

William F. Vinton, Co. A

# Local and Miscellaneous.

ELLIOTTVILLE, FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1863.

## May Hearts be Trumps Forever.

The Diamond is the type of wealth;  
 The Spade of lands about him;  
 The Club of power and greatness speaks,  
 With rank and rule surrounding;  
 The Heart it breathes of bosom'd joy,  
 O'er all the rest outlying,  
 It is the beacon light of home,  
 On love's bright ray relying.  
 As in each game of chance or skill,  
 Trump hearts are slighted never;  
 So in the earnest game of life,  
 May Hearts be Trumps forever.

Put not thy faith in dazzling gems,  
 They're oft but tinsel glistening;  
 And if thou seekest power or wealth,  
 Thou'lt find them empty dreaming.  
 They'll neither yield thy conscience peace,  
 Or make thy breast the lighter;  
 Like gems they never shine in shade,  
 When true hearts beam the brighter.  
 Then, as in game of chance or skill,  
 The Heart's all-omen'd never;  
 So in the earnest game of life,  
 May Hearts be Trumps forever.

**FOR SALE.**—To those desiring to purchase a small farm near this village, we direct their attention to the advertisement in another column headed "A Small Farm for Sale."

**CLOSED.**—The Union School in this village closed its Winter term on Wednesday last. Mr. and Mrs. ALLISON have shown themselves faithful and competent teachers, and we regret to learn that it is their intention to leave us. Success to them hereafter.

**AUCTION SALE.**—It will be seen by the advertisement in another column, that Judge TEN BROECK, executor of the Freeman estate, in the town of Farmersville, will sell the farm to the highest bidder, on Wednesday, the 25th inst. This is a desirable property.

**ADMITTED TO BAIL.**—G. H. Myers was admitted to bail before Judge Marvin, last week at Salamanca, in bonds of \$5,000. Judge Chamberlain, Mr. Lifert, Depot Agent at Salamanca, and friends of Myers at Elmira, were the sureties. Myers is now at Salamanca discharging his duties as car inspector.

**ELMIRA.**—This place is about to become the terminus of the Buffalo, New York & Erie Railway, thus avoiding a change of cars at Corning. It is reported that the large repair

**FIRD. VINTON**, of the 154th, is home on a short furlough, looking tough and hearty.

**CONSUL AT JAMAICA.**—H. A. BISHOP, of Dunkirk, late Clerk of the Assembly, has been nominated for Consul at Jamaica.

**DEATH OF COL. McMAHON.**—Col. John E. McMahon, of the Corcoran Legion, died at Buffalo last week of quick consumption. He was a son of Patrick McMahon, formerly of Allegany, in this county, and was a young lawyer of much promise.

**NOT TRUE.**—It is not true that D. E. SULL, of the *Freeman*, has experienced a change of heart during the religious revival which is now in progress in this village. To those who believed the *guard*, we refer them to the last issue of his paper. The wag who started this report deserves a sound thrashing!

**LIQUOR DEALERS.**—We received a call the other day from our friend SWIFT, of the firm of SWIFT & LINES, liquor dealers at Buffalo.—Our friend still retains his good looks and agreeable ways. Both Mr. Swift and Mr. Lines are Cattaraugus gentlemen, and we hear, are rapidly increasing their trade throughout the county. Those who have occasion to purchase Liquors in Buffalo will find them honorable, fair dealers, and ready to assist their Cattaraugus friends in purchases of any other articles they may require when in Buffalo. Call on them at 140 East Seneca St.

**TURNED CRITIC!**—The local editor of the *Cattaraugus Republican* has turned newspaper critic! His sparkling genius glitters forth through the columns of the last *Republican* in a truly brilliant style. He dissects his neighbors, and publishes his discoveries and observations to the world. Judge, not least ye be judged. Not wishing to encroach upon his sole right of criticism, we respectfully beg of him the privilege of a hasty glance through his "Local and Miscellaneous Matters." Bogins his "Matters" with a religious notice and concludes them with a poetical effusion enjoining his readers to "Love All." From the sublime to the—Loving! His "Matters" are made very interesting by an elaborate description of some kind of a "Red Pond." Didn't find out what

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