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DAILY PROGRESS.

MONDAY, NOV. 23, 1863.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

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From Georgia--Longstreet in Knoxville. ATLANTA, Nov. 20.--Advices from the front furnish nothing more than usual. It is stated that great destruction prevailed at Chattanooga.

A special dispatch says that considerable skirmishing had taken place at Nickajack Pass, in which the enemy were driven back. The Appeal learns from Col. Chester that Longstreet captured Knoxville, routing the enemy and taking 1,000 or 1,500 prisoners.

Wheeler is reported in the enemy's rear, while Longstreet is pressing their front. Gen. Wharton has returned from Richmond. He has been promoted to Major General.

Buckner will go to the front in a few days. One hundred and thirty prisoners came down this evening and many more are on their way down.

ATLANTA, Nov. 20.--An officer who left London on the 18th reports that Longstreet had captured sixteen hundred and Wheeler six hundred Yankees.

On the 18th Longstreet was a mile and a half from Knoxville entrenching. In their retreat from Loudon the Yankee army, about five thousand, were greatly demoralized, and left about 100 wagons and commissary and ordnance stores on the road.

Robeson's Brigade left Loudon yesterday to repair pontoons left by the Yankees on the Little Tennessee, leading into Blount county.

Persons liberated from Chattanooga report great suffering for the want of food and fuel. One hundred and thirty-six Yankees, forming Burnside's rear guard, reached Dalton last night.

Knoxville is another Harper's Ferry trap, and that Burnside must evacuate.

ATLANTA, Nov. 21.--The ten o'clock a. m. Chickamauga train is just in with upwards of one hundred Yankees, from Burnside's rear guard.

Officers from the front last evening report nothing more than usual. Movements of more than usual importance are being now executed in Tennessee.

From Charleston. CHARLESTON, Nov. 21.--The Shelling of Sumter averaged one to the minute last night and continues heavy this morning.

Fort Johnson and Battery Simpkins opened a vigorous fire upon Yankees mounting guns between Gregg and Wagner. No further firing on the city since last report.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 21.--Shelling of the city commenced at half past 10 and was continued to half past twelve, during which time eighteen shells were thrown and two more were thrown this afternoon.

One colored woman was killed and a white person slightly injured. Four or five buildings were struck. The shells thrown are one hundred pound Parrotts.

Heavy mortar shelling of Sumter has been continued all day. No report from the fort this evening.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 22.--Last night eighteen shells were thrown into the city between 12 and 2 o'clock. Ten buildings were struck. No person injured.

The fire on Sumter continued heavy during the night. One white man and two negroes were killed yesterday in the Fort.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 22.--There has been no firing on the city to-day. It is reported that Battery Simpkins succeeded in silencing the enemy's gun last night.

Several eight inch and one hundred pound Parrott shells were picked up in the city to-day. A spirited fight between the enemy's batteries, Gregg and Wagner, and our batteries, Bee and Simpkins, together with Forts Moultrie and Johnson, took place this afternoon.

Gregg opened heavily on Moultrie and Wagner on Johnson. Our fire, particularly from Simpkins, was remarkably accurate, compelling the Yankees to leave their guns at every fire.

The contest ceased at dark. The firing on Sumter continues heavy. Since the present bombardment commenced the number of shot and shell of all kinds thrown is reported at fifteen thousand nine hundred, of which about five thousand missed. Total in all from the beginning, twenty three thousand.

The number of shots and shells fired from sundown Friday to sundown Saturday was 471, of which 135 missed. There were no casualties nor any serious damage done to the work. No further indications of an assault on the part of the enemy.

Later From the North and Europe. RICHMOND, Nov. 22.--The Baltimore papers of the 19th say that dispatches from Chattanooga on Monday state that the firing of Confederate batteries on Lookout Mountain resulted in no casualties.

Sherman has made a junction of his entire corps with Grant's right. Gold in New York 149 3/4, closing with an upward tendency.

The City of London arrived at New York on Monday with four days later European news. The matter of the seizure of the Alexandria was again before the court, on the motion for a new trial.

The hearing was postponed until the 5th. The Morning Post thinks from the discussion on that occasion the law officers of the Crown entertain but feeble hopes of setting aside the verdict already given.

The London Star says an action for divorce has been instituted in which Lord Palmerston is respondent. The plaintiff is a clergyman O. Kane. It is alleged that the whole affair is a plot to extort money. The French Chambers have been opened. The Emperor's speech is pacific. He proposes a European conference for the settlement of the Polish question.

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OUR CAPTIVE SOLDIERS.

The fact that at least fifteen thousand Union soldiers are suffering in a captivity rendered most wretched by bad prison-houses and meagre food, weighs heavily upon the heart of every patriotic citizen.

There is a wrong somewhere. Where is it? It will not do to say that the rebels are in fault; we must prove it, or neither the conscience nor the intellect of the country will be satisfied.

When the cartel was agreed upon, the Confederates had an excess of prisoners, and released them under it. Then followed the Pope campaign, which largely increased that excess up to the surrender of Vicksburg and Port Hudson.

We should imagine that the surplus on their side must have been nearly twenty thousand. Grant's campaign must have given us thirty-five thousand, and Port Hudson five more, making a surplus of twenty thousand now in our favor.

Since then the captures on each side have been about equal. Major Ould, the Confederate Commissioner, professes and publishes that he never claimed a parole except under that cartel. He goes further; he offers to accept some orders which our War Department thinks ought to control the cartel, in the order of their dates, or to adopt any fair and reciprocal basis of exchange.

Now, it is no answer to such an offer to cry out, "we are all right, and the rebels are all wrong." Without opening the general question at all, we may say: "Send us all the prisoners you have, we will send you an equal number; or for so many as you send we will send an equal number." If, however, our authorities were to suggest, in addition, that Mr. E. Ward Everett, or Mr. Hamilton Fish, or some other gentleman of known probity and fairness, should meet any gentleman the Confederate authorities might select to examine the condition of the exchanges, and agree, if possible, or to state to the Northern and to the Southern public the exact point and extent of divergence, we might rid the war of that mutual disgrace, the unnecessary pain and discomfort of brave men.

Such is Stanton's ability to make a muddle of anything that it were certain he had the control of the exchanges we should be in great doubt if he had not managed to make us careless of our contract, the cartel. If he has started with the idea that we have a right to modify the cartel without the consent of the rebels, he is wrong. Admitting that the South is, what the Tribune calls it, semi-barbarian, it would be a great shame to fling half barbarians more free from insolence, and more careful of the sacredness of faith, than those specimens of the highest honor and intelligence hitherto bestowed upon the planet--republican officials.

If our organs of power will not answer the question why the exchange is stopped, will any Richmond paper, if this journal ever reaches that city, obtain from its War Department the figures which show the condition of the exchanges according to their books? Let us, as we must fight, fight like men, and not, like Bob Acres, cherish the luxury of a little abuse.

We learn from authority entirely reliable that the Yankees have robbed the citizens of the Albemarle and Chowan region of a large number of slaves within the last week or two. They go up and down the rivers visiting the farms and plantations near them, stealing all the slaves they can lay hands on.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SHOES AND BOOTS, NEXT DOOR TO WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD, FAYETTEVILLE STREET, RALEIGH, N. C. JUST RECEIVED AND NOW IN STORE A SPLENDID assortment of Gentlemen, Ladies' and Misses' Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, embracing a beautiful variety of Ladies' and Satin Shoes and Gaiters.

Also one dozen Double Barreled Pocket Cannons, French invention--shoot ten times in as many seconds. Apply early and procure your winter supplies of Shoes and Boots before the rise in price.

TO TEACHERS, REFUGES & OTHERS. HOUSES AND FURNITURE. ON WEDNESDAY, THE 25TH OF NOVEMBER, at 10 o'clock, a. m. in the town of Wilson, N. C. will be let out to the highest bidder for one year, the ample and elegant building now occupied by Rev. Dr. Deems.

STOLEN FROM ME AT PETERSBURG, VA. A North Carolina Coupon Bond, new issue, for \$500, No. 95. All persons are cautioned against purchasing said bond, as I shall apply for a duplicate.

BOOKS REOPENED. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY, having determined to push forward the grading of the road with vigor, the books of subscription to the capital stock are directed to be reopened.

THE SALT PURCHASED BY ME FOR THE CITIZENS of Craven county, will be distributed at HILLSBORO (at the cost and expense) on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 26th, 27th and 28th November, 1863.

THE COPARTNERSHIP KNOWN AS GEO. BISHOP & CO., HILLSBORO, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle.

BRITTON'S BLUE-BLACK WRITING FLUID. MANUFACTURED BY J. E. BRITTON, Charlotte, N. C. A superior article. Southern Manufacture. Try it. All bottles warranted.

THE TOOTHACHE. "My dear friend," said H. "I can cure your toothache in ten minutes." "How, how?" inquired I. "Do it in pity."

AUCTION AND PRIVATE SALES.

I WILL SELL AT GRAHAM, N. C. DECEMBER 10, 1863, at Public Auction: 11 bbls. Hold's Whiskey and Brandy; 30 sacks Salt; 1 bhd. Eng. Island Molasses; 2 1/2 bbls. Glue;

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE AT AUCTION IN LOUISBURG. BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE COURT OF Equity, I shall sell, on the 24th Tuesday of Decem next, it being the 8th day of the month, the House and Lot, well known as the family residence of the late Reverend and venerable William Arendell.

VALUABLE PLANTATIONS FOR SALE. I OFFER FOR SALE THREE VALUABLE FARMS, two of them containing 800 acres each, and situated two miles from the town of Windsor, in Bertie county, and about one mile from each river.

HORSES AND MULES FOR SALE. THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE SEVEN valuable work and brood Mares, and a pair of N. H. Mares. Among them is a very fine blooded Mare that has an excellent Morgan Calf, which will be sold with the Mare.

LAND FOR SALE. A TRACT CONTAINING ONE HUNDRED AND five acres, two miles from Manson Depot, in Warren county, N. C. There is also a Live Oak, Pear, Fruit Trees, &c., on the premises.

PIANO FOR SALE. A FINE OCTAVE ROSEWOOD METAL FRAME, soft sweet toned PIANO, can be had by early application, on favorable terms.

COTTON FOR SALE. SIXTY-THREE BALES COTTON IN GEORGIA, well stored in tin roof warehouse, and in the safest part of the State. Apply early to me at Kittrell's Depot.

LAND SALE. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Wake County. BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE COURT OF Equity in the case of "William G. Hill and others vs. J. H. Farris," the undersigned, Clerk and Master in Equity of said county, will proceed to sell the land in the pleadings mentioned and decreed to sell the land in the pleadings mentioned and decreed to sell the land in the pleadings mentioned.

NOTICE. THE FIRM HERETOFORE KNOWN UNDER THE appellation of Lack & Farris, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the firm, and all to whom the concern is indebted, will please settle and present their claims to C. M. Farris, by whom the business will hereafter be conducted.

ADVERTISING RATES.

Table with columns for advertising rates: One square of eight lines, or less; One week; Two weeks; Three weeks; Four days; Five days; Six days; Seven days; Eight days; Nine days; Ten days; Eleven days; Twelve days; Thirteen days; Fourteen days; Fifteen days; Sixteen days; Seventeen days; Eighteen days; Nineteen days; Twenty days.

STATE DIRECTORY.

GOVERNMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA. His Excellency, Zebulon B. Vance, Buncome, Governor; Col. David A. Barnes, Northampton, Aid.

Supreme Court--Richardson M. Pearson, Yadin, Chief Justice; William H. Battle, Orange, and Matthias F. W. Ayer, Craven, Judges; Sion H. Loggers, Wake, Attorney General; Hamilton C. Jones, Rowan, Reporter; Edmund B. Freeman, Clerk.

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REWARDS. \$100 REWARD. I WILL PAY THE ABOVE REWARD TO ANY one who will deliver to me, in Raleigh, of my fine Hunting Case Gold Watch. Said Watch was stolen from my pocket on the train coming down the side of Salisbury, on Thursday night, by a villain who was spotted at the time and arrested very soon after, but too late, as he had disposed of the Watch in some way, so that it could not be found.

\$500 REWARD. I WILL GIVE FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD for the apprehension and confinement in any jail within the State, of WILLIAM FINN, a notorious horse thief. Said Finn deserted from Company E, 2nd Regiment North Carolina Cavalry, about six months ago, is about thirty years old, about five feet eight or nine inches high, light hair, fair complexion, skin of the face approaching redness, blue eyes, with sharp, keen look, nose somewhat roman, sulky outer look--sought to speak, but when he does speak he speaks short. On some occasions he has passed himself by the name of Johnathan.

\$100 REWARD. I WILL GIVE \$100 FOR THE APPREHENSION OF my boy LAWSON, who left my house on the 12th of this month. Said boy is about 5 feet 5 inches high, dark complexion, and had on when leaving a black velvet coat, black pants, dark rock coat and an over coat. He was with me while stationed in Goldsboro last winter and was pretty well known there. He has attempted to reach the enemy's lines beyond the point of Goldsboro.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT. RALEIGH, N. C. May 8, 1862. LEAD WANTED.--I WISH TO PURCHASE LEAD for the Department. Persons having large quantities of it please apply at once with 200 lbs. of POWDER for 10 pounds of LEAD.

JOHN G. WILLIAMS & CO., STOCK AND MONEY BROKERS. RALEIGH, N. C. CONTINUE TO CARRY ON THE BROKERAGE BUSINESS at their old stand as heretofore, in all its various branches. AUCION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. W. H. RICHARDSON & CO., STOCK AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, RALEIGH, N. C.