

Editorial Miscellany.

True courage and patriotic... supply the place of drill and discipline...

The banks at Charleston have six or seven million dollars of counterfeit Confederate notes on hand...

The origin of the name "200," which the rebel steam pirate Alabama first bore...

Since the Union authority has been restored at Frankfort, Kentucky, matters have resumed their wonted quiet...

The receipts of the Erie Railroad for the year ending Sept. 30th, were seven millions seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars...

Gen. Prentiss is anxious that he and his companions in captivity should have a separate command...

Mr. Lossing writes that Capt. Mansell White, the Louisiana planter who has agreed to pay his negroes for their labor...

The editor of the St. Louis Republican, in acknowledging the receipt of a loaf of cake and basket of wine...

Church, the artist, painted a picture of Niagara Falls, a few days since, in five hours...

Some time ago, while at a review, a murderous shot was fired at the late Marshal Castellane...

The Grenada (Mississippi) Appeal, in view of the battles, countless and shoeless condition of the rebel soldiers...

says: "We tremble for our noble troops when we think of the approaching winter..."

Marvin Robinson, formerly a resident of Hartford, Conn., was instantly killed on the 4th inst., on board the steamer "Mary Benton..."

During the recent rebel raid the cavalry came across a funeral procession near Gettysburg...

The attempt of the Confederates to take Nashville was almost ludicrous. Gen. Anderson (rebel) pompously demanded its unconditional surrender...

The Austrian Gazette says that the manufacture of gun cotton is abolished in Austria. This fact confirms the report that a proposal had been made in high quarters to abandon the use of gun cotton...

The attention of shippers is requested to the card of David Wagstaff, Esq., in another column.

The following story is running the round of the Paris papers: In Brittany there lately lived an old nobleman in absolute retirement...

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The Gaston Guards are meeting with great success. In a few days the company will go into quarters, be equipped and drilled.

Sammy was reading the Bible very attentively, when his father came into the room and asked him what he had found that was so interesting...

The steamers, Geo. C. Collins and Oriole, arrived at this port last evening from New York.

Soldiers who have recently arrived here, cannot be too careful in avoiding the use of the swamp waters, both in bathing and drinking.

On and after this day, we shall refuse to take Suttler's checks, or the shipplasters, with which the community is now flooded.

Bales, Hamilton & Co. are initiating a good step in connection with this matter. It will be seen by their advertisement, that they are calling their checks in, which is an evidence of a desire for fair dealing on their part.

The Curlew sails for Washington, N. C., to-morrow morning at 5 o'clock. The Latuxent sails for Roanoke, at the same time.

John D. Starr, Esq., President of the Bank of Fayetteville, died at his residence near that place, on the 27th of September, in the 62d year of his age.

Mr. Starr was formerly of Connecticut, and brother of the late Wm. D. Starr of Middletown, for a long time editor and proprietor of the Sentinel and Witness.

Before you go a shopping take the advertisements of a newspaper. The man who advertises liberally is a liberal dealer; he sells more goods than old fogies who hide their light under a bushel...

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Messrs. Burrill and James Roberts of North Colebrook, Conn., are manufacturing twenty-five barrels of cider per day, "straight along."

Garibaldi is on the relief list of a benefit society. He is the president of a little society at Belgiojoso, in Lombardy, and as an "invalidated member unable to gain his living," is entitled, by the rules, to twenty-four francs...

The Cincinnati Enquirer says that

the guerilla murders in Kentucky, should be "frowned down." You don't say so! Frowned down! That editor must be a very tender hearted man.

The great rebel freeboater, in his late enterprise into the North, narrowly missed fourteen hundred fat cattle, destined to supply beef for the National Commissaries...

Willard's Hotel in Washington is said to be making a profit of \$100 per day. The present proprietors bought the property for \$75,000.

We observe that the rebel Congress have been considering the propriety of appointing what is called a censor committee, whose duty it is to purge the army of incompetent officers.

The rebel Senate have had under discussion a bill authorizing the taking of anybody's cotton and selling it to raise money abroad.

There is much truth in what an exchange paper says that the hardest critics in a community, as to the course of its local papers, are those who don't take them.

The Rev. J. M. Pendleton, a refugee Baptist preacher from Tennessee, reports all Baptist papers in the South suspended, and all Baptist colleges and theological institutions closed.

The Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce relates the following:

"An army sutler yesterday called at one of our city banks to have twenty-seven dollars of Indiana money exchanged for current funds, when twenty-five dollars of the whole amount was thrown out as counterfeit."

The news of Commodore Hudson's death will bring sadness to many a heart. He was one of the finest specimens of the old navy officer that could anywhere be found.

The following is a verbatim copy of a letter found by one of our soldiers on the body of a dead rebel argonaut after the battle of South Mountain, in Maryland.

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Though almost constantly at sea, and always seeking active duty, he happened to be on shore during the cholera of 1832, and the Cholera Committee of Brooklyn had no more efficient member.

In 1837 he was promoted by Capt. Wilkes to waive his superior rank and accept a command under him in the exploring expedition then fitting out.

When his vessel was attacked, through the ignorance or carelessness of the pilot, at the mouth of the Columbia river—he saved all the public property he could, and let his own—including many curious presents for his wife—go quietly to destruction.

Decision Relative to Distilled Spirits and Hard Coal Oil.

The following decision has been made by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue: Distilled spirits may be removed from the place of manufacture, for the purpose of being exported, or re-distilled for export...

The Deseret News of September 21 announces the safe arrival of the Danish Mormons, numbering five hundred persons, at Salt Lake City.

The immigrants are in good health and their stock in good condition. According to the reports of Elder Van Cott and Captain Madison, these companies, which travelled together most of the way from the Missouri river, have had most remarkable good luck, having lost but six or seven head of cattle.

The rebels are turning their attention to the cultivation of cotton. The News says: "Several gentlemen who have recently arrived from Washington county report that the cotton crop, when they left, was far more promising than expected for the part of the season."

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The Situation in the Kanawha Valley.

A gentleman just from Charleston, Kanawha, recently arrived at Point Pleasant, bringing the latest intelligence of the operations of the rebels in that place and its surroundings.

There were no rebel troops in Charleston at the time he left, except Jenkins' cavalry, who were prowling through the country hunting down Union men, stealing horses, &c.

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