of Selma being forced into the army they applied for redress to the Governor who issued an order that as State officers they were exempt from the draft, and they were therefore released.

The Richmond Examiner is very severe on a defection of Gen. Brown, of Ga., and the Legislature of that State, and the Governor of Alabama, and says that the Convention of all the States North and South for the purpose of agreeing on terms of peace will meet on the same day with the Parliament of mankind for the Federalization of the world and not an hour sooner.

The Herald's special says advices received today from Gen. Sherman's army show that he was on the 19th within 30 miles of Macon. He has met with but little opposition.

Macon is 150 miles from Atlanta and one of the great railroad points of Ga., it also contains an extensive arsenal and cap factory; its capture will be the first of a series of brilliant results to be hoped for from Sherman's grand campaign.

The latest intelligence represents Hood with 2 corps, numbering together about 35,000 men, was still in the vicinity of Florence, Ala., on the Tennessee river. There are reports that Dick Taylor has joined with an additional force of 10,000, but gives no indications of early offensive operations.

Burgessard with Rebel Gen. Stuart's corps, was still at Corinth, Miss., when last heard from.

Gen. Thomas, commanding the Union army designed to check Hood's advance, is rapidly concentrating his force as he is disposed to make an attack on the rebels in some direction. But one building has been destroyed in Johnsonville, Union troops still hold the place.

The rebel Gen. Breckinridge is suspected of a design to march from East Tennessee and invade Kentucky. Gen. Barbridge is making a rapid disposition of troops to check such a movement.

MARRIED. On Tuesday evening, the 22d inst., at the Presbyterian Church in this place, by Rev. William McDaniel, Mr. THEODORE HILL to Miss NANNIE A. NELSON, both of this city.

Angels that guard round pure affection— Ministers at Virtue's throne— Spread O' spread thy wings' protection— Or two hearts love blends in one.

And O! with their blessed life's pathway, With thy gem Lark's odes, To bless them in the present day, And crown them in future years.

And may many days to them be given, Bright with Affection's lustre, While the innocent lamb of heaven Around their hearts shines clearer.

On the 16th inst. by Chas. G. Dorsey, Mayor of the city of Brownville, Mr. CHRISTOPHER C. HARRISON to Miss JANE WILSON, all of Nebraska county.

Taken up by the subscriber, living near Wadilla's bridge Nebraska county, Nebraska, one bay, mare pony, two or three years old, spot on the left side and black faced. She had a blue eye and hind leg mangled when captured. B. F. Malinchuk, Brownville, Neb.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with a notice published in the Advertiser of the 23d inst. the following persons, to-wit: J. Hoadley, John McPherson, S. Holladay, T. W. Bedford, Theo. Hill, W. H. Miller, G. W. Braxton, W. H. McCreey and E. W. Thomas assembled at the time and place stated in said notice, and organized themselves into a cemetery association, to be known for the present as "The Brownville Cemetery Association."

Notice is hereby given that the next meeting be held at the Presbyterian Church in Brownville, on the 9th day of December, 1864, at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of completing the organization of the association by the election of trustees and a committee to prepare a list of names to be incorporated in an act of the Legislature of Nebraska Territory entitled "An Act to create and regulate cemeteries in the Territory of Nebraska approved February 15th 1864."

Legal Notice. John R. Ulrey and Mary F. Ulrey, his wife will take notice that John Q. A. Smith as plaintiff has filed a petition in the District Court of the County of Nebraska, Nebraska Territory, on the Chancery side of said court, to-wit: In and against Joseph Coleman and R. J. Whitney as defendants. The object and prayer of said petition is to foreclose a mortgage made by said Ulrey and wife in favor of said plaintiff on the 1st day of Section No. 17, Township No. 5 North, Range No. 16 East of the 6th principal Meridian, situated in the said County of Nebraska, to-wit: to obtain a decree for the sale of said land, and to apply the proceeds in payment of a certain note made by said Ulrey in favor of said plaintiff for \$25.00, dated August 31st 1859 and the five months after dates of said note, at the rate of six per cent per annum after maturity.

Notice is hereby given that the firm hereof consisting of the said John R. Brown and J. C. Larr, is this day dissolved.

James H. Uggdon and Felicitia Bellow, his wife, will take notice that John Q. A. Smith as plaintiff, has filed a petition on the chancery side of the District Court of Nebraska Territory, against them as defendants, the object of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage made by the said Felicitia and James H. Uggdon, June 25th A. D. 1859 on the North West Quarter of the North East Quarter, and Lots No. one and two of Section 20 and Lot No. one of Section No. 23 of the Township of 14 North, Range Sixteen (16 East of the 6th principal Meridian, situated in the said County of Nebraska, said mortgage having made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note hereon even date with said mortgage, made by the said Felicitia and James H. Uggdon for \$20.00 due six months after date with interest from maturity at the rate of five per cent per annum, the prayer of said petition is that the said debt be paid, and the proceeds be applied in payment of said debt.

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Notice to City Tax-Payers. Notice is hereby given that Taxes of the City of Brownville for the year 1864 are now due and the Tax List has been placed in my hands for collection. Tax Payers are notified to call at my office and settle their taxes on or before the first day of January 1865. After that date a penalty of ten per cent, and ten per cent interest per annum will be added to all taxes not then paid. The law does not now require the collector to call on the payers for their taxes but all persons required to pay the same at the collector's office. J. H. WALKER, City Tax Collector.

United States Internal Revenue Notice. Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned, that the Special Internal Revenue Law of the State of Nebraska, Nebraska Territory, and Territory of Nebraska, have been revised and will be in effect from the 1st day of December 1864, and all persons concerned with the same are notified to conform to the same on or before the 1st day of January 1865. All persons required to pay the same at the collector's office. J. H. WALKER, City Tax Collector.

ESTRAY NOTICE. Taken up by the subscriber living three and a half miles south of Brownville, on the bottom road, one dark bay horse three years old.

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