THE DAILY BEE
DEVOTED DAILY (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED) AT
No. 73 Chartres street,
NEW ORLEANS:
MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 3.

THE HANDEL.—At Grunewald's Music store on Canal street, may be seen some beautiful and spirited photographic illustrations of the extraordinary gymnastic feats of the six Hanlon brothers who are engaged to appear shortly at the Academy of Music. These pictures are superbly framed and bordered, and, constitute in some sort an artistic show in themselves. They will remain but a little time longer at the place mentioned.

Mr. Geo. A. Williams, Clerk of the Grey Eagle, has obliged us with papers from Vicksburgh, Natchez and Plaquemine to the 1st.

We are indebted to the polite officers of the Ben Stickney for valued newspaper attentions.

Messrs. Blalock & Co., 130 Canal street, have favored us with the latest New York dailies.

Later and Additional via the River

ARRIVAL OF THE BEN STICKNEY

Cairo and St. Louis Papers of the 28th

By the steamer Ben Stickney, Capt. Aiken, we have Western files of the 28th and Cairo dates of the morning of the 29th, with Northern dispatches some hours later than previously received.

THE LATEST GOLD REPORT OF THE 27TH ULT.

New York, March 27.—Gold is steadier. The speculative operatives appear to have come to the conclusion that at present public opinion regards 150 as about the price required by the condition of affairs.

Gold opened at 153¾, fell to 153, and then advanced to 154¾.

New York, March 27.—Gold to-night 152.

PROGRESS OF THE 7-30 LOAN.

Philadelphia, March 27.—Jay Cooke reports subscriptions to the 7,30 loan to-day $2,100,000, including one of $200,000 from Chicago, and one of $150,000 from Syracuse, also 1,525 individual subscriptions of $50 and $100 each.

Official Dispatches from Gen. Grant—Battle in Front of Richmond—Sherman's Operations.

(Official)

To Maj Gen Dix—

The following official reports of operations of the Army of the Potomac on Saturday, and of Gen Sherman's operations since he left Fayetteville, have been received this morning. Gen Sherman's last dispatch is dated 24th of this month No movements have been made on either side before Richmond and Petersburg since Saturday night.

(Signed) E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War

To Hon E. M. Stanton, Sec'y of War —

City Point, Va., March 27, 10.30 A. M.

The battle of the 25th resulted in the following losses on our side:

In the 2d corps, killed 51, wounded 361, missing 208. In the 24th corps, killed 68, wounded 338, missing 306. Our captures by the 2d corps were 361.

The 2d and 6th corps pushed forward and captured the enemy's strong entrenchments and turned his fire against him and still held on, the enemy trying to retake them.

The latter included 1 flag and 1 gun, the cavalry fighting heavily. Humphrey's reinvaded the lines of the enemy in his front at three times his own, and Gen. Wright in his front as double that of his own.

The enemy brought in a flag of truce for permission to collect his dead, which were between their picket line and their main fortifications. Permission was granted.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT, Lt General

City Point, March 25, 1865.

Hon E. M. Stanton, Secretary of War

I am in receipt of Sherman's report of operations from the time he left Fayetteville up to the 22d inst. It shows hard fighting, resulting in very heavy loss to the enemy in killed and wounded, and over 2,000 prisoners in our hands. His own loss, in actual fighting, will be covered by 2,000 men since he left Savannah, many of them are but slightly wounded.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT, Lieut Gen.

FURTHER ACCOUNT OF THE SUCCESSFUL ADVANCE OF SIXTH CORPS LEFT—REPORTED REPULSE OF GEN. GORDON'S (CONFEDERATE) SOLDIERS TO FIGHT.

City Point, March 25—After the argument between the enemy and the 9th corps this morning the order was given for the 6th corps to make an attack on the left of our front on Fort Fisher.

The 3d division, Gen Seymour commanding, was selected as the assaulting column, and shortly after noon the line of battle was formed and the order of advance given. In a short time our men had possession of the entire line of the rifle pits of the enemy, nearly all the occupants having been made prisoners. Our loss in the affair was very trifling. Over 100 prisoners were brought in as the result of the engagement.

Subsequently fight took place at Hatcher's Run, on which the second corps was engaged. The attack was made about dark. Over 200 prisoners fell into our hands on this occasion, making in all to-day about 2,500 prisoners, among whom are nearly fifty commissioned officers, the highest in rank being Colonel. This does not include the rebel wounded in hospital, whose numbers are considerable.

Three men arrested as bounty jumpers, are to be examined this afternoon by a military commission.

Gen. Gordon's column from Wilkinson was at Parmele Depot last night and should be near the place to-night.

Sherman's left was engaged with the enemy near Bentonville on Sunday. The artillery fire was very rapid during the day, and for a short time on Monday. Sherman's right — the 17th Corps—was near Mount Olive on Sunday night.

There has been some artillery firing during to-day, which indicates the gradual approach of Sherman's army towards this place. All this being strictly in accordance with Sherman's plans, I have no doubt all is well. I hope to have more definite and later intelligence from Sherman very soon, and will forward it to you without delay. I find the bridges burned, but otherwise the road is not injured, and the depot facilities are very fine. I captured here seven cars, and Gen. Wright in his front as double that of his own.

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