ITEMS-GENERAL AND LOCAL.

Brigadier General Lockwood, visited our Hospital on a tour of inspection on Thursday, and was received with the respect due his rank,

The Steam Ship Great Eastern has been sold at auction for £25,000. She has proved to be the Elephant; it costs too much to keep her.

The Governor of Maryland and a few friends, visited the Imperial Russian Corvette Variag, Wednesday afternoon. A salute of twentyone guns was fired on their reception, and another when leaving the vessel.

It is stated on Rebel authority that the Rebel torpedo which sunk the Housatonic also sunk herself, the Rebels thereby receiving, to some extent, pay for the temerity of their undertaking.

JOSEPH K. BARNES, now Acting Surgeon General, was confirmed, on Monday, as Medical Inspector General, with the rank of Colonel of the United States Army.

The Richmood Enquirer says, the fruit of the robberies of the train on the B. & O. R. R. by Gilmore's banditti was \$100,000 in greenbacks, 100 fine revolvers, a good many sabres, gold watches, and other articles of value to the Confederates.

In the news from Washington it is stated, "It will rejoice the hearts of thousands in the North to hear that General BUTLER by his pertinacity and tact, has succeeded in making arrangements with Commissioner Ould, which will probably lead to an exchange of prisoners on both sides.

One hundred more men were returned to duty on Monday, via Washington,—enough for a large, full company. They were as vigorous, hearty, jeyful a set, as we have ever sent off, and they will make a noble accession to our army in the field. Thus our number accession to our army in the field. lessens; just as soon as patients become fit to make good soldiers again, they are sent to their regiments to make room for others; and there is probably no situation that aids in accomplishing this, better than our own Hospital, with its pure air, and beautiful surroundings.

Me would call especial attention to the Grand Union Concert, to be given in this Hospital, next Monday evening, by the celebrated Union Musical Association of Baltimore. We have the pleasure to say we have heard the performances of this association, on more than one occasion, at the Maryland Institute, in Baltimore, where there were four or five thousand persons present, and we can affirm we never enjoyed concerts of a similar cast more than those, and confidently say that no one will be disappointed who attends this. The object'is to raise a fund for a permanent band in the Hospital; something which we think no one will refuse or object to assist in, when they consider how pleasant it will be in good weather, in addition to the other attractions of our grounds, to have good music discoursed during our promenades. We refer our readers to the programme. in another column.

Jes On Tuesday last the Russian war steamer Almaz, Captain P. Zelonov, left our Bay for Baltimore, in order to change her masts. Her final destination is unknown at present, but probably she will remain in our waters at the disposal of the Russian Minister. The Russian sloop of war Variag, Captain Robert Lundh, was to leave on Thursday last. She is ordered to visit different ports of the Antilles and after having touched at Havana she will join the remainder of the Russian fleet, which, at is said, will be concentrated next April in the Pamunkey River. The inclemency of the weather has interfered, somewhat, with our intercourse with the Russian officers, notwithstanding, their short visit here has been enjoyed by all those who have been favored enough to make their acquaintance, and our best wishes accompany the vessels on their departure. We learn from a good source that the Russian corvette Vitias, Captain CREMER, now on her return from Havana, will probably arrive at Annapolis, at the end of next week. It is supposed that she will remain here until the above mentioned concentration of the fleet at Pamunkey River.

When the War is Over.

How many a heart longs for this cruel war to be over. How many are looking forward to the day when peace shall reign; when the sword shall be sheathed, and the instruments of warfare are no longer needed. When occupations long neglected shall be resumed, when familiar associations, and family ties shall no more be severed. What a happy time that will be. It is said, in the mountains of the Tyrole, hundreds of the women and children come out when it is bedtime, and sing their national song until they hear their husbands, fathers, or brothers answer them from the hills, on their return home, O, what a glad song of welcome will be sung by mothers, wives, sisters, fathers, husbands, brothers, on the return of the loved ones from the battle field, from the scenes of carnage through which they have passed. We can conceive of no prettier sight than such an occasion will afford. We can conceive of nothing more touching, and we almost shed tears of joy in the prospect. On the shores of the Adriatic, the wives of the fishermen come down about sunset, and sing a melody .-They sing the first verse, and then listen for some time; they then sing the second verse and listen until they hear the answer come from the fishermen, who are "thus guided by the sounds to their own village. The loved ones will hear our song of welcome as they return, and when they hear us, with a peal that shall echo from mountain to mountain, from river to river, from ocean to ocean, they will answer us; they will take up the sound with hearts overflowing with gladness, and thus be guided safely to their homes again. O, what a meeting there will be. May the time soon come, when peace shall reign from the rivers to the ends of the earth, and nations shall learn war no more.

A GRAND UNION CONCERT WILL BE GIVEN AT

U. S. A. General Hospital, Division No. 1,

BY THE CELEBRATED NATIONAL UNION MUSICAL ASSOCIATION,

Of Baltimore, On Monday Evening, March 7th, 1864.

Under the direction of Professor C. S. Root, Commencing at 8 o'clock.

The object of the Concert is to raise a fund for a permanent Band in the Hospital.

PROGRAMME:

-My Country 'tis of thee,

-Uncle Sam's Farm,

-Be true to our Flag, (words by Gen'l Hayward,)

-Rally Boys for the good old Union,

-Corporal Schnapps,

-Consecration Hyann, (chanted at Gettysburg, 19th Nov.)

-Maryland, My Maryland,

-Poetical History of the Rebellion in Baltimore, by Gen. Hayward

Part Second:

We're Marching Down to Dixie's Land, Solo & Chorus.

-Hurrah for the dear old Flag, (words by Gen. H.) Solo & Chorus.

-Battle cry of Freedom, Solo & Chorus.

-Just before the battle, Mother, Solo & Chorus.

-Johnny Schmoker, Solo & Chorus.

-Three Hundred Thousand More, Solo & Quartette.

-Star Spangled Banner, Solo & Chorus.

Mr. Arthur Macdellan will preside at the Piano.

During the evening General Hayward will speak a piece.

Prices of Admission:

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For Pamilies, (each.)

For Officers and Citizens,

For Soldiers connected with Hospitals,

Tickets of admission may be obtained at C. A. S. Wolf's Jewelr Store; at Charles Murphy's "Holland House;" at the City Hotel and Soldiers may obtain them of the Librarian, at the Readin Room in this Hospital.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in Post Office at U. S. General Hospital,
Div. No. 1, Annapolis, Md., March 2d, 1864:
Ashmati, Stewart
Burnham, B. W.
Brown, William J.
Liemback, Theodore Smith, James M.
Dunlop, Sergit Robit Lyman, Theodore N.
Dickson, Judson
Dennon, Vincent E.
Kaser, S. R.
Green, George
Holland, John V.
Torton, John F.

J. BERNSTEIN,

Watch Maker and Jeweler,

Wm. Sloan, I, 12th N. J. V. Perry Baxter, I, 154th N. Y. V. Rowley, K, 126th Ohio V. Watches and Jewelry. Repairing done on the most reasonable terms, and warranted. Also Military Clothing, Boots & Shoes at City prices.

Being an old veteran himself, he trusts that Officers and Soldiers will make their purchases of him.

Wm. Sloan, I, 12th N. J. V. Perry Baxter, I, 154th N. Y. V. Rowley, K, 126th Ohio V. Described while on Furlough:
Francis H. Naoris, Private, A, 12th N. H. Vols.

Discharged:

J. M. Chidester, Cpl., H, 3d Va.Md.I. G. Zerp, Pri., K, 107th O. VV.

Report of Changes in Divisions No. 1 and 2,

Division No. 1.

B. A. VANDERKIEFT, SURGEON IN CHARGE.

Admitted:

Joseph Mahon, Chap., 1st Md. V. John Lotz, Private, B, 1st U. S.
Paul Quirck, Lieut., 2d U. S. Cav. Nat. Walker, citizen, Q. M. Dep

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Returned to Duty:

G. R. Giddings, Maj. 14th U. S. I.
A. G. Wier, Sergt, 1, 14th Mass. A. John Earls, C. Tist N. Y. Vols.
L. P. Norton, Sgt. I., 16th N. Y. Cav.
D. Finch, Sgt. A., 126th N. Y. V.
H. Hunter, Sgt. H., 1st O. Vols.
B. Bechtel, Corp. G., 19th U. S. L.
H. G. Godrich, Cpl. F., 14th Conn.
E. M. Bedell, Cpl. H., 147th N.Y. V. J. E. Rose, D.
B. Goodrich, Cpl. F., 13th N. Y. V.
P. Barclay, Opl. M. Ist Mich. Cav.
J. Z. L. P. M. J. L. Thurston, D. Tah.
J. Cavin, Bugler, F., 6th U. S. Cav.
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Jacob B. Godwin, E., 11th U. S. I.
Alhert Choate, I. Richetts Batt.
L. L. Thurston, D. 7th Me. V.
Robert McDonsild, A., 1st Mass. V.
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Harras Donahue, B., 11th Mass. V.
Chas. F. Pape, B., 15th Mass. V.
Wm. H. Wilcoxon, 2d Conn. Bat.
E. F. Hawley, G., 5th Conn. V.
H. B. B. Sannison, I., 7th Conn. V.
D. B. Sullivan, A. 13th Conn. V.
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J. T. Hill, Maj, 12th N. J. Vols. W. Estep, Surgeon, 126th Ohlo V.

Division No. 2.

G. B. PARKER, SURGEON IN CHARGE.

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	H. B. Griswold,	do	do	M. Stevens,	do	do	
	E. K. Miller,	do	· do	J. L. Youn	g, do	do	
	R. Houghton, Drm	.do	.do	F. Wessing	er, do	de	
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J. J. Casey, Cpl., C, 5th Mich. V.

PRIVATES:

W. H. Sutton, B, 1st, R. I. Cav.
L. E. Cooley, G, 1st Mass. Cav.
C. W. Shannon, B, 55th Mass. V.
Henry Day, F, 17th Me. V.
On Furlough:
P. A. Anderson, Sgt. K, 126 0. V.
H. Sherlock, Cpl. G, 154 N. Y.
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J. C. Allison, D, 1st Va. Art.
Milo Wilber, G, 154th N. Y.
J. B. Jackson, Sgt. 119th Co., I. C.
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A. Rowley, K, 126th Ohio V.
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John C. Elsworth, Private, A, 12th N. H. Vols.

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