

RUTLAND HERALD.

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Arrival and Departure of Trains

TRAINS LEAVE RUTLAND. For Bellows Falls, 12:35 & 14:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., & 10:15 p.m.

Special European Correspondence of the Herald.

Waifs from Abroad—No. 6.

BAD HOMBURG, Aug. 11th, 1867.

Editors Rutland Herald:—One difficulty of a connected account of foreign travel and associations, is the constantly changing of your surroundings.

Did I mention the peculiar farm wagons? The roads are many times upon the top of the dykes, or canal paths, and consequently too narrow for the use of shafts or pole to the wagons in turning around.

A visit to Brock, six miles from Amsterdam, is one of the necessary sights and excursions from the latter city. Our commissionaire from the Hotel des Pays-Bas, gave us the opportunity of going through one of the largest farming establishments, between Amsterdam and Brock.

The whole of Holland, (when available), is a picture of agricultural success, in crops, the products of the dairy, and the unlimited quantity of neat stock, which are sold to almost every adjoining country, but the more especially, are a principal source of supply to the English markets.

But the religious observance of cleanliness, obviates this. The trenches are constantly washed out by water running through them.

The temperature of the enclosure was oppressively hot. And we should think it inhuman as well as materially injurious to subject our young stock to a similar absence of fresh air and comfort.

The very great attention paid to the preservation of manure not only in Holland but all over the continent of Europe, attracts the attention of every interested person, in the development and progress of agriculture.

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Washington Items.

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For the week ending September 10, 250 patents will be issued. During the past week over 500 applications and 90 caveats have been filed.

Fred Douglass for chief of the freedmen's bureau, and Col. Parker, an Indian, for head of the Indian bureau, is one of the recent guesses.

Gen. Grant has ordered the discharge of half of the clerks in the paymaster general's office. Quite a number of male and female clerks in the treasury department have notice to quit.

George A. Trenholm, ex-rebel secretary of the navy, has had an interview with Gen. Grant relative to the military custody of certain property belonging to the farm of Frazer, Trenholm & Co.

The meeting at Columbus, Ga., Saturday, was conservative, and went for the enfranchisement of all whites, and for the right of negroes to hold office—the latter to both the white radicals, who want the offices themselves.

It is reported that the forthcoming amnesty proclamation will grant full pardons to all classes of rebels, with full restoration to civil rights not taken away by Congress, excepting pirates and those who cruelly treated Union prisoners.

Louisiana politicians assert that the President will revoke Gen. Grant's order prohibiting the appointment of officials heretofore removed, as it will interfere with the restoration of Gov. Wells.

It has been agreed in cabinet meeting that the correspondence between Grant and Sickles, as to the supreme court business, shall be published. There is a report that Gen. Sickles acted under Gen. Grant's orders throughout, but this is not to be credited without good evidence.

The Indian War.

OMAHA, NEBRASKA, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1867.

Major-Gen. Augur, attended by his staff, left for the West this morning to superintend personally the operations against the Indians. Before he departed he caused the following order to be issued.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE PLATE, OMAHA, AUG. 27, 1867. GENERAL ORDERS No. 39.—The General commanding takes pleasure in announcing to his command the following decided successes on the part of troops serving in this Department against greatly superior numbers of hostile Indians.

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On the 24th August Brevet Major James Powell, Captain Twenty-Seventh United States Infantry, with twenty-five men of his company and five citizens, employed in getting wood five miles from Fort Philip Kearney, found themselves cut off from the fort by a heavy force of Indians, estimated by cool heads to be two thousand.

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Capt. Purdie coolly held his fire until within proper distance, when he quickly charged and dispersed them, following them in a running fight for ten miles, killing fifteen certain, and it is believed more; wounding a great many, and capturing two prisoners, thirty-one horses and mules, and a large number of blankets, saddles and other property.

Our only loss was one horse killed and five wounded. Capt. Murie, Lieut. Davies and their brave Pawnees are entitled to great credit for their decided success.

The General commanding regrets that the commanders in these several affairs have not given the names of the enlisted men who most distinguished themselves that they might be recorded in this order. It is not too late to remedy this apparent injustice, and the commanders concerned will, on receipt of this order, report the desired names to these headquarters.

Hereafter, in all reports of engagements, the names of enlisted men distinguishing themselves will be embraced in the report.

By command of Brevet Major-Gen. AUGUR, H. G. RITCHIE, Brevet Lieut. Col., A. A. G.

The Election.

The annual freemen's meeting held in Rutland yesterday was unusually quiet and orderly, and resulted in a most decided and glorious victory for the entire Republican ticket, and notwithstanding the herculean efforts put forth by Democrats and disaffected Republicans, in which no stone was left unturned to bring their combined forces to bear against us, the result is one which sends a thrill of gladness to the heart of every honest Republican in the community, and one in which we may all rejoice.

The contest for Town Representative was the warmest, as it always is here, and though coaxing, appeals to sympathy, and intimidation were resorted to by our opponents, Col. Redfield Proctor, the regular Republican nominee, was triumphantly elected by a majority of 22 over all opponents on the first ballot. The vote stood as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Redfield Proctor, 582; John Cain, 264; John W. Cramton, 271; J. M. Hall, 23; Geo. A. Merrill, 1; Leeds Billings, 1; Total vote, 1,142.

At the announcement of this result, loud and repeated cheers for the successful candidate went up from many hundred Republican throats, and amid repeated calls, the Colonel took the stand and made the following brief and appropriate speech:

Fellow Citizens:—I thank you for the honor conferred upon me, and fully appreciate the importance of the position to which I have been elected,—to represent the most important and richest town in the State,—and will do all in my power to promote her interests.

The vote on the State ticket, though lighter than last year, gives John B. Page, for Governor, a majority of 311, or 85 greater than Dillingham's majority of last year, a fact which is in itself conclusive that the lying roorbacks launched forth against him by the copperhead Courier have had little effect upon the votes of his townsmen, and a result which must grate hard on the ears of the party who procured five hundred Republican State ballots, with the name of John W. Stewart inscribed upon it for Governor, and who, by misrepresentation, succeeded in inducing four voters, aside from himself, to vote his ticket.

The vote on the respective tickets today, is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Ticket Name and Total Votes. Republican Ticket: John B. Page (700), Stephen Thomas (708), John A. Page (708), Ira C. Allen (701), Capen Leonard (702), John Prout (700), Daniel Crofoot (703), John Crowley (703), Ebenezer Fisher (699), William M. Field (690), Ner P. Simons (698), Walter C. Duntan (698). Democratic Ticket: John L. Edwards (389), Waldo Brigham (390), James H. Williams (390), S. W. Adams (390), J. Q. Hawkins (390), T. J. Ketchum (390), Isaac McDaniels (389), J. M. Ketchum (390), N. S. Stearns (387), Caleb Buffum (390), J. C. McCollum (389), R. R. Drake (390).

received 5, H. H. Baxter 3, and A. P. Hunton 1.

The vote given for the successful Justices of the Peace is as follows, Messrs. Randall, Owen and Henry H. Smith having been nominated by all parties. The average vote on the opposition ticket was 500:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. J. J. Randall, 1,094; Warren H. Smith, 615; Porter Howe, 586; Robert B. Barney, 584; Joseph E. Manley, 586; William H. B. Owen, 1,087; Horace H. Dyer, 585; Chaucey K. Williams, 583; David B. Humphrey, 585; Joseph L. Patch, 586; John B. Proctor, 572; E. P. Gilson, 584; Sylvester Jones, 586; Newman Weeks, 581; Henry H. Smith, 1,050.

Look at This!

The following statement exhibits the relative strength of the Republican and Democratic parties of Rutland, as indicated by the vote for town representative in 1866 and 1867, respectively:

Table with 2 columns: Party and Votes. Republican Vote in 1866: John Prout, rep., 809; John Cain, dem., 615. Republican Vote in 1867: Redfield Proctor, rep., 588; J. W. Cramton, ind. rep., 271. Combined rep. vote for rep., 853; John Cain, dem., 264. Rep. majority in 1866, 194; in 1867, 589.

This is the net result of John Cain's efforts for the last six months to break up the Republican party in Rutland, and to build up his own. If he keeps on in this way it will need a pretty powerful microscope to discover a grease spot of his party another year.

BASE BALL MATCH YESTERDAY.—Quite an exciting base ball match took place in this place yesterday afternoon, on the grounds of the Unknown Club, between the first nine of that club and the first nine of the Active Club of West Castleton. Our boys came out victorious by a score of two to one, as will be seen by the following summary:

Table with 4 columns: Name, O. R., Active, O. R. Bryant, C. 0; Parker, C. 3; Fuller, P. 3; Billings, F. 3; Dwyer, F. 3; Downing, 2; Valquette, C. F. 3; Williams, S. 3; Davis, J. B. 3; Eaton, P. 3; McKeand, S. 3; Jones, L. F. 3; Billings, J. B. 4; Seward, L. B. 3; Fish, J. F. 3; Burke, J. W. 3; Sheldon, J. B. 3; Hogan, C. F. 3. Total runs: 27-48.

WORKING OXEN.—\$300.00. HANDY STEERS.—\$175.00, or according to their value for beef. COWS AND YOUNG CALVES.—fair quality \$50.00, extra 150.00, farrow and dry 40.00.

WE give below such returns as have come to hand. Following the names of the towns are the names of the representatives elected. Those that are Democratic are indicated by the letter D:

Table with 2 columns: Town Name and Representative Name. Addison County: Addison, L. Clark; Middlebury, John W. Stewart; New Haven, W. Bullard; Vergennes, B. F. Goss; Leicester, G. O. Swinington; Salisbury, Wm. Deming. Bennington: Bennington, H. S. Hart; Arlington, H. W. Park; Manchester, A. L. Miner; Rupert, E. P. Sheldon. Caledonia: St. Johnsbury, J. Ross; Lyndon, S. S. Thompson. Chittenden County: Bolton, E. R. Morse; Charlotte, James Spier; Hinesburg, J. W. Miles; Williston, A. C. Welsh; Burlington, F. M. VanSickler; Colchester, T. M. McCreighton; Milton, W. H. Wood; South Burlington, S. R. Isham; Shelburne, R. T. White. Franklin County: St. Albans, E. F. Perkins. Orange County: Randolph, Jon B. Mead; Bradford, Barron Hay. Orleans County: Barton, M. Joslyn; Newport, W. D. Crane; Derby, E. Lane. Rutland County: Brandon, Stephen Goodell; Castleton, John Howe; Fairhaven, H. G. Wood; Pittsford, Asa Nourse; Poutney, Barnes Frieble; Mendon, H. Wilkins; Rutland, F. Proctor; Danby, Chas. Reed; Mt. Tabor, F. C. Thompson. Windsor County: Springfield, F. P. Ball; Bernard, G. H. Atwood; Bridgewater, H. D. Rodman; Pomfret, Crosby Miller; Cavendish, A. F. Fletcher; Lodi, J. Pelton; Hartford, J. C. Porter; Windsor, J. A. Pollard; Woodstock, J. Converse. Windham County: Brattleboro, S. N. Herrick; Rockingham, H. W. Johnson. LITTLE'S LIVING AGE.—This Magazine for Aug. 31, is received. The contents are as follows: Massimo d'Azeglio; Old Sir Douglas, Part 15; Who Invented Sewing Machines? Life at Thebes; Blind People, their works and ways; France; Rumors of War; The last Defeat of Rome; Orator to Pacific Alumni; The Penns and Penningtons; The Present Influence of Foreign Affairs on the Money Market.

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball played at Middleton on Saturday last, between the Adelpia club of that place, and the Excelsior club of West Rutland, resulted in a victory for the West Rutlanders, the score standing 40 for them to 37 for the Adelpia.

LABOR FISH.—Messrs. Richardson & Bovat caught a muscalonge on the evening of the 29th ult., just below the bridge in Highgate, which measured four feet one inch long and twenty-one inches round, and weighing in the scales 3 pounds.

THE PRIZE BAT.—A MATCH TO-DAY.—It will be remembered that some time since the Alert Base Ball Club of Poutney, by superior playing, succeeded in wresting from the Unknown Club of this village, the prize bat of the First Congressional District. Now our boys are determined to make an effort to regain possession of it, and accordingly another match game for its possession will take place between these clubs on the grounds of the Alerts, in Poutney, this afternoon.

Rutland Retail Prices Current.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. BUTTER—Per pound, 20¢; CHEESE—New York per pound, 18¢; EGGS—Per dozen, 25¢; POTATOES—(new) per bushel, 80¢; LARD—Per pound, 12¢; HAMS—Per pound, sugar cured, 15¢; SWEETENED—Per pound, 12¢; BEEF—Per pound, best cuts, 10¢; PORK—Fresh, per pound, 10¢; MUTTON—Per pound, 10¢; VEAL—Per pound, as to quality, 10¢; CODFISH—George's, per pound, 7¢; MACKEREL—Per pound, 10¢; SALMON—Per pound, 10¢; HADDOCK—Per pound, 10¢; SUGAR—Muscovado, per pound, 12¢; TEA—Per pound, 90¢; COFFEE—Extra ground, 100¢; FLOUR—Per bbl., Spring wheat, \$12.50; MEAL—Per 100 lbs., 1.50; KEROSENE OIL—Per gallon, 60¢; CEMENT—Per barrel, \$1.50; T. I. SALT—Per bushel, 85¢; DRIED APPLES—Per bushel, 12¢; MEAT PORK—Home, per bushel, \$2.00; PEAS—Per bushel, \$2.00; BEANS—Per bushel, \$2.00; CORN—Per bushel, \$1.50; HAY—Per ton, \$12.00.

BOSTON LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Brighton, Cambridge and Medford. For the week ending, Sept. 4, 1867. Reported for the Rutland Herald.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. CATTLE, SHEEP, HOGS, Fat Hogs, Veal. This week, 2,082 100 lbs. 300 1.50 75; Last week, 3,391 15,748 400 2.30 75; One year ago, 3,005 11,809 500 2.50 75.

With a decrease of thirteen hundred in the numbers of cattle as compared with last week, and of 5,700 sheep and lambs, and most favorable weather, there is a marked change in the tone of the market, and a slight improvement in price, including fifty two broad horned cattle from Texas via Chicago. There were 600 landed at Cambridge and Medford. Thirty four of the Texans were sold by Mr. Balch for 11c. Mr. Batchelder also sold a car load of Northern cows at an average of about ten cents per pound on his estimate of dressed weight. Lambert Hastings sold one extra cow for 12c. on 12 cwt., and his mate, about 10 cwt. for 12 cents, per pound, and his cows from 10 to 11 1/2 cents, some of which were very good, and his Steers from 11 1/2 to 12 cents per pound.

THE PHOTOGRAPH BUSINESS.

WILL CONTINUE AS USUAL. CLARK'S BLOCK, under the supervision of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS JAS. O. MERRILL, notwithstanding the withdrawal that was noticed in yesterday's Herald over the name of P. MOWAT. All Spectacles are invited to call and be assured of the accuracy of the pictures. ARE STILL PUT UP IN EVERY VARIETY OF STYLE, TO PLEASE CUSTOMERS. JAS. O. MERRILL.