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A hot time may be looked for when it comes to selecting a congressman to succeed the late Mr. Mutchler.

A modest Philadelphian, who evidently believes that the office should seek the man, is said to have recently written to President Cleveland.

Parties as well as individuals often make serious mistakes in taking the measure of men. Altdorf, governor of Illinois, is a Democratic mistake.

It is odd to hear foreigners visiting the country complain about American railway cars. One frequent source of complaint is that the seats in the American cars offer very limited room.

Year after year, as the forests are cleared away and population in that section grows denser, the western cyclone becomes more and more deadly.

The World's fair paid attendance is progressing rapidly toward the numerical proportions which were anticipated from the beginning.

A New York rabbi is cut up in his mind because the children of Polish Jews in that city are being enticed into Christian Sunday schools.

Not the Man He Was Thought.

There is no question now that Mr. Harris will abandon the Reading to its fate in July.

Mr. Harris has proved a failure. He only added to the perplexities of the Reading by detracting business from the Lehigh Valley to the Central railroad.

He allowed the publication of statements showing the Lehigh to make enormous profits, and yet when cornered admitted a loss of nearly a million dollars.

Until Wilbur and Paxson are thrown out there will be no confidence in Reading or Lehigh. A determined effort is being made to eject them.

Mr. Wilbur had complete control of the Lehigh Valley and didn't make it pay, and there is no real reason for expecting him to make it pay now.

Grand Army Encampment. Grand Army men are looking forward with special interest to the encampment this year at Indianapolis.

Grand Army organization now includes forty-five departments, 7,500 posts and nearly half a million members. It has grown far beyond the expectations of those who started the organization.

If your husband or son is addicted to the use of tobacco, morphine or liquor, you can free them from their habit.

A recent traveler through the rural districts of France writes that the country people there wear a crushed and subdued air.

Under the law of 1890 the United States treasurer may at his discretion pay either gold or silver coin for the silver treasury notes issued in exchange for the silver bullion purchased.

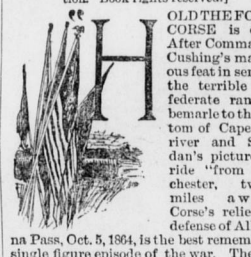
They say that Chicago was shocked at the high art crayons sent to the fair by the Philadelphia academy, because the drawings displayed too much absence of clothes, and they were therefore ordered down.

ALLATOONA PASS.

THE FULL STORY OF CORSE'S GALLANT FIGHT.

The Bold Confederate Plan to Get Sherman Out of Georgia—Corse's Lightning Work in Throwing Help into the Pass—Heroic Deeds of His Soldiers.

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ALLATOONA PASS, Oct. 5, 1864, is the best remembered single figure episode of the war. The hero didn't save Allatoona single handed, but neither did Sheridan nor Cushing achieve the wonders that made them famous.

Out of six Iowa officers shot down five were killed, and out of 88 men hit 35 lay dead on the field. Colonel Redfield was shot four times. The Seventh Illinois, fighting beside the Iowans, suffered equal slaughter.

There were no cars at Rome for the movement of troops. A train ordered from Kingston was wrecked on the way. By wiring and sending out engines in all directions Corse got together 30 cars, loaded 1,000 men into them with 165,000 rounds of ammunition.

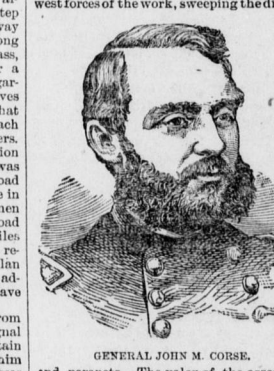
Up by Corse increased the garrison to 1,000 men. Colonel Tourtelotte, with 450 Minneshota boys, and a mounted and foot regiment of the Twelfth Wisconsin battery lay in the fort east of the cut. In the brush around the works were 150 skirmishers of the Eighteenth Wisconsin.

A RATTLESNAKE FANCIER.

He Is Clothed In Garments Made From the Skins of Serpents.

Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like Rattlesnake Pete. Joseph's coat of many colors was a very modest garment compared with the scintillating costume of snakeskins worn by Peter Gruber of Oil City.

Enquirer man in his place of business the other day, "is pure an undated, undated, undated." Graber, who is now 38 years old, has been catching rattlesnakes for nine years and has subjected them to all sorts of experiments.



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The female rattler gives birth to her young alive and is the only snake that does, the others laying eggs from which the young are hatched.

GENERAL JOHN M. CORSE.

The Valor of the Assaults and the Standard of the Sergeant's Cry.

and parapets. The valor of the assaults was sublime. The colonel of the Forty-sixth Mississippi, W. H. Clark, leading the advance with the battle flag in his hands, fell dead on the brink of the ditch.

Some of the defenders, not to be outdone in valor, boldly exposed themselves above the parapets—the officers setting the example—and fell in scores.

Colonel Tourtelotte and his Minnesota boys had fortified the east fort and by good long range shooting helped to break up the Confederate columns marching against Corse from the north.

One of the most unique duels ever known is that of two Frenchmen who decided to fight in the air. Two balloons were made exactly alike, and upon the appointed day each soared aloft, accompanied by his second.

The Champion Sandwich Man. A wealthy young Cuban visiting in Paris recently made a bet with the carver of one of the leading night restaurants on the Boulevard, the wager being for 1,000 francs.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF FREELAND BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1893.

Table with financial statement: To amount of duplicate, \$364.00; To amount returned to county, \$418.31; Exonerations, \$15.93.

Table with financial statement: Amount paid on labor, salaries, etc., \$2.00; Auditors salaries 1892, \$2.00; James Huff, auditor, 1893, \$2.00.

READING RAILROAD SYSTEM.

LEHIGH VALLEY DIVISION.

Arrangement of Passenger Trains. MAY 14, 1893. LEAVE FREELAND. 6:05, 8:47, 9:40, 10:41 a. m., 12:25, 1:32, 2:37, 3:45, 4:53, 6:58, 7:12, 8:47 p. m., for Driffton, Jedd, Jumbo, Yard, Stockton and Hazleton.

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