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Sales at Auction To-Day.

By E. T. Montgomery, at 10½ o'clock, at store No. 8 Front Levee street, dock, cash and endorsed at 11 o'clock, No. 98 Camp street, navy bread; also, at 11 o'clock, at No. 67 Camp street, navy bread; also, at the same hour and same place, drugs, medicines and sundries.

By E. H. Jacks, at 9 o'clock, on Royal street, between Dumaine and St. Ann, thirteen establishment.

By McCarren & Landry, at 11 o'clock, at their auction room, furniture.

Those in want of furniture, please or a moving machine may ask themselves by attending the sale of McCarren & Landry, to-day, at 11 o'clock.

R. T. Montgomery will sell this day, 16th inst., at half past 10 o'clock, at No. 8 Front Levee street, corn, cash and endorsed; at 11 o'clock, at store No. 98 Camp street, navy bread; also, at 11 o'clock, at the old auction room, No. 67 Camp street, furniture and flour.

The *National Advocate* published the following in its second edition of yesterday:

Southern News.

The Battles of Corinth.—Terrible Slaughter on Both Sides.—The Loss 20,000 on Each Side.—Partial Loss of Officers Killed and Wounded.

[From the Memphis (Gunnels) Appeal, October 7.]

Abstract, October 7.—A special to the *Advertiser and Register*, dated Tupelo, October 7, M., says:

The battle at Corinth was very bloody. Our forces gained repeated successes on Friday and Saturday, occupying a portion of the enemy's breast works, and also gaining the town. The enemy held out stubbornly on his left, until reinforcements arrived, when, on a sudden, they fell upon Van Dorn with overwhelming force, forcing us to relinquish our position and retire.

The fight continued almost uninterruptedly during Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and the slaughter on both sides is described as unparalleled.

One of our Generals writes: "Many's division, composed of Polpher's, Cabell's, and perhaps Moore's brigades, has not more than four hundred and fifty left."

Gen Martin, of the Fourth Brigade, chiefly Mississippians, was killed; also Col. Rogers, of Texas, and Col. Wirt. Adams, of Mississippi. Gen Moore is reported killed, and Gen. Cabell injured by a fall from his horse.

Ten thousand from Pocahontas, from Bolivar, harassed Maury's division, which was in advance in the retrograde movement.

The army is represented to be in the vicinity of Ripley, and parched roads.

It is rumored that but one General was among the casualties on the 4th, which is one to thirteen.

No officers have yet arrived here, save any of the wounded.

ADDITIONAL FROM CORINTH.

Mobile, October 8.—Special to the *Advertiser and Register*, dated Tupelo, *October 7th*, says: Having driven in the enemy's skirmishers, the combined forces of Van Dorn and Price attacked them in their entrenchments at 9 A. M. on Friday, driving them and capturing a number of artillery. They continued slowly driving them back until nightfall.

Our loss was heavy during the day—Phipher's and Cresco's brigades suffering most. General Martin was killed; Colonels McFarland, Liberdand Moore were seriously wounded.

At 4 o'clock on Saturday morning the enemy opened with heavy artillery, which was replied to, but small loss. At 8 o'clock we advanced, capturing several siege guns, Gresco's brigade again suffering heavily, being the first to enter the town.

Cabell's brigade charged the fort on College hill. The enemy reserved their fire until the brigade was within forty yards, when they opened a murderous fire, repulsing them with great loss.

Information was received that the enemy at Bolivar, 20,000 strong, was marching via Pennhouse, on our rear, and a retreat was ordered at 10 A. M., which effected, being somewhat disorderly, but bringing off part of the captured artillery and our wounded and baggage.

We fell back ten miles to Oppyne creek.

At 8 o'clock Sunday morning, Van Dorn commenced shelling with the Kanhee Mahwar force as Pocahontas, and fell back one mile, when he was reinforced by Whitfield's force and a section of artillery, and stopped—Lovey's division, which was also reinforced, but the whole of this force proved insufficient, and we were driven back—the enemy keeping their bridge and trapping Moore's brigade and four pieces of artillery.

Van Dorn and Villipigue coming up, reoptured Moore's brigade with a brigade of the enemy and thirteen pieces of artillery.

The enemy was driven back to Hatchenora, and our army pondered the retreat toward Ripley, over the ford our baggage train had passed.

Our loss in all the engagements is estimated at five thousand, the enemy's much heavier. The loss at Pemberton was equal to that at Corinth. Our loss may be over-estimated, as stragglers were numbered by the thousand, and the returns not very orderly. We captured three hundred and fifty prisoners at Corinth, the wire brought off. The enemy made no attempt to follow us from Corinth, nor the Bolivar force after their defeat at Davis's bridge.

Van Dorn was conspicuous for daring, and Price, as usual, felt at home in the hottest shower, each sweeping ambert.

Price's command were the first in the intrenchments. Maury's division suffered the heaviest loss. Gen. Cabell's sustained a severe loss, and acted most gallantly.

The enemy fought determinedly and manoeuvered splendidly. Rosecrans commanded.

Our army is buoyant, and our troops are entertained of being followed by the rabid Yankees. We will be quickly organized and ready for another combat.

The killing of Cols. Rogers and Adams, and Gen. Moore is contradicted.

Lieutenant Farrington, of Captain Wade's battery, of St. Louis, is among the killed. He went in the best of health, doing a soldier's duty.

LOSSES AT CORINTH.

Mr. Dill sends us from Holly Springs the following list of casualties, reported in that city as having occurred at Corinth:

Killed—Col. Wirt Adams, of Mississippi; Major Joseph P. Vaughn, Sixth Missouri; Lieut.-Col. Maupin, First Missouri Cavalry; Captains Taylor, McKinney and Kelley, and Lieuts Gibbs, Blewett, Franklin, Cook and Murphy, of the Sixth Missouri.

Wounded—Col. Moore, Forty-third Mississippi; Lt. Col. McFarlane, Fourth Missouri; Col. Eugene Erwin and Lieut.-Col. Hedgepeath, Sixth Missouri; Col. Pritchard, Second Missouri; Lieut.-Col. Terrell, Seventh Mississippi Battalion.

The Sixth Missouri also suffered heavy additional losses, as will be seen by the following list:

Company Officers Wounded—Sergts. Cooper, Parsons, Woodsmer, Deacon, Wolfersperger, Hickey, and Lieuts. Pines, Donnelly, Parish, Hergesomely) Cooper, Goley, Glenmeore, Hollinshaw, Sloan, Dudley and Lyle.

Of the casualties in the same regiment among the non commissioned officers, the following are reported:

Killed—Sergeant Terrell, Company A; Corporal Wood, Company C; Corporal Case, Company E, and Sergeants Waldmeier and Browning, Company F.

Wounded—Sergeants Irwin and Payne, and Corporal Nichols, Company A; Sergeants Fricker and Hickman, and Corporal Quigg, Company B; Sergeant Tyler and Corporal Erwin Company C; Sergeants Franklin and Patterson, Company E; Sergeant Howard and Elliott, Company F; Sergeant Pumple and Corporal Herndon, Company G; Sergeant Hughes, Company H; and Sergeant Mann and Corporal Semmenal, Company K.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Richmond, October 7.—In the Senate, the House bill to provide means for the army was passed. Also, the House bill to establish places of rendezvous in each Congressional District, for the examination by surgeons of conscripts.

The resolution of Mr. Semmes was adopted by a discussion on Commissioners, appointed to report from the consideration of the bill to establish correction or retaliation against the Confederate States, and to extend the provisions of the organization not to all persons within the Confederate Government. The former was indefinitely postponed, and the other laid on the table.

In the House, the Senate bill was passed authorizing the President to receive into service certain regiments and battalions heretofore raised.

Mr. Boodinot, Delegate from the Cherokee Nation, was admitted to a seat within the House.

A bill authorizing the suppression of the writ *habeas corpus* was discussed until adjournment.

THE BATTLE OF CORINTH.

[From the Memphis Appeal.]

We are again compelled to go to press without any definite information of the events of Corinth. In addition to what appears in our telegraph columns, we have only rumors brought from Holly Springs, by passengers who arrived on the last train. These are, however, much more favorable than previous advices from the same direction had led us to anticipate, and only place our entire loss at killed, wounded and prisoners, at between four and five thousand.

CENTRAL AFRICA.—Undeterred by the fate of Park, Laing, and other travelers, the renowned lion-killer, M. Jules Gerard [in, we hear, preparing an expedition into Central Africa. The object of the explorer will be to find a favorable place to establish an independent settlement for wearied Roman Lions and the sources of the Niger, for the purpose of promoting the better culture and extending the relations between Europe and Africa. The engineer also contemplates an attempt to reach Abyssinia from Timbuctoo. For this purpose they will start from the Adriatic coast in a yacht furnished by Mermand and Messrs. Lemon in the next October, and in the first instance will make for Tunis, and thence through Sego and Jennah will push on to Timbuctoo.

From the South.

Battle and Rout of the Rebel Army of the Mississippi.

Retreat of the Confederates.

Gen. Rosecrans Commanding.

Gen. Hamilton Killed.

Gen. Moore Wounded.

Gen. Price Killed.

Gen. Martin Killed.

Gen. Van Dorn Wounded.

Gen. Lovell Wounded.

Gen. Villipigue Wounded.

Gen. Maury Wounded.

Gen. Cabell Wounded.

Gen. Rogers Killed.

Gen. Adams Killed.

Gen. Green Killed.

Gen. Phelps Wounded.

Gen. Hackleman Killed.

Gen. Oglesby Wounded.

Gen. Stanley Wounded.

Gen. Hamilton Killed.

Gen. Lee