CARLISLE, PA. Friday, April 10, 1861.

Our paper is a little behind time this week on account of being short of hands in the office. The proprietor and one of the graduates are members of Capt. Hender son's company, while another is with the Sumper Rifles at Harrisburg, all of them engaged in handling Shooting sticks of a very different kind from those in the office, and instead of setting types, are learning how to " set a squadron in the field."

Proclamation of Gov. Curtin. HARRISBURG, April 20 .- The following proclamation has just been issued by the Gover-

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER OF PENNSYLVANIA,) HARRISBUBG, April 20, 1861.

Pennsylvania ss. In the name and by the authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Andrew G. Curtin, Governor of the said Commonwealth-

, A PROCLAMATION. Whereas, An armed rebellion exists in a portion of the States of this Union, threaten-ing destruction of the National Government, periling the public and private property, endangering the peace and security of this Commonwealth, and inciting a systematic piracy upon our commerce; and whereas, adequate provision does not exist by law to enable 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 the General Government. And whereas, An occasion so extraordinary requires a prompt exercise of the Legislative power of the State.

Therefore I, Andrew G. Curtin, Governor

of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution, do hereby convene the General As-sembly of this Commonwealth, and require the members of the Senate and House of Repre sentatives to meet in their respective Houses, in the Capitol, at Harrisburg, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, A. D. 1861, at 12 o clock, noon of that day, then and there to take into consideration and adopt such meas ures in the premises as the present exigency may seem to them in their wisdom to do

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the Commonwealth to be fixed at Harrisburg, this 20th day of April, in the year of our Lord, 1861, and of the Independence of the United States the eighty-sixth. By the Governor.

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Appropriation by the Board of Com-

Extract from the Minutes,) COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, April 22, 1861. WHEREAS a large public meeting of the citizens of Cumberland county was held in the Court House, in the borough of Carlisle, or Saturday, the 20th just., to consider the pres ent fearful crisis, and the position and wants of the General Government; and whereas, as said meeting, a resolution was unanimously passed requesting the Commissioners of the county to appropriate the sum of \$15,000 towards the support and maintenance of the amilies of those who may need assistance, and who bravely volunteer to rush to the de fence of the institutions of our unhappy and distracted country; and whereas, we have reason to believe, from the representations of citizens from all townships, and members of all parties, that it is the unanimous wish of patriotic people, that their funds should be thus appropriated, and that we should take such measures as will insure the faithful appropriation of the money, to the purposes in tended; and whereas, the action of our volunteers is an object of the first necessity .-

Therefore,

Resolved, By the Board of Commissioners of Cumberland county, all being present and concurring, that a Soldiers' Relief Committee be appointed, with the request that they will inquire, without delay, into the wants and circumstances of the families of those who have gone into the service of the United leaving families dependent upon then for support; and they are further requested to report the result of their inquiries to the Commissioners, with the name and size of the families of each, and every volunteer who may need assistance, with the pecuniary condition and situation of the volunteer and his family, with the recommendation in regard to the wants of each family.

Resolved, That the following persons are bereby appointed for the performance of the duties above mentioned, in the respective townships and horoughs, with the reques that they meet at the Commissioners' Office on Saturday, the 4th day of May next: Carlisle-John D. Gorgas, J. W. Eby, E Cornman, Geo. W. Sheafer, Henry Suxton. Dickinson-Wm. McGlaughlin, John Mor-

East Pennsborough-David Deitz, Geo. W

Frankford-John Wallace, Jas. B. Leckey Hopewell-Robert Elliot, D. Shumaker. Hampden-John Zeamer, T. B. Bryson. Lower Allen-Wm. R. Gorgas, Christian

Monroe-Geo. Brindle, M. Bricker. Mechanicsburg-John Sadler, Wm. Eckels. Mifflin-John Shulenberger, Sam'l. Megaw. New Cumberland-Joseph Feeman, Ower

Newville-James McCandlish, John Mur-Phey. Newton-Skiles Woodburn, S. W. Sharp.

North Middleton-Wm. F. Sweiger, Wm. M. Henderson.
Penn.—Jacob Redsecker, James Moore.
Silver Spring—John Clendenin, Jacob

South Middleton-Hugh Stuart, Wm. B Mallin. Southampton-Joseph M. Means, W. Clark

Shippensburg Borough-R. P. McClure, Bamuel Harris.

Shippeasburg Township-Elias B. Hoch. Upper Allen-Jas Graham, M. Cocklin. West Penusborough-Peter Ritner, Sum'l

Resolved, That we will receive proposals until the 4th of May next, at 10 o'clock. A. M., for a lean of \$15,000, on an issue of the bonds of the county, in sums not less than two hundred dollars, bearing six per cent. interest, payable in one and two years.

Attest. J. ARMSTRONG, Clerk.

Terrible Disaster Among the Pennsylvania Oil Wells.

ERIE, N. Y., Thursday, April 18 .- An awful catastrophe happened last night on the "Bufrom a spouting well took fire and explode killing seven men. Among them was Mr Rouse, an ex-member of the Legislature.— The Buchanan Farm, on which over one hundred wells are yielding oil, is now in flames, as all the wells are now on fire. The loss in oil, derricks, &c., is immense.

TROOPS SENT WEST. Two large trains having on board nearly two thousand men, passed through this place, on Tuesday night last, for Chambersburg, where they arrived safely at midnight. Their destination is unknown, but it is supposed they will be stationed near the line, to prevent a surprise from the neighborhood of Harper's Ferry, where, it is said, there is a force of Virginia troops. We are informed that the troops compose the 7th Regiment, Col. Wm. H. Irvin, and the 8th Regiment, Col. A. H. Buley.

The streets were crowded, during the passage of the trains, with a large population, inoluding many ladies, who greeted the military with much enthusiasm.

TROOPS RETURNED,-The 2d Cavalry who left Carlisle Barracks, on Sunday night, returned yesterday. They will probably be mounted before they leave ngain.

OUR FLAG. IS THERE.



When the Government is assailed, its laws set at defiance, its property seized and destroyed, its flag insulted, and the oupitol of the country menaced by armed traitors, every true patriot will take his glorious emblem of that Union which not for us is against us, and the man whose loyalty to the country is doubted should have no place amoung freemen. While we may deplore the evils of civil war, we must sustain the Government. The responsibility of that war rests alone on traitors, who have determined to sever the Union, and have given bloody expression to that determination by an appeal to the sword. In such a contest there is no middle ground. In the name of constitutional liberty, in the name of law and order, in the name of all that is dear to American citizens, we must stand by the flag, and those entrusted with its keeping. Then stand by the flag! It and the Cumberland County Volunteers the weakest point of the enemy. on the shores of Lake Eric, and the same flag which Pennsylvania Volunteers assisted to plant on the citadel at Mexico. The time-honored flag, hallowed by so many recollections of the past, floats as field, we will stand by it, and God defend the right.

Interview between the Mayor of Bal-timore and President Lincoln. Mayor Brown, of Baltimore, has been summoned to Wast is ston, by the President, for consultation in regard to, preserving the peace of Maryland. The Mayor left in company with prominent citizens of Baltimore, and we make the following extracts from his statements. He says:

After a series of delays they were enabled. to procure a special train, about half past seven o'clock, in which they arrived at Washington about ten. They repaired at once to the President's house, where they were admitted to immediate interview, to which the Cabinet and General Scott were summoned. A long conversation and discussion ensued. The President, upon his part, recognized the good faith of the city own. He admitted the excited state of feel | large sum was subscribed on the spot for the ing in Baltimore, and his desire and duty to avoid the fatal consequences of a collision with the people. He urged on the other Customer of the Bream of the Brea hand, the absolute, irresistible necessity of having a transit through the State for such troops as might be necessary for the protec

tion of the federal capitol. The protection of Washington, he asseverated, with great earnestness, was the sole object of concentrating troops there, and he protested that none of the troops brought through Maryland were intended for any purpose hostile to the State, or aggressive as against the Southern States. Being now unable to bring them up the Potomac in security, the government must either bring them through Maryland or abandon the capital. He called on Gen. Scott for his opinion, which the General gave at length, to the ef-Annapolis, and thence by rail to Washington, or by bringing them to the Relay House ton, or by bringing them to the Relay House on the Northern Central railroad, and and Baltimore Railroad between Havre-de-

the capital. If the people would permit them to go by would be avoided If the people would not permit them a transit thus remote from the city, they must select their own best route, and, if need be fight their way through Baltimore, a result which the General earnestly depreciated. The President expressed his mitted to go uninterrupted by either of the the Secretary of War expressed his parti-

Mayor Brown assured the President that the city authorities would use all lawful nized. The others were assaulted, while Baltimore to attack the troops in passing at | wounded. a distance; but he urged, at the same time, the impossibility of their being able to promise anything more than their best efforts in that direction. The excitement, was great, he told the President; the people of all classes were fully aroused, and it was impossible for any one to answer for the consequences of a presence of Northern troops anywh re within our borders. He reminded the President also that the jurisdiction of the city authorities was confined to their own population, and that he could give no prom-

ises for the people elsewhere, because he would be unable to keep them if given. The President frankly acknowledged this difficulty, and saw that the Government could only ask the city authorities to use their best efforts with respect to those under their jurisdiction.

The interview terminated wiith the dis-The interview terminated wiith the distinct assurance on the part of the President steamer Baltic, and the Seventy-first on the that no more troops would be sent through Bultimore unless obstructed in their transit in other dirictions, and with the understand. ing that the city authorities should do their probably as an escort. The steamer Columbest to restrain their own people.

The mayor and his companions availed themselves of the President's full discussion manions availed of the questions of the day, to urge upon him respectfully, but in the most entnest manner to the country, and especially the withdrawal of all orders contemplating the passage of troops through any part of Maryland.

SEMI WHEKLY DISPATOR .- G. H. Merklein & Co, of Chambersburg have commenced the publication of a Semi-weekly paper, called the Dispatch, at two dollars per annum. It presents a very neat appearance, and we parting. hope the people of Franklin county will sustain the enterprise of the publishers.

FARMER'S HIGH SCHOOL. This Institution is destined to be of great importance to the the east. Agricultural interests of Pennsylvania; and We are glad to find that the difficulties under torvilet Arsenal to-day.

Which it has belonged for weath of finder are which it has labored for want of funds, are cer, arrived here states that the steamer tion from the State.

For the HERALD. THE WAR.

Sometimes a looker-on at a game of chess, can see moves which the players might over-

What we seem most in need of at the present time, are experienced commanders, and a supply of the material of war. There can be little doubt of the fact, that 2500 Carolinians are on the march for Rich-

mond, and that Virginia is concentrating her 20,000 men; and we may expect the fight next week, for by every days delay they are strengthened.

The danger Washington is in, arises from the city being surrounded by a hostile coun try; for Baltimore and some parts of Maryland are doing all they can by destroying rail roads, burning bridges, seizing provisions and stand under the Stars and Stripes, the arms, and harassing our troops, to prevent any supplies reaching Washington. What has done so much for the progress of more can her Governor do, than to issue his the world. In such a crisis, he who is proclamation that no troops shall pass through her territory, when there is no other way of getting to Washington. We should not therefore, be over scrupulous in acting as our safety requires, whether she is pleased or not. Gen. Wool, with ten thousand men, ought it appears to me, to take immediate posses s on of Anbapelis; by so doing he would keep the communication open for the troops from the north, and be able to advance on Washington or Richmond, as circumstances might require. The force at Harrisburg that are armed and ready ought to murch on Harper's Ferry, which if they could take, they would 75,000 efficient till after the meeting of Conbe in a condition to watch Baltimore, and ad-vance on that city, if the froops there made present herself to Congress on the 4th of July any demonstration, or in case of an attack on Washington, they could, by a forced march, take the enemy in the rear.

The troops in Franklin county could adis the same banner under which the vance to Greencastle and Mercersburg and Carlisle Blues marched to the defence of sustain the division advancing into Virginia. Baltimore, when her citizens were at the Delay is ruin; the great success of Napoleon mercy of British bayonets. The same in his Italian campaign was his rapid moveflag which led the Carlisle Guards to the that each supported the other, while they all defence of Philadelphia. The same flag could be concentrated at the critical moment, which floated over the Carlisle Infantry and brought with all their force to bear on

AUBURN, April 19, 1861. To the Editor of the CARLISLE HERALD: -. The warlike feeling is aroused in this city, the home of Wm. H. SEWARD. And not among proudly now as ever; and while a stripe ological Seminary. Before day-break two of it will only be by the action of the northern remains, or a star glistens on its blue the students, Mr J. W. Rough formerly of States. Kentucky will have to be forced out Dickinson College, and Mr. C D. Fingler of '58 of Union College, nailed the Stars sand Stripes upon the topmost part of the steeple of the centre building of the Seminary; and the first rays of the morning sun glanced across its brilliant folds. The appearance of the flag was greeted with loud and prolonged It is stuted that there were 1300 stand of arms cheering by the students, and the ringing of the bell, while the ladies in all parts of the city welcomed the glorious emblem with waving of handkerchiefs, and the citizens saluted it with the thundering of cannon. The scene awakened an enthusiasm scarcely parallelled in the history of Auburn.

This afternoon we had a large and enthusiastic meeting of the citizens in the Court whole assemblage joining in the chorus. Theodore Pomeroy, member of Congress, made a stiring and patriotic speech, as did Gen. Surand State authorities, and insisted upon his goine, Capt. T. J. Kennedy, and others. A

> UNION. THE WAR!

The excitement now prevailing in the counhat is going on. In regard to the movements n the South, little is known, as the telegraph- | Krauth, D. D. c lines are cut off, and the rumors in circulation are based only on such information as can received with great allowance for exaggera- nected with the operations of the Society. feet, that troops might be brought through have condensed the reports as much as pos- this meeting. Officers and managers of Aux-

On Saturday last, the rioters destroyed all murching them to the Relay House on the Washington railroad, and thence by rail to

delphis. Fortress Monroe has been reinforced by the either of these routes uninterruptedly, the necessity of their passing through Baltimore regiments of regulars having been landed at that place.

The Massachusetts regiment of volunteers and Gen Small's brigade, who left Philadel phia ou Friday morning early were mobbed in Baltimore on their way to the Washington Depot, the rails torn up, and a collision hearty concurrence in the desire to avoid a collision, and said that no troops should be military were called out, the city placed under martial law, and the minute men rallied to preserve order, which was finally restored. other routes suggested. In this disposition the Philadelphia military who were in the the Secretary of War expressed his partiwere unarmed, and having no uniform several escaped into the city, and were not recogmeans to prevent their citizens from leaving the cars, with missiles, and some were s'ightly

There were reports of difficulties on the road between the city and Washington, but they proved incorrect, and all reached the tol safely, except the Philadelphians, who were taken back.

Departure of a Fleet with Armed Soldiers. New York, April 21-Evening.-The Rhode Island regiment under command of Governor Sprague, 1000, strong, arrived here this morning and left in the steamer Coatzacoalcos at

The Sixth. Twelfth, and Seventy-first New York Regiments, comprising 3,000 men, marched down Broadway at noon, to-day fully armed and equipped. The scene on Broad way was perfectly unparalleled, and the march was a perfect ovation. The crowd was estimated at over a million of people who show-cred their blessings on the troops, and exhibited the wildest demonstrations of patriotism

steamer R. R. Cuyler, which left at 6 o'clock, accompanied by the revenue cutter Harriet The latter sails under sealed orders, Lane. bia also joined the fleet, taking with her the

Sixth Regiment.

The steamer Ariel will take the Third Battallion of rifles. of Massachusetts, and some regulars. The steamer Cheaspeaketook aboard 00 seamen, but returned them, the orders being countermanded.

The harbor was a scene of great excitement as it e fleet left. All the i rs, landings and housetops o this ciy, Jersey city, Hoboken and Brooklyn were crowded. The battery was covered with prople, and thousands of saluted the fleet as they started down the bay. Flags were dipped, cannon reared, bells rang steam whistles shrilly saluted, and thousands upon thousands of people sent up cheers of parting. Col. Ellsworth's regiment of Fire Zouaves has been mustered into the service

of the United States.

Troy, April 21.—General Wool will leave tonorning for New York, to make that city his headquarters for the department of

There was considerable activity ap the War McHenry very quietly,

The Baltimorians were expecting her arrial, intending to capture her, but she started down the bay, and frustrated their designs.
It is also cortain the Sixth Massachusett

regiment has possession of Annapolis. «
Washington, April 22 - The government here is strengthening the troops at the public buildings to night. The capital is surrounded dings to night. The capital is surrounded with hastily thrown defenses, while workmen last night and to day have been barricading the Treasur, D par mont. In fact, precau tionary movements are visible in every direc

The local trade with Alexandria, and that wolunteers for an attack on Washington; this from down the river, is almost entirely suswould not be ventured on, with less than pended! Provisions, especially flour, have already risen in price.

Havre de Grace, Del., April 28.—Passengers arrived here bringing Baltimore papers of this

norning, from which the following items have The excitement of Sunday had been followed by comparative quiet. The city continues in good order, the people generally being ired of startling rumors. In every direction scouts have been sent out to guard against the approach of the enemy. Nearly all the city bar-rooms were closed on Monday. During the morning several messengers from the Cockeysville camp brought information of the movements of the northern troops. They reported that the troops were from 2000 to 3000 trong, but had no tents and were short of rovivions. They permitted no citizen of Maryland to go over any of the bridges with-

MOVEMENTS IN THE SOUTH.

Louisville, April 20.-Ex-Vice President Breckinridge addressed a large audience at the Court House this afternoon. He denounced President Lipcoln's proclamation through her Senators and Representatives, and protest against the settlement of the present difficulties by the sword. Meanwhile, that Kentucky should call a convention to aid her Congressmen in presenting such a pro-test. Should that fail, the honor, interest, and duty of Kentucky unites her with the

Governor Magoffin has not called a special session of the Legislature for the 27th inst., as reported in our newspapers. The proclamation has been drawn up but not issued by the authorities. A military alliance is about to be formed between this city and New Albany and Jeff-

ersonville, Indiana, to preserve a peaceable status between the three cities, and to preerve amicable relations in any event. Louisville, April 22 .- The Union sentiment s greatly on the increase throughout the state, and I am now well convinced that she will remain as she has since her formationa firm adherent of Union and brotherly love the least patriotic, are the students of the The with all our sister States. In case we secede

Capture of the Liberty Arsenal. Independence, April 20 .- At an early hour this morning the arms and munitions of war held at the Arsenal in Liberty, Clay county, were at the demand of some citizens given up This will be distributed in Clay and the adjoining counties.

Ninety stand of arms and a cannon have

been brought here.

Kansas City, Mo., April 20.—The Arsenal at Liberty has been garrisoned by 100 men. A large secession meeting was held here to-day, and theusands from the adjoining counties of Missouri and Kansas were present. A secession post was raised, and the Star and other prominent places were decorated with secession flags.

CIRCULAR.

O'er the land of the Free, and the home of the Brave.' Dauphin County Bible Society.

The following are the arrangements proposed for this occasion:

vention of Delegates from Bible Societies will be gathered from passengers, and should be be held, for the discussion of subjects con- town, and has overwhelmed the mother of the tion. As to the disposition of troops in the All the Bible Societies in the State are re- to young men to be careful in handling fire North, and for the defense of the Capitol, we spectfully invited to send representatives to Maryland, without going through Baltimore, ible, and taken those which we consider most by either carrying them from Perryville to reliable. to attend, will be regarded as Delegates, and are solicited to meet their brethern in the Capitol of the State, for this sacred object. On Wednesday evening the Anniversary Meeting of the Society will be held in the First Presbyterian Church.

Please address any communications on this subject to Rev. B. B. Leacook, Chairman of the town of Hanover. Absurd as the story the Committee, at Harrisburg.

By order of the Board of Managers. Joseph H. Dulles,
Corresponding Secretary RICHARD NEWTON, Recording Secretary.

IRVIN II. TORRENCE See'y for Eastern Dis't. Philadelphia, April 10th, 1861. N. B -Arrangements have been made

ning to Harrisburg, to and from, at excursion An OLD SOLDIER, writing to the New York

the defence of the country: 1. Remember that in a campaign more men

brown drilling. This adds but four ounces in weight, and doubles in warmth. 3. Buy a small India rubber blanket (only \$1 50) to lay on the ground or to throw over your shoulders when on guard duty during a rain storm. Most of the Eastern troops are provided with these. \Straw to lie on is not lways to be had.

4. The best military hat in use is the light colored soft felt; the crown being sufficiently high to allow space for air over the brain. You can fasten it up as a continental in fair weather, or turn it down when it is wet or very

5 Let your beard grow, so as to protect the throat and lungs.

6. Keep your entire person clean; this prevonts fevers and bowel complaints in warm climates. Wash your body each day, if pos-sible. Avoid strong coffee and cily meats Gen. Scott said that the too free use of these (together with neglect in keeping the skin clean) cost many a soldier, his life in Mexico. 7. A sudden check of perspiration by chilly or night air often causes fever and death.

When exposed do not forget your blanket.

THE NUMBER -The following is the number f Pennsylvania volunteers aworn into the service of the United States, at Camp Curtin, since the camp was formed, up to the 2 ddinst .: April 18..... 5 companies.

.....19 Total......71 Making in the aggregate a force of 5,467

to march until further orders.

Town and County Matters.

LOSI .- By ANDREW MARTIN on Tueslay morning, probably on Main street, two FIVE DOLLAR NOTES, they are on Harrisburg or Middletown bank. The finder will be liberally rewarded by eturning them to the

A GOOD IDEA -Hereafter, the Stores are to be closed at 7 o'clock in the evening.

President Johnson, of Dickinson College, will preach in Emory M. E. Church on next Sunday afternoon, at 3½ o'clock. The subject of his discourse will have special reference to the present state of society in this country.

An intereresting exhibition is now open at Rheem's Hall. A large company of patriotic ladies, with nine sewing machines, busily engaged in making up glothing for our volunteers.

OUR VOLUNTEERS .- Carlisle has conributed four full companies to the Pennsylvania quota of troops, under the requisition of the President, besides a large Home Guard for frontier service, if necessary. As soon as correct rolls can be had we will publish

THE SUMNER RIFLES.—We see by the Harrisburg Telegraph that the SUMNER RIFLES, of Carlisle, are incorporated in the 9th Regiment. The following Companies comprise the Regiment :--

National Guard, No. 1; National Guard, io. 2; National Guard, No. 3; Sumner Rifles; Easton Yengers; Keystone Rifles; Wethill Rifles; Catasaqua Rifles; Washington Light Infantry; Brady Alpines.

Colonel—H. C. Longenecker. Lieut. Col.-Wash. H. R. Hanger.

Major-Charles Glantz.

POSTMASTER.—EDWARD W. CURRI-DEN, Esq., editor of the Shippensburg News. has been appointed Postmaster of that place. We congratulate Mr. CURRIDEN on his preferment, he has worked faithfully for the party, and deserves a full share of the loaves and

OUR POST OFFICE -The vexed quesion as to who shall be our Postmaster, has been settled by the appointment of GEORGE ZINN, Esq., editor of the American.

From personal considerations, Mr. ZINN was not our first choice, but as the "powers that be " have thought prepents eclect time we take pleasure in saying that the office could not have been conferred on one more deservng or better qualified to discharge the duties. He has the qualifications to make a popular and efficient Postmaster.

THANKS.—The ladies of Carlisle are entitled to great credit for their patriotic spirit. While some are engaged in collecting money to purchase goods, others are busily engaged in making them up into clothing for our gallant fellows, who are about to leave their arms, for others of a more dangerous

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT -- On Tuesday morning a young man named WILLIAM BEETEM, son of Mrs. JACOB BRETEM, a widow The Board of Managers of the lady of this place, proceeded to Papertown, Pennsylvania Bible Society have resolved to in a buggy, in company with JACOB WONDERhold the 48rd Anniversity this year at Harris- LICH. They had followed Capt. McCantney's. burg, in compliance with the invitation of the Infantry Company. After remaining in Papertown some hours, the troops were about to return, when young BEETEM proposed to reseive a number of their muske's 'n his buggy, Introductory services will be held in the and bring them to town. In placing the guns First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday eve- in the vehicle, one of them discharged, the y, produces much anxiety to learn every thing | ning, April 80th, at 7½ P. M., when a dis- ball passing through the body, and, as supcourse may be expected from Rev. C. P. posed, through the heart of the unfortunate lad. He fell and expired almost instantly. On Wednesday forenoon following, a Con- His age, we learn, was about 19.

This sad accident has cast a gloom over our boy with grief. This is another sad warning arms. The body of the deceased arrived at his mother's residence an hour or so after the accident.

A STAMPEDE.—On Tuesday morning, about one o'clock, our citizens were alarmed by a man riding through town from Petersburg, Adams county, with the startling intelligence that 5000 secessionists were in full march towards Carlisle, and had fired was, it caused the greatest alarm and excitement. The bells were rung, the drums beat to arms, and in a short time the volun-Committee of teer companies were forming in the square. Arrangement. The streets were crowded with our citizens, while women and children were preparing to move at short notice. By 3 o'clock, the alarm had sub-ided, when another messenwith the principal Railroad Companies run- | ger arrived confirming the story of the first. and stating that he had been sent to procure

amunition. These men were highly respectable, known to many of our citizens, and it was evident Evening Post, gives the following timely hints | they had been imposed on, or there was some to the volunteers, who are now hastening to foundation for the rumor. The consequence was a greater degree of excitement than ever, until communication was opened by telegraph with York, and assurances given that nothing was known of it there Finally the people became satisfied that the report had originated in some ridiculous mistake, and retired. The Infantry, how. ever, under Capt. McCartney, marched to Mount Holly, and returned in the afternoon, having found everything quiet in that re-

The following explanation of the report has been given :- A party of men were pro ceeding by a hand-car from Hanover to-Gettysburg, when some person, as they passed, enquired the news. Those in the car, no doubt in jest, told him that the secession. ists were within three miles of Hanover, and threatened to burn the town. This was sufficient to set the country in a blaze, and the consequence was the rediculous story that was brought to Carlisle.

THE WAR.-For the last week our town has exhibited an unusual degree of excitement, and our whole population are enthusiastic in support of the government At every point the Stars and Stripes are flung to the breeze, and the spirit stirring strains of the fife and drum salute our ears at every corner. On Saturday afternoon the Sumner Rifles, CAPT. KUHN, a hundred strong, left town for Camp Curtin, at Harisburg, and the scene of the departure was most impressive and affecting. Among the Too MANY TROOPS. Troops have members are some of our most active young been pouring into Harrisburg so rapidly that men, and an immense crowd assembled at the Governor has found it necessary to is. the depot to see them off. While the cars about to be removed by a liberal appropria- Spaulding landed her troops, reinforcing Fort sue orders to the volunteers in this place not passed along the street the cheers of thousands sent the air, and many a tearful eye A Comment of the Comm .

attested the interest that was felt for their safe return.

On Sunday night the 2d Cavalry from Texas, that had been encamped here, left in the cars, having had their ranks filled by an addition of 105 recruits from the post, along with about 40 recruits to strengthen Sherman's Battery.

In addition to Capt. Kuhu's company now mustered into service, the Carlisle Fencibles, Capt Henderson, the Carliele Infantry, Capt. McCartney, and a new company under Capt. Todd, have their ranks filled, and are now awaiting orders. Several other companies are forming in other portions of the county, and we have no doubt when the second re quisition is made, Cumberland county will send a full regiment into the field, under

FOUNDATION OF A HOME GUARD. A meeting of the citizens of Carlisle met at the Court House on the 22d inst., for the purpose of forming a Home Guard to serve

of invasion. Jacob Fetter was called to the chair, and iect of the meeting having been stated, it was on motion

Smith, C. Ogilby, J. R. Turner and R. C. Woodward, be a committee to prepare a call for a general meeting, and report a plan for permanent organization.

Tuesday Evening, April 23 .- At an adourned meeting, held on the above date, the committee reported verbally as follows:-That the Guard be composed of citizens of Carlisle above the age of 45 years, and also of persons under that age, whose avocations or other causes disable them from volunteering for present service. That the signers we strry in a purpose into effect, the call associate themselves together as the Resource. That in the proportion as God has Home Guard of Carlisle, to be officered and armed as a military company, to meet reguarly for the purpose of drill, and when the number will justify it, to be divided into two or more companies, and elect their own officers.

The company then proceeded to elect permanent officers, when

Wm. M. Porter was elected Captain, John Turner "Ist Lieutenant Wm. H. Miller 2d Lieutenant. On motion, ordered that the officers be a committee to draft rules and regulations for the government of the Company.

Sergeant, and the Guard adjourned to meet for drill on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. JACOB FETTER,

John M. Gregg, Sec'y. Chairman. THE HARPER'S FERRY TROOPS. -Lieut Jones, who left this post some weeks ago, with a detachment of Dragoons for Har- ed to see the volunteers off. per's Ferry, reached Carlisle on Friday last, with 43 men of his command. Having been advised that a force of some 2500 Virginians were advancing on the arsenal, to get possession of the arms, he blew up the buildings, destroyed the arms, and withdrew his men under cover of the night. After a fatiguing march they reached Hagerstown about daylight, and arrived here in the Chambershurg

cars in the afternoon.

Three U. S. soldiers belonging to Lieut. Jones' company, who were taken prisoners by the rebels at the time of the attack on OATS old... OATS new...

Harper's Ferry, and compelled to enlist in CLOVERSUED...

the rebel army, made their escape on Sat
SPRING WARLEY. urday night, and reached Carlisle Barracks on Sunday afternoon. They report 8,000 rebel troops at Harper's Ferry, many of whom they say are Union men, but are compelled to serve in the ranks.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a special meeting of the Good Will Fire ompany, held at their Hall, on the 23d inst., the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS this Company has heard with feel ings of the deepest sorrow and regret of the death of our late fellow member, William L. BEETEM, who for a long time has been intimately associated with us, and whose many virtues and benevolent qualities had ecured for him our love and respect, there-

Resolved, That while we submit with reverence to the decree of Him "who doeth all things well," we mourn the loss of a zenious member, a firm friend, and a pleasant asso-

Resolved. That in view of this sad event we tender to his family our sincere condolence, with the assurance of our heartfelt sympathy, and that we cordially bear testimony to the worth of our departed friend, whose devotedness as a son, his usefulness as a member of society, and to his well carned reputation in our company.

Resolved, That we pay the last tribute of

respect to the memory of the deceased by at-tending his funeral in a body, and that our apparatus and Hall be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of the above be furnished by the Secretary to the family, and published in the papers of our borough.

SELECT SCHOOL.—Select Scholars for

February and April, 1861. No. Al. - E E Wert, Wm. Wareham, Wm. A. Darr. Music-John A. Monyer. No. 12 .- Annie Bender, Fannie Hutton, Elizabeth Landis. Music-Laura Noaker. No. 13 .- Eveline W. Brightbill, Annie J. Dale, Kate H. Turner. Music-Annie E.

Shapley. No. 14 .- Jesse P. Zeigler, Samuel A. Duncan, Wm. R. Natcher. Music-D. Bixler Saxton.

No. 15. - Virginia E. Turner, Hetty Addams, duration. What has been done, can be done again; so Hannah M. Culver. Music-Mary F. Sulli-No. 16 .- Alfred M. Rhoads, John E Zug,

No. 16.—Alfred M. Rhoads, John E Zugwishith McDonald. Music—Alfred M. Rhoads.

No. 17.—Henrietta Judy, Maria Sanderson, Isabella Faller. Music—Jane Blair.

No. 18.—Wm. F. Shxow, F. E. Thompson, S. C. Millward.

D. Eckels, Pres. S. S.

To Our Young Men.—Never did a better opportunity offer to the young men of Pennsylvania to distinguish themselves and become the foremost among the honored citizens of the State, than does the present war in behalf of American Nationality, and the honored Flag of our common country. The Constitution and the Union are florcely assailed by the Oll. The State of traitors that ever gursed any land, and the mon who now come and the Back and and the present war in behalf of the State of traitors that ever gursed any land, and the men who now come are supported an embraciant to the proportion of the State of traitors that ever gursed any land, and the men who now come are supported an equitation that places it at the head of all remedies for publication that places it at the head of all remedies for publication that places it at the head of all remedies for publication that places it at the head of all remedies for publication that places it at the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for publication that places it at the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies for public and in the head of all remedies f

THE WAR!

MEETING OF CITIZENS.

AT a large and respectable meeting of the citizens of Cumberland county, held in the Court House, this twentieth day of April, 1861, Pursuant to notice, the Hon. JOHN STUART was appointed chairman and Ex-Gove RITNER, Major W. M. HENDERSON, Messrs., G. W. Shaffer, G. W. CRAIGHEAD, W. WAL-LACE, J. WONDERLY, W. ALEXANDER. (South Middleton) W. P. Howard and Major John McCarney, Vice Presidents, and Messrs., Samuel Kempton, George Metzger and J. Hamilton, Secretaries.

After being thus organized, J. B Bratton moved that the Commissioners of Cumberland county be requested to appropriate \$15,000 out of the public funds for the support of a nilies whose natural protectors have volunteered for the war.

Judge Watts asked that the resolutions he

Col. Pennose. They will probably be organized and mustered into the service at this place.

Judge watts asked that the resolutions he had prepared be first read before any other action. This was agreed to and Judge W., after some introductory remarks, read the following resolutions, which were agreed to

unanimously.

The fearful crisis that has arisen and now agitates the nation, requires of every patriot to renew his fealty to his country; to declare his purpose to live under the Stars and Stripes of the United States, and support the Constiduring the present crisis, in protecting property and preserving the peace of the borough, and in defence of the frontier in case tution has been trampled upon and despised; our Government in the penceful possession of her own properly has been assailed; her sol-John Gregg appointed Secretary. The object of the meeting having hown stated it fully plundered of their stores; her ships have been seized; her treasuries have been broken ORDERED-That Wm. M. Porter, David into and robbed; and the Capitol founded by our beloved Washington, as the seat of Government for all time, is now threatened with

dying attachment to the Stars and Stripes of the Union, our firm determination to live or die under its folds, as the emblem of our Con-stitution and our laws, and to this we now renew the pledge given by revolutionary fathers -our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred hon-

Resolved, That to maintain the Government and the administration of the laws is our plain duty and determined purpose, and we pledge

given us the means, are we bound to protect and care for the families of those whose pertheir country.

his country, his country will take care of Resolved, That Jason W. Eby, Ephraim Coraman, John D. Gorgas, Geo. W. Sheaffer,

ion, and therefore renewed the motion \$15,-000 be appropriated by the Commissioners, which motion was rapturously agreed to. Mr. Todd then addressed the meeting,

JOHN STUART, Chairman. Attest. JUHN STORES, SAMUEL KEMPTON, Secretaries.

The Markets.

at the close. Rye Flour is held at \$3 50 % bbl., with small receipts and sales. Corn

GRAIN.—There is a fair amount of Wheat offering, but the demand for it is limited and the market dull. Sales of 4@5000 bus are reported at \$1 28@1 30 for we-tern red, in store, restly at the latter rate for prime Ohio, including white, in small lots, at \$1 40@1 45, and 600 bus. Kentucky do on terms kept pri-vate. Rye is selling in a small way at 684c. for Penn'a. Corn is rather dull at previous quotations, with sales of 10,000 bus, to note at 62c for prime dry southern yellow, afloat, and 61c in store, mostly at the former figures. Oats are firm, and 2000 bus. prime Po sold at 33 c., in store. The receipts are light. Barley and Malt are quiet.

Special Rotices: THE GREAT CLOTHING EMPORIUM OF THE

Prevention Better than a Cure. Dr. Keyser at his medicine store, in Pittsburgh, prepares a medicine for coughs and colds, to which he in v.tos the attention of the public. It is called Pectoral Syrup, and will cure all those incipient cases of lung and bronchial difficulties that lead to consumption in its developed form. He does not protend that it will cure deep-seated ulcors in the lungs, or heal a half destroyed lung; but in the beginning of the disease, it will allay inflamation, cure the cough, and stay the progress of the disease. One or two spoonfuls of Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup has often cured a violent cough of months cure your coughs, by taking Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup.

HOOFLAND'S Bulsamte Cordial has ac-

tion and the Union are floroely assailed by the most imprincipled set of traitors that over oursed any land, and the men who now come forward to lead the people against the mistorcants that would blot out our glorious country from the list of nations, are the ones that will be honored by the American people.

The Baltimore Appointments.

The President has made the appointments for Bultimore; of the ten appointees, six are Unnobists, and four Republicans.

Oli. It is the only genuine. For sale by all Druggists and believed by all Druggists and believed by all Druggists and believed to be such and western country, is the fear they have for the personnatacked by this disease. Never day we hear of personnatacked by this disease, and made helpless in a short tine, wi hout any made of all diseases of all diseases of the stomach has been universally acknowledged. The BITTERS, whose corrative powers for all diseases of the stomach has been universally excluded the encombines for a soundry, have received the encombines for Bultimore; of the ten appointments.

The President has made the appointments for Bultimore; of the ten appointments for Bultimore; of the ten appointments and deep study, have received the encombines for the sound deep study, have received the encombines for the sound of the control of the control of the sound of the many virtues, all we can say is to try them, and judge for themselves respectively.

Sold by druggists and dealers generally everywhere.

invasion - It is therefore,

Resolved: That we hereby declare our un-

sonal services shall be given to the cause of Resolved, That the County Commissioners, the authorities of the boroughs and towns, and very individual according to his ability, be requested to make such contributions and appropriations of money, as will give assuran-ces to every young man, that whilst he serves

and Henry Shxton, be a committee to whom all monies raised under the provisions of the last resolution, shall be paid; and that thego in their discretion shall adopt the mode of disbursing the same, so as to meet the neces-John M. Gregg was appointed Orderly sities of all such as are intended to be provided for, and that said Committee be author ized to appoint sub-committees to collect funds in the several wards of this borough. Hon. Lemuel Todd hoped that a specified sum would be indicated in the fourth resolu-

amidst cheers, and the meeting then adjourn-

CARLISLE PRODUCE MARKET. FLOUR (Superfine). \$4 50
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PHILADELPHIA MARKET. FLOUR AND MEAL —There is more firmness in the market, but there is little or no demand for export, the sales of Flour being mostly to supply the home trade at about previous rates. including some 700 bbls. at \$4 10@\$0 for scraped, \$5 25@5 50 for common and good western and Penn'a. super., \$5 621@5 871 for extra, \$6@6 25 for extra family, and \$6 50@7 25 P bbl. for fancy brands, as in including some 700 bbls. at \$4 75@\$5 fo quality. The receipts and stocks are moderate, and most bolders refuse our lowest figures

Meal is more inquired for. Penn'a. Meal is scarce at \$2 75 78 bbl.

THE GREAT CLOTHING EMPORIUM OF THE UNIX.—Philadelphia possesses the most splendid Clothing Emporium in the country. It is splendid as regards the paintial structure in which the immense business of the establishment is conducted, and it is equally splendid in respect to its great facilities and wast resources. But to its patrons its chief attractions are, first, the elegance of the garments for Gentlemen and Youths, manufactured there; secondly, the beauty and durability of the materials, and the superluc excellence of the fit, and lastly the maderate prices at which the goods are sold. We refer, in this description, to none other than the Brown Stone Clothing Ifall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 606 Chestnut Street, above 6th, Philadelphia.

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