

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Circuit Court.—The fall term of the Vigo Circuit Court—Judge Claypool—commences this morning at 9 o'clock, and will continue three weeks.

Wanted.—Two good active honest boys to carry the Daily Express and Evening Bulletin. To good boys a permanent situation and good wages will be paid. Apply immediately.

In consequence of the delay occasioned by the necessity of procuring passes to leave St. Louis, the train from that city did not reach here on Saturday evening, and will leave at 10 o'clock. The train on the T. & H. & R. Railroad was held waiting until the connection was made.

True as Gospel.—Hon. Joseph Holt, a life-long Democrat of Kentucky, said in a speech in front of the Tremont Hotel, Boston, on the evening of the 27th ult., that compromise is a word that cannot now be uttered except by disloyal lips, or by those speaking directly in the interests of rebellion. What say ye, compromisers of Vigo County?

Unnatural Typographical Error.—By a very natural mistake of a compositor in the office of the New York Herald, that paper is made to say, "The first Minnesota Regiment, commanded by Col. Willis, a German." Our readers scarcely need be told that Willis A. Gorman, formerly of this State, is the Colonel meant.

Major Van Valkenburg.—Orderly to Col. Kimball of the 14th, and one of the heroes of a late skirmish with the rebels in the Mountains of Virginia, in which he shot two rebels, reached this city on Saturday evening en route to Missouri, where he takes a position in the Telegraphic Corps under the superintendence of Gen. H. Smith, formerly Superintendent of the line from this city to St. Louis.

A Battery to be Erected Opposite Columbus, Kentucky.—The Evansville Journal of Saturday says: "By the arrival of the steamer Centorago, we learn that the gunboats A. O. Taylor and Lexington left Cairo last Thursday evening, with one thousand men on board, for the purpose of erecting a battery opposite Columbus, Kentucky."

Is it so?—The State Sentinel of Saturday says the following officers of the 14th Regiment have resigned. We do not know upon what authority the Sentinel makes the statement, but if true it is exceedingly singular.

Jon. G. McIntosh, Sergeant.
W. E. Thompson, 2d Lieutenant.
S. S. Thompson, Captain.
Lynch M. Terrell, 1st Lieutenant.
Harrington Taylor, 1st Lieutenant.
W. D. Lewis, 2d Lieutenant.
W. Rogers, 1st Lieutenant.

The people of this State will be anxious to learn the cause of these resignations, if they have been made at this particular juncture.

Personal.—Among the passengers from the West by the evening train on Saturday, we noticed Col. Baker, of the Cavalry Regiment raised at Evansville, accompanied by his son, who is also attached to the regiment.

W. C. Lupton, Deputy Auditor, and erstwhile smiling, social, clever and popular agent of the Adams Express Company in this city, made a visit to our midst, accompanied by his family, on Saturday evening. It is quite natural to see "Lup" on our streets.

Governor Gamble, of Missouri, passed through this city en route for Washington City on Saturday evening. From the short examination of the physiognomy of the man, we had time to make, we were led to the belief that he has the proper nerve for the exceedingly responsible position he now occupies.

Mr. Owen Tuller, of this city, arrived at home from California, by the Overland Mail route, on Saturday evening, in good health. He represents the war feeling in California as being up to fever heat.

Dr. H. R. Smith, Dentist, formerly of this city, now of Cincinnati, is here on a visit.

Capt. Carr, of the 11th Indiana Regiment, was in the city on Saturday.

War Items.—We clip the following items from Indianapolis Journal of Saturday:

There are now thirty-six companies in Camp Morton. The grounds are pretty well filled, but not uncomfortably or wholly so.

Martin J. Quinlan, Quartermaster for the Irish Regiment, has a cap of military pattern emblematic of the "shamrock so green." He is doing whatever in him lies for the speedy formation of his regiment.

Two companies of cavalry, from Fountain county, passed through the city the other day for Philadelphia. They are intended for Col. Baker's mounted regiment.

Gen. Demore's regiment, the 7th, is rapidly filling up. As we have before stated, its camping ground is west of the Lafayette depot. In addition to the companies heretofore named as encamped for training, we will mention the two old companies from Decatur county, now commanded by Captains Shaw and Grover—the former being Remond's former company, and the latter Capt. Morgan's.

Over ten thousand men arrived at Camp Morton on Thursday. The number has been unprecedented since the first week after the bombardment of Fort Sumter.

The 8th regiment, Col. Benton's, without making any fuss, is quietly getting ready for active service. In its encampment near the Terre Haute Depot it attracts little attention. It doesn't want much until it gets to another Rich Mountain, when attention will be directed toward it without any member of the command soliciting either individual or public notice.

Madison and Grant counties have furnished, already, a full regiment of men for the military service. The people do not appear to be any ways tired, but are going on forming companies just as if there had heretofore been no war.

CAMP VIGO, Sept. 1st, 1861.

At an adjourned meeting of the commissioned officers, for the purpose of recommending staff officers, Capt. Allen as Secretary, and W. H. Fairbanks acting as Secretary.

On motion of Lieut. Rose, representatives of companies were allowed to cast the votes of those absent from their respective companies.

The following recommendations were made unanimously:
For Colonel—Charles Carr.
For Lieutenant—John O. O'Connell.
For Major—Lieut. Allen T. Rose.
Meeting adjourned.

School Notice.—Miss McLeod will reopen her school, corner Sixth and Walnut streets on Wednesday next, Sept. 10th.

Sinking Fund Notice.—The day of sale of lands by Sinking Fund Commissioners will be Tuesday, December 10th, not Saturday, December 14th, as advertised. Those interested should take notice.

Attention Young Men of Terre Haute!

There is now an opportunity for young men, between the ages of eighteen and thirty years, to join a cavalry company—Captain Bennett's Cavalry, of St. Louis. The knights are attached by order of Gen. Fremont. Col. Merrill is a regular army officer. Only twenty-five young men are wanted to complete the company. Horses and equipments furnished, also transportation to St. Louis. The company's quarters are at St. Louis. The men must be ready to leave by the last of this week. Buglers, a Brass Band and leader also wanted.

Apply at Heyroth's Store, west side public square.

THOMAS M. McKENNA.
Sergeant.

FRESH OYSTERS!

KERN'S RESTAURANT!

CHARLEY KERN has commenced receiving at his very popular Restaurant, Fresh Baltimore Oysters, which will be served up under the superintendence of Mr. Pratt. In every possible style to suit the taste, and in double-quick time. They will be received daily throughout the season.

Military Goods.—Messrs. Minshall & Paddock, have just received a fine assortment of military goods, and fine fancy cassimere, all of which they are prepared to make up to order, on short notice and at reasonable prices. Give them a call.

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Mrs. M. E. Fowler will commence her school Thursday, September 5th, in the room formerly occupied by Mrs. Moore, corner of Cherry and Fifth streets. Terms from \$5 to \$8 per quarter.

The First in Market.—Messrs. Hartcock, Allen & Co., have received, by Express, the first of their Fall purchases, consisting of superb CASHMERE and VESTINGS. As these are the first in market, and extraordinarily nice, they will soon be gone; therefore call soon. A full supply of Military cloths on hand.

Notice to Teachers.—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees will receive written applications for situations as teachers in the Public Schools, to commence on the first of October, any time between this date and the first Monday in September. All applications must be accompanied with the certificate of the School Examiner.

The applications are to be addressed to or filed with Mr. John Rainard, at his store, corner of 4th and Ohio streets.

By order of the Board.

J. A. R. EDMUNDS, Sec. pro tem.

MUSICAL.

KELLOGG'S UNION QUADRILLE BAND!

WILL ATTEND PROMPTLY TO ALL CALLS. In the musical line. Music furnished for Ball and Parties at reasonable rates.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.—One light red cow with black head; her tail has been cut so as to take the shape of a cross; her horns are small, medium size and black; she is about three years old, and weighs about three hundred pounds. A reward will be paid for her recovery.

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FURNITURE.

PARLOR AND CHAMBER FURNITURE.

VERY LOW FOR CASH.

Illinois Money Taken at 15 per cent. Discount.

J. C. WALTER.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR September.

Dickens' New Novel!

GREAT EXPECTATIONS. Complete in one volume.

MAP OF THE REBEL WAR. Including Eastern Virginia, and part of Maryland and Delaware.

A NEW KEY OF RANDER'S LIGHT IN FANCY TACTICS.

MILLINERY GOODS.

RECEIVED THIS DAY BY EXPRESS FROM N. Y.

ZILLEAU PATTERN BONNET!

TO FARMERS.

ROBINSON'S

Thrashing Machines and Engines.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

RECEIVED BY THE WESTERN UNION LINE.

Noon Dispatches.

The Rebels Make a Demonstration in Force Against Federal Pickets and are Driven Back—Opinion of Military Men—Hollow Recognition—The Rebels Entrenching—No Passes to the South—The Demand Large—The 27th Article of War—Its Extent and Intent—Attorney Gen. Bates Coming West—The Bank Presidents Advising the Administration—Success of the National Loan Does Not Depend Upon Banks—The Loan Not Taxable—Senator Wade—The Rebel Plot Against St. Louis—Gen. Lyon a Self-Sacrificer to Save the City—The Indians Unity with the other Thieves—Rebel Force Near Harper's Ferry—Their Design—Maryland Secessionists Moving—The Rebels Must Advance or Retreat.

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Military authorities think the present movement of the rebels has no significance except to keep their men actively employed, to prevent the demoralizing and dissolution of their army, until they are prepared for a grand movement, or one is made against them.

Capt. Whipple, of the Engineers, accompanied Mr. Lowe on his recent reconnaissance yesterday, and says they observed nearly 1,000 men at work throwing up entrenchments on Monson's Hill, between Fall's Church and Fairfax, a distance of seven miles. They concluded the enemy must be in large force.

The State Department will not issue passes to anybody to pass from loyal into rebel States, since the passage through Louisville was stopped. The demand for passes has been very large. Most of the applicants are women, who have been living at the North.

The general interest in the military operations of the war, the transportation of men and the fitting out of vessels.

Mr. Bates left Washington this morning for St. Louis. In his absence Titian L. Coffey, Esq., has been commissioned as Attorney General.

A number of leading financiers, including the President of some of the New York Banks, are now in the city urging upon the President certain changes in the conduct of the war. They propose that the Government shall attempt to force the rebels to abandon their threatened attack upon Washington, by making counter attacks upon various points in the South.

The Secretary of the Treasury is gratified to know that the success of the National Loan does not depend upon banks or corporations; but that the people alone are able and willing to subscribe all the money that is needed. It will satisfy the public and increase public confidence in the Government to state that the Attorney General has decided that the loan is not taxable either by State or local authorities.

Senator Wade, of Ohio, before leaving Washington, visited the Government Arsenal to raise a regiment of cavalry and a battery of artillery for the war.

A letter from St. Louis states that there was no doubt that the rebels intended and expected to be in full possession of St. Louis before now, and that August 29th was the time fixed upon for the active cooperation of secessionists in that city.

Nothing could have prevented the plot from succeeding had they been successful at Springfield. Gen. Lyon knowing this, sacrificed himself and saved the city a second time, by his victory, for such it was, in fact. Our friends have gained time and are safe.

Advices received at the War Department confirm the report that the Kiowas and Ojibwas, from whom the Government last year withheld their annual presents on account of previous rebellious, have united their fortunes with the Southern confederacy. The principal rendezvous of the tribes is near Fort Bent.

It is estimated by men entitled to know, that there are seventy-five thousand of the rebel army between Harper's Ferry and St. Louis, awaiting an opportunity to force a crossing into Maryland, and willing to take the chances then of an insurrection of the malcontents, that will enable them to transfer the conflict to the rebel army. In the meantime hundreds of Maryland secessionists are gathering upon the eastern shore for the purpose of carrying out the programme of cutting off direct communication with Philadelphia and Baltimore, and simultaneously to the passage of the rebels across the Potomac.

At the little town of Easton, in Talbot county, these arrivals have amounted to as many as fifty per day. The rebels are in such a condition that they are compelled either to attempt to advance or to retire from the Potomac, the resources of this region are exhausted, and they cannot much longer sustain their impotent force on the Virginia side of the Potomac, they must either avail themselves of the riches of the splendid agricultural district of Western Maryland or fall back at least upon the Rappahannock. Their disposition will make lively times along the Potomac in a few days and perhaps in a few hours.

The Skirmish at Cross Lanes.

Official to the Cincinnati Gazette.

CLARESBURG, Va., August 29.—Official advices show that the affair at Cross Lanes was a mere skirmish.

Col. Tyler, with one division of his regiment, was surprised by a strong rebel force, and fell back under orders of his superior. The enemy had got between him and the other division of his regiment under Major Casement. Both divisions escaped with fifty reported killed.

A picket skirmish occurred ten miles below Hagerstown yesterday. The rebels retreated with five killed. Our loss was one.

Remains of Gen. Lyon at Philadelphia.

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Proclamation of Gen. Fremont.

Martial Law Proclaimed throughout the State of Missouri—Rebels Out of the State—Confederated and Federal Shot-Gun Order of Protest Marshall Ministry.

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