THE SENTINEL.

SUMMARY OF WAR NEWS.

The subjoined summary of War News, for the past week, we extract from the Baltimore *Gazette*:

FORTRESS MONROE, Mar. 14.—It is reported from Norfolk, on the authority of a gentleman of the utmost reliability, that the Confederate army, under General Beale, has been recently reinforced to the extent of twenty-two thousand men! This takes Pickett and Hill out to battle-field personally, from General Early, that sufficient assistance had been received from Richmond to enable Bragg to resist successfully the forces of Gen. Rosecrans, notwithstanding the belief entertained by the Confederates that the Army of the Cumberland had been struck a fatal blow in the battle of Murfreesboro' by twenty thousand fresh troops. It is also stated that the Confederates contemplate another grand rallow into Kentucky, and that fifteen regiments of cavalry and infantry were, at the last advices from East Tennessee, under marching orders, &c., &c.

A rumor from Memphis has it that Yazoo City has been captured by the Federal forces! We are warned, however, that the story needs confirmation. It will also be told that the reports concerning the steamer Indianola are still conflicting.

The latest telegram received from Milliken's Bend, the rendezvous of the expedition, positively stipulates that Col. Osborn, with two thousand of the prisoners taken by Van Dorn at Spring Hill, had escaped from the hands of the Confederates. All that we are now told is that Van Dorn has fallen back to Shellyville, and that the means of crossing Duck river have been destroyed by the Federal troops, we presume, although this is left to be inferred.

From the Washington correspondent of the *New York Tribune*, we learn that a difficulty has arisen with the Confederate Government, in relation to the circumstances connected with the paroling of the officers and crew of the Mercedita; which circumstances, we are further told, "are of an unusual character, and indeed without parallel." It is rumored in naval circles that the point in dispute, is in regard to the right of the Confederates to the possession of the Mercedita, which was actually surrendered by Captain Stellwagen to Commodore Ingraham. It is said, but we do not know with what truth, that Capt. Stellwagen believes that the Federal Government is bound in honor to give up the Mercedita, and that finding the Navy Department indisposed to adopt his views, he has tendered his resignation.

The United States Consul at Victoria, Vancouver's Island, notifies the Department at Washington, that attempts are making by the Confederates on the Pacific Coast to purchase vessels for privateering purposes.

General Blanker and Colonels D'Utassy and De Forest are, it is believed, to be tried before a general court-martial, which is to assemble in New York shortly, on charges impeding to them the most despicable conduct.

The United States steamer Quaker City, whilst on her way to New York for repairs, captured the British steamer Douro, with a cargo of four hundred bales of cotton. The Quaker City and her prize both reached New York last evening.

The Confederate steamer Florida was at Barbadoes on the 23th ult., taking in coal and provisions.

HAVANA, Mar. 14.—Among a variety of rumors that are pronounced doubtful, there are two that demand something more than a passing notice. A special telegram from Cairo, to the Cincinnati *Commercial*, states, on the authority of the Memphis *Gazette*, that a battle occurred recently at Yazoo Pass, which resulted in the capture of seven thousand men and eight transports. Another telegram places the alleged engagement on the Yazoo river.—If the affair took place at all, which, we are told, is very questionable, it must have been somewhere in the neighborhood of Yazoo Pass; and the seven thousand prisoners and eight transports captured must have been part of the Federal expedition which was attempting to force its way through Coldwater river into the Tallahatchie, and thence into the Yazoo, with the design of approaching Vicksburg by the rear. Some color of probability is given to this theory, from the fact that such a result was seriously apprehended by the correspondent of the Chicago *Times*, who, in his letter written from on board the expedition, dates it Moon Lake, and dated February 22d, remarked:—

"If we do not take the enemy by surprise—if they shall chance to be fully informed of the nature and extent of our preparations, and shall be fully prepared to meet us, God help us! There will be no escape for any of us. When we advance beyond this rendezvous there is no retreat for us. The pass from here to Coldwater is much narrower and infinitely more tortuous, with a more rapid current than that leading from the Mississippi into the lake. Once through that, we can never get these boats back again through it." The current itself would be a sufficient impediment to our return, did none other exist. Our only chance, then, is to fight out our way through to Vicksburg. The only watchword we can have will be 'fight or die.'"

Still later, we learn by a telegram, dated Fort Hudson, March 6th, that the Confederates were fully apprised of the nature and extent of the Federal movements at Yazoo Pass. Couriers who arrived at Grenada, Mississippi reported that the artificial obstructions had been at that time removed, as far as the Coldwater, but none of the boats had entered that stream up to the Friday evening previous. The telegram then goes on to say—

"It was not known whether any additional boats or troops had arrived, and their force then on the spot was supposed to be all before reported. As the Mississippi has already fallen seven or eight feet at the mouth of the bayou leading from Lake Moon, and the upper rivers are falling rapidly, the old river men express confidence that the enemy's boats will not be able to return to the river without another rise. If so, they and the whole accompanying forces must be robbed up."

Now, it is quite possible that the apprehensions thus fostered in regard to the success of this movement may have given rise to the rumors which were current at Memphis, and that no battle has taken place, and consequently no captures of importance made on either side.

At all events, it is perfectly evident that no safe conclusion can be reached until the arrival of further advices from Memphis. The whole story is a curious one, and if it be without any foundation in truth, merits, and will doubtless receive, an official contradiction.

Another rumor which also comes under the category of "Abolition" is that Forts Donelson and Henry have fallen into the hands of the Confederates.

The third and last, and the least worthy of credence, is that is derived from a North Carolina planter, who, he says, is a member of the Legislature, of that State. He reports, or is said to have reported, the passing, by the Confederates, of two immense armies in Tennessee, one of which is to hold Rosecrans in check, whilst the other flanks him, and, entering Kentucky, marches upon Louisville and Cincinnati.

MEMPHIS, Mar. 7.—The extraordinary rise of the Mississippi river has suspended military operations in that quarter—the back water of the lakes having flooded the whole country for miles around. Public attention will now be turned more eagerly to the expedition which is attempting to reach the rear of Vicksburg from the river Yazoo, via the Coldwater and Tallahatchie rivers. At the last accounts, dated ten days ago, it was reported to be progressing favorably, and hopes were expressed that the boats in advance would reach the Tallahatchie the following day—the 21st inst. As we have heard nothing since, it is probable that either unexpected obstructions have been met with, or that the gunboats have descended the Tallahatchie to its mouth, where they would have to force some strong Confederate defences before entering the Yazoo. It is quite likely that the rumored evacuation of Vicksburg will turn out to be nothing more than the departure of a portion of the Confederate forces encamped there to meet the new movement now making from above.

A Memphis telegram of the 11th instant, received by way of Chicago, states as a rumor that the Federal expedition which entered Yazoo Pass has been reinforced by Quimby's division.

Information has reached General Robertson, who reports the same to the War Department, that the Confederates are evacuating Vicksburg, and are moving their stores and material into the interior. Commodore Porter sends to the Navy Department an extract from the Vicksburg *Whig*, of the 5th instant, in which the destruction of the Indianola is acknowledged, the names which led to it being stated. The imitation Monitor which is said to have so fearfully alarmed the garrison at Vicksburg was, according to Commodore Porter, sunk attempting to pass them.

TUESDAY, March 17.—The Yazoo Pass expedition seems destined to play an important part in the Federal operations against Vicksburg. The Cincinnati *Gazette* and the Chicago *Tribune*, announce, with great positiveness, that the gunboats and transports have successfully descended the Coldwater and Tallahatchie rivers, and after capturing "twenty-six rebel steamers, eighteen of which were destroyed," had arrived above Haines' Bluff, on the Yazoo, and would soon commence an attack on Vicksburg. In apparent confirmation of this story, the Washington *Star* of yesterday, publishes a despatch from Admiral Porter, dated Vicksburg, the 9th inst., in which he states that he had just heard the signal agreed upon between himself and Commander Smith, who is in charge of the Yazoo Pass expedition, and who, if he succeeded in reaching the rear of Vicksburg, was to fire off nine minute guns, and afterwards three guns in quick succession. Assuming the narrative of the progress of the expedition as furnished to the New York *Herald* by its correspondent, who writes from on board one of the vessels comprising the flotilla, to be correct in all the main particulars, a comparison of dates will show, almost conclusively, that Commander Smith could not have reached the vicinity of Haines' Bluff on the 7th, as Admiral Porter inferred. Owing to the tortuous course of the rivers to be traversed, the distance from the entrance of Yazoo Pass to Vicksburg by the newly-opened route is two hundred miles. The expedition left the Mississippi river on the 26th of February, crossed Moon Lake the same day, and was working its way through the Pass at the rate of one mile in three hours and a half until the 1st of March; when, with considerable damage to the boats, it succeeded in emerging into Coldwater river. The obstructions in the latter stream were found almost as difficult to overcome as those of the Pass.—The length of the Coldwater to be traversed, before reaching the Tallahatchie, is certainly not more than thirty miles; yet, after the lapse of five days, the vessels were moving slowly down the former stream, although it was expected that the Tallahatchie would be entered on the following day. This would bring us to the 6th of the month, so that to have reached the lower Yazoo in the neighborhood of Haines' Bluff by the 9th, the remaining four hundred miles of navigation must have been made in but little more than one day.—In this analysis of the facts, or what purports to be facts, as have reached us, we take the statement of the New York *Tribune* as to the length of the route, and that of the correspondent of the New York *Herald* in regard to the date at which it was believed that the expedition would debouch from the Coldwater into the Tallahatchie river. But it is very generally understood that there were yet other obstacles that were certainly not less likely to retard the progress of the expedition than those which had already been surmounted.—At the junction of the Tallahatchie and Yallabusha rivers, it has been heretofore reported that the Confederates had thrown up fortifications to protect the entrance to the Yazoo.—They are also said to have converted some of the steamers on those rivers into rams and iron-clads; whilst below Yazoo City, at Liverpool Landing, fairly five miles above Haines' Bluff, there was, not long since, a raft across the stream protected by a battery. What is more singular still, in view of the publication by the Washington *Star* of Admiral Porter's despatch of the 7th, as stated yesterday, another of his despatches to the Navy Department, dated on the 10th—three days later—in which he reports the destruction of the Indianola, but says nothing concerning the presence of the vessels composing the Yazoo Pass Expedition in the vicinity of Haines' Bluff—From all this, we infer, that nothing official has been received from the officers in command of the military and naval forces above the 5th inst., and that the reported capture of seven thousand Confederates and twenty-six vessels has yet to be confirmed by a more authentic form than that of a telegram to the Chicago *Tribune*, from Vicksburg, under date of the 9th instant—the latest despatch from Admiral Porter of the 10th being strictly silent on the subject.

From Tennessee there comes a report of the presence of twelve thousand Confederates within twenty-eight miles of Fort Donaldson, threatening the capture of that post. The garrison there, is said, however, to be "ready for any emergency."

It is feared at Louisville that another and more formidable invasion of Kentucky, by the Confederates, with a view to the permanent occupation of the State is imminent. In these apprehensions, we are told that "military circles participate."

WASHINGTON, March 18.—It was reported at Charleston, on the 11th instant, that General Burnside had superseded Gen. Hunter in command of the Department of North Carolina and Georgia; that he had already arrived at Hilton Head and assumed command, and that the long contemplated attack upon either Savannah or Charleston would probably be made at "daylight," which would be on the 19th instant—to-morrow.

We have also from Southern sources intelligence from Vicksburg to the 9th instant. On that day a Federal gunboat threw a few shells from the opposite side of the river at the Confederate works. Gen. Grant was moving his batteries higher up the river, probably for the purpose of the portion of Young's Point. Two companies were seen in the canal the day previous, their supposed object being the removal of the Federal troops that were encamped opposite Warrenton. Nothing is said of the Yazoo Pass Expedition.

Information has been received in Mobile of the advance of the Federal fleet up the Tombigbee river to Florence, Alabama.—About two hundred cavalry, they landed, who destroyed everything in their route through Lawrence and Morgan counties, and were supposed to have left Decatur subsequently, in the direction of Algiers.

Baltimore papers, received at Fortress Monroe, state that the U. S. steamer Mississippi, in attempting to pass the batteries, that other vessels of Admiral Farragut's fleet were materially damaged; but that one of the gunboats succeeded in getting up the river. We learn by a later telegram that the naval attack on Port Hudson took place on the 14th inst.; that the Federal fleet was repulsed; the U. S. steamer Mississippi set on fire and destroyed, and that Commodore Farragut went down the river in his flag-ship, which was disabled. The land force did not participate in the attack.

The same papers state that the vessels composing the Yazoo Pass Expedition had attacked the Confederate fortifications on the Tallahatchie, and were beaten off.

The Bayou Teche expedition, from which so much was anticipated, has been abandoned until a more convenient season. The Confederates in that region are reported to have now in those waters what is alarmingly styled "a more terrific affair," in the shape of a gunboat, called the "Cotton No. 1," than was that of "Cotton No. 1," whose loss by fire has already been been chronicled.

The Washington *Star*, under the coarse but expressive heading of "Still robbing them up," announces that on Monday night Major Wells and Captain Bedfield, with three or four of their men, while posting pickets at Herndon Station, near Drainesville, were suddenly pounced upon and captured by White's or Mosby's guerillas.

It was reported at Hilton Head, at the last advices from that post, that the negro troops composing the expedition into Florida and Georgia, which was commanded by General Montgomery and the Rev. Colonel Higginson, had all been captured.

The Kingston (Jamaica) *Standard*, of the 5th inst., contradicts a story which appears to have been current there, to the effect that the Vanderbilt had captured the Alabama. "The reverse," says the *Standard*, "was the case. The Alabama fired a broadside into the Vanderbilt, disabled her, and then proceeded on her course."—The New York *Times* discredits the statement.

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feb 6—tf MARY D. HOLT.

Examiners' Notice.

THE undersigned Examiners, appointed by the Commissioners of Montgomery county to ascertain whether the public convenience requires that a change should be made in the bed of the road, leading from a point near Schnell's Bridge, and intersecting the Washington road just below the farm of William Lee, and also to straighten the road, generally known as the Brown's Bridge road, at a point where it passes through the lands of William John Thomas, hereby notify all concerned, that they will meet on the premises, **on Saturday, the 14th of March next,** at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose above stated.

RICHARD T. BENTLEY,
PHILIP T. STABLER,
EDWARD LEA,
Examiners.

feb 6—td

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

SARAH N. FLETCHALL,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 11th day of November, 1863; otherwise, they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 11th day of November, 1862.

WM. MATTHEWS,
WM. A. CHISWELL,
nov 14—4t. Executors.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has, obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, letters of administration *ad colligendum* of

ANN CARROLL,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 2nd of December, 1863; otherwise, they may by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1862.

JOSIAH HARDING,
Administrator ad colligendum.
dec 12

ESTRAYS.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that Albert Chandler, of said county, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, this 3d day of February, 1863, as strays, trespassing upon his enclosures, Four White SHOATS and Three Black and White Spotted SHOATS, marked with a hole in the right and a crop in the left ear; one white shoat marked with a crop off both ears. Given under my hand. HENRY N. HARRIS, J. P.

The owner of the above described shoats is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

feb 6—3t ALBERT CHANDLER.

ESTRAY.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that Charles Browning, of Montgomery county, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, this 13th day of January, 1863, as a stray, trespassing on his enclosures, a red Spotted BUFFALO BULL, about three years old—no ear marks. Given under my hand. JOSHUA PURDOM, J. P.

The owner of the above described Bull is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

jan 16—4t CHARLES T. BROWNING.

ESTRAY.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—to wit:

I THEREBY CERTIFY that William R. Selby, of Montgomery Co., brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, this 13th day of January, 1863, as a stray, trespassing on his enclosures, a medium sized ROAN MARE, with right hind hoof white, an enlargement on the right fore knee, very thin mane, about 16 or 18 years old. Given under my hand.

D. M. BOUIC, J. P.

The owner of the above described mare is requested, to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

jan 30—3t WILLIAM R. SELBY, Jr.

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William Helmick, Ohio.
Richard Wallach, Mayor Washington.
Thos. Perrie, Cumberland, Md.
Thos. Dorsey, Esq.
dec 26—tf

Committed to Jail.

WAS COMMITTED to the Jail of Montgomery county, on the 3d instant, a NEGRO MAN, who calls himself LEWIS BUTLER. Has is a bright mulatto, 24 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches high, and has a black bushy jump in the small of his back. He says he belongs to John Shaw, of Winchester, Va.

The owner of the above slave is requested to come forward, prove property, pay fees, and take him out of jail; otherwise, he will be discharged according to law.

JOHN T. BAKER, Sheriff
Montgomery county.
jan 6—3t.

[Balt. Sun copy 3 times and ch. Bill.]

Committed to Jail.

WAS committed to the Jail of Montgomery county, on the 26th inst., A MULATTO MAN, who calls himself WILLIAM BRUCE. Bill is a bright mulatto, about 23 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, and had on, when committed, a cap, drab coat and pants, much worn; he says he is free, and resides in Frederick, Md.

The owner of the above described negro, if any, is requested to come forward, prove property, pay fees, and take him out of jail; otherwise, he will be discharged according to law.

JOHN T. BAKER, Sheriff
jan 23—3t of Montgomery county.

Committed to Jail.

WAS committed to the Jail of Montgomery county, on the 20th inst., A NEGRO MAN, who calls himself JIM BUTLER—Jim is a dark mulatto, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, and had on, when committed, a slouch hat and a suit of new coarse dark cloth; he says he is free, and resides in Frederick, Md.

The owner of the above described negro, if any, is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be discharged according to law.

JOHN T. BAKER, Sheriff
jan 22—3t of Montgomery county.

Committed to Jail.

WAS committed to the Jail of Montgomery county, on the 20th inst., A NEGRO MAN, who calls himself THOMAS COOPER. Tom is a dark mulatto, about 22 years of age, 5 feet 10½ inches high, and had on, when committed, a blouch hat and a Federal uniform; he says he is free, and resides in Frederick, Md.

The owner of the above described negro, if any, is requested to come forward, prove property, pay fees, and take him out of jail; otherwise, he will be discharged according to law.

JOHN T. BAKER, Sheriff
jan 22—3t of Montgomery county.

ESTRAY.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that John Day, of Montgomery County, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, this 8th day of January, 1863, as a stray, trespassing on his enclosures, a BOAR COLT, with a star in his forehead—about one year old last spring. Given under my hand.

JOHN OFFUTT, J. P.

The owner of the above described property is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

jan 9—3t JOHN DAY.

ESTRAY.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that James H. Higgins, of Rockville district, Montgomery county, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, this 3d day of January, 1863, as a stray, trespassing on his enclosures, A HEIFER, with red sides, a white head, and white tuck and legs—no ear marks—supposed to be about three years old, and came to his premises about the first of November last. Given under my hand.

JOHN W. HALL, J. P.

The owner of the above described heifer is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

jan 9—3t JAMES H. HIGGINS.

ESTRAYS.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY—to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that James Hicks, of said Montgomery county, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the county aforesaid, on this 23d day of January, 1863, as strays, trespassing on his enclosures, the following described CATTLE—to wit: One Brown COW, white on the back and belly, crop in the left ear, and hind feet white—about ten years old; one very Dark Brown COW, undebb in the left ear, crop off the right, white on the end of her tail; one very Dark Brown COW, a star in her forehead, white belly, white on the end of her tail, about ten years old; one HEIFER, spotted brown and white, no horns, about one and a half years old. Given under my hand.

THOMAS FAWCETT, J. P.

The owner or owners of the above described Cattle are requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take them away.

JAMES HICKS.

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jan 30—3t

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RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living in Clarksburg, Montgomery county, Md., on Saturday, the 27th of September, 1862, NEGRO MAN, PETER DORSEY, said negro is of black complexion; about 5 feet high, strong, hearty looking fellow; about 24 years old. As he eloped, whoever will apprehend and give the above reward if found and secured in jail so that I get him again.

nov 14—tf NAUY. W. THOMPSON.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

THORTON ADAMS,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 14th day of October, 1863; otherwise, they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 14th day of October, 1862.

URIAH H. GRIFFITH,
Administrator.
oct 21—3t

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

ISAAC BAER,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 4th day of January, 1863; otherwise, they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 6th day of January, 1862.

WASHINGTON BAER,
Administrator.
jan 9—3t

MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING.

MRS. J. ARCHBUTLER, respectfully informs the public that she has rented Mrs. Ingle's house, and will carry on the Millinery and Dressmaking business in all its branches. Mrs. A. has just returned from the city with the latest styles, and is determined to please all who may favor her with a call.

All work brought to Mrs. A. will be done in the latest style, and in the most fashionable manner.

Mrs. A. solicits a share of the public patronage.

may 17—3t

MAGISTRATE'S BLANKS,

of every description, for sale at this office.

THE DRAFT IS OVER!

WE would inform the citizens and others of Montgomery county, that we have, at present, a very large and well selected assortment of

SADDLES,
BRIDLES,
RIDING BRIDLES,
GIG HARNESS,
MARTINGALES,
BLIND BRIDLES,
COLLARS
AND WHIPS,

which we will sell to prompt paying customers, ON THREE MONTHS CREDIT, at the very low rates.

Persons wishing anything in our line of business, can leave their orders with Mr. Frederick Ward, Rockville, and they will be promptly attended to.

We will be in Rockville in March Court. At the Christmas Court we will be in Rockville, and if you cannot call at that time, send your order with the money, and we will send the goods immediately