

## THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.

The *Inquirer* has the following from Fort Monroe, derived from rebel sources: In anticipation of the arrival of the great expedition, the rebels have been engaged in erecting batteries upon a point at Hilton's Head, and on the opposite neck of land.

The principal fortification at Hilton's Head was designated Fort Walter, situated on low land and partially concealed by trees and underbrush. Adjoining it were other batteries of smaller size, but so concealed as to prove a formidable bar to the entrance of vessels.

Fort Beaufort was of considerable importance, having been mounted with heavy guns.

The garrisons are supposed to have been South Carolina regiments, assisted by additional regiments sent from Richmond.

The batteries at Bay Point, opposite Hilton's Head, were equally formidable.

Inside of Port Royal entrance, and behind the batteries, lay the fleet of Commodore Tatnall, which consisted of all small vessels, carrying a few heavy guns, but principally light ones.

Tugs constituted a great portion of the fleet. Many of these remained outside of the mouth of the entrance till the arrival of our fleet, when they formed in line of battle in the position already stated behind the guns of their new forts, and across the entrance.

On the morning of Thursday last, the United States fleet, numbering 42 vessels, headed by the flag-ship, approached the mouth of Port Royal entrance. This was at half-past nine o'clock. Several of the transports then arrived off the coast.

The approach of the great fleet created a great stir among the rebel batteries. Upon arriving at a suitable position, the guns of the fleet opened a continuous fire upon Fort Walker and Beaufort, as well as upon those of Bay Point.

Under cover of the fire an attempt was made to run the gauntlet of the batteries, the result of which was eminently satisfactory. A number of the vessels passed through the shot and shell from the shore batteries with very trifling injury. At least fifteen of them succeeded in passing up the entrance beyond the reach of the land batteries.

As the *Union Flag* sailed up, the Mosquito fleet of Commodore Tatnall opened fire, but, seeing the impossibility of making any resistance, soon dispersed, and some were forced to run ashore, while others were driven up the inlets, almost out of sight.

Commodore Tatnall went on shore with his men to assist in working the batteries, and use them against the vessels which were endeavouring to follow the advance of the Union force. It must not be imagined, however, that the passage of the fleet through the channel was the work of a moment. It was not accomplished until the firing had continued from half past four in the morning till nearly five in the evening.

During the firing one of the Union gunboats is believed to have been burned, and the steamers disabled.

It is acknowledged by the enemy that they have twenty killed in Fort Walker, but it is impossible to state what their loss was at the other batteries, although doubtless very great, as our fire is mentioned as having been very effective, the guns being well aimed and of heavy calibre.

No sooner did our vessels go past the batteries at Port Royal entrance, and slide into what is termed Broad River, than they made for the mouths of the inlets leading to Beaufort, Savannah and Charleston. These they immediately blockaded, though not in time to prevent the escape of small rebel vessels.

Not one of the Federal vessels was sunk, and the only one believed to have been destroyed by fire was the gunboat referred to above. The burning of this is described as being a grand spectacle, the guns going off as the flames reached them, throwing the shells far into the woods on shore. The crew are said to have passed through a murderous fire to another vessel, which they reached with very little, if any loss.

The Union vessels acted under special instructions in blockading the inlets, which led to most important points, and which afforded loopholes of escape to the enemy.

While a portion of the fleet entered upon the duty, four ships made at once for Beaufort, and at three o'clock on Thursday three vessels were in sight of the town.

A despatch dated Beaufort 7th, to the *Charleston Mercury*, says at the time designated the Union forces were preparing to effect a landing, evidently with the design of throwing up entrenchments and attacking the town. We have no means of knowing the exact loss of the Union forces, but the rebels confess that their own firing was very bad, and that their artillerymen were badly in want of practice. They declare, moreover, that the guns in the fort were not properly mounted. When Com. Tatnall went to assist the men in the forts he found that many of their cannon were actually dismounted by their own rebound. To this fault the rebel journals attribute their defeat, and loudly call upon the Confederate Government to find out where the blame rests.

A telegraph despatch which left Richmond on Saturday last stated that there was nothing particularly important from the Southern coast. It is said the rebel Government has prohibited any further information from coming north of Richmond. This course implies that they have suffered a heavy defeat.

The *Charleston Mercury* of the 8th inst. says: "If the invaders can take Charleston with 25,000 men, let them have it, as we would be unworthy to possess it, and it will be a fit memorial, laid in ashes, of our Southern unbecility."

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.

The rebel ship *Bermuda* ran the blockade, off Savannah, on the night of Nov. 2nd, being towed out by the steamer *Huntress*. She is loaded with 200 bales of cotton for Liverpool.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 11.

Captain Dowell, of the 20th Indiana regiment, which returned to Fortress Monroe from Hatteras, says that he found it almost impossible to remain longer on that narrow neck of land, on account of the loss of camp equipment and stores. Although the men have suffered severe privations, the number on the sick list is very small. All are now comfortably quartered near Fortress Monroe.

Capt. Dowell brings intelligence of the loss of the French man-of-war *Cantalbria* near Beaufort. She was of about 3,500 tons, and after vainly endeavouring to ride the gale got aground upon a shifting sand bar. Notwithstanding the incessant exertions of the officers and crew, she had to be abandoned, and all hands, including the officers, soldiers and seamen, were compelled to find shelter on shore as best they could. The vessel was afterwards boarded by a detachment, by order of the commanding officer, and blown up. The reason of this proceeding was not known. It was impossible for the wreckers to reach the vessel.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 11.

This morning at ten o'clock Col. Anthony, with 150 mounted men, was attacked on an open prairie, about ten miles from here, by 600 rebels, under command of Union Hays, and after a severe struggle the rebels retreated, seeking shelter in the woods, from which they were again routed. Col. Anthony then fell back about six miles to await reinforcements, which will speedily be forwarded to him. This is supposed to be the same band of rebels that captured part of Captain Shields' company of Fremont Hussars near Little Santa Fe. It is said there are 1,000 armed secessionists in this country.

Fire.—On Thursday morning last the Saw Mills belonging to Mr. Wm. Craddock, near Richmond Hill Station, was totally destroyed by fire. When first discovered the flames were confined to an upper story, and from the fact of there having been no fire or light used in that portion of the premises for some time, there is little doubt that the cause may be attributed to the act of an incendiary. The property was not insured, and Mr. Craddock's loss may be estimated at little short of \$1,000.

The Confederates claim that at the late Leesburg battle they took 720 prisoners, four cannon, 1,600 muskets, and a considerable quantity of clothing. They had 1,500 men in the field, and lost 150 in killed and wounded.

BIRTH.

At Thornhill, on Tuesday, the 15th inst., the wife of Mr. Thomas Ratcliffe, Cooper, of a son.

TORONTO MARKETS.

THURSDAY, November 14.

Flour.—Superfine sold at \$4.75, @ \$4.80; Fancy \$4.50 @ \$4.60; Extra \$5.00 @ \$5.10; Double Extra, \$5.75 @ \$5.85.

Butter.—Fresh is in fair supply at from 17c @ 18c per lb.

All Wheat.—300 bushels was the extent of the supply which sold at the following prices: The prices paid for the best samples were from \$1.07 @ \$0.95 per bushel.

Spring Wheat.—1,300 bushels in market, which sold at from \$0.85 @ \$0.90 per bushel.

Barley.—sold at from 43 @ 46c.

Peas.—2700 bushels went off at 43 @ 45c per bushel.

Oats.—at 35 @ 37c per bushel.

Hay.—from \$12 @ \$16 per ton. Straw \$8 @ \$9 per ton.

Apples.—Common varieties \$1.50 @ \$2.50 per barrel.

Eggs.—Fresh from wagons 15c @ 16c per doz. Poultry.—Varied in price from 55 @ 60c.

Beef.—\$4 @ 4.50 per 100 lb. Calves \$3 @ \$4.50 each. Lambs \$2 @ \$3. Sheep \$3 @ \$4.50 each.

Tallow, \$6 per 100 lb.

Timothy Seed—\$2.80 @ \$3 per bushel. Clover Seed—\$4.75 per bushel.

To Consumptives.

The Advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

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Advertisements.

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THE Subscriber offers for sale by private bargain,

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Situated on Richmond Street, Richmond Hill: one contains half an acre of Land with a good Frame Dwelling House; the other is a Corner Lot, fronting on Richmond and Centre Streets, containing half an acre.

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THOMAS BANKS, Richmond Hill, Nov. 13, 1861. 155-1f.

LOST.

ON Monday night, the 4th inst., on the road between the Saw Mill and Millerton, a note, Mr. Patterson's farm, Yonge-street, Richmond Hill.

An Old Leather Pocket Book! With two pockets in it, containing several account cheques for Lumber, and other Papers; also two dollars in money. Any person returning the same to the subscriber will be suitably rewarded.

THOMAS SMITH, SENR. Richmond Hill, Nov. 14, 1861. 155-3f.

STRAYED.

CAME into the enclosure of the Subscriber, lot No 35, in the 3rd concession of the township of York, east of Yonge Street, on or about the 1st day of September last

A White Heifer, 3 years old, having a red neck. The Owner is requested to come forward prove property, pay charges and take her away.

JOHN DUNCAN, East York, Nov. 15, 1861. 155-3f.

## To Sell or Exchange,

A BAY PONY, 7 years old, good either in Single or Double Harness, with BUGGY and HARNESS; either separately or together. Or the same will be exchanged for either Cattle, Sheep or Pigs.

For further particulars apply at the office of this paper.

Richmond Hill, November 15, 1861. 155-1f

## SALES OF PUBLIC LANDS.

CROWN LANDS DEPARTMENT, Quebec, 16th August, 1861.

DURING the months of OCTOBER and NOVEMBER of the present year, Sales will be held of the located and vacant ungranted Crown Lands, and of certain Crown and Clergy Lands which are liable to redemption for default of payment, in the Counties of LANARK, CAKLETON, LERDS, GREENWICH, NORTHAMPTON, DUNHAM, PERTHSHIRE, VICTORIA, SIMCOE, YORK, ERIE and ONTARIO.

Lists of the Lands to be offered for sale will shortly be placed in the hands of the Local Agents for the respective Counties for distribution.

(Signed,) P. M. VANKOUGHNET, Commissioner.

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ALEX. HENDERSON (LATE FROM ENGLAND.) PRACTICAL CLOCK & WATCHMAKER, JEWELLER, &c.

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DOLMAGE HAS just received the latest American Style of

Medium Stub Boots! And is the only person that makes them in this locality.

Richmond Hill, Nov. 7, 1861. 154-1f

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A STAGE leaves this Hotel every morning for Toronto, at 7 a.m.; returning, leaves Toronto at half past 3.

Good Stabling and a careful Hostler in waiting. Richmond Hill, Nov. 7, 1861. 145-1f.

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WANTED, A SCHOOL TEACHER holding a Second Class Certificate for Union School Section No. 21, Vaughan and Markham, from the 1st day of January next.

All applications to be made, if by letter post-paid, on or before the 1st December, to

J. D. NEWBERRY, Secretary to the Board of Trustees, Richmond Hill, Nov. 7, 1861. 145-3f.

WINTER BOOTS! DOLMAGE'S, Richmond Hill, Nov. 7, 1861. 154-1f

LAW NOTICE.

Next Markham Division Courts

MR. DURAND, Barrister, of Toronto, will attend at the Sittings of the Courts on the 19th at RICHMOND HILL, and 20th at MARKHAM VILLAGE, when and where he will be happy to attend to any business of a professional nature for his friends.

On Special matters write by post to Toronto. Toronto, Nov. 7, 1861. 154-2

A LOT OF PREMIUM PEGS, at TORONTO PRICES, at DOLMAGE'S, Richmond Hill, Nov. 7, 1861. 154-1f

Letters Remaining in RICHMOND HILL Post Office NOVEMBER 1-1861.

Brasell, Thomas; Deard, J.; Bickerton, Fred; Craig, John; McDermott, James; Doyle, Margaret; Doyle, Thos.; Ever, D. & K.; Eyer, John; Foster, A. K.; Grant, George (2); Granger, Henry; Herriot, J.; Hurley, Mr.; Heslop, John (2); Herbert, Denis; Hay John; Jamieson, Mr.

Lundr, William; McBride, Mr.; McMillan, Hugh; Bickerton, Fred; McDermott, James; Oyer, Jacob; P. H. J.; Patton, Hugh (2); Page, John; Pritchard, Thomas; Ritchie, John; Ross, Mark; Ratcliffe, Elizabeth; Thomas, Mr.; Taylor, Rev. Lucille (6); Usher, William; Young, Mrs. Augusta

M. TEEFY, P.M.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, JANE COPPIN SCOTT, my wife, left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation whatever, I hereby forbid any person or persons harbouring or giving her credit, as I will not hold myself responsible for any debts contracted by her in my name.

WILLIAM SCOTT, Aurora, November 6, 1861. 154-3

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WANTED!!

THE Subscriber having in contemplation the erection of DWELLING HOUSE, will receive Tenders for the same up to Monday, the 2nd December next. He does not bind himself to accept the lowest offer, unless otherwise satisfactory. Plans and Specifications may be seen at any residence, Lot No 22, 2nd Con. Markham, up to the day above named.

NICHOLAS LYNNETT, Markham, Oct. 31, 1861. 153-4

DR. F. DELLENBAUGH, THE OLD AND ORIGINAL GERMAN PHYSICIAN OF BUFFALO N.Y.

WILL be in the following places in the month of November, 1861:—Toronto—Revere House, November 23rd and 25th. Maple Village—Noble's Hotel, the 26th, Where he can be consulted on all forms of Languishing Diseases.

Richmond Hill, Oct. 31, 1861. 153-2f.

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Teas of such brand from the finest land, Colled amidst rose-scented zephyrs bland; Gunpowder, Hyson, the rich Pekon, The best of Green and the fam' Dolea.

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Cocoa, Chocolate, Raisins and Spice, Vinegar, Pickles, Crackers and Rice; Soap of the *ne plus ultra* brand, The equal of which can't be found in the land;

Curries and Pickles that can't fail to please— The sweetest of Butter, the finest of Cheese; And then the Tobacco—but enough of details, To satisfy customers Crawford never fails:

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Richmond Hill, Oct. 4, 1861. 149-3mo.

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