



ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1862.

Ungratefulness of Rebellion and the Patriot's Duty.

The fresh air of our own mountain home is being breathed around us—the flowers in field, garden and wood are shedding their fragrance and...

We can but think that Satan must have called a council in his chambers of darkness, in order to devise some means whereby truth might be subverted...

But what, in view of the present state of affairs, is the duty of every loyal American citizen? Not, assuredly, to prowl around like a cat, to feed upon the carcass of the slain, nor yet, for their own gain...

It is remarkably easy for men at home, in the heart of the old Keystone State, to demand that the army be kept out of the swamps, and to cry aloud for it to press on, and storm the enemy's entrenchments...

What then, we ask again, is the duty of every loyal American citizen? We answer, to calmly consider and to promptly act. We have always thought that man displays his patriotism to the greatest advantage who says least and does most.

Strike till the last armed foe expires, Strike for your altars and your fires, Strike for the great graves of your sires, God and your native land.

To wives, mothers, sisters and daughters, we would say, do not, by any act of yours, retard our glorious cause. What can come by it you without a penny? It may be duty to give up those who are dear to you, but if duty demands the sacrifice, let it be made.

In this world's broad field of action, Be not like dumb driven cattle, But be heroes in the strife.

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Sons of Pennsylvania in New York City.

We publish with pleasure the following circular from the Sons of Pennsylvania resident in New York City, who have reflected honor on their State by forming themselves into an association for the purpose of looking after and providing for the sick and wounded soldiers of Pennsylvania regiments...

NEW YORK BRANCH OF THE PENNSYLVANIA SOLDIERS' BROTHERHOOD ASSOCIATION. The Sons of Pennsylvania resident in this City, have formed an Association, for the purpose of providing for the sick and wounded soldiers...

Be pleased, Sir, to bring this matter to the attention of the residents of your City and county, by having this Circular published in your Newspaper and announced from the pulpits of your Churches...

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.—The Harrisburg Telegraph comes to us with nearly five columns devoted to the proceedings of the Republican State Convention. The Hon. J. C. Knox was chosen permanent Chairman. The resolutions adopted by the Convention re-affirm the sentiments of the resolutions adopted by the loyal members of Congress, July 12th, 1862...

From the first report of the Executive Committee of the Association we learn that over 500 sick and wounded Pennsylvania soldiers have arrived at New York, of which number 268 have been sent to their homes, the others remaining in that city and at Albany. One donation of a box of linens, &c., has already been received.

The conduct of our men already in the field has shed immortal lustre on Pennsylvania. Let his brethren fly to arms to support them, and make victory speedily as well as certain.

Our heroic sons of Pennsylvania have moistened every battle field with their blood; thousands have bravely died defending the unity of the Republic and the sanctity of our flag...

The Juniata Sentinel has changed hands.—W. W. Davis, Esq., has vacated the editorial chair and is succeeded by Rev. A. L. Guss. Having entered and served out (the Senior's) apprenticeship, through some time as a journeyman and rose to the position of Junior Editor, in that office, we naturally feel as though we were meeting one of our own when we come across that paper...

The Bellefonte Watchman, one of the most contemptible Jeff Davis truckling sheets which we have ever defiled our fingers, says: "From other sections of the country we have news of 'great uprisings' and of men enlisting by the hundred, but here all is quiet and nobody seems to be in the least concerned."

Very Important from Arizona. Positive information has been received here stating that General Carlton's expedition from California, consisting of ten companies of infantry, five of cavalry and a battery—regulars and volunteers—have reached Santa Barbara, in Arizona, in safety and fine condition.

Volunteering Versus Drafting.—Mr. Diven, member of Congress from this State, says in the New York Times, who is engaged in raising volunteers among his constituents, has written a brief letter to a gentleman engaged in the same work, in which he remarks: "Don't say that we must resort to drafting. We have not the time to draft!"

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Together with all other diseases having their origin in a depraved condition of the blood or circulatory system. CASE OF DANIEL A. BOYD.

PITTSBURGH, December 31, 1861. DR. G. E. KEYSER—I take pleasure in making the following statement in favor of a medicine prepared by you, called "LINDSEY'S BLOOD SEARCHER."

I was twenty years of age, and was suffering from a disease which broke out on my head, and on my arms and below the elbow, and on the skin and head so far that several small pieces of bone came out. It was a very weak and low spirited, and I was given up all hope of getting well, as I had tried nearly all the skillful physicians and they did me no good.

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LOCAL ITEMS. GRAND Mass War Meeting TO BE HELD IN ALTOONA, On Saturday Even'g, July 26th AT 7 O'CLOCK.

Preliminary Meeting.—Pursuant to notice, number of the citizens of Altoona met at Mr. John Shoemaker's store, in the Masonic Temple, on Tuesday afternoon, to take action in reference to holding a Grand Mass War Meeting in this place on Saturday evening next, July 26th.

On motion, Dr. Wm. R. Findley was called to the Chair, and A. Roush and E. B. McCrum appointed Secretaries.

On motion, a committee of nine, consisting of Messrs. C. J. Mann, D. Laughman, John Shoemaker, Geo. W. Patton, Geo. W. Kessler, James Lee, Jos. G. Ludlow, John F. Bowman, James L. Gwin and Jos. H. Adair, was appointed to invite speakers for the occasion and draft a poster to be printed and circulated throughout the county.

On motion, a committee of five, consisting of Messrs. C. R. Hostetter, A. A. Smyth, John Woods, E. F. Rose and Geo. W. Sparks, was appointed to invite bands and glee club for the occasion.

On motion, a committee of twelve, consisting of Capt. Jacob Szink, Messrs. C. R. McCrea, Joseph Smith, F. W. Rauch, Johnston Moore, John Leary, George Hartwell, A. Maxwell, James Kearney, Jacob Hesser, John Condo and A. A. Smyth, was appointed to select the place for holding the meeting and make all necessary arrangements in the way of stands for the speakers and music and seats for the accommodation of the ladies.

On motion, a committee of seven, consisting of Messrs. Wm. H. Wilson, E. B. McCrum, Dr. J. M. Gemmill, Ralph Greenwood, B. F. Custer, D. J. Neff and S. M. Woodcock, was appointed a committee to draft a series of resolutions expressive of the sense of the people of this locality, to be presented for adoption by the mass meeting.

At the time we go to press we have not been furnished with the programme of the Mass Meeting, the time, since the holding of the preliminary meeting, being too short to have everything completed. Posters will be issued to-day containing particulars.

Everything which can be done by the committee to invite speakers have received favorable replies from Hon. S. Calvin, of Hollidaysburg, John Scott, Esq. of Huntingdon, Hon. L. W. Hall and D. J. Neff, S. M. Woodcock and L. M. Stewart, Esq., and Revs. Clark, Ehrenfeld, Kephart, Spotswood, Sember and Tuigg, of this place. They are also in correspondence with Hon. John C. Kunkel, of Harrisburg, and from intimations given out by Gov. Curtin, it is thought he will be present.

The meeting will be held in front of the Post Office, and seats for the accommodation of the ladies will be placed on the sidewalk opposite. The Altoona Brass Band will be in attendance and entertain the occasion by performing National airs, and we confidently expect that a large glee club, accompanied by Bolter's String Band, will cheer the audience by singing patriotic songs.

Another Regiment.—We learn from Col. Higgins that he has now eight companies under way, for his regiment, and confidently expects to be among the first in the field under the new organization. Our acquaintance with the Colonel has led us to form a high opinion of him as a man and a military officer. We know him to be strict in the performance of his own duties, and requiring the same of his men. Strictness leads to perfection in military drill, and this is all the better for the soldier. Having seen actual service, and been under fire in the Mexican war, he has a knowledge of the excitement of a battle field, and will thus be enabled to lead his men more coolly into battle.—We hope the Colonel may meet with good success in recruiting, and we feel certain that he will come out of the war creditably.