



CLEARFIELD, PA.

Wednesday Morning, Jan. 27th, 1864

The Draft.

We cannot learn that there is any time fixed, as yet, when the next draft is to take place. Congress has altered the law by throwing the two classes together, and increasing the commutation from \$300 to \$400.

This prosecution grew out of an occurrence at a political meeting at Curwensville, previous to the October election; at which time Geo. A. Bloom, the prosecutor, struck William Adleman and broke open a fresh severe wound received at Gettysburg—Adleman having had his lower jaw badly shattered by a ball at that battle.

Few men realize that the present war is costing us. The contributions assume a thousand different shapes. In the first place, and at the head of the column, we have the direct expenses of the General Government at the rate of about three millions of dollars per day; or one thousand millions a year.

SANTIAGO, Chili, Dec. 14, 1863. DEAR SIR—It has been the custom for the past five years to celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, with great zeal and pomp, in the Church of the Company or Jesuit Church.

Although many heroic men performed prodigies of daring and strength, in tearing some from the death-grasp of the phalanx of death that choked the door, in some cases literally tearing off their arms, without being able to extricate them.

NOTICE & CAUTION. HAVING made application to the Assessor of the 19th Collection District, Pennsylvania, and a License as Assessor I would inform the citizens of Clearfield that I will attend to "collecting rates."

Whenever the people of this country submit to such encroachments upon their personal liberty, there is an end to our boasted freedom. A case in illustration was tried a few days ago in Fulton county. John Forney was over 45 years of age—he so informed the enrolling officer.

What is here taught? Why, that the focus between Bloom and Adleman justified somebody [we shall not say who, for the reason that a new trial has been moved in the case] in following Bloom 5 miles to his home, with a can of tar and a bag of feathers, and, failing to secure their victim, they fell to abusing his family, endangering the lives of his wife and children, and destroying his property.

SECOND ARMY CORPS. HEADQUARTERS RECRUITING SERVICE. HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 14, 1864. Authority having been given me to recruit the 2d Corps to fifty thousand men for special service, under my command, as may be designated by the War Department, I appeal to the citizens of Pennsylvania to aid me in filling up the regiments and batteries of my command which owe their origin to the State.

In a moment the flames darted up the garlands of artificial flowers to the roof, the immense cupola caught fire and the lamps, suspended from the roof by cords, dropped and exploded among the densely packed mass of women kneeling beneath.

WAR, OR NO WAR. A FRESH ARRIVAL OF WINTER GOODS AT THE CHEAP CASH STORE. I am just receiving and opening a new selected stock of Spring and Summer goods of almost every description.

IMPORTANT NEWS. THE REBELLION BROKEN OPEN. A War of Extermination is being waged against HIGH PRICES. A NEW FIRM BOYNTON & SHOWER. The subscribers having purchased the interest of the late firm of Graham, Boynton and Shower, have the honor to announce to the public generally.

Who are Disunionists? We have always said that the present Abolition rulers of the country are the real disunionists. Here is another proof, clear and incontestible, that it is not the restoration of the Union that they want.

Another outrage—The office of the Northumberland Democrat, was entered on the night of the 18th inst., by a mob, and almost totally destroyed. Are such scenes to be revived? If so, Democrats may well prepare themselves for the "evil day."

Let it not be that those organizations which have won for themselves and their State so much honor, shall pass out of existence for the want of patriotism in the people. Unless these regiments are filled to the minimum strength they will soon cease to exist.

DR. TOBIAS' VENETIAN HORSE LINIMENT. IN PINT BOTTLES AT FIFTY CENTS, cures lameness, cuts, galls, colic, &c. Read the following: DORTON, July 7th, 1860. Dr. Tobias—We have used for the past year your Horse Liniment for lameness, kicks, bruises, &c. and in every instance found it the best article I ever tried in this class of complaint.

Notice. BY a resolution of the Board of Managers of the Philadelphia and Susquehanna Turnpike Road Company, it was Resolved to enforce the law on every person or persons that would obstruct said Road by laying or leaving Timber, or any other obstruction, so as to interfere with the general travel.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS. Such as carpet, oilcloth, linens, curtains, bedsteads, looking glasses, lamps, chairs, tables, etc. brooms, brushes, baskets, washboards, etc. on hand, in stock, or to be made.

What was the result? Why, it was tabled—voted down by the Abolitionists—79 to 56. Is further proof wanted?

WINFIELD S. HANCOCK, Maj. Gen. U. S. Vols.

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