LOCAL NEWS.

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THE MAILS.—Under the change of schedule on the different railroads, the time of closing the mails at the Harrisburg Post Office, April 15, 1861 is as follows:

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

East.—6 a. m.—way mail, 12.15 p. m., 9. p. m., 3.30 p. m.

West.—12 m.—way mail, 3.30 p. m., 9 p. m.

COLUMBIA BRANCH, P. R. R.

3.30 p. m.

NORTHERN CENTRAL R. R.

South.—12.15 p. m.—way mail, 9. p. m.

North.—1 p. m.

LEBANON VALLEY R. R.

7.30 a. m.

DAUPHIN AND SUSQ. R. R.

1.30 p. m.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY R. R.

7.30 a. m., 1 p. m.—way mail.

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Postage to California, Colorado, Nevada, Dakotah and Oregon, 10 cents.

All letters and transient newspapers are required to be pre-paid by stamps before they can be mailed.

RAIN.—We had quite a refreshing rain yesterday morning, which cooled the atmosphere and settled the dust for a time at least.

THE LEGISLATURE.—The Legislature will meet to-morrow. Nearly all the members have already arrived.

A special meeting of the Citizen Fire Company will be held this evening for the transaction of important business. I. T. BOWMAN, Sec'y.

BRADFORD.—We understand that 400 men from Bradford county are encamped at Troy awaiting orders to march.

ARMY CLOTHING.—A large amount of army clothing will be shipped at Philadelphia to-day for this city, York and Chambersburg.

BLAIR AHEAD.—There are eight brothers in the different companies that came on from Blair county Sorry we did not learn the name.

AMMUNITION FOR CHAMBERSBURG.—A special train loaded with ammunition and several brass 5 pounders, went up to Chambersburg on Saturday night.

The Home guard of the city of Harrisburg will, meet on Monday, (this) evening, April 29, 1861, in front of the capital, for drill—without respect to wards, without arms.

E. W. ROBERTS, Captain.

THE Home Guard of the Third ward are requested to meet at Military Hall (corner of Third and Walnut) at 7½ o'clock, on Tuesday evening next to designate the time when they will meet to organize.

EXPECTED TO MARCH.—The Fourteenth Regiment will in all probability be forwarded to York this evening. The Ninth will probably remain, as well as the Fifteenth and Sixteenth, after organization, until a new requisition for troops is made.

A QUIET SABBATH.—Yesterday was a remarkably quiet Sabbath. Although the taverns and lager beer saloons were open, there were few drunken men on the street. In fact we have seen *more on Sundays when the law was supposed to* be enforced.

A MAN IN THE RIVER.—Some considerable excitement was caused upon the river bank yesterday morning by a man who was troubled with the "*rats.*" In order to escape the imaginary phantoms that pursued, he divested himself of his clothing, and swam to the island and back. A boat was sent after him, but being an excellent swimmer, he made the landing, considerably improved by his cold bath.

NOT ON A "WAR FOOTING."—The Goshen (Ind.) *Democrat* gives the following statement of the military *status* of Elkhart county:

20 old flint-lock muskets—breech-loading.
20 ramrods.
10 cartridge boxes.
4 umbrellas.
2,960 *pocket pistols.*

The muskets are very old, and entirely unfit for service; but the *pocket pistols* are perfect, with the exception of cocks.

FLAG RAISINGS.—A splendid flag, raised by contribution, was placed upon the Lancasterian school house on Saturday afternoon. An interesting feature on the occasion was the meeting of the school boys, who sang the "Star Spangled Banner" and "Hail Columbia" with most thrilling effect.

Flags were also raised on Saturday in front of King's hardware store, and the residence of Jonas Rady and John Young.

FOURTH WARD HOME GUARDS.—A preliminary meeting of the enrolled members of the Fourth ward, will take notice that they are required to meet at the First Baptist Church, on the corner of Pine and Second streets, on Monday evening, the 29th inst., at 7½; and all derirous of uniting, will also attend.

J. MAGLAUCHLIN,
L. BARNHARD,
W. P. HUGHES,
Committee on Enrollment.

THE DANVILLE COMPANIES.—The borough of Danville has sent forward two fine companies—the Danville Rifles, Captain M'Clure, and the Columbia Guards, Captain Ephlin. The first arrived on Thursday and the last on Friday, accompanied by Stoes' Silver Cornet Band, Col. O. More, and a number of prominent citizens of Columbia county. Both companies were supplied with ten days provision, and provided with a change of clothing by the ladies of Danville.

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.—In ardor and patriotism Schuylkill is second to no county in the State.—She contributes to the Pennsylvania line twenty-two companies, composed of 1,860 men!—or more than two regiments and a half. This is the best effort made by any county. Some of the mining districts must be nearly depopulated; and yet we hear that efforts are making to raise new companies. The relief fund subscribed up to last Friday amounted to $12,620.

THE RELIEF FUND.—The first payment out of the relief fund to those who were dependent upon men who have volunteered in defence of the country, was made on Friday last, and weekly instalments will hereafter be made *pro rata*, according to the size of families, every Friday afternoon, between 5 and 6 o'clock.

We understand that some few have not made application for relief, under the impression that the fund is a charitable one. This is false delicacy. Men have armed themselves and marched to defend the country, and, consequently, the country is bound to take care of those who were dependent upon them for support, and all *who need the relief* should accept of it, no matter where it comes from, whether from the county, the city, or by private contribution.

THE LAWS OF WAR.—The prospect of hostilities between the United States Government and the Confederate States renders some inquiry into the law of nations on this subject appropriate and interesting. What are the legal consequences, and what the practical bearing, of a state of war upon the individual rights of citizens of the two Confederacies having dealings with each other, are questions which should be clearly understood. As a contribution from a standard authority to the general stock of knowledge on the subject, we quote some extracts from Kent's Commentaries, as found in Lecture 3d, on the Law of Nations, vol. 1:

INTERDICTION OF COMMERCIAL INTERCOURSE.

One of the immediate and important consequences of the declaration of war is the absolute interruption and interdiction of all commercial correspondence, intercourse and dealing between the subjects of the two countries. The idea that any commercial intercourse or pacific dealing can lawfully subsist between the people of the powers at war, except under the clear and express sanction of the Government, and without a special license, is utterly inconsistent with the new class of duties growing out of a state of war. The interdiction flows, necessarily, from the principle already stated, that a state of war puts all the members of the two nations, respectively, in hostility to each other; and to suffer individuals to carry on a friendly or commercial intercourse, while the two Governments were at war, would be placing the acts of Government and the acts of individuals in contradiction to each other. It would counteract the operations of war, and throw obstacles in the way of the public efforts, and lead to disorder, imbecility and treason.

It follows, as a necessary consequence of the doctrines of the illegality of all intercourse or traffic without express permission, that all contracts with the enemy made during the war are utterly void. The insurance of any enemy's property is an illegal contract, because it is a species of trade and intercourse with the enemy. The drawing of a bill of exchange, by an alien enemy, on a subject of the adverse country, is an illegal and void contract, because it is a communication and contract. The purchase of bills on the enemy's country, or the remission and deposit of funds there, is a dangerous and illegal act, because it may be cherishing the resources, and relieving the wants of the enemy. The remission of funds, in money or bills, to subjects of the enemy is unlawful. The inhibition reaches to every communication, direct or circuitous. All endeavors to trade with the enemy, by the intervention of a third person, or by partnerships, have equally failed, and no artifice has succeeded to legalize the trade without the express permission of the Government.

Trading supposes the existence of civil contracts and relations, and a reference to courts of justice; and it is, therefore, necessarily contradictory in a state of war. It affords aid to an enemy in an effectual manner, by enabling the merchants of the enemy's country to support their government, and it facilitates the means of conveying intelligence and carrying on a traitorous correspondence with the enemy. These considerations apply with peculiar force to Maritime States, where the principal object is to destroy the marine and commerce of the enemy, in order to force them to peace. It is a well settled doctrine in the English courts, and with the English jurists, that there cannot exist, at the same time a war of arms and a peace for commerce. The war puts an end at once to all dealing and all communication with each other, and places every individual of the respective governments, as well as the governments themselves, in a state of hostility. This is equally the doctrine of all the authoritative writers on the law of nations, and of the maritime ordinances of all the great Powers of Europe. It is equally the received law of this country, and was so decided frequently by the Congress of the United States during the Revolutionary war, and again by the Supreme Court of the United States during the course of the last war; and it is difficult to conceive of a point of doctrine more deeply or extensively rooted in the general maritime law of Europe, and in the universal and immemorial usage of the whole community of the civilized world.

Every relaxation of the rule tends to corrupt the allegiance of the subject, and prevents the war from fulfilling its end. The only exception to this strict and rigorous rule of international jurisprudence is the case of ransom bills, and they are contracts of necessity, founded on a state of war, and engendered by its violence. It is also a further consequence of the inability of the subjects of the two States to commune or carry on any correspondence or business together that all commercial partnerships, existing between the subjects of the two parties prior to the war, are dissolved by the mere force and act of the war itself, though other contracts, existing prior to the war, are not extinguished, but the remedy is only suspended, and is, from the inability of an alien enemy to sue or to sustain, in the language of the civilians, a *persona standi in judicio.* The whole of this doctrine respecting the illegality of any commercial intercourse between the inhabitants of two nations at war, was extensively reviewed, and the principal authorities, ancient and modern, foreign and domestic, were accurately examined and the positions which have been laid down established, in the case of Griswold vs. Waddington, decided in the Supreme Court of this State, and afterwards affirmed on error.

EXPERIMENTS WITH IRON.—M. Schimmelbuch, of Liege, has published an account of some interesting experiments with iron recently made by him. A bar of pure unalloyed iron was struck by a hammer three times in a minute for six consecutive weeks. At the expiration of this time it broke into three pieces. Before the experiment, the bar was a good specimen of fibrous iron; after, on the contrary, its fracture exhibited a brilliant chrystalized structure resembling that of antimony. A bar of iron, alloyed with nickel, submitted to the same treatment, underwent no change. A very simple means exists of recognizing this changed condition of iron, so dangerous in its consequences. Pure iron, when magnetized by contact, loses its magnetic properties immediately when the needle is detached. On the other hand, iron combined with minute quantities of some foreign body, such as carbon, oxygen, sulphur or phosphorus, remains magnetized. Specimens of iron alloyed with carbon, manganese, zinc, cobalt, tin, chrome, and nickel, successively tested, show that nickel is the only one that can be adopted, commercially, to correct the tendency to chrystalize in pure iron, which it is so desirable to overcome. The quantity of nickel required to produce the desired effect varies between one per cent. and the two-thousandth part. The experiments made by M. Schimmelbuch were directed chiefly to studying the effects of the addition of the mineral wolf-ram to pure iron. This addition imparts the greatest hardness, tenacity and density to the iron—invaluable qualities in axles of machinery, locomotives, steamboats, light cannon, etc. The most inferior kinds of iron acquire an extraordinary tenacity, and a hardness superior to that of cast-steel, by an addition of two to five per cent. of this mineral, according to the quality of the iron that is employed.

THE MINNIE RIFLE.—The first rifle in vogue in France was the so-called pillar rifle of Thouvenin, but the invention of M. Minnie is the one which has practically revolutionized the fire arms of the present day. The improvements made by M. Minnie are confined almost wholly to the form of the projectile, and have very little reference to that of the gun out of which it is fired. The ball is of an oblong conical form, something like an acorn without its cup; but instead of being solid, this cone is hollowed out at the base into a cup like form. The advantages of this form of projectile are that it offers less resistance to the air than a round ball would, and that having its centre of gravity in its foremost part, it has no tendency to turn over in its flight; but its chief merit in a military point of view, is that with it the rifle can be loaded as easily as the ordinary smooth-bored gun, the forcing of the ball into the grooves of the barrel being effected by the explosion of the gunpowder, and not by the ramrod. The form of the rifle proper to these connical missiles differs very little from those used with the old spherical bullet, except that a three grooved rifle has superceded the old two grooved gun, and it is still an unsettled question whether four grooves would not be better than three. With this weapon the soldier can make far better practice at five hundred, or even one thousand yards, than he could with the old musket at one hundred or two hundred yards.

SUITABLE MATERIALS FOR ARMY CLOTHING.—The following is from a graduate of West Point—one who has seen service, and whose opinion is entitled to consideration:

As many mistakes have been made in the selection of materials for clothing our volunteers, a few suggestions from an ex army officer will not be amiss. The clothing prescribed for the soldiers of the regular army, after long experience, is undoubtedly the best for volunteers. The overcoat, uniform coat, sack-coat or blouse, trowsers and blankets, should be of wool, without any mixture of cotton, and should conform, in cut and make, to those used in the regular army. The stockings should be of coarse wool—no cotton; flannel shirts of wool and cotton, the less cotton the better; drawers of cotton flannel. Clothing is usually issued twice a year, in quantities as follows: To each soldier, one hat, one forage cap, one uniform-coat, two sack-coats, two pair drawers, three flannel shirts, four pair bootees, four pair stockings in one year: two blankets, two leather stocks in five years; three pairs of trowsers the first year, two pairs the second year.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY.—Although Clearfield county has not yet sent a company, it has been ascertained that 350 of her men, who were down the river on rafts, instead of returning home, enlisted in companies formed along the river. Four hundred men are now enrolled in the county, and a regiment will be completed within a few days Walter Barrett, Esq., son of Judge Barrett, has arrived for the purpose of tendering the services of the Regiment to the Governor. We hope the Clearfield boys will have a chance to show their valor. If theiy are all like our young friend Barrett, they will make their mark.

ASTONISHING.—It is quite a sight to see the ladies crowd to the new store opened at the corner of Second and Walnut streets, in Shoemaker's row. They sell splendid Ginghams at 10 cents per yard; Ladies' white handkerchiefs at 3 cents apiece; also, splendid carpets for 18 cents, worth anywhere 25; Rugs, Druggets, Mats and Mattings at uncommonly low prices; Dress Silks as low as 70 cts. per yard. Another lot of those fashionable Dress Goods, together with 5 and 6 cent Muslins, just arrived.

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Rev. Syl. Eagle, " St. Patrick Church.
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REFERENCES—Hon. Chas. Mason, Hon. Jos. Holt, Hon. W. D. Bishop, Hon. P. F. Thomas. apl9 d1y

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