...returned, and the fire was maintained ...sides for about an hour. Three or four ...bels were wounded, while on the boat, ...commencement of the fight. The boat ...n abandoned by the ... and it re... ...fely at its moorings. ...reported that ...pt to capture it will be repeated ... The river will be closely watched by the ...ards, who have been reinforced by ... from Clear Spring. The Union com... ...n Sharpsburg is on its way up to Wil... ...with one or two field-pieces.

...ECIAL NOTICES.

A Card to the Ladies.

...PONCO'S GOLDEN PILLS FOR FEMALES. *...n correcting, regulating, and removing all ob... ...tions, from whatever cause, and always successful as a preventative.* ...not a lady living but what at some period of her ...just such a medicine as "Duponco's Golden ..." ...of the first ladies of Chester told the Agent ...had received so much benefit from the use ...would be willing to pay $5 a box, rather than ...them, if she could get them no less. The ...posing these pills are made known to every ...ey will tell you they are perfectly harmless, ...do all claimed for them. Full and explicit ...accompany each box. Price $1.00 per box.— W. KESSLER, Druggist, sole Agent for Al... ...sending him $1.00 to the Altoona Post Office ...e pills sent to any part of the country (conf... ...y mail, "free of postage." Sold also by JOHN ...tingdon, and by one Druggist in every village ...e in the State.

S. D. HOWE, Sole Proprietor, New York.

...e above Pills have been counterfeited, and are ...dies at prices ranging from 25 cents to 75 cts ... Look out for them. The genuine, hereaf... ...r the signature of S. D. Howe, sole proprietor ...Purchase of the above gentlemen, and you... ...e article, and one you may rely upon. ...1, 1861.—1y.

...Velpeau's Cankerine.

...AU'S CANKERINE cures Putrid Sore Mouth ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Sore Nipples. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Ulcerated Sores. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Cuts. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Burns. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Sores. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Chapped Lips. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Ulcerated Gums. ...AU'S CANKERINE is the best Purifier of the ...thing known. ...AU'S CANKERINE cures Canker in the ...or Stomach, resulting from Scarlatina or ...

...delight in ... white teeth, use the CAN... ...your desires will be realized. We pledge ...it is entirely free from acids and all poiso... ...and can be given to an infant with perfect ...preserve the teeth and keep the gums fre... ...it is equally efficacious for nursing sore ...all the thousands remedies that have been put ...re of the various diseases above, none can ...rine. Sold by all druggists. Price 2...

J. BURRILL & CO., Proprietors, 93 Maiden Lane, N. Y. ...Altoona by G. W. KESSLER.

To Consumptives.

And those afflicted with ...VOUS DEBILITY, HEART DISEASE, FEVER & AGUE, OR CONSTIPATION,

...now seventy-five years old, has for ...time to curing his Parishioners and the ...of these dreadful complaints, which carry ...thousands to an untimely grave; he has ...to cure all who have applied to him for re... ...g it to be a Christian's duty to relieve ...well as athoma, he will send to those who ...of Prescriptions used, (Free of Charge), ...for preparing and using the same. Also ...ating. Ventilation, and Exercise for the ...find these remedies a sure cure for Consum... ...of the Throat and Lungs, Fever and ...ation, Heart Disease, Dyspepsia, Nervous ...ale Complaints, and he hopes every one ...for a copy, as it will cost nothing, and ...should apply before it is too late. These ...used by the most eminent Physicians in ...and New York. Those wishing them will ...

REV. DR. CHAMBERLAIN, Williamsburgh, New York.

To Consumptives.

...having been restored to health in a few ...simple remedy, after having suffered sev... ...severe lung affection, and that dread dis... ...is anxious to make known to his fellow ...of cure. ...re it he will send a copy of the prescrip... ...of charge,) with the directions for preparing ...which they will find a sure cure for ...ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. The only object of ...sending the Prescription is to benefit the ...information which he conceives to be ...hopes every sufferer will try his reme... ...them nothing, and may prove a blessing. ...the prescription will please address,

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamsburgh, Kings County, New York.

...ard to the Suffering.

...Cosgrove, while laboring as a missionary ...of Consumption, when all other means ...obtained from a learned physician ...city of Jeddo. This recipe has cured ...were suffering from Consumption, ...Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility ...caused by these disorders. ...others, I will send this recipe, ...home with me, to all who need it, free of ...Address

REV. WM. COSGROVE, 439, Fulton Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

...Organization is often as frail as that of ...Many of the sex enter into marriage ...able to undergo the labors and tr... ...In this country thousands of young and ...sacrificed every year from this cause ...Celebrated Stomach Bitters will save ...an untimely grave. This medi... ...with great benefit by immense num... ...out the republic, and the proprie... ...grateful commendations from all sec... ...The Bitters will be found to be very ...even as a beverage, and prompt and ...as a medicine. It infuses new vitali... ...and strengthens the whole system, so ...it are enabled to go through with is... ...without it, be certain to prostrate them. ...ruggists.

...CLOTHING EMPORIUM OF THE UNION.— ...sess the most splendid Clothing Empo... ...It is splendid as regards the pala... ...ch the immense business of the estab... ...and, and it is equally splendid in respect ...and vast resources. But so the pe... ...actions are, first, the elegance of the ...Gents and Youths, manufactured there, ...and durability of the materials, and ...ence of the fit, and lastly the moderate ...goods are sold. We refer, in this de... ...other than the Brown Stone Clothing ...Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut St. ...elphia.

...RS. WINSLOW,

...e and female physician, has a ... ...teething, which greatly facilitates the ...by softening the gums, reducing all inflam... ...allay all pain, and is sure to regulate the ...on it, mothers, it will give rest to your... ...and health to your infants. ... ...advertisement in another column.

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way	10 40 A. M.
Western Way	7 00 "
Hollidaysburg	7 00 A. M. and 6 00 P. M.
Western Through	6 00 P. M.
Eastern Through	7 20 "

MAILS ARRIVE.

Hollidaysburg	7 00 A. M. and 6 20 P. M.
Western Through	4 40 A. M.
Eastern Through	7 10 "
Western Way	11 00 A. M.
Eastern Way	6 20 P. M.

OFFICE HOURS:—During the week, from 6 45 A. M. till 7 30 P. M. On Sundays, from 6 45 till 7 45 A. M.

JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1861.

Express Train	East arrives	4,40 A. M.,	leaves	4.45 A. M.
" "	West "	7,10 A. M.	"	7.30 A. M.
Fast "	East "	8,30 P. M.	"	8,50 P. M.
" "	West "	7,55 P. M.,	"	8,10 P. M.
Mail "	East "	11,00 A. M.	"	11,20 A. M.
" "	West "	6,30 P. M.,	"	6,50 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train West, and Mail Train East and West.

INDIANA BRANCH TRAINS connect with Johnstown Accommodation Trains East and West, Express West, and Fast Line and Mail train East and West.

OUR ARMY CORRESPONDENCE.

CAMP CHAMBERS, CHAMBERSBURG JUNE 8, 1861.

MESSRS. McCRUM & DERN—*Gents:*—Since my last you are aware that our Encampment has been changed from York, to this place. We arrived here on the 28th ult, and were quarted in the Court House where we remained until the Saturday morning following, when we took up our line of march for our present quarters, situated three miles from town. I cannot, in this connetion, pass by the handsome and kind treatment received by the members of Company B. from the citizens of Chambersburg while they were stationed there. Indeed, the ladies excelled themselves, in providing for their wants while they were detailed as a picked guard, through town, to keep down disturbances, and drunken soldiers, &c. The boys were in great ecstacies.

On the 2nd inst, Lieut. GARDER was sent out with a squad of men, to capture a supposed spy, who had been prowling about the different Camps for several days. The Lieutenant surrounded a house in the expedition with the impression that he was there; but the bird had flown. After chasing him through the country for some time, he was finally captured by Lieut. CLARK, and three of Capt. SZINKS men.—He was then taken to town, since then I have heard nothing of him.

On Tuesday the 4th inst, the Scott Legion arrested two men belonging to Company E., U. S. Cavalry, new Greencastle, some seven miles from this. They were out on picket. The men in question were quartered in Camp McClure, and having received a pass came out to town, took off their uniform, put on citizens' dress, and made tracks for the South. They were taken to town and lodged in jail.

On Saturday the 1st inst, an affray took place in the suburbs of town, between two soldiers and a negro. It appears that the later kept a low "whiskey mill," and the former went there to refresh themselves with "Kill-me-quick," and were refused admittance. They then broke open the door, when they were fired upon by the negro.—The shot took effect in their legs. The news of the scrimmage reaching the ears of their Company, the darkey was pursued and killed. Upon a *post mortem* examination five balls were extracted from his body. He was also run through with a sword. A private of the 2nd Regiment received a shot in the thigh while the tragedy was being enacted.

There has been several fatal cases of spotted or malarious fever among the soldiers of the 10th Regiment, stationed at Camp Slifer. This disease, I have been informed, carries the victim off in about twenty-four hours. The cases however, have been few, not so extensive as newspaper reporters have made them. There are several of our Company sick; but none of them seriously so. The change of life has much to do with these illnesses, and are to be expected to a certain degree. Dissolute habits and exposure, have their result in diseases of a more serious nature.

Yesterday morning the first division of the troop stationed at Camp McClure marched south. It was composed of four Companies of U. S. Cavalry, the Philadelphia troop, two Companies of regular artillery, acting as infantry, under the command of Capt. Doubleday the Sixth Regiment, Col. Davis regiment, and another, the number of which I do not remember. The two Companies of regulars were in Fort Sumpter, when in was assaulted by the rebels. This morning the third division marched in the same direction. It consisted of the 7th, 8th, and 10th, Regiments encamped at Camp Slifer and the Scott Legion.

The 2nd Division consists of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Regiments and the Irish Brigade. I think the beginning of next week, will suffice for our present quarters, and we will follow the advanced columns. There are now in the borders of Franklin County, and close upon the Maryland line, between 16,000 and 17,000 troops, and from what I can learn an army of not less than 20,000 men will move upon and surround Harper's Ferry. The troops are all eager to have a brush with the enemies of the Republic, and your readers may be assured, that the sons of the Keystone State will acquit themselves on the field of battle.

Our present encampment is located in a most delightful section of this county. On every hand, the eye rest upon richly cultivated fields, laden with the various cereals, and promising an abundant harvest. The buildings, houses and barns, are neat and well constructed, giving every evidence of wealth, contentment and happiness. The people are loyal and patriotic, and are kind to the soldiers. In our Camp we are bountifully supplied with a stream of pure limestone water, sufficient for cooking, drinking and aquatic purposes. There is a large creek, a few hundred yards from us, bearing some outlandish Indian name, which your correspondent cannot spell, and bearly pronounce, where the regiments can wash. The only method I can adopt to give you some clue, as to spelling and pronouncing this name, is to write, "*Canteen-go-jig.*"

I regret exceedingly to mention the fact, that slanderous reports have reached your place, in regard to Capt. SZINK and Lieut. GARDNER, relative to the distribution of certain presents sent by the citizens of your place, for the benefit of Company B. and E. These stories are a web of falsehoods from the centre to circumference. Both gentlemen are too high minded and honorable to be guilty of any misapplication of the gifts of a kind and loyal people.—The person who invented and put them forth in your town, will shortly reap the first of his evil speaking.

Our company now practises firing, once a day, with ball cartridge, distance 100 yards. Yesterday Capt. Wayne, made the best shot having put one buckshot in the paper and the bullet a little to the left of it. The shooting, the Captain said, was very good for the firsts time. It was mostly in line.

In behalf of the officers and members of Company B. I acknowledge the receipt of several invoices of creature comforts, from the patriotic ladies of your town. To-day we received a box of "Havelocks," for Companies B. and E. from the "Patriot Daughters" of Altoona. They have been divided, and distributed to the members. They are a comfortable institution in the broiling sun, and their arrival was timely, and the gift very acceptable. The Borough of Altoona, I have no fear in saying, has surpassed any other town in the Juniata Valley, in its attentions to the wants of those who have left home and friends, to battle for the "gorgeous ensign of the Republic," and for the perpetuity of the best Government the world has ever seen. That they are held in grateful remembrance by it, would scarcely convey to them an idea of the feeling animating our hearts. In memory they shall ever retain a place, and indeed, we should be recreant to every principle of honor did we not hold your citizens in high esteem. They have treated their soldiers as gentlemen, and not as paupers and the offscouring of the earth. I wish I could say as much for some other places along the Juniata.

All the troops here will move down upon Harper's Ferry next week, and the rebels will find in the iron men of Pennsylvania "foemen worthy of their steel." They have ridiculed the pretensions and military sagacity of Gen. SCOTT, but they will find ere long, that venerable and illustrious soldier has completely circumvented them. The Secessionists have played the game of brag all along, and soon they will find that fabric not in the constitution of Northern men, and that they will realize this fact to their sorrow, will be evident to the whole country in less than a fortnight.

Your correspondent is indebted to Col. McCLURE's estimable lady for an India rubber blanket and a "Havelock." Also, to the Senior Editor's old friend, Mrs. GRAY for many acts of kindness. These are Juniata ladies, and have been unremitting in their attentions to those who hail from their native county. The Colonel has a most delightful residence, a half mile from town, which he is now beautifying at considerable expense. There are no kinder or more obliging persons in the State than those of Col McClure's household. But halt!

A. J. G.

Celebration of the Fourth of July.

Pursuant to a call, a large and enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of Altoona and vicinity assembled at Lowther's Hall on Tuesday evening, the 4th inst., for the purpose of taking some action in relation to the proper celebration of the coming anniversary of our national Independence.

Geo. B. Cramer, Esq., was called to the chair, and S. M. Woodkok was chosen Secretary.

Mr. Cramer, on taking the chair, stated the object of the meeting, and urged the present necessity of a "Grand Union Celebration, irrespective of parties, either religious or political."

S. W. Woodkok made some remarks. He thought the present deplorable condition of our country demands that the people, from every hill and valley throughout the land, should assemble, on our Nation's Birth Day, and renew, again, our fidelity to the Constitution and the Union.

On motion of Dr. Wm. R. Findley, the Chair, John Shoemaker, Lewis Plack, and Jacob Good were authorized to appoint a Committee of Arrangement, consisting of 34 persons chosen from Altoona and Hollidaysburg boroughs, and Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon counties; and that they report at our next meeting.

Meeting held June 8th, 1861. Geo. B. Cramer in the chair, reported the following Committee of Arrangement: Altoona—Wm. C. McCormick, John Hickey, C. Jaggard, C. C. Mason, Geo. B. Cramer, James Kearney, Wm. R. Findley, John Woods, J. G. Adlum, Jacob Hesser, Jacob Good, James Lowther, H. C. Dern, M. T. Dill, Alex. McCormick, Lewis Plack and Joseph B. Smith. Hollidaysburg and Gaysport—O. A. Traugh, J. Penn Jones, and D. Caldwell. Tyrone—J. D. Stewart and Caleb Guyer. Tipton—George Herrick. Elizabeth Furnace—Martin Bell. Logan Tp.—Judge James Gwin, Martin Runyan and Jas. Hutchison. Huntingdon—Graffius Miller and D. M. Confer. Ebensburg—Hezekiah Hughes and Alex. Mullin, Wilmore—Wm. R. Hughes. Gallitzin—E. Nutter.

The Chairman asked leave to amend his report by adding the names of B. F. Bell, Samuel Milliken and Dr. R. Clark, of Bell's Mills.

The report as amended was adopted.

On motion, M. T. Dill, Joseph B. Smith, and J. G. Adlum were appointed a Committee to wait on the Burgess and Town Council of Altoona, for an appropriation of $100.00 out of the Borough Treasury, to assist in defraying the expenses of the Celebration.

Dr. Wm. R. Findley submitted a number of resolutions relating to Programme, order of the day, &c., which were read and adopted.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the proceedings of these meetings be published in all the newspapers of the county.

On motion, adjourned to meet on Friday evening, June 17th, at 8 o'clock.

GEO. B. CRAMER, Pres't.

S. M. WOODKOK, Sec'y.

Proceedings of Council.

Regular meeting June 4th, 1861.

Present—A. A. Smith, President; R. Greenwood, C. R. Hostetter, Daniel Laughman, and N. J. Mervine, *Council.*

The minutes of last meeting were approved.

A bill of Hall & Neff, for services rendered, was taken up, and, on motion, an order was granted to L. W. Hall for $10.00, for furnishing written opinion, as per special contract.

The following orders were also granted:—One to F. McCauley, for $4.82; to J. H. McDowell, for $8.00; to John Shoemaker, for $15.25; to W. W. Snyder, for $27.50; to Daniel Coyle, for $22.25; to John Haney, for $22.50; to John McCulloch, for $20.75; to John Maloy, for 22.25.

A petition of citizens, asking the making of certain streets, was taken up, and, on motion, was laid on the table.

The bonds of Daniel Laughman, Treasurer, and Joseph K. Ely, Collector, were read and approved.

On motion, adjourned to meet on the first Monday in July, 1861, at 7 o'clock, P. M.—*Extract from the Minutes.*

LECTURE.—On the evening of the 21st ult., James E. Giffin, A. M., late of the "Chester Valley Type," delivered a lecture in the M. E. Church, on the educational, moral, political and military condition of our country. The attendance was not as large as it should have been, but those who were present gave good attention to the remarks of the speaker, whose effort was directed to impress upon the minds of his audience the necessity of giving to the rising generation a good education, morally and physically, as well as mentally. For this purpose Mr. G. intends opening a school in this place, if sufficient encouragement be given. We hope our citizens will not let his efforts to open such a school prove a failure.

☞ A tremendous rush of job work which could not be postponed prevented the issue of our paper last week, consequently the date is wrong on our outside, and a portion of the war news published will be rather old to the readers of daily papers, nevertheless the most part of is interesting and will be new to those who are not so highly favored as our town readers. The loss of the paper as we have frequently said heretofore is our own and will be made up hereafter, we are likely to have some important war news this week, and if so, will lay it before our readers immediately.

THE "STAR-SPANGLED BANNER."—Of course every person has seen the "Star-Spangled Banner" circular, issued by Messrs. Murphy & McPike, who have just opened out, in Ferree & Morrow's old stand, recently occupied by J. Law. They have bought a stock of most excellent goods, at what is now styled "war prices," which means very cheap. From the manner in which the people have been crowding in upon them for the past few days, we think they must be doing a rushing business, and all because they sell "cheap for cash or approved country produce." We knew McPike to be one of the most accommodating men this side of sandown.

MORE SOLDIERS.—Within the past week two regiments of troops have passed East over the Pennsylvania R. R. viz. 2d Michigan and 1st Wisconsin Regiments. The Michigan Regiment was commanded by Col. Richards, and numbered 1,065 men. They were equipped in the very best style. The Wisconsin Regiment was composed of 1,000 of the hardiest men we have yet seen. They left Milwaukie at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon and arrived, in this place at 3 P. M. on Tuesday—just 49 hours later.—Pretty quick transportation of troops. Great institutions are railroads in time of war.

ALTOONA, June 11, 1861.

Messrs Editors:—It has been reported in this place, that the underclothing made up some time since, by the ladies of Altoona, and forwarded to our brave volunteers, was returned to me by those to whom it was sent. This is not correct. The clothing was nicely made by the ladies, and promptly forwarded by me to our men at York. It was most thankfully received by them, and nine cheers were given for the ladies of Altoona.

Truly and Respectfully,

GEO. B. CRAMER.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT.—The continuance of the war must create a great demand, in various ways, for well qualified young men, and as the Iron City Commercial College of Pittsburgh, so extensively known throughout the country for the superior advantages it affords, continues its sessions without interruption throughout the year, young men would do well to prepare themselves at once for business, by a course of training in this popular institution.

ENTERTAINMENT.—Mr. Alex Clark, editor of the Sunday *Visitor*, will give an Elocutionary Entertainment in Lowther's Hall this (Thursday) evening. He promises something amusing, and those who know the man and have heard him lecture are well aware that he can entertain, amuse and instruct any audience. A small admmittance fee will likely be charged to defray expenses.

☞ The junior member of the firm down stairs, has just returned from the east with another fine stock of summer goods which make the "Model Store" look bright and attractive, but what is still better they have been low and are being sold at panic prices. Step in ladies, quick, before the beautiful articles are all carried off.

☞ A new shedule went into operation on the Penn'a railroad on Monday last, It made a number of important changes in the running of the pasenger trains, of which travelers should make a note. See Railroad and mail schedule in another column.

☞ Extracts from "W. J. B's." letter will be published next week.

Interesting Comparison.

The following table will be found to be very interesting, as showing the relative strength of the free and bond population in the slave States, by the increase and decrease it makes from year to year. The figures were compiled from officials ources, and are worthy the study of political economist.

CENSUS OF 1860 COMPARED WITH 1850.

	FREE.		SLAVE.	
	Increase.	*Decrease.*	*Increase.*	*Decrease.*
Delaware,	21,178			498
Maryland,	107,180			3,180
Virginia,	156,063		18,359	57,467
North Carolina,	81,195			
South Carolina,	17,748		17,657	
Georgia,	170,504		80,548	
Florida,	30,551		22,448	
Alabama,	100,383		92,228	
Mississippi	68,051		126,818	
Louisiana,	163,960		87,711	
Texas,	266,220		122,227	
Arkansas,	161,526		64,004	
Tennessee,	70,805		36,325	
Kentucky,	168,799			85,491
Missouri,	463,780			27,543

These figures show that in Kentucky, Missouri, Deleware, Maryland and Virginia slavery is gradually on the decrease—but the increase in the other states far exceeds the decrease in the first named states, which of course, can not effect the aggregate of slavery itself. The increase of free population in several of the states, does not exceed that of the slave, while, the difference in none of the cotton states is very great.

H. FETTINGER, of No. 1 Literary Emporium begs leave to announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has now, and will constantly keep, a full supply of all the School-Books used in this and adjoining districts, which will be sold at from ten to twenty five per cent. less than they can be bought anywhere else in the county. Everything used in the Schools—such as Slates, Pencils, Pens, Inks, Copy Books, Charts, Cards, Rewards of Merit, &c., &c., can always be had at his place of business. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

COL. ELLSWORTH'S LAST SPEECH.—At nine o'clock in the evening, on the 23d of May, having marshalled his Zouaves in line of battle, before marching for Alexandria, our Colonel, says one, thus addressed us:

"Boys, no doubt you felt surprised on hearing my orders to be in readiness at a moment's notice, but I will explain all as far as I am allowed. Yesterday forenoon I understood that a movement was to be made against Alexandria. Of course I was on the *qui vive.* I went to see Gen. Mansfield, the Commander at Washington, and told him that I would consider it as a personal affront if he would not allow us to have the right of the line, which is our due, as the first volunteer regiment sworn in for the war. All that I can tell you is to prepare yourselves for a nice little sail, and at the end of it a skirmish. Go to your tents, lie down and take your rest till two o'clock when the boat will arrive, and we go forward to victory or death. When we reach the place of destination act as men; do nothing to shame the regiment; show the enemy that you are men as well as soldiers, and that you will treat them with kindness until they force you to use violence. In fact, I want you to kill them with kindness. Go to your tent and do as I tell you."

What Secession Has Done in Texas.

Extract of a letter written by a Marylander to his father-in-law, residing in Baltimore county, dated San Antonia, Texas, April 12, 1861:—"I arrived here last night from the Rio Grande, to which place I had been with a volunteer Company to protect the families on the frontier from the Indians, who have literally desolated the entire State. from San Antonia to the frontier. Every family that has had the means of escaping has fled precipitately, leaving everything behind, and such as were poor and without means of escape, have sought refuge in the fort formerly occupied by the United States troops. This part of Texas, by the withdrawal of government protection, is now overrun by lawless bands of Indians, Mexicans, and prowling American vagabonds, ruin staring the whole country in the face, and, unless the United States come to our aid. the country is utterly worthless, as stock raisers cannot protect themselves. Alas for secession! Texas, in any event, in this section is done for."

QUEER SCENE AT A FIRE.—The boarding house of a Mrs. Robinson at Chicago, Illinois, was burnt last week, and as the fire caught below, the boarders above had to resort to the roof. The *Times* says: Four or five women climbed through a chamber window, upon a side roof which joined the house, and were followed by some men, the whole party being in their night clothes, and presenting a decidedly picturesque appearance by the lurid glare of the flames. The ladies succeeded in performing a precarious toilet on the ridge of the roof, but the other individuals retained their primitive costume, and pranced about on their elevated and airy platform in a manner quite affecting to behold. They were no better off on the roof than in the house, for the flames were fast approaching them, and they had no earthly means of descending the three stories wich separated them from the ground. At this juncture, a policeman came to their relief and lowered them down, one by one,, with a rope. The male individuals, who stood there *sans culotte*, were not thus favored. They had to wait until it grew hot under their feet; and after a great fright a ladder from the truck relieved their fears, and they were safely landed.

LOST.—A few evenings since, between Mr. Loudon's store and Mr. Runyan's, in Loudonsville, a silver penholder with gold pen. The finder will confer a favor upon a lady, by leaving it at this office, or giving information where it may be found.

MARRIED:

At the Presbyterian Parsonage, in this place, on the evening of the 4th inst, by Rev. A. B. CLARK, Mr. MATHEW C. McCULLEY, to Miss EMILY B. SHOFF, all of Clearfield Co. Penna.

On the 6th inst., at the residence of John G. Miles, Esq., in Huntingdon, by the Rev. Mr. Zahnizer, Mr. WESTLEY M. HOLMES to Miss CLARILLA V. MILES, all of Huntingdon.

Here is our ☞ West, and a hearty welcome to the honorable walks of matrimony. We thought you had almost decided to squander your best days amid the cold comforts of single life, but are happy to note that better counsel, or something more potent, has lured you into the path of duty. We hope that before you and yours there is a clear highway to prosperity, and that all the talked of, imagined and realized bliss of true hearts united may fall to your lot throughout a long life. Thanks for your kind remembrance of the printer.

ICE! ICE!!—The subscriber would inform the citizens of Altoona, who desire Ice during the Summer, that he will deliver it promptly at their residences and saloons, three times a week, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY AFTERNOONS. Terms, 1 cent per pound, or 62½ cents per bushel, delivered in any desired quantity.

Orders left at the Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co., will be promptly attended to.

June 13th, 1861-1m. H. B MARTIN.

KENT'S COMMENTARIES—IN 4 Volumes—almost new—will be sold at low price, for cash. Apply to THOS. P. SARGENT.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned not to charge anything to my account, on and after this date, as I will pay no debts but those of my own contracting. I am compelled to take this course in consequence of my wife's foolish dealing.

MICHAEL MURPHY.

Altoona, May 23, 1861—3t]

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Altoona, May 9th, 1861-3m

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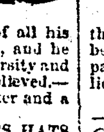

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Store on Virginia Street, opposite the Lutheran Church.

May 9, 1861.

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WHO HAS HAD 30 YEARS CONSTANT practice, can be consulted at the Altoona House, Mr. John Wood's, viz.:—*On the 7th of June, the 6th of July, and the 7th of August*—he will then vacate for 3 months. Notice will be given in this paper when he commences his Winter's Term again.

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N. B.—See Handbills. [May 2, '61.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the estate of BENJAMIN BAER, late of Logan township, Blair county, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Altoona. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

THOS. ELWAY.

Altoona, May 23, 1861.—6t.]

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Office nearly opposite C. Jaggard's Store, Virginia st., Altoona, Pa. [May 16, '61-tf.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.—SEALED proposals will be received by the undersigned, up to the first day of of June, 1861, for building a school house, in Loudonsville, adjoining Altoona. Specifications can be seen by calling upon the undersigned. By order of the Board. S. A. LOUDEN, Sec'y.

May 4, 1861-3t.]

BOARDERS WANTED.—MRS. E. M. FLUKE is prepared to accommodate 10 or 12 gentlemen with Boarding, at her residence on Harriet street, East Altoona, in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Jaggard. Every attention will be paid to their comfort and accommodation. [May 2, 1861.-3t

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This line of goods is very ample in every department.

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Silk, Woolen Cotton and Linen Hose for ladies and gentlemen; and an endless variety for children. Ladies and gentlemen's Kid, Kid Finishes, Silk and Lisle Thread Gloves. Call and see our far famed "Buck Gloves."

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Muslins, Flannels, Blankets, and every article in the Domestic line of Dry Goods, in larger quantity and in more complete assortment than can be found in any house in the interior of Pennsylvania.

We have also a fine assortment of

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS,

together with a full stock of

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and all the et ceteras of a country store.

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DIRECT FROM NEW YORK.

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HAS JUST RETURNED FROM New York city with a beautiful assortment of

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A large assortment of the prettiest PRINTS ever brought to the town, so acknowledged by competent judges.

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which is acknowledged to be the most complete of any in the town, and sold at prices defying competition. Iron Stone sets for $4.50—Tea Sets for $3,00.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

directly from New York, and bought from first hands; BRUSSELS, ALL WOOL, INGRAIN, LIST, HEMP AND RAG CARPETS,

OIL CLOTHS from 1 to 2 yards wide.

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at lower prices than they can be had elsewhere. Good Carriages for $4.00 and $4.50, and Spring Carriages for $5.00, just as good as heretofore sold for $8.00.

Wooden and Willow Ware

in almost every variety, together with all the outfit of a first class store. [May 9, 1861-tf

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ALSO, a complete

FAMILY GROCERY,

which will have our special attention, first in buying and selecting the best, and freshest articles as well as keeping it up at all times. Coffees of the very best and richest varieties.

TEAS,

Black and Green of the best quality and flavor. Sugars good and cheap; common Brown at 6, good at 8 cents, common white 10 cents.

Syrups and Baking Molasses,

from the best Loverings at 62½, to the lowest grade at 40 cents. Cornstarch, Dryed Peaches, Dryed Apples, Farrena, Bacon, Dryed Beef, Mackarel, Herring, Lake Fish & Dry Fish, Window Glass, different sizes, &c., all of which will be sold very low for cash, or exchanged for Produce.

Always on hand, Speer & Hills celebrated Iron Plows. Persons visiting town would do well before making their selections to call and examine our stock, as we will be pleased to see them free of charge. Very thankful for past favors, we respectfully solicit a continuance of public patronage.

Altoona, April 18th, 1861-tf.

Cheap! Cheaper!! Cheapest!!!

HUZZA FOR NORTH WARD.—The undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the surrounding country that he has rented the store room formerly occupied by Jacob Burkhart, on Virginia street, near A. McCormick's store, where he is about opening a

Grocery, Flour, Feed and Provision Store.

He has just returned from the East where he has been selecting his groceries with great care and buying exclusively for cash, which enables him to sell as low, if not a little lower, than any house in the place. He would therefore say to all who wish a good article of groceries, and at a low figure, to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

His stock consists of

Hats and Caps, Men and Women's Shoes, Notions of all kinds.

Extra Family Flour, Superfine, Corn Meal, Rye and Corn Chop.

Extra Lovering Syrup Molasses,		60	cents	per	gal.
Golden	"	45	"	"	"
Pennsylvania	"	55	"	"	"
Baking	"	37½	"	"	"
White Crush Sugar		11	"	"	lb.
White	"	10	"	"	"
Refined	"	10	"	"	"
Best Brown	"	8	"	"	"
Cuba	"	7	"	"	"
Rio Coffee	"	15 to 16	"	"	"
Best Imperial Teas		90	"	"	"
2nd quality	"	75	"	"	"
Black	"	50	"	"	"

Rosin and Castile Soap, Raisins, Figs, Almonds, Filberts, English Walnuts, Cream Nuts, Mackerel, Herring, Lake Trout, Dairy Salt, Cheese, and everything that is necessarily kept in a good family grocery.

April 4, '61-tf.] J. A. SPRANKLE.

FASHIONABLE MILLINARY & TRIMMING Store, on Virginia street, Altoona, opposite J. B. Hileman's store. The subscriber having purchased with great care an entire new stock of Ladies dress goods, and Trimmings; also a large assortment of Bonnets and Ribbons, Fine French Work, Collars and Undersleeves in sets, Gloves, Mitts, Hosiery, Skirts, &c., all of the latest stiles, and in great varieties, are now open for the examination of the ladies; all of which will be sold at the lowest cash prices. Ladies desiring goods of the above named should call on the undersigned and suit themselves before purchasing elsewhere.

MRS. ELIZABETH EABY.

Altoona, April 25, 1861-3m.

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PUMP STOCKS,

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By the use of these Pills the periodic attacks of *Nervous* or *sick Headache* may be prevented; and if taken at the commencement of an attack immediate relief from pain and sickness will be obtained.

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They act gently upon the bowels,—removing *Costiveness.*

For *Literary Men, Students,* Delicate Females, and all persons of *sedentary habits,* they are valuable as a *Laxative,* improving the *appetite,* giving *tone* and *vigor* to the digestive organs, and restoring the natural elasticity and strength of the whole system.

The CEPHALIC PILLS are the result of long investigation and carefully conducted experiments, having been in use many years, during which time they have prevented and relieved a vast amount of pain and suffering from Headache, whether originating in the nervous system or from a deranged state of the stomach.

They are entirely vegetable in their composition, and may be taken at all times with pefect safety without making any change of diet, *and the absence of any disagreeable taste renders it easy to administer them to children.*

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MASONVILLE, CONN., Feb. 5, 1861.

MR. SPALDING.

SIR:

I have tried your Cephalic Pills, and *I like them so well* that I want you to send me two dollars worth more.

Part of these are for the neighbors, to whom I gave a few out of the first box I got from you.

Send the Pills by mail, and oblige

Your obedient Servant,

JAMES KENNEDY.

HAVERFORD, PA., Feb. 6, 1861.

MR. SPALDING.

SIR:

I wish you to send me one more box of your Cephalic Pills, *I have received a great deal of benefit from them.*

Yours, Respectfully,

MARY ANN STOIKHOUSE.

SPRUCE CREEK, HUNTINGDON CO., PA., Jan. 18, 1861.

H. C. SPALDING.

SIR:

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Respectfully yours,

JOHN B. SIMONS.

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BELLE VERNON, OHIO, Jan. 15, 1861.

HENRY C. SPALDING, Esq.

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Direct

A. STOVER, P. M.

Belle Vernon, Wyandott Co., O.

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H. C. SPALDING, Esq.

I wish for some circulars or large show bills, to bring your Cephalic Pills more particularly before my customers. If you have anything of the kind, please send to me.

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Respectfully yours,

W. B. WILKES.

REYNOLDSBURG, FRANKLIN CO., OHIO, Jan. 9, 1861.

HENRY C. SPALDING,

No. 48 Cedar st., N. Y.

DEAR SIR:

Inclosed find twenty-five cents, (25,) for which send one box of "Cephalic Pills." Send to address of Rev. Wm. C. Filler, Reynoldsburg, Franklin Co., Ohio.

Your Pills work like a charm—cure Headache almost instanter.

Truly yours,

WM. C. FILLER.

YPSILANTI, MICH., Jan. 14, 1861.

MR. SPALDING.

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