DAILY [illegible]

[illegible] Street.

[illegible] WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 8, 1862. VOLUME [illegible] Vol. XXIV.—WHOLE No. 8134.

[illegible] DISPATCH.

From Missouri.

[illegible] NEAR WINCHESTER.

Rumored Death of Gen. Price.

Rumored, January 7.—E. C. Wright, the Federal Administrator of the State Treasury, has been appointed a Brigadier-General in the Confederate service.

Some rumors circulating reported that Price, whose Headquarters are at Springfield, has been superseded by Gen. Hindman, in which several Federal prisoners were sent, and a few killed and wounded on both sides. The Virginia and Arkansas regiments were very much engaged in the skirmishes.

It is reported by passengers from Wilmington that Burnside's expedition was more of Harrison.

Congressional.

Congress this morning attended Judge Haskell's funeral.

The afternoon session was unimportant.

Appointments of Quartermaster Sheffield, Col. [illegible]

Richmond, January 7.—The appointment of A. R. Courtenay, of the 6th Regiment, Virginia Volunteers, as Quartermaster of Gen. Floyd's command, with the rank of Colonel, is confirmed.

Another Harpers Ferry Affair Reported.

Richmond, January 7.—The editor of the Wilmington Journal says, so far as he can learn, there is no truth in the Burnside expedition having been sent to Hatteras.

From Nashville.

200,000 Bushels between Louisville and Bowling Green.

ARMS FURNISHED AS RAPIDLY [illegible]

Nashville, January 7.—A gentleman has arrived here direct from Louisville, and states that the railroad from [illegible] between Louisville and Bowling Green has been completed, and that many forty-two thousand of whom are unfit for service. Proper portion of the number is one hundred and fifty millions in [illegible]. This would suffice to meet the demands of the masses.

The Federals are pushing the work on Green river bridge which will be completed in a few days, when it is probable a movement will be made towards Bowling Green.

A gentleman just arrived here from Paducah says it is reported the Federals intend commencing a force of one hundred thousand men at that place, and it is also reported here this morning that the Federals are crossing Green river in considerable force.

Loss from Shipboard.

We copy the following paragraphs from the columns of the Richmond Dispatch:

The Defeated.

There is nothing new from the army of the Potomac. The Dispatch of Brandywine says no one on the battle-ground at night, but with no enemy apparent round. On Saturday a heavy cannonading was heard in that direction, and it was said by the Lincolnites that it was supposed Gen. Stone's division had been attacked by the Confederates, however, to be taken down light, battery engaged in field practice, for the purpose of testing the efficiency of his guns, which proved satisfactory. Much the greater portion of the Lincolnites, [illegible] wounded. The effect at Centreville, some twenty or thirty shells, with shrieks to that of the one hundred rounds of heretofore and rifled cannon, with the [illegible] regiments of Northern and rifled cannon.

BRAINSVILLE FIGHT.

A lady residing immediately in the neighborhood of Drainsville, in a private letter to her husband, in this city, gives the following account of the battle at that place:

"It has been reported that we were badly whipped at Drainsville, but it is not so. We had 10 men killed, and their loss was 300. They had 10 times as many men as we had. We only [illegible] about thirty prisoners, and this morning, our men [illegible] every thing, but the army and a number took to their heels."

AN INCIDENT.

Below rumors of one of the scouts that when [illegible] and the [illegible] of the [illegible] and [illegible] with an obstinacy characteristic of Northern [illegible], he went into an engagement [illegible] and [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]