

WEEKLY REVIEW.

The hint concerning our empty vases in last week's Crutch was not amiss, for we received on Sunday from an unknown source a beautiful bouquet, composed of lillies and roses accompanied by a delicate note written in a delicate hand. The affair was so mysteriously conducted that if we were disposed to perpetrate a pun, we should consider it decidedly "sub rosa," but as puns and roses should not be mentioned in the same breath, we hope to be forgiven for the thought. The gift was not of the lilliputian order, unbounded generosity being displayed in its construction, and the donor may consider himself or herself thanked in our most graceful and polished style. Although we are not guilty of that amount of audacity attributed to the innocent and persecuted Oliver Twist, yet we cannot refrain from reminding our readers that flowers are not immortal, and our passion for "the Amens! of nature" is still as strong as ever.... On the 8th inst. the National Republican Convention assembled at Baltimore and nominated for President in 1865, ABRAHAM LINCOLN, and for Vice-President ANDREW JOHNSON of Tennessee. The Missouri delegation which was instructed to vote for General GRANT seeing no possibility of success, changed their vote, thereby rendering the nomination of LINCOLN unanimous. National Conventions are generally characterized by a certain amount of wrangling and discussion, and the general good feeling and unanimity displayed at Baltimore must be very flattering to our next President, and indicate a stability and soundness in the Republican party, which is somewhat surprising when we consider the difficulties under which it has labored for the past three years. The candidate for the Vice-Presidency is well known both to Unionists and rebels, particularly to the latter, for no man in the country has proved himself to be more devoted to the cause of Right than "ANDY" JOHNSON, and as no people have suffered more from the rebellion than the Unionists of Tennessee, it is right and just that some tangible acknowledgment of the same should be made.—Of the election of the Candidates no doubts exist in the minds of sensible men and the voting may be considered a mere matter of form..... On the 9th inst., the Michigan, Delegation accompanied by Lieut. Col. JOHNSON, Medical Inspector U. S. A., paid our Hospital a visit.—Among them we noticed the familiar countenances of Gov. BLAIR, W. R. NOYES, H. P. BALDWIN and Dr. BINGHAM brother of Ex-Gov. BINGHAM. In the afternoon, the officers under treatment assembled in front of the General Office, and were addressed by Gov. Blair in an eloquent speech of fifteen minutes' duration. He spoke of our recent victories in Virginia and the West, of the tenacity and determination of General Grant, comparing the present situation with that of three years ago, and predicted a speedy termination of the war. He was frequently interrupted by enthusiastic applause and when about to stop, cries of "go on, go on" filled the air. He thanked the officers for their courtesy but his severe labors for the two days previous rendered him incapable of much exertion. At the close, three rousing cheers for President LINCOLN and Gov. BLAIR were given, and the crowd dispersed with the eloquence of the speaker still ringing in their ears..... Among the recent changes which have taken place in our Hospital, we notice that the washing apparatus has been moved to the stables formerly belonging to the Quartermaster's department.—The wash-house is to be used as a mess-hall, and the old mess-hall as a dining room for officers. This arrangement is convenient, and since the establishment of the Officers' Hospital, has been much needed..... Our readers have undoubtedly noticed in the New York illustrated papers, some representations of returned prisoners in this Hospital. As wood cuts they are well executed, and to a certain extent truthful, but the degree of emaciation is hardly great enough. To those persons who are disposed to think these stories of Rebel inhumanity mere newspaper sensations, we would recommend a careful perusal of the Rebel Surgeon General's Quarterly report, published in last week's edition.

WOMEN can keep a secret, but it takes a great many of them to do it.

We clip the following from Gail Hamilton's new book, entitled "Stumbling Blocks," as most expressive of her hearty reproof of the wicked practices and follies of the times.—[Ed.]

We want a religion that bears heavily, not only on the "exceeding sinfulness of sin," but on the exceeding rascality of lying and stealing—a religion that banishes short measures from the counters, small baskets from the stalls, pebbles from the cotton bags, clay from paper, sand from sugar, chicory from coffee, water from butter, flour from cream of tartar, beet-juice from vinegar, alum from bread, strychnine from wine, water from milk-cans, and buttons from the contribution-box. The religion that is to save the world will not put all the big strawberries at the top, and all the bad ones at the bottom. It will sell raisins on stems, instead of stems without raisins. It will not offer more baskets of foreign wines than the vineyards ever produced bottles, and more barrels of Genesee flour than all the wheat-fields of New York grow, and all her mills grind. It will not make one half of a pair of shoes of good leather, and the other of poor leather, so that the first shall redound to the maker's credit, and the second to his cash; nor, if the shoes have been promised on Thursday morning, will it let Thursday morning spin out till Saturday night. It will not put Jouvin's stamp on Jenkins's kid gloves; nor make Paris bonnets in the back room of a Boston milliner's shop; nor let a piece of velvet, that professes to measure twelve yards, come to an untimely end in the tenth; or a spool of sewing silk, that vouches for twenty yards, be nipped in the bud at fourteen and a half; nor the cotton-thread spool break, to the yard stick, fifty of the two hundred yards of that was given to the eye; nor yard-wide cloth measure less than thirty six inches from selvage to selvage; nor all-wool delaines and all-linen handkerchiefs be amalgamated with clandestine cotton; nor water-proof cloaks be soaked through in an hour; nor coats made of old woolen rags pressed together be sold to an unsuspecting public for legal broadcloth. It does not put bricks at five dollars per thousand into chimneys which it contracted to build of seven-dollar materials; nor smuggle white pine into floors that have paid for hard pine; nor leave yawning cracks in closets where boards ought to join; nor daub ceilings that ought to be smoothly plastered; nor make window-blinds with slats that cannot stand the wind, and paint that cannot stand the sun, and fastenings that may be looked at, but are on no account to be touched. It does not send the little boy, who has come for his daily quart of milk, into the barn-yard to see the calf, and seize the opportunity to skim off the cream; nor does it surround stale butter with fresh, and sell the whole for good; nor pass off the slack-baked bread upon the stable-boy; nor dust the pepper; nor "deacon" the apples.

HOSPITALITY.—A good story is told of the late Dr. Thyme, so well known for his love of good eating, upon the occasion of an afternoon call upon the eccentric Lord R. He was shown into the dining room, where he found his lordship alone and engaged in eating a choice little dinner. After talking for some time, the doctor, who was getting hungry at the sight, said, "My lord, I think it would be no great stretch of hospitality, were your lordship to say, "Doctor, pray do as I am doing."—"Well, doctor," said Lord R.—, "pray do as I am doing—go home and eat your one dinner."

A MONUMENT TO GEN. GRANT, in commemoration of his Vicksburg victory, is in course of erection at Vicksburg, under the auspices of Gen. Thomas. The monument it made of Italian marble in the shape of a pyramid, twenty feet high, surmounted by a fifteen-inch globe. On the principal side is a large American eagle, sustaining on its wings the Goddess of Liberty. Suitable inscriptions respecting General Grant's exploits are to be chiseled on the sides.

It is found that women make the very best clerks for the electric telegraph. The only difficulty is to prevent each young lady at either end of the line from having the last word.

The sourest cider in the world is made from the apples of discord.

A mother told her little boy to pray that all his old naughty sins might be taken away. He complied, and prayed as follows:—

"O Lord, take away all my old naughty sins, and give me some good new ones."

His mother didn't see it in that light.

A Worcester contemporary tells of a pugnacious goat, who seeing his shadow in a hole made in the ice, lowered his head, shook his caudal appendage spasmodically, and at a tremendous gait rushed upon the shadow, went into the hole out of sight under the ice, and has not since been seen. Moral: never rush into anything without giving the subject due consideration.

There was a rise in coal last week, says the Salem Register. A consumer called on a dealer on Thursday to engage his year's supply, when he found the price had been advanced a couple of days before. "Well," says the consumer, "I want six ton of coal last Tuesday." The dealer smiled, but "couldn't see it in that light."

"Come, don't be timid," said a couple of silly snobs to two mechanics; "sit down and make yourselves our equals." "We should have to blow out our brains to do that," was the reply.

Why are pegged boots like the ghost in "Hamlet?" Because they "harrow up the soul."

Report of Changes in Division No. 1.

B. A. VANDERKIEFT, SURGEON IN CHARGE.

Admitted:

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS:		1st Lt. R. K. Bechem, 23 U. S. C. V.	
Lt. Col. J. M. Raymond, 2 N. Y. M. R.	do	E. Cunningham, 19 Me. do	do
do W. C. Bania, 7 Ind. Vols.	do	E. Brookings, 31st do do	do
Maj. Chas. A. Winn, 58 Pa. do	do	G. F. Gould, 2d N. Y. M. R.	do
do F. H. Reichard, 188 do do	do	C. Miller, 52d do Vols.	do
Adj. L. I. Saeriste, 116th do do	do	A. C. Wells, 98th do do	do
Capt. J. D. Yukes, 1st do R. C.	do	W. H. Sherman, 4 Mich. do	do
do F. E. Crauford, 116 do Vols.	do	G. W. Ernest, 3d Md. do	do
do Chas. T. Divon, 8th Md. do	do	T. Dumpey, 44th N. Y. do	do
do Edmond Mass, 88th Pa. do	do	G. A. Clark, 1st Del. do	do
do M. B. Robins, 109 N. Y. do	do	G. E. Davis, 21st Mass. do	do
do N. Frasier, 2nd Pa. Cav.	do	A. G. Brown, 21st N. Y. do	do
do J. M. Bell, 13th do do	do	2d Lt. Geo. Burr, 25th Mass. do	do
do D. B. Vandersmith, 27 Pa. do	do	do H. G. Mitchell, 32d Me. do	do
do J. C. Swearer, 55th do V.	do	do S. W. Pray, 11th Gt. do	do
do J. Digman, 183d do do	do	do E. C. Pierce, 19th Me. do	do
do J. M. Tripp, 39th N. Y. do	do	do H. M. Beane, 32d do do	do
1st Lt. Wm. Snyder, 3d Md. do	do	do A. Prinder, 6th Mass. do	do
do H. W. Price, 27th U. S. C. do	do	do C. Wrightman, 24 N. Y. Cav.	do
do A. R. Burlington, 1st N. Y. Cav.	do	do A. Deion, 139th do Vols.	do
do H. A. Vanues, 3d N. J. do	do	do O. C. Russell, 6th Ohio Cav.	do
do M. H. Preston, 3d Del. V.	do	do G. D. Craft, 109 N. Y. Vols.	do
do W. H. Burns, 16th Mich. do	do	do S. M. Burchfield, 145 Pa. do	do
do H. P. Burroughs, 8 N. Y. do	do	PRIVATES:	
do Wm. Todd, 10th N. J. do	do	G. W. Morgan, 1st Md. Vols.	do
do P. J. Duff, 7th Va. do	do	W. F. Davis, Musician 1 ES Md. V.	do

Returned to Duty.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS:		1st Lt. W. L. Bramhall, 93 N. Y. do	
Col. A. N. Tippen, 68th Pa. Vols.	do	G. W. Earnest, 3rd Md. do	do
Adj't H. L. Jewett, 109 N. Y. do	do	P. J. Duff, 7th Va. do	do
Capt. H. L. Haskell, 125 do do	do	2d Lt. H. H. Shaw, 3d Me. do	do
do L. Morriss, 6th N. J. do	do	do E. C. Pierce, 19 do do	do
do A. K. Thrapp, 1st N. Y. Cav.	do	do J. W. Yeaton, 39 U. S. C. do	do
do O. Murphy, 7th do do	do	do A. Pinder, 69 Mass. do	do
do R. N. Boyle, 8 Mich. Vols.	do	do H. E. Tuttle, 2 Conn. Art'y.	do
do F. R. Joslyn, 11th Mass. do	do	do I. D. Howell, 49th Pa. Vols.	do
do J. H. Spalding, 19 Me. do	do	do D. R. Rodgers, 83 do do	do
do G. S. Robinson, 17 Vt. do	do	do T. McMilly, 1st Md. do	do
do W. S. Bailey, 28 Mass. do	do	do G. Neivlin, 1st Mich. S. S.	do
do A. Bancroft, 32d do do	do	do — Hendricks, 24 Mich. V.	do
do J. J. Gould, 1st R. I. Cav.	do	NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS:	
1st Lt. T. Welsh, 61st N. Y. Vols.	do	Corp. J. Jameson, 9th Mass. Vols.	do
do J. Maloy, 140th do do	do	do R. Cummings, 11 do do	do
do A. D. Waddell, 5 Mich. do	do	PRIVATES:	
do C. E. Grisson, 26th do do	do	Jas. Brown, 9th Mass. Vols.	do
do J. Quigley, 27th do do	do	A. Chalmers, do do do	do
do J. L. Miller, 6th Ohio Cav.	do	E. Knodel, 41st N. Y. do	do
do J. B. Ten Eyck, 8 Mich. do	do	J. M. Brown, 4th Me. do	do
do C. F. Lee, 7th Mass. Vols.	do	G. M. Rowley, 6th Pa. R. C.	do
do B. F. Millard, 59 do do	do	C. M. Burnham, 10 do do	do
do W. A. Fifield, 59 do do	do	J. C. Edmunds, 1st N. J. Vols.	do

On Furlough:

PRIVATES:		J. W. Youngblood, 2d Md. Cav.	
Wm. Harvice, 100th Ohio Vols.	do	James Kelly, 1st Ohio Vols.	do
L. Taylor, 38th Ind. do	do	J. Brothers, 65th Ind. do	do
P. T. Bean, 16th Me. do	do	A. Wright, do do do	do
Wm. Divine, 3d Pa. Cav.	do	E. K. Brown, 6th H. H. do	do
Jere Harrigan, 15th U. S. Inf.	do	S. Moatz, 129th N. Y. do	do
W. W. Wilcox, 124th Ohio Vols.	do	D. Brown, 125th do do	do

Returned from Furlough:

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS:		Henry Lindner, 5th Mich. Vols	
Corp. J. S. Brown, 2d Md. P. H. B.	do	T. I. Edwards, 118th Pa. do	do
PRIVATES:		John Crites, 110 Ohio do	do
G. W. Smith, 1st Maine Cav.	do	G. H. Potter, 137th N. Y. do	do
Thos. Fleming, 6th Md. Vols.	do		

Transferred.

W. F. Hammond, Priv. 6th N. Y. Cav.	do
A. M. Brown, " 29th Ind. Vols.	do

Discharged:

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS:		H. B. Ritter, V. R. C.	
Capt. G. Hassenplug, 51 Pa. Vols.	do	W. F. Ott, do do do	do
1st Lt. N. B. Dutton, 1st Md. do	do	Mary Hindman, Matron.	do
PRIVATES:			
Robert Aldrich, V. R. Corps,	do		

Died:

T. C. Pendleton, Private, 48th Ill. Vols.	do
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