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STEILACOOM, W. T., Thursday Morning, Jan. 9, 1862.

THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.—A copy of this document, for which we are indebted to the politeness of Frank Clark, Esq., was placed in our hands on the 26th ult., some four weeks later than it should have appeared.

DAMON VS. SMITH.—The Northwest of the 28th ult., in which John F. Damon, Esq., again resumes the editorial charge, is mainly devoted to an exposure of the course of Smith (not John, but the notoriously modest and unassuming Victor) while editing that journal.

Various were the rumors in town next morning respecting the affair, but principal among them was one that Clunas had been shot and then hanged near his own house by indignant neighbors.

EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.—We understand that a petition is being circulated, and is already numerously signed by our citizens, praying the Governor of the Territory to pardon L. Monaghan, convicted of mayhem, eighteen months ago, and sentenced to three years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

INDIAN AGENCY APPOINTMENTS.—So far as we have been able to learn, the appointments made by Superintendent Kendall, to places on the Puget Sound Reservations, have given very general satisfaction.

FOR WALLA WALLA.—We regret to state that the superior attractions of the country in the vicinity of Walla Walla are about to be deprived of one of our earliest and most respected citizens.

RECOVERED.—After a protracted illness, and a narrow escape from death, Mr. Jas. E. D. Jester, the accommodating little gentleman who regulates the Steilacoom time, and looks after the time-keepers of neighboring towns, is again himself, and ready to dispense that necessary article to all who seek it.

PROBATE COURT.—Judge J. P. Stewart, of the Probate Court of this county, suggests us to state that a session will be held on Monday, 13th inst., in the County Auditor's office.

STARTLING MURDER.

One of the most unaccountable and startling murders that we have ever heard or read of took place in this county on the night of the 1st inst.

On the night stated, Mr. and Mrs. Looney were on a visit at the house of Mr. Clunas, at Elk Plains, in this county.

The scene in the south part of Sacramento on Tuesday morning, where the first fury of the flood was spent, was one of dismal devastation.

Two sections of Lisle's bridge on the American river floated off. Governor Stanford and other gentlemen filled the second stories of their buildings with families and furnished provisions and blankets.

At eleven o'clock, Monday night, two women were taken by a man named Seibly, whose boat was already full, from the roof of a house on Eleventh street, near L. where they had been six or seven hours unable to find a boatman who would convey them to a place of safety.

The misery and destruction of this flood seems to have been general throughout the Sacramento valley.

THE WEATHER.—The weather of the past two weeks is unprecedented for the quantity of snow which has fallen.

AQUATIC.—A boat race, for \$100 and the championship, took place at Portland, on the 2d inst., distance three miles.

NOBLE.—The Odd Fellows of San Francisco contributed \$1,392 for the relief of the Sacramento sufferers.

THE CALIFORNIA FLOOD.

Destructive as was the flood in Oregon, that of California largely exceeds it. The value of property of all kinds destroyed in California is variously estimated at from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000.

The ladies of San Francisco, with their characteristic benevolence, are actively engaged collecting subscriptions for the relief of the sufferers.

Below we give a few incidents of the flood, which we take from the San Joaquin Republican of December 13th:

The French transport ship Resource, bound to Callao, was lately wrecked 40 miles south of Valparaiso. She had 600 souls on board, five or six only of whom were saved.

HOLLOWAY'S PILES AND OBSTRUCTION.—Dropsy, Swelled Legs.—The various kinds of dropsy, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation through the blood vessels or lymphatics, or depend upon the inflamed state of some secreting surface.

A GRAND MASONIC BALL WILL BE GIVEN AT THE NEW MASONIC HALL, in Steilacoom, on the evening of FRIDAY, the 23d day of February next.

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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

By the arrival of the Brother Jonathan, we are in receipt of several new publications from the publishing house of H. H. Bancroft & Co., of San Francisco, as follows:—

Simon and Delilah; or, Dagon stoops to Sathoth: A Biblio-Romantic Tragedy, in five acts, by Herman M. Bien.

Rev. Dr. Bien has here succeeded in creating a very fine tragedy out of materials which no one before thought of using for such purpose.

Appleton's Map of the Seat of War, No. 1. To the reader who desires to know something of the localities of the events transpiring in the East, this map (the first of a series, we believe) is useful.

The Rebellion Record, part sixth. This number is embellished with fine steel plate likenesses of President Lincoln and Gov. Sprague of Rhode Island, and wood-cut likenesses of Beauregard, A. H. Stephens, and Zouaves.

A Comprehensive History of the Southern Rebellion and the War for the Union, No. 1. This is a monthly magazine of 128 pages of small print, embracing a compilation of facts relative to the rise and progress of the existing rebellion.

COAL OIL.—Very many, we might truly say, nearly all who use coal oil, (so called in the United States) suppose it to be something new under the sun, and an article never known used before its recent discovery in Pennsylvania.

A "STINKER" TO A RAILWAY COMPANY.—In the Court of Queen's Bench, Mrs. Pym, widow of a late magistrate for Hertford, brought an action against the Great Northern Railway Company for damages caused by the loss of her husband, who was killed on the defendants' line, owing to the alleged negligence of their servants.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.—The last accident on the Amiens Railway, in France, has elicited the following comparative scale of casualties on European lines: In England there has occurred one disaster for every 556,000 passengers; in France, one for every 1,950,000; in Belgium, one for every 8,600,000; in Prussia, one for every 17,500,000, and in the United States, one for every 500,000.

DECISION.—The three cases of the United States vs. Green, Heath & Allen were dismissed on the 19th, in San Francisco, by order of the U. S. District Court, and the 593 boxes of tobacco, seized some time since by the U. S. Marshall, on the deposition of belonging to rebels, were released from bondage.

DR. H. R. WIRTZ.

Though the gentleman here named has been absent from this place more than a twelvemonth, we can hardly realize the fact that he is not still in our midst, giving life and tone to society in Steilacoom.

Headquarters Dep't of Western Virginia, CAMP GAULEY Mt., Va., Nov. 7th, 1861. GENERAL ORDER NO. 10.

OVERLAND MAIL LETTERS.—During the month of November, there were received at the Post Office in San Francisco, by the Overland Mail from the Atlantic States, 24,567 letters.

There has been a rupture at Richmond between Gen. Wise and Jeff. Davis. Wise will probably resign, and O. Jennings Wise (the editor of the Richmond Enquirer) will oppose Jeff. Davis's administration in his paper.

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MARRIED. In Port Townsend, W. T., on Sunday, Dec. 29th, Major J. J. H. Van Bokkelen to Mrs. Lucy, both of that place.

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THE regular meetings of Olympia Lodge, No. 1, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, are held on Saturday evening of each week, at 7 o'clock, in the parlors of the new hall, next door to the office of the Washington Standard.

THE TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON, COUNTY OF PIERCE—PETER J. MOOREY, Plaintiff, vs. ABRAHAM J. VAN BUREK, Defendant. In the District Court of the Second Judicial District.

THE TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON, COUNTY OF PIERCE—PETER J. MOOREY, Plaintiff, vs. G. O. HALLER, Defendant—Civil Action. In the District Court of the Second Judicial District.

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LATEST EASTERN NEWS.

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 10th. In the U. S. Senate, to-day, Sumner presented petitions for the emancipation of slaves under the war power.

Senator Neebith introduced a bill in the U. S. Senate to provide for the protection of the overland emigrant to California and Oregon, which was referred to the Committee on Territories.

The Norfolk Day Book of the 9th learns that a battle is immediately expected on the Potomac, as the sutlers were removing stores.

There are 13,000 sick in the army of the Potomac. The black flag has been hoisted at Columbus, Ky.

General Prentiss captured 500 rebels in Northern Missouri on the 8th.

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 14. There was a debate in Congress yesterday principally in the House of Representatives—principally on the suspension of the writ of habeas corpus. Petitions against the suspension of the writ were tabled—108 against 89—in both houses.

The death of Senator Bingham, of Michigan, was announced. Etheridge, Clerk of the House, received a letter from Tennessee, stating that the rebel leaders had begun to impress Union men, who were fleeing to Kentucky for protection.

The rebels are said to be approaching our lines on the Potomac in force. The rebels have taken possession of Springfield, near the Potomac river.

Quincy, Dec. 11. The question of the exchange of prisoners seems to be fairly settled; the President, McClellan and all the Cabinet are in favor of the plan. 30 prisoners were exchanged yesterday.

It is understood that the Legislature of Kentucky will abolish slavery, re-nubaring loyal masters. Lansing's resolution in relation to the return of fugitive slaves came up. Thaddeus Stevens and Lovejoy made radical speeches and secured Gen. Halleck and others for delivering negroes back to their rebel masters.

The President has declined to send to Congress communications with England, France and Spain, in regard to Mexico. Exciting news from Fort Royal is expected.

Quincy, Dec. 12. The Republican members in Congress, yesterday, in caucus, resolved to insist on the confiscation of all rebel property, and the emancipation of slaves.

The steamer Louisa, from Liverpool, brings further accounts of the reception in England of the news of the capture of Mason and Sidel. Public meetings were held at Liverpool, and resolutions passed condemning the affair, and calling upon the British Government to demand an explanation.

Quincy, Dec. 18th. Private Johnson, of the Lincoln cavalry, is to be shot at Washington, to-morrow, for desertion. News from Fort Pickens has been received. The commanding general on the morning of the 21st Nov. and continued for two days. Fort McRae was silenced, as also the water batteries in reach of the guns of the Federal steamer Richmond. At 3 P.M., of the 23d, Warrington was set on fire by our guns and that place and the Navy Yard were destroyed. On the 24th one of our guns exploded, killing five men and wounding others.

Quincy, Dec. 14. A dispatch to the Cincinnati Commercial from Cheat Mountain, in Virginia, dated to-day, states that yesterday one of the hardest and best fought battles of the whole war took place at Alleghany camp, near Focinstown. Gen. Milroy commanded the Union forces, and Gen. Johnson, of Georgia, the rebels. In the battle the Union forces lost 30 men, whilst the rebels had 200 killed, many more wounded and 80 taken prisoners. Gen. Johnson was wounded. After sustaining so heavy a loss, the enemy set fire to their camp and retreated to Stanton, leaving the Union forces master of the field.

From various reliable reports we learn that on the night of the 11th inst., a destructive fire broke out at Charleston, which laid half the city in ashes. The burning is supposed to have been caused by the slaves who have risen.

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 16th. The London Times says the principle on which the Government rests its demand is that British ships, until their violation of the neutrality laws is fully proved, must be held to be British ground as much as if they were actual pieces of British soil, and the rights of all persons on board are as valid as on British territory. No such violation has yet been proved, or sought to be proved against the Trent, consequently the seizure of persons, dragged from her deck, was entirely illegal. Sidel and Mason were at most the servants to a hostile power, and were traveling from one neutral power to another, in a neutral vessel. If the Government at Washington declare their rebels, their right of asylum has been clearly violated.

The transport Melbourne would leave Woolwich for Halifax on the 5th, with 30,000 stand of arms, a battery, and six Armstrong guns.

Mr. Bright has made an eloquent speech on the American question. In it he strongly condemned the warlike feeling, and scouted the idea that the U. S. Cabinet had resolved to pick a quarrel with England.

Sir Richard Cobden has written letters of a pacific tenor, urging a suspension of judgment.

Gen. Scott has also written a letter in favor of maintaining friendly relations between England and America, which attracts much attention.

The captain of the steamer Illinois, which arrived at Old Point on Saturday night, says that it passed within six miles of Charleston, on Thursday night. A tremendous conflagration was going on, and Charleston was evidently burning up.

The Norfolk Day Book, of the 13th, gives an account of a negro insurrection in South Carolina, at Charleston. The plot of the negroes was discovered and checked.

Washington dispatches say that notwithstanding the belligerent attitude of England, the Cabinet and Congress are not frightened.

The demand for the release of Mason and Sidel causes great excitement, but the sentiment of defiance is universal.

Congress will adjourn on Thursday next for two weeks, to enable the members to spend the holidays.

Dec. 17th.—In the Lower House of Congress yesterday, more hard words passed between Foote of Illinois and Conway of Kansas. It is said that something serious will grow out of it.

Valandingham offered resolutions to the effect that the action of Com. Wilkes be sustained, notwithstanding the belligerent attitude, but they were laid over.

The bill to raise 20,000 more soldiers for Kentucky, was opposed by Lovejoy and Stevens, but was afterwards passed.

In the Senate, Hall offered a resolution, to the effect that the Committee on Military Affairs inquire into the expediency of providing a uniform plan for dealing with the slaves of rebels, which was agreed to.

Lane of Indiana offered a resolution that the Committee on Judiciary be requested to prepare a law to prevent aiders of treason from bringing suits for commercial debts in United States Courts. Agreed to.

Wilkinson offered a resolution to expel Jesse D. Bright. Referred.

Dispatches from St. Joseph, Mo., state that a battle was expected soon between the rebel forces at Lexington, Ky., and the troops under Gen. Prentiss. It was Prentiss's intention to cross the river on Saturday at a point above Lexington, and attack the rebels. The rebels are 2500 strong; the Federals 4000.

The excitement runs high over the English news. The markets are depressed in consequence.

The barque Agnes, arrived at Baltimore, reports a fight between the pirate Sumter and the U. S. ship Trogon, off Martinique.

The Cabinet have considered the matter of the Mason and Sidel arrest, and think that newspaper bluster is not a true indication of the intention of the British Government; but the impression is that England will make a demand for the release of Mason and Sidel.

The New York Herald's Washington dispatch says that the President has no official information from England relative to the Mason and Sidel affair, but diplomatic correspondence would settle this question without war.

The Union sentiment in Eastern Virginia is said to be rapidly increasing. Senator Polk, of Missouri, has gone over to the rebels, and is said to be now in Memphis.

Ben McCulloch is in Richmond. The steamer Connecticut, arrived at Old Point, reports that Fort Pulaski has been evacuated by the rebels, and is now occupied by Federal troops.

Norfolk and Richmond papers of the 14th give full particulars of the great fire at Charleston. Fifty-seven buildings were destroyed, including the Roman Catholic Church, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Cumberland street church, the Methodist and Circular churches. The loss will be from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000.

Quincy, Dec. 18. In the Senate, yesterday, Latham offered a resolution to the effect that the Secretary of War be requested to inform the Senate by what law and reason passports are required from New York to San Francisco. Agreed to.

In the House, Elliot's resolutions proposing the emancipation of the slaves of rebels caused a warm debate. Harding, of Kentucky, made a strong speech opposing it.

Dispatches from Tipton, Mo., say that our troops received orders, yesterday, to hold themselves ready for a moment's notice.

Gen. Pope, at the head of his forces, is already marching towards Warrensburg for the purpose of cutting off Price, who is trying to unite with Rains and Stein at Lexington. A battle is expected soon.

Information has been received at Cairo that New Orleans had been attacked by the Federal forces under the command of Gen. Phelps, from Ship Island. [Ship Island is in Mississippi Sound, distant some 70 or 80 miles from New Orleans.]

Reinforcements have been sent down from Columbus for the relief of New Orleans. Secretary Cameron has submitted to Congress a report in favor of appropriating \$4,710,000 for putting the coast defenses in order from the Lakes around to San Francisco.

The steamer Jura arrived at Portland yesterday from Liverpool, bringing dates to Saturday, 7th December.

Things look warlike in England. A large number of troops were under orders to leave for Canada. The American shipping interest was disastrously affected.

St. Louis, Dec. 19th. Commercial letters from England by the last European steamer express the opinion that the English Government will probably ask an apology for the recent act of Commodore Wilkes in arresting Mason and Sidel.

The Federal troops are moving in immense force towards the Tennessee river from Kentucky.

As regards the battle of New Orleans, before reports, circumstantial evidence received here seems to substantiate the report that New Orleans had been captured by the Federal troops. We have not full particulars, or facts fully confirmatory, but the belief is that New Orleans is in the hands of the Federals.

A battle is pending at any moment between the Federal troops and rebel forces in Missouri. The Confederate horse, under Price, is certainly caught in a trap.

The President and Cabinet have held a conference at Washington, upon the subject of the threatened difficulties with England, and say that there must be no war.

The rebels in Missouri, under command of Gen. Price, are in full retreat, closely pursued by the Federal army under Gen. Pope.

Gen. Pope has captured Price's baggage train, and made one hundred and twenty-five prisoners.

Covajoval had attacked Mataloras. There was a great battle with heavy slaughter, and both parties claim the victory. [This is incomprehensible.]

Dec. 20th.—Cols. Davis and Marshall, in command of a body of Federal troops, surprised a camp of rebels near Warrensburg, Mo. [Warrensburg is the county seat of Johnson county, some sixty miles west of Jefferson City, and some forty directly south of Lexington.] The rebels, after a brief but ineffectual resistance, surrendered at discretion. The fruits of this victory are thirteen hundred prisoners, among whom are three Colonels and seven Captains, one thousand horses, with their equipments, and all the arms, baggage, wagons, provisions, etc., in possession of the rebel force. The loss of the Federal troops in this brilliant exploit was but ten killed and wounded. The rebel loss is unknown.

Dec. 21st.—One hundred miles of the track and bridge of the North Missouri Railroad were destroyed by the rebels. [This road connects St. Louis with the Hannibal and St. Joseph railroad, at Hickson, Macon county.] A skirmish took place yesterday on the Virginia side of the Potomac, near Drainsville, between large detachments of Federals and Rebels. The latter had one hundred and fifty killed and wounded. The Federal loss was six killed and eight wounded.

The war excitement seems to be subsiding. Quincy, Dec. 20. In Congress, yesterday, the House resumed discussion on the bill authorizing the immediate construction of twenty iron clad gun-boats, which passed.

In the Senate Mr. Wade presented a petition from the citizens of Ohio, asking that John O. Fremont be appointed Lieut. General. No action was taken thereon.

George S. Fisher, of San Francisco, has been appointed U. S. Vice-Consul at Kanagawa, Japan, vice Dorr. Salary, \$5,000 per annum.

Capt. Robert Haley, of San Francisco, has been appointed U. S. Consul at Manzanillo, Mexico, vice A. Gattili.

The dispatches of the British Minister, received at Washington, were to be more sensible and more moderate than the representations of the British press would lead to the belief. Nothing peremptory or imperative is addressed to our Government, and no difficulty presented to their view, but which can and will be settled by diplomacy.

Quincy, Dec. 21. Gen. Burnside's expedition, consisting of ten regiments, is at Annapolis and ready to go South.

In the House, yesterday, Julian, of Indiana, offered a resolution that the Fugitive Slave Law be so amended as to forbid the recapture or return of any fugitive from labor, without proof that the claimant is loyal. After much discussion, the resolution passed.

Major Hubbard, of the 1st Missouri cavalry, captured over 60 rebels, a day or two since, together with a large amount of baggage.

Geo. W. Jones, ex-Minister to Bogota, was arrested in New York yesterday, by order of Mr. Seward, and sent to Fort Lafayette.

A great negro insurrection is reported in Mississippi, and an immense amount of property destroyed—\$150,000 on the Quitman estate alone. The New York Herald has the following Washington dispatch, dated the 20th:

Gen. Ord started on a foraging expedition this morning, with the 4th Regiment Bucktail Rifles, Lieut. Kern, and Easton's battery. Gen. Meall, thinking they might be attacked, sent on after them two brigades; McCall and staff also followed. When Gen. Ord's command was near Drainsville, it was attacked by the enemy in ambush. A brisk engagement ensued. Easton's battery was planted alongside Thornton House, and poured terrible volleys into the enemy. Gen. McCall came on the ground and conducted the battle. It continued an hour, when the enemy, finding our fire too hot for them, retreated in the direction of Fairfax, leaving a large number of dead and wounded on the field. Our troops pursued for a short distance, and picked up the wounded and prisoners. Gen. Ord captured a large amount of arms, clothing, &c., which the enemy left behind. Their loss is estimated at 150 killed and wounded. Our loss is 6 killed and 8 wounded. Among the rebels killed was Col. Thiler, of Kentucky. Their force consisted of three regiments of infantry, a company of cavalry and a battery, all under acting Brig. Gen. John H. Fordy, of Alabama. At 9 P.M. our troops retired with 50 wagon loads of forage.

Private letters, received from distinguished English statesmen and other prominent individuals, give every assurance that it is foreign to the interests of the English Government to make any demand for the release of Mason and Sidel, but it is probable that they will ask for such explanation as the United States Government can honorably give.

The Federal troops now occupy Beaufort, S. C., and are fortifying themselves. The steamer Atlantic has arrived at New York from Fort Royal with 12,000 pounds of Sea Island cotton. Over 100,000 pounds of Sea Island cotton had been secured previous to her departure.

Dec. 23d.—Later news has been received from Europe. The question of the arrest of Mason and Sidel continued to occupy the attention of the press.

Armstrong guns of large size were being distributed among the ships preparing for sea. This is to be regarded as a precautionary measure against Mexican privateers, and not a consequence of any apprehension of a rupture with the United States.

Ireland strongly sympathizes with the Federal Government. Dispatches from Baltimore to Philadelphia say that Fort Pickens had opened fire on Fort McRae three times since Nov. 23d—with what effect is not stated.

The Tribune's dispatch from Washington says Lord Lyons has made his first official communication in relation to the Mason and Sidel affair, we presume, to the Secretary of State. The contents are not known.

Government has received intelligence that Gen. Scott will immediately return. He will undoubtedly bring important news.

Gen. Halleck has issued orders making death the penalty for cutting down telegraph wires or injuring railway bridges. Secessionists and their slaves will be required to repair all damages done to railroads, etc., where they live.

Dec. 24th.—In the House, yesterday, Wilson's resolution was lost, prohibiting United States officers from using any of their forces for the purpose of returning fugitive slaves.

Morrill reported a bill increasing the duties on coffee, tea and sugar. The proposed increase will yield a revenue of \$8,000,000, should the importations be the same as in 1860.

Mr. Fenton introduced a bill granting lands for a railroad from the Missouri river to San Francisco.

A private dispatch, received last night, states that Gen. Halleck has ordered the Secessionists to repair the damaged portion of the North Missouri Railroad. Forty bridge burners have been arrested and have probably been shot.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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