

THE ELECTION IN PRINCE GEORGE'S MD.
 There was quite a novel exhibition at our polls yesterday. The voters were courteously notified by Captain Watkins, of the Maryland cavalry, that he was here under orders from Gen. Schenck, but not to challenge any votes or interfere with the elective franchise; but should any citizen of the county see proper to challenge a voter for disloyalty, then the judges of election would be required to administer the oath of allegiance. This was before Governor's Bradford's proclamation was received here. Everything promised fair enough under this arrangement, and 25 or 30 votes were deposited without any interference. At 9 1/2 o'clock Colonel Baker, of Washington, appeared at the polls with an armed posse, and read his instructions to the judges, which were that the oath should be put to each voter offering to vote. To this Shelby Clark, Esq. Provost Marshal of the county, objected, and read instructions which he had just received from Baltimore, forbidding any interference by the military. Captain Watkins also insisted that as this county was in Gen. Schenck's military department, his instructions ought to be respected, but as Col. Baker was his senior in command, he would be compelled to submit to his decision. Mr. Clark prepared and submitted to Col Baker, a written protest.

Col. Baker subsequently stated that he had sent an express to Washington to submit the matter to the authorities there, and to ascertain in relation to this conflict of authority, promising that if his orders were revoked, a messenger should be sent to each of the polls by 2 or 3 o'clock, and his force be withdrawn. At 4 o'clock, P. M., his messenger returned from Washington, and the Colonel read the following Order to the judges:

UPPER MARLBORO', Nov. 4, 1863.
 To Judges of Elections, Upper Marlboro':

GENTS:—By a special Order this moment received from Major General Augur, commanding the defences of Washington, I am directed not to ask or demand that the oath of allegiance be taken by the voters in cases where said voters refuse to take said oath.

I am, gentlemen, with much respect,
 Your obedient servant,
 L. C. BAKER,

Commanding 1st Ind. Cavalry.
 One hundred and sixty-five votes had been polled before this Order was received; forty were afterwards cast.

At Nottingham polls, a squad of soldiers, under a Lieutenant from Captain Watkins' company was present, with General Schenck's instructions. When a squad of Baker's cavalry made their appearance under a captain, they were peremptorily told that they had no jurisdiction there, and they made their exit without much ado.—[Marlboro' Gazette.]

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 Washington, Oct 21—1y

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The National Intelligencer is quite severe in its comments on Gen. Schenck's course with regard to the late Maryland election, and on the course pursued by some of his subordinates. It publishes a letter from a citizen of Montgomery, giving a curious account of the proceedings at one of the polls in that county.

In relation to the present difficulties in the matter of exchanging prisoners, the Washington correspondent of the N. Y. Tribune says, that President Lincoln will not tolerate any proposition which seeks to establish distinction between black and white soldiers as prisoners of war.

A committee has arrived in Washington from Norfolk, Va., to ask permission to put in operation a regular line of steamers between that city and New York, and resume the trade relations between the two cities existing previous to the war.

The New York papers are full of accounts of the Great Ball given to the Russian officers in that city. It is said to have been a magnificent affair—and an immense display of diamonds, jewelry and fine dresses, was made on the occasion.

The Richmond Enquirer and Richmond Examiner are loud in their complaints of the hoarders and speculators, who, they say, are the principal causes of the dearth of provisions and the high prices in the Southern cities.

There is very little news in the newspapers concerning the contending armies in Virginia, but hundreds of rumors are afloat as to movements going on, or expected to commence.

It is understood that the Court of Inquiry in the case of General Buell has acquitted that officer of the charges brought against him.

THEATRE.—"The Mummy" and "The Alpine Maid" at the Theatre to-night.—A good bill.

SKIFFS MINSTRELS.—Benefit night at Liberty Hall to-night.—And a fine programme.

On Thursday night last a most brutal murder was committed on the farm of Mr. George Dent, at Pope's Creek, in Charles county, Md., upon the person of a negro man belonging to Mr. Dent, by two white men, strangers, who came to the negroe's quarters.

The Washington Union says:—"Dr. Wyvill and Harry Hatton, of Piscataway, were arrested by Baker's detectives at the polls on election day in Maryland. Dr. Wyvill was discharged soon after being brought to Washington. We believe Mr. Hatton is still in custody."

The Whaling brig Pavillion of Fair Haven, Mass., on the 5th of August was crushed by ice near the Island of God's Mercy, and filled with water. The crew made their escape in boats—and they endured great suffering before they fell in with a vessel.

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