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CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS BY THE WEEK

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Matter so furnished THURSDAY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[Associated Press Dispatches.]

From Norfolk.

Norfolk, March 21.—The Richmond Dispatch of the 19th says: Information has been received that the Yankees have landed a force at Winton, on the Chowan river, and are preparing to advance upon Murfreesboro.

Washington, March 21.—The bill will soon pass the Senate, providing for the payment of the Virginia militia. The bill will be reported favorably from the Committee of Claims in a few days.

The Secretary Stanton has confirmed the appointment of Mr. Shaffer as Postmaster for the Post Office Department.

Postmaster Brandon is at last dead.

Nothing official has been received from Gen. Halleck.

Secretary Wadle's friends are confident of his election.

Information has been received this morning that the Legislature of Kansas have been called together by the Governor, and adjourned from thence to Lecompton.

Mr. Yancey made a speech in New Orleans, on the evening there was no body to be suspended for shooting the policeman of an omnibus.

Chicago, March 21.—Jeff. Thompson, who is reported to have been killed in the late fight at Pea Ridge, Arkansas, and reported dead on the battle-field, is now in this city, and will be exchanged for Gen. Lyon.

New York, March 21.—Gold quotations as high as 101 are quoted at 54.

Philadelphia, March 19.—The name of Fort Clarkson is to be changed to Fort Wool.

Gen. Wool has established a censorship over the mails in his division.

Eleven companies of troops were landed at Fort Monroe and three Million pounding and ready. Three to prove satisfactory as Old Point.

Richmond, March 20.—Advices received here from Newbern, N.C. state that 400 Confederates killed 1500 Yankees. The Federals entered Newbern on the day previous to the battle, and second firing, when the Confederates fell back. They were prevented seeing the flag on the Northern monument by the Confederates.

The Northern monument by the Confederates, taken in the field; that it was a hand fight; that the Yankees suffered severely, losing many of their best officers; 500 Confederates were taken and fifty pieces of cannon; also large quantities of arms and ammunition.

Ten Yankee troops in Newbern are in good quarters. The rebels fired the town and railroad bridges. Two hundred of the 400 white population remained; three slaves only cpied.

The College of the Virginia Volunteers had been wholly destroyed.

The Richmond papers say that Captain Barney died on Sunday last, but the Memphis Bulletin of Newport News is recovering.

Richmond, March 19, March 20.—The approaching Yankee march upon Norfolk by day will be the deepest laid scheme of the war.

The rebels are now the people of the South. Parliament has met, and the Congress of the Confederate States has been in session for some days. Their proceedings are of the most interesting character, for which they have just cause. The Confederate Yankee Congress that have been dominated by the Virginia in a few hours, besides the small fry that she has "done for," by way of digression.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

We are requested to state that all small packages intended for the delivery of Orleans Guards, will be received at the office of the Bee, P. E. will be taken charge of by Mr. A. E. Lund, this afternoon.

City Council—Aldermen.—At the meeting of the City Council, the Superintendent of Public Buildings was directed to have the Council Chamber in the Custom House repaired.

Mr. Hyde offered a resolution re-authorizing the city Treasurer to issue the balance of notes of Treasury Notes, which was referred to the Finance Committee.

He also presented the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Council will vote the engineering department of the Board of Public Works, the sum of $1,000 to be expended in the purchase of a steam fire engine, to be placed in the Fourth District, if a service of the fire thereto; a proposition to be instituted and superintended by the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, and that the Board of Public Works be requested to report to the Council the cost of the engine, and the time when it can be delivered.

Referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Hyde