

Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

OUR TWO GREAT WARS.—The Siege of 1781... A COLORED DIFFICULTY.—Considerable excitement has been created in this place...

THE SURRENDER OF FORT PULASKI.—A correspondent of the Associate Press telegraphs the following from Fortress Monroe...

IN TOWN.—We were somewhat surprised, a day or two since, to meet upon the street, our former townsmen, Pat Traves, who has just returned from Seecession...

BOUS MARRIAGE NOTICE.—The notice published by us, last week, announcing the marriage of H. Albert McGraw and Miss Kate A. Eaton...

ILLUSTRATED PAPERS.—From H. Fettingler, proprietor of Oak Hall, we have received late copies of Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper...

WHAT REBEL PRISONERS THINK.—Some of the Fort Donelson Seecession prisoners confined at Chicago, have written a letter to the Nashville Patriot...

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE PRESIDENT, calling on the people to return thanks to the Ruler of the Universe for the late victories achieved by the arms of the Union, was obeyed by all denominated in this place, on Sunday last...

What is the best cloth for making soldiers warm? Drilling.

THE GALLANT DEED.—The editor of the Smyth Hill and Republican Union, of Junction, Davis Co., Kansas, thus alludes to the death of the late Col. Wm. G. Murray...

SMOOTH AND NICE.—We are now writing with one of J. H. Moore's Star Pens, and so smoothly and nicely does it glide over paper that we are almost afraid we shall slip in a fit about it...

CELEBRATION.—It is certain that if the ladies of Altoona and vicinity do not wear pretty dresses this summer, it will be no fault of our young merchant friend, R. A. O. Kerr...

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A flag of truce went up to Craney Island this afternoon and brought back two Norfolk papers. They were taken to Head Quarters, and though containing the important information of the unconditional surrender of Fort Pulaski...

Yet this moment is not one of unmixed sadness. What we regret the dissolution of these pleasing relations, there are many other considerations which should cause us to rejoice.

Corporal Law, of the Pulaski Guard, who did not leave Thunderbolt until after the flag was hoisted, brings the intelligence of the event. The surrender was unconditional.

Several large breaches were made in the south wall by the Federal batteries of eight Parrot guns, at King's Landing.

Colonel Olmstead, who was in command, telegraphed the previous evening that no human being could stand upon the ramparts for an hour, a single moment, and that over 1,000 large shells had exploded within the fort.

THE REBELS PUBLISHES the above as a postscript to a piece of its edition, and makes no comment upon any particulars as to the number of men and officers in the fort at the time of its surrender.

Despatches from Old Point give the following account of the fortifications of the rebels and the doings of our troops in the vicinity of Yorktown.

The rebel position extends across the Peninsula, from Yorktown to Warwick, near the James river, a short distance above Mulberry Point.

The Richmond news from the West is acting as an excellent stimulant for our army, and greatly encourages the troops, under their present hardships.

Gen. Lee and Joseph E. Johnston are both reported to be with the rebel forces here, one commanding at the Yorktown and the other at Warwick.

Some of the orders of the day is that one of our victorious regiments, at an important position, the holding of which will eventually lead to the forcing of the rebel line of defence.

Only six thousand of those fellows who proposed to "die in the last ditch," having previously "shed the last drop" of their precious blood, were quietly picked up by General Pope at Island No. 10.

The life which has self and selfish purposes for its object must always be a miserable failure.

Below we publish the address of Hon. L. W. Hall, delivered in the Senate, on Friday last, on the occasion of his vacating the Speaker's chair, and retiring from the Senate, his term having expired.

SENATORS: Strange and thoughts press upon us, in this closing scene, thoughts, deep and diffuse, blending the past, present and future, which we cannot utter.

I resign the trust you have committed to my hands with the consciousness that I have devoted my best efforts to the discharge of its duties, however imperfectly I may have succeeded.

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LIST OF JURORS—April Term, 1862. GRAND JURORS: Beagle John E., Junius. Caldwell Michael, Logan.

TRAVELERS JURORS—FIRST WEEK. Allison John, Altoona. Ambrose Alexander, Antis.

TRAVELERS JURORS—SECOND WEEK. Alexander James, Allegheny. Barkholder Philip, Logan.

MARRIED. On the 14th inst. by John McClellan, Esq., Mr. OREUS GOENHUIS to Miss MARY JANE PARRIS, both of Conemaugh, Cambria county.

DIED. In Hallsburg, on the 14th inst. ARTHUR HILL, aged 32 years.

400 CORDS of good ROCK OAK BARK, and also for HIDES, for sale at the highest market price.

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POKED OUT AGAIN! The undersigned would respectfully solicit the patronage of the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.

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ROUGH, DUNN'S, takes this opportunity of returning his thanks to the citizens of this place and vicinity, for the patronage they have bestowed on him, and desires to be the public in general, that he will continue

DRUGS, MEDICINES, OILS, PAINTS, PUTTY, VARNISHES, DYE-STUFFS, PERFUMERY

LIQUORS, FOR MEDICINAL USE, ALWAYS ON HAND. Physicallly Prescriptions

WINTER GOODS AT COST! And I feel confident that I can make it to the interest of any person in need of such goods, to call and examine

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RECOMMEND TO THE CITIZENS OF ALTOONA AND VICINITY

ROOFING & SPOUTING put up on short notice. They have a large stock of copper-smithing tools for their establishment

JUST OPENED AND READY FOR SALE AT M'CORMICK'S STORE, NICE NEW HAMPS, SHOULDERS AND SIDES

U. S. ARMY.—WANTED IMMEDIATELY, REGULAR SERVICE, a few more able-bodied men, between the ages of eighteen and thirty

JUST RECEIVED At the MODEL STORE, FLOUR, CORN MEAL, BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHITE BEANS

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.—The subscribers offer at Private Sale EIGHT BUILDING LOTS, situated on the top of the hill, above the

WALL PAPER AND BORDER We invite the attention of persons in want of the above article, to our

EMPLOYMENT! AGENTS WANTED! We will pay from \$35 to \$75 per month, and all expenses, to active Agents, or give a commission.

YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw high and low, JOSEPH'S EIGHT is the best. He is ready to challenge any man an Assolover whenever called upon.

CREED POTATOES.—I have the best NEW RED and NEWBURY POTATOES, in this county, for sale at

SPECTACLES AND EYE FRESSES.—I have the latest and most improved Spectacles and Eye FresSES, for sale at

Remember the place, Virginia street, first door above Jaggard's Hall, Altoona, Pa. [April 17, '62.]