

**COLONEL LOUIS SCHMIDT,** of the 11th New York Artillery, has been sentenced to be cashiered, and dishonorably dismissed the service of the United States, forfeiting all pay and allowance now due or that may hereafter become due, and that he be fined the sum of \$10,000, and be confined at hard labor at Fort Warren, in Boston Harbor, for the period of three years, and also that he be forever disqualified from holding any office of honor, trust, or profit under the government of the United States. Among the charges against this officer were the following: "Embezzlement and misapplication of money held in trust and belonging to enlisted men; drunkenness on duty; wilfully causing arms to be destroyed belonging to the United States, and knowingly making false returns of men, and wilfully signing muster rolls whereon such false returns were contained."