

**Aid to Volunteers.**  
The following patriotic communication from a number of our absent lumbermen and others, was received last night:  
MARIETTA, Linn. Co., Pa., Apr. 21, 1861.  
To the people of Clearfield county:  
The undersigned, your fellow citizens, being unavailingly absent from their homes, and not desiring for a moment that their cherished country will furnish her full quota of the military called forth by the President of the United States, to maintain and defend the Government in this hour of peril, take this, the earliest opportunity, to pledge themselves to each other, and to the public, for the payment of the respective sums set opposite our names, for the maintenance of the families of such patriotic citizens of the county as may volunteer or be enrolled in the service of their country, during the period of their absence.

**To Lumbermen:**  
**SAW MILL FOR SALE.** I have erected a new first class SAW-MILL for Eighty foot Timber, at DUNCANNON, below Green's Dam, on the Susquehanna—and desire to have a Partner who will furnish Squared Rafter Lumber at Green's Dam, to stock the Log Pond to its full capacity.  
This Mill will have the command of the market in Petersburg and Duncannon and of two-thirds of Perry county—and a large amount of business may be done at good prices. It is on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and in communication with Philadelphia and Baltimore.  
In the present depressed state of the Tidewater market, I invite attention to a home market that will remunerate. Address early by mail, or call on  
GRIFFITH JONES,  
ap24-6 Duncannon, Perry co., Pa.

**Great Discovery.**  
I HAVE made a discovery of the utmost importance to every married person of either sex, and will send the full particulars concerning it to any one on receipt of a stamp to pay for return postage. Address  
DR. J. H. MARTELL,  
ap24-1y Alfred, Maine.

**Wake up! Wake up!**  
**BLACKSMITHING.** THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he is now well established in his NEW SHOP on Pine street, opposite the Town Hall, in the borough of Clearfield, and upon his own hook, and where he is prepared to do all work in his line in the very best style, and on the shortest notice. His old customers are respectfully asked not to forget him, and any number of new ones are respectfully invited to give him a trial.  
EDGE TOOLS.—His reputation as a Maker and Repairer of Edge tools should of itself secure him a liberal patronage.  
GEORGE C. PASSMORE,  
April 24, 1861.

**Prepare for the Worst.**  
We deem it our duty, at this time, to warn our fellow citizens to take time by the forelock, to set their houses in order, and prepare, as far as possible, for the worst. Our lumber business is entirely ruined for the present. Our lumbermen have spent their last dollar in taking their timber to market, and cannot now dispose of it at any price. It is therefore the duty of all of us to look the frightful prospect full in the face. We can do much to alleviate our wants, if timely precautions are heeded. Let us all, therefore, go to work as if we knew there was no help for us beyond our own resources, to keep our families from absolute lack and pinching want. Wherever there is a foot of unoccupied ground let it be made to produce something for the sustenance of man or beast. Those who have no land, may have strong arms, and can cultivate that which large owners cannot cultivate—and put his faith in Providence to "give the increase."  
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**PUBLIC MEETING.**  
In pursuance of public notice a meeting of the citizens of Clearfield was held in the Town Hall, on Monday evening last. On motion Geo. Thorn was appointed President and T. J. McCullough and G. W. Rheam, Secretaries.  
The object of the meeting was then stated by Mr. McKeenly, when, on motions of W. A. Wallace and J. B. McEally, Esq's, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:  
Whereas, a number of States have seceded from the Union under an assumed right to do so, and forgetful of their duty have inaugurated war against the Government of the United States; and as the first duty of every citizen is, to sustain and uphold the flag of our country, and the Union of the States, and obey and preserve the sanctity of the law.  
And Whereas the President of the United States has called upon Pennsylvania to furnish troops to aid in sustaining the Government, maintaining its dignity and protecting the Capital against invasion, and in directing ourselves to all party affiliations and being willing to respond to the call, and whereas, the Washington Cadets of Clearfield have offered their services to the Governor, and are preparing to leave their homes at the call of their country. And it being manifestly proper that provision should be made for the support of the families of those who may volunteer therein.  
Resolved, That an Executive Committee to consist of five citizens be appointed by the Chairman to procure subscriptions for said purpose and report to a meeting to be held in this place on Monday evening next, 29th of April.  
All whose names are hereto subscribed do hereby agree to pay to the Committee appointed by this association, to be called the "Clearfield Soldiers' Association," the sums set opposite our names respectively to be appropriated to the relief of the families of such persons in our vicinity who may go into the military service of our country, and may hereafter need relief. The money so far as it is needed is to be paid to said Committee from time to time by assessments and to be distributed through said Committee to the several families as they need it.  
The Committee to consist of five persons to be elected or chosen by the association, and to have a Secretary by whom a faithful record of all money's paid and paid out shall be kept. By whom all subscriptions, records and proceedings shall be kept in proper order and an account rendered to the association when called upon.  
A meeting of the association may be called by the President of the same only any five members of the public notice. And in the appointment and discharge of the Committee as well as in other matters, the majority shall rule.  
Whereupon the Chair appointed J. B. McEally, Wm. A. Wallace, T. J. McCullough, A. M. Hill and G. L. Reed, the Committee in pursuance of the first resolution.  
On motion, the proceedings were ordered to be signed by the officers and published.

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**Wake up! Wake up!**  
**BLACKSMITHING.** THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he is now well established in his NEW SHOP on Pine street, opposite the Town Hall, in the borough of Clearfield, and upon his own hook, and where he is prepared to do all work in his line in the very best style, and on the shortest notice. His old customers are respectfully asked not to forget him, and any number of new ones are respectfully invited to give him a trial.  
EDGE TOOLS.—His reputation as a Maker and Repairer of Edge tools should of itself secure him a liberal patronage.  
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April 24, 1861.

**PREPARE FOR THE WORST.**  
We deem it our duty, at this time, to warn our fellow citizens to take time by the forelock, to set their houses in order, and prepare, as far as possible, for the worst. Our lumber business is entirely ruined for the present. Our lumbermen have spent their last dollar in taking their timber to market, and cannot now dispose of it at any price. It is therefore the duty of all of us to look the frightful prospect full in the face. We can do much to alleviate our wants, if timely precautions are heeded. Let us all, therefore, go to work as if we knew there was no help for us beyond our own resources, to keep our families from absolute lack and pinching want. Wherever there is a foot of unoccupied ground let it be made to produce something for the sustenance of man or beast. Those who have no land, may have strong arms, and can cultivate that which large owners cannot cultivate—and put his faith in Providence to "give the increase."  
THE SOUTHERN PORTS BLOCKADED.  
President Lincoln has issued a Proclamation blockading all the ports in all the States South of Maryland.  
ANOTHER PROCLAMATION FROM GOVERNOR CURTIN.  
Gov. Curtin has issued a proclamation calling an extra session of the Legislature to meet at Harrisburg on the 30th instant, (a week from tomorrow) for the purpose of "enabling the Executive to make the military power of the State as available and efficient as it should be for the common defence of the State and General Government."

**PRIME LOT of Fresh Drugs just received and opened at HARTSWICKS.**  
**WHITE ZINC**, ground in Damar Vaseline, in 2 lb. cans, at HARTSWICKS.  
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