

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that Walter Bass, son of Alpheus Bass, Esq., of Moretown, was killed to-day (Saturday) by being accidentally thrown from a load of wood.

DISORDERLY AND DISREPUTABLE.—The unruly and disorderly boys, who disturbed everybody but themselves at the Hutchinsons' Concert, by their shrill, almost infernal whistling, ought to have been at once thrust out of the Hall.

ALLOTTED PAY.—Assignees and others holding orders for allotted pay of the Eighth Regiment, are hereby notified that returns have been received for September and October, and this office is prepared to pay the sums received in the usual way.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Vermont Teachers' Association will be held at Montpelier, commencing Tuesday, January 12th 1864.

Moulton J. Gilman, of Bethel, was admitted and sworn as an attorney of the Windsor County Court.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Capt. William Smith, of Northfield, was found dead in his bed on Tuesday morning, at the residence of his son, Reuben Smith, with whom he was living.

THE ASYLUM.—The portions of the Asylum at Brattleboro, destroyed by the fire a year ago, have been rebuilt, and are nearly ready to be occupied.

For the Freeman. Advertisement. The Jubilee of Sixty Three. Earth shall soon be joined to Heaven.

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PROFESSOR WICKES closes his course of scientific lectures this evening at Village Hall, Montpelier. He will preach at the same place to-morrow afternoon and evening, at 3 and 7 o'clock.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE FREEMAN.

4 O'CLOCK, P. M.

New York, Dec. 26. The steamers George Washington and Mississippi from New Orleans the 17th and 18th, arrived this morning.

The navigation of the Mississippi is less interrupted. Gunboats were keeping a sharp lookout.

Advice from Texas state that Gen. Washburn, with a considerable body of troops, had started for Indianola and Lavaca.

Great numbers of Texans are rejoiced in the prospect of an early redemption of the State. It was believed that San Antonio would soon be under the old flag where our troops would concentrate for the overthrow of the rebels under Magruder.

The 8th New Hampshire regiment has been changed into cavalry, as the 1st New Hampshire cavalry.

The United States steam transport Fulton, arrived at New York last evening, from Port Royal the 22d, and Stono Inlet the same day at five P. M.

The Herald has a letter from the gunboat Huron, in Duboy Sound, Georgia, dated the first, announcing the capture of the rebel blockade runner steamer Cheaten, laden with cotton, tobacco, &c.

VOLUNTEERS FROM MONTPELIER.

THE Selectmen of Montpelier give notice to RESIDENTS and CITIZENS, of Montpelier, who desire TO SECURE THE BOUNTY!

PRESENT WEEK, for such as wish to enlist to-day. Persons out of town have made application for the privilege of enlisting here, and after a present week the Selectmen will at once enlist non-residents as well as residents until the quota of the town under the draft is filled.

Only Ten Men are wanted, and the Montpelier boys who do not apply this week, will LOSE THEIR CHANCE for the bounty.

Apply at once to the undersigned. JOEL FOSTER, Jr. Selectmen of Montpelier, Dec. 21, 1863. CARLOS BANCROFT, HENRY NUTT.

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Removal. THEO. A. DODGE removed his Boot, Shoe, and Rubber business to the room over the Post Office, Repairing boots an' shoes by cementing done to order.

VETERAN VOLUNTEERS

PAY: \$402 13 7

RATIONS AND CLOTHING! CAPT. L. L. COBURN,

WHO commanded Co. C. in the gallant Thirtieth Vermont, having been appointed a Recruiting Officer, to raise a Company for the

17TH VERMONT REGIMENT, Veteran Volunteers

Would now invite all those who fought with him at Gettysburg, as well as those who have served in the Army of the Union for Nine Months or more, to come more rally with the Flag that has been so bravely borne by Vermont Boys on many a bloody battle field.

HEADQUARTERS AT MONTPELIER.

In the building known as the "RIALTO," fronting State Street Bridge, which will be open at all hours of the day for the purpose of enlisting recruits.

Lieut. GEORGE S. ROBINSON has the appointment of Recruiting Officer under Capt. Coburn, with his headquarters also at Montpelier. Lieut. ROBINSON will make weekly or semi-weekly visits to Moretown, Waitsfield and the Mad River Valley country, to enlist those residing in that section.

Lieut. W. E. MARTIN of Co. C, is also Assistant Recruiting Officer, and will have his headquarters at MAHES FIELD, where he will at all times be ready to enlist men for CAPT. COBURN'S Company.

The inducements to enlist in the Seventeenth Regiment of Veteran Volunteers, are such as have never been offered any soldiers now in the field.

The pay will commence from the day of enlistment. Furloughs will be given those wishing them, to remain at home until the organization of the Company.

Soldiers of the noble Second Brigade, your Country yet needs your services. Answer the invitation of the Republic, whose children you are, and rally once more around the standard of the Union.

Light Artillery! TO BE COMMANDED BY CAPT. R. H. START,

Late of the 3d Reg't Vt. Vols. Headquarters at Montpelier. On State St., opposite A. A. Mead's.

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Men who have not seen service will be received. DO NOT WAIT FOR THE DRAFT!!! CAPT. R. H. START, Recruiting Officer.

Montpelier, Sept. 24, 1863.



REORGANIZATION OF THE 13th Regiment Vt. Volunteers

THE subscriber is now enlisting men at Montpelier for the reorganization of the 13th Regt. Those wishing to enlist can do so by calling on him at his headquarters.

The Bounty paid to recruits is four hundred and two dollars. Pay, 13 dollars per month from the United States, with three dollars and fifty cents in addition, (for clothing) and rations, and SEVEN DOLLARS PER MONTH STATE BOUNTY.

The pay of all enlisted men commences from the day of enlistment. Furloughs will be given to men who enlist, to return to their homes and remain until companies are organized if they desire it.

CHARLES W. RANDALL, Recruiting Officer. Montpelier, Aug. 18, 1863.

ATTENTION! All honorably discharged Soldiers who have lost health or incurred wounds in the service can join the INVALID CORPS.

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