## BEDFORD GAZETTE.

B. F. MEYERS. EDITOR. FRIDAY, : : : : : : : : APRIL 25, 1862

Cameron's Doings Coming to Light.

The sage of Lochiel is, just now, in "a peck of troubles." A few days ago, as he was about to depart for his Russian exile, he was brought to a sudden halt by an arrest at the instance of Mr. Pierce Butler, a prominent Philadelphian, whom he, while Secretary of War, had, without any alleged cause, incarcerated in Fort Lafayette. This proceeding, it is said, disgusted exceedingly the chaste and pure-minded patriot who was about to "leave his country for his country's good." But, scarcely had Mr. Cameron entered the required bail in this case, when Secretary Chase, the sleepy, fangless Cerberus of the Treasury, comes along, and asks a consultation with the Ex-Secretary in regard to "a defalcation in one of the Departments amounting to millions." This was adding Republican "insult" to Butler's Democratic "injury." Then, there was that vengeful Jersey Wall, prowling around Philadelphia, waiting for an opportunity to give the unfielged Plenipotentiary a farewell greeting in consideration of services rendered, in during the hours of night, and thrown into a dismal dungeon, a "prisoner of state." But worse than all this-more annoying than Butler's writ-more unkind than Chase's "consultation"-more dreadful than all his visions of Wall's pistols and bludgeons-Executive Document No. 67 appears upon the scene and confronts the harassed Minister with its array of ugly figures and startling revelations. The curtain is lifted and the American people obtain a glimpse into the Augean Stables of the Federal Government. There stands Simon Cameron, cold snap threatens. not as the faithful public officer, not as the true and trusty functionary of a people threatened with all the impending horrors of the bloodiest anarchy the world ever knew, but as the selfish, trenson-helping SPECULATOR, the partner in corrupt and Government-ruining contracts, the chief spoilsman of all the hungry jackalls that hang upon the skirts of a brave and devoted army. And to our vision Cameron has always appeared in this shape. We needed not the astance of the light afforded by Document No.

Nor was the President deceived in his man when he selected him as his Minister of War. Well did Mr. Lincoln know the character of the adviser he had chosen. Well did he remember the Winnebago frauds with which Cameron was notoriously connected. Well did he recollect the means by which Cameron was made U. States Senator. But little cared our model Executive, "Honest Old Abe," for all that. His adminis tration could not afford to lose Cameron's support, and to secure it, this hoary-headed incarnation of political knavery must have a scat in the Cabinet! Parasites may flatter and expectant office-hunters may sing hosannas to the President, but we say to him, as will the people may ere long, and that, too, in tones of thunder: MR. LINCOLN, you not only struck a fatal blow at the welfare of your country, but you did violence to your own conscience, when you elevated Simon Cameron to office !

In conclusion we quote the following from the Philadelphia Inquirer, of last Eriday :

"A startling exposition of the mismanage ment of the War Department under ex-Secreta-ry Cameron and Assistant Secretary Scott is furnished by Executive document, No. 67, re-cently printed by the House of Representatives.

Chicago Democratic! The Democrats have carried Chicago for the first time since 1852, ten years ago! The Democratic majority for Mayor is almost1500 ! The Chicago Tribune (Rep.) says of the result: "The majorities of the Democratic ticket foot

up 1,487 for the office of Mayor-and the others will not fall far behind." The Democrats also elect 7 out of 10 Alder men. Chicago was formerly good for 1,000 to

2,000 Republican majority. tor Lieut. A. Winter, formerly of Somerset Pa., was among those drowned recently at Cart

teman's Ferry, near Winchester, Va. Court will begin on Monday after next A good opportunity will be afforded, at that time, to pay the printer and to subscribe for

the Gazette. Br Somewhat of a freshet visited this neighborhood on Monday and Tuesday last. The river was very high and, we hear, did som damage to bridges and farms along its course. EF We publish, on our first page, several nteresting letters from Edisto Island, written by Capt. Filler and Lieut. Metzger to friends n this place; also, one from Mr. John B. Helm, who is now with the army of McClellan, near Yorktown. They will richly repay perusal.

IT NEW HOTEL .- Mr. Joseph Alsip, late proprietor of the Union Hotel, in this place, has opened a public house at the stand formerly kept by Mrs. Filler as a boarding-house on Juliana Street. Mr. Alsip is a clever and obliging andlord and keeps an excellent house. See advertisement in another column.

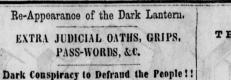
GP The Seventy-seventh Pennsylvania Regiment, under command of Col. F. S. Stumbaugh, of Chambersburg, participated in the great battle of Shiloh, or Pittsburg Landing. There having him, the said Wall, torn from his family are a number of Bedford county boys in this regiment. Capt. Wishart's co., from Fulton co., is attached to the 77th.

> the prospect for a heavy crop of fruit in this region is excellent. Whether Jack Frost will yet interfere with the buds and blossom remains to be seen. We fear there are "squalls ahead." 'Trees in blossom may be protected against frost by making smoke under them. A good fruit crop would be well worthy a little extra care and attention and we advise our horticulturists to try the virtues of smoke when a

the individual set to by the virtues of shoke when a light cold shap threatens. Cold shap threatens. Corr space will not permit the publication of the whole of the constitution adopted by the and no brother shall be allowed to communicate the pass word, unless it be the President of a Council, or, in his absence, the Vice President of a Council, or, in his absence, the Vice President of the past severe mathematicate the past severe the objects of the organization: The course of study from which students may consistent the view of the vice of the organization: select, will range from the lower common school branches, to the higher studies pursued in Select Schools and Academies. The locality of the school is pleasant and healthy, and the accommodations for students are ample in every

car Private letters from Edisto Island, received here, state that a considerable number of Capt. G. S. Mullin's company, from this county, were taken prisoners in a skirmish with the enemy, and that several of them were killed. Among the names of those given as prisoners, are Gallipher and Garlinger-first name not recollected. It is also ascertained that John Saupp, a private in Capt. Filler's company, has been made a prisoner by the rebels. We are sorry to hear of the untoward fortunes of our brave boys: but such is war.

One year ago we had a "night police." We remember being aroused from our slumbers during the "wee sma' hours ayont the twal," when a rusty old musket, loaded to the muzzle, was placed upon our shoulder, and thus armed and equipped, we were compelled to patrol defraud the people, will blow up the conspira-the streets till morning, all for the safety of our tors and their dark lanterns sky high ! borough from prowling bands of infuriated rebels and lean and hungry Abolition chickenthieves. What has become of the "perlees?" road needs a little switch-tending.



A NEW RING TO SECURE THE SPOILS

OF OFFICE The Last Shift of Republicanism.

"SAM" SUPERSEDED BY "ABE!!"

WHERE ABE LIVES AND TRAVELS!

[From the Harrisburg Patriot.]

It appears from the official documents which we publish below, that there are certain loyal individuals in Luzerne county whose loyally to the Union is of so questionable a character that they are the source of the transformation of the trans they are either ashamed or afraid to exhibit it in a public manner, but prefer the shades of t and the screen of secresy to brew and concoct their sinister machinations. Accordingly brother, and the name of the contributor. On the they have formed a secret association in strict imitation of the "Know-Nothing" organization, under the specious and sounding appellation of the "Luzerne County Loyal Union League," of which a Mr. HOSEA CARPENTER is President. 'These "minions of the moon," desirous of uniting all the spoilsmen of the State into one grand corporation, with a monopoly of all the State, county-and township offices, deputed their President, Mr. Hosea Carpenter, to Har-risburg, with authority to create and organize throughout the State, county councils, at first dollars a-piece, subordinate to the State council, subsequently to be organized.

Mr. Hosea Carpenter, who understood his buess, and who therefore knew where to find the best material for his purpose, went straight to Senator Ketcham, who, without hesitation, immediately caught Mr. E. W. Capron, Assistant Clerk of the House, who not only "understood the business of framing the constitution," but was also "entirely reliable in every respect." Thus, in a short time, the constitution of "The

Loyal Union of the State of Pennsylvania" was framed: Mr. CAPRON, the author, elected framed: Mr. CAPRON, the author, elected President of the Legislative Loyal Union organi-zation, and Mr. H. V. HALL, Corresponding Secretary. It further appears that, about that time, the county council of Dauphin was orga-nized by the election of DAVID MUMMA as President, and GEORGE BERGNER Corre-resident. These is no double We sponding Secretary. There is no doubt Mr. ROLL. Carpenter is now traveling in the various counties of the Commonwealth to organize secret councils therein, and to levy his fee of five dol-

ed to to take a snap judgment upon the people by not revealing the ticket until the morning of the election. Article VIII, binds the members of the as

ciation, who are under oath, to support the tick-et formed by the committee whether they like it

or hot lice 1%, is an ingenous way or putting op the offices to the highest bidder, which will efficiently exclude the poor devils who have no mo-ney. A good chance for the shoddy and other ontractors who have lined their purses. Article X, excludes from office all persons out-

side of the ring! Article XVII, teaches how to trap members

into the league, and introduces "Abe." Article XVIII, under the obligation of an

oath, enjoins secreey and even fulschood! For further particulars as to the residence and travels of "ABE," enquire of DAVID MUM-

MA OF GRONGE BEIGNER, P. M., Harrisburg, If there were any evidence wanting of the desperation of the Republican party, this effort of their leaders to revamp and assume all the abominations of Know-Nothingism, long since repudiated by the sober second thought of the people, would prove the hopeless straits to which they are reduced. We feel assured that the bare exposure of this covert attempt to deceive and

County Loyal Union League, hereby authorize right. But no, the innocent and guilty, have WE, the undersigned, Committee of Luzerne our President, HOSEA CARPENTER, to organize a County Council of the League in every county There is work, now, if ever there was, for that devoted body of men. The underground rail-have so organized two-thirds of the counties of base a country saved with a constitution unim-paired. Let no man, however, who has aided the Commonwealth, he is empowered to call a meeting of the Presidents of each county Council, to meet at Harrisburg, for the purpose of forming a State Council, by giving them ten days' notice of such meeting. A receipt signed by Hosea Carpenter for \$5 for organizing a county Council will be deemed a sufficient voucher to admit the President to the first State meeting. D. N. LATUROF, Carbondale, Pa. S. P. LONGSTREET, Wilkesbarre, E. C. WADDAMS, Plymouth. D. G. DRIESBACH, Beach Haven. J. T. FELLOWS, Hyde Park. D. H. JAY, Scranton. C. J. BALDWIN, Wilkesbarre. S. A. NORTHROP, Parks Green. THEODORE STRONG, Pittston. Scranton, March 4, 1862. On my arrival at Harrisburg, I immediately colled on Hon, W. W. Ketchan, Senator from Luzerne. On telling him my business he said he would introduce me to a gentleman in the Tuesday gave Democratic majorities. All of these cities, with not more than two excep-tions where the star-bolding state these cities, with not more than the trian the free States, our new theory to set ionalism—life for the gov-A very popular man—a man who had long held the position, and had never before been beaten. It the business of framing the Constitution, and means death to sectionalism—life for the govwas entirely reliable in every respect. He then introduced me to E. W. Capron, Assistant Clerk of the House, and editor of the Chester counernment. It means restoration and peace, if England States have but 24, restoration and peace are possible. It means that the people of the North mean hereafter ty TIMES, of West Chester, Pa.) Mr. Capron immediately entered upon the work, and wrote So far as heard from, there is a complete out the articles of the Constitution and preparrevolution in the republican strongholds the republican cities of Janesville, Racine, Kenosha and LaCrosse, the democrats have e-Free State in the Union. Mr. Capron is now President of the Legisla-Kenosha and LaCrosse, the democrats have etive Loyal Union Organization, and H. V. Hall, letted their entire tickets. The gains over last Esq., is Corresponding Secretary. Any inforyear are immense. "There has a change taken mation that may be required by Loyal men in any part of the State concerning the organiza-tion of the Legislative Council may be obtained by addressing the above named President or Sec-retary at Harrisburg during the session of the pretary at Harrisburg during the session of the Legislature. Any information relative to Dau-phin county should be addressed to David Mum-Smith, attacked the rebels in their entrench-has only four hundred ma, President, or George Bergner, Correspond-ing Secretary, at Harrisburg. Any communication for me should be address-



Nearly Four Hundred Prisoners Taken. borough and township elections, and not to reveal the ticket until the morning of the election; the com-mittee shall designate one from among their num-NEW YORK, April 21.-The steamer Mc-Clellan has arrived from Port Royal, which ber to represent their borough, ward or town-ship in the county Convention for the nominaplace she left on the afternoon of the 14th. She brings full particulars of the bombardment and capture of Fort Pulaski, already announced by the Southern papers. On the morning of the 10th inst., General tion of a county ticket to be supported at the

Gilmore sent a flag of truce to Fort Pulaski, demanding its unconditional surrender, to which Colonel Olmstead, the Rebel Commandant, boastfully replied that he was placed there to defend, not to surrender the fort, whereupon ake returns to the County Council on the first our batteries immediately opened fire on Pulzs-

> A few rounds shot away their flag, but i was replaced and the firing kept up till sunset. General Gilmore then placed a battery at Goat Point, only 1,600 yards from the fort, to breach the walls, and commen night for that purpose with James guns. On the morning of the 11

of a large negro population are least desirous that it should be increased. The States responsible for the greatest share of guilt in precipitating the country into the present war, are the very States that had the least reason for it. The sccession conspirncy was hatched in South Carolina and the extreme Southern States, which never lost a negro or suffered in the most remote degree from the efficets of abolition agitation; while the States in the North most hostile to Southern institu-tions and most anxious to scence negro freedom. tions and most anxious to secure negro freedom, were those farthest removed from the South and possessed of the least practical knowledge of the negro race. Virginia and Tennessee, which lost more slaves in a week than the cotton States did in ten years, were than the terror rebel against the Government. Kentucky, Mis-souri and Maryland, more exposed than Virginia and Tennessee, are still in the Union, and at least nominally loyal. Pennsylvania, New Jer-sey, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, which support the greatest number of free negroes, are more the greatest minor of the legitles, are more conservative than the New England States, which support few or none. These facts show that both Northern and Southern fanaticism proceed from ignorance.—Patriot & Union.

New Advertisements.

1	General Gilmore then placed a battery at	
+	Goat Point, only 1,600 yards from the fort, to	A LIST OF VENDERS OF FOREIGN
e	breach the walls, and commenced firing at mid- night for that purpose with his Parrott and	L. & Domestic Merchandise in the county of
	James guns.	Bedford, for the year 1862, as appraised and
1	On the morning of the 11th two breaches	classified by the Appraiser of Mercantile taxes.
8	were discovered on the south-east face of the	Bedford Borough. Class. Dol. Cls.
-	fort, which at noon had assumed huge propor-	A. B. Carn Store 13 10 00 A. B. Cramer & Co. " 13 10 00
	tions, and about two o'clock the Rebel rag was	A. B. Cramer & Co. " 13 10 00 N. Lyons & Sons " 14 7 00
	hauled down and a white flag displayed, and	Peter A. Reed " 14 7 00
2	the fort unconditionally surrendered, Col. Ohn-	Miss Margaret Fetterly " 14 7 00
:	stead stating that it was impossible to hold out	S. & W. W. Shuck " 14 7 00
a	longer, our rifled cannon shots reaching the magazine, and most of his guns being disabled.	Robert Fyan " 14 7 00
-	The garrison having surrendered, the Sev-	J. M. Shoemaker " + 14 7 00
8	enth Conneticut regiment took possession the	Mrs. S. E. Sigafoos "14 7 00
8	same night, the glorious Stars and Stripes hav-	Isaac Lippel " 14 7 00
1	ing with great enthusiasm been again restored	John Araold Hardware 14 7 00 Wm. Hartley " 14 7 00
n	to its place above the battlements of Fort Pul-	George Blymire " 14 7 00
-	nski.	Df. B. F. Harry Drugs 14 7 00
	. The Union loss in the engrgement was only	H. C. Reamer " 14 7 00
d	one killed and one slightly wounded.	A. L. Defibaugh " 1.4 7 00
e	The Rebel loss is three badly wounded and	James B. Farquhar " 14 7 00
,	385 prisoners. One hundred and five of the prisoners come	Jacob Bollinger, Confectionery 8 5 00
-	hither on board of the McClellan in charge of	John J. Luther " 8 5 60
e	Col. Menar, Aid to Gen. Hunter.	John Hafer, Ten Pin Alley 7 50
E	Among the passengers by the McClellan are	Do. Billiard Table 7 50 John G. Minnich, Eating house 10 00
-	Lieut. Badeau, Aid to Gen. Hunter, bearer of	John G. Minnich, Eating house 10 00 J. N. Munshower "" " 10 00
N	despatches; Capt. Ceeley, of the Twenty-eighth	John Alsip & Son, Shoe Store 14 7 00
T	Massachusetts; a guard of twelve soldiers of a	Reed, Rupp & Schell, Bankers 10 00
L. R	Rhode Island regiment. Also seven discharg-	Bedford Township,
L	ed soldiers and mechanics.	John S. Ritchey, Distillery 6 15 00
8	The McClellan also brings the good news of the safe arrival of the frigate Vermont at Port	Bedford Mineral Spring Co. Ten Pins 7 50
;	Royal. She was being towed into Port Royal	Do. do. do. Billiards 7 50
e	as the McClellan sailed.	Broad Top Township,
a	Jacksonville, Fla., had been evacuated by the	Eichelberger & Lowry 14 -7 00
;	Federal troops, who had arrived at Hilton	John Foster, Eating house 10 00
2	Head on the steamer Cosmopolitan on the 14th.	Do. Ten Pins 7 50
1		John Dell, Liquor, 14 25 00
	Statistics of Free Negro Population.	Cumberland Valley Township,
ú	From the subjoined table, which we compile	Jacob Anderson, Store 14 7 00 Daniel R Anderson "14 7 00
	from the Census of 1860, it will be seen that	Daniel R, Anderson " 14 7 00   John May " 14 7 00
	the free negro population of the Slavcholding	Jonathan Dicken " 14 7 00
	States is considerably in excess over that of the Non-slaveholding States. That is the Slave-	Colerain Township,
-	holding States, notwithstanding the existence	A. C. James 14 7 00
-	of slavery in them, have in reality given a wid-	James & Barnhart 14 7 00
e	er extension to the principal of emancipation	Hopewell Township,
e	than was ever done by the Non-slaveholding	Eichelberger, Lowry & Co. 14 7 00
v	States. This is a fact which should not be for-	Liberty Township,
n	gotten by those who would admire philanthropy	Jacob Fockler - 14 7 00
n	in deed rather than in word.	Lewis Putt 14 7 00
n	NUMBER OF FREE NEGROES IN THE FREE STATES.	Harrison Township,
e	California	Valentine B. Wertz 14 7 00
0	Connecticut	George R. Bailey 11 7 00
	Illinois	Monroe Township,
-	Indiana	James R. O'Neal 14 7 00
e	Kansas	Daniel Fletcher 14 7 00
t	Maine	Simon Shafer 14 7 00
e	Massachusetts	Juniala Township, George Gardill 14 7 00
t	Michigan	George Gardill147 00Lewis N. Fyan,Store147 00
-	Minnesota	Wm. Keyser " 14 7 00
, e	New Hampshire	Hillegass & Co. " 14 7 00
-	New Jersey	Frederick Hildebrand " 14 7 00
e	Ohio	Lewis N. Fyan, Distillery 15 00
	Oregon	John Hillegass " 15 00
-	Pennsylvania 56,373	S1. Clair Township,
1	Rhode Island	G. D. Trout 14 7 00
Y	Vermont	Simon Hershman 14 7 00
e	Wisconsin	F. D. Beegle 14 7 00 Miss Ann C. Smith 14 7 00
1	000 515	
1	222 745	George B. Amick 14 7.00
1	NUMBER OF FREE NEGROES IN THE SLAVE STATES.	George Ilinsling 14 7 00
8	Alabama 2,630	Isaiah Blackburn 14 7 00
9	Arkansas · 187	Horn & Brother 14 7 00
e	Delaware 19,723	Peter Hillegass, Distillery 15 00
c	Florida 908 Georgia 3,459	Schellsburg Borough,
0	Kentucky 10,146	John Smith, Hardware 14 7 00
	Lousiana 18,638	John S. Schell, Store 14 7 00 E. Statler & Son 14 7 00
-	Maryland 82,718	E. Statler & Son 14 7 00 Jacob W. Miller 14 7 00.
1	Mississippi 731	Duncan McVicker, Stoves 14 7 00
e	Missouri 2,983	John E. Colvin, Store 14 7 00
8	North Carolina 30,097 South Carolina 9,618	Napier Township,
,	South Carolina 9,648 Tennessee 7,235	John Wayde 14 7 00
e	Texas 7,235 Texas 339	George W. Blackburn 14 7 00
1	Virginia 57,579	Middle Woodberry Tp.
-	District of Columbia 11,107	H. M. Neal Store 14 7 00
	The evolution of a second seco	Andrew Baker " 14 . 7 00
	259,078	George R. Barndollar " 14 7 00
	The foregoing interesting table was publish-	A. L. Beckhæffer " 14 7 00 Henry Zook " 14 7 00
t	ed some time since by the National Intelligencer.	
f	It shows not only that the free negro popula-	S. Longanecker & Co. '' 8 5 00 Fishack & Reed '' 8 5 90
-	tion of the Slaveholding states exceeds that of the Free States, but also that the most intense-	a femicia to artes
t	Anti-slavery States are those having the small-	South Woodberry Tp. David F. Buck "14 7 00"
-	est number of free negroes. The six New	David F. Buck " 14 7 00 Daniel M. Bare " 14 7 00
f	England States have but 24,141 free negroes;	Samuel Oster " 14 7 00
5	while Pennsylvania, New York and New Jer-	Jacob Kauffinan " 14 7 00
r	sey have 130,325. The Western States, inch-	Robert Ralston " 8. 5 00
	ding Ohio, have 64,347. Pennsylvania alone	East Providence Tp.
e	has 56,373; more than any single State in the	D. A. T. Black " 14 7 00 .
n	Union. New Jersey, however, has the largest number in proportion to its population of any	John Nycum & Son " 14 7 00
2	Free State in the Union.	John Lauderbaugh " 14 7 00
t	It will be observed that the States that have	West Providence Tp.
n	done most to secure the freedom of the negro,	J. M. Barndollar & Son " 14 7 00
	and displayed the greatest amount of abstract	J. B. Williams "14 7 00 Wm. States & Co. "14 7 00
	abolition philanthropy, are those having the	
	least practical experience of the burdens impos-	David Broad, Eating house - 10 00 Charles T. Blake " 10 00
f	ed by a large negro population. Massachusetts supports less than ten thousand.—Maine, not	Eli Ramsey, Drugs 14 7 00
1	more than twelve, hundred. New Hampshire	John C. Black, Confectionery 8 5 00
-	has only four hundred and fiftyscarcely e-	Union Township.
ti	nough to let the people know what a negro looks	Somuel Barket, Distillery 15 00
y	like. A black man would no doubt be a cari-	Notice is hereby given that an Appeal will be
t	osity to hundreds of voters in that State who	held at the Court House, in Bedford, on the ou
1-	are accustomed to shout for negro freedom. The farther from the negro the more anxious	day of May, 1862. LEVI AGNEW,
d	for his company, seems to be the rule. The	Mercantile Appraiser.
1	States having the most experience of the effects	April 25, 1862.

Saturday in each month, stating the number of brothers and the amount of contribution by each brother, and the name of the contributor. On the shall be prepared by the County Council of all brothers who have contributed during the year, their names and the amount contributed, and the list thus prepared shall be sent to each subordinate Council in the county. Arr. X. On the first Monday in August in ach year a list of brothers who are candidates for the county offices, shall be sent to the Cor-responding Secretary of the county, to be certi-fied by the President, countersigned by the Sec-retary, stating that they are true and loyal bro-

general election.

there in good standing, and that they are wor-thy to hold the office which they desire to fill and the Corresponding Secretary shall send a copy of said names and certificates to the suborate councils in the county.

CONSTITUTION

OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

INSTITUTED 1862

1862.

ART. VIII. It shall be the duty of every mem

ART. XVII. In approaching a person who is known to be of the right stamp, the brother will first show him the declaration card and ask him how that suits him. If he replies that he endorses the sentiments, then present him the sec-ond card. If he is willing to plodge himself to that, ask him if he will keep confidentially and sacredly the secret of any names to the pledge or roll you may present to him for his signature, if he should not be willing to sign it. If he re-plies in the affirmative, the declaration may be presented for his signature; BUT HE MUST NOT BE INFORMED WHERE ABE LIVES AND TRAVELS, BE-FORE HIS NAME IS SIGNED TO THE DECLARATION

ART. XVIII. NO BROTHER SHALL REVEAL THE NAME OF ANY MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL, NOR ITS PLACE OF MEETING; NOR SHALL HE REVEAL THE FACT, THAT ANY SUCH ORGANIZATION EXIST

the Councils of the Order

The Detroit (Michigan) Free Press, in pub-lishing an abstract of the National Tax bill, in which the burden of taxation is laid upon the people, and remarks, "no one need fear that he has been slighted." A study of the bill will show that it embraces everything and everybody from which even the smallest amount of revenge can possibly be derived, and respectfully invites them all to "walk up to the captain's office and set-tle"-for what? It answers this query in the following "words of truth and soberness :"

Our northern people have been dancing an anti-slavery jig and now they must pay the fiddler.— That is all there is of it. We fancy when the time comes to fork over, they, or at least most of them, will inwardly conclude that they are paying "too dear for the whistle." The great injustice of it all is, that those who have resist The great ted political anti-slavery with all their power, who have a thousand times warned the of the inevitable result, must bear equal thens with the incendiary adolitionists who have brought this load of debt upon the country If secessionistsand abolition sts, political ant slavery leaders and Southern conspirators could be made to pay the shot, it would be exactly got to suffer alike. We will not grumble how ever, if after all our dangers and trials, we shall

## The Plain Truth.

It appears by this, that these two functionaries were busily engaged during last summer and fall making contracts for muskets and other mall arms, until the aggregate of their operations summed up one million, nine hundred and seventy-six thousand two hundred and forty nuskets, rifles and carbines, seventy-two thou-sand four hundred and forty pisols; and one hundred and forty-two thousand five hundred hundred and forty-two thousand five hundred swords; for which they obliged the Trensury to pay the triffing amount of \$46,144,665. The arms were to be delivered, according to the convenience of the contractors, at almost any time along in the next two years, the delivery of hun-dreds of thousands of them being accommodatingly disposed over periods extending from July, 1862, to December, 18631

While the public will be astounded at the vast magnitude and wild improvidence of these perations, there are other attending circumstan es that will leave them hardly less amazed Whether we consider the exorbitant prices apredupon, or the apparent privity with the bidders, or the consurable favoritism to defaul-ting and bogus contractors, (who were in large part neither manufacturers of any kind nor dealbringing into the field so many bidders to com-pete with itself in the market of Europe-all show a reckless system of extravagance and jobbing, and a want of foresight and adminisobbing, trative ability, shocking to the instincts of every honest citizen and well-trained business

\* A bill was passed by the late legislature requiring the publication of all legal notices for this county, in both newspapers, excepting only administrators' and executors' notices in estates in which the assets amount to less than \$1000, in which cases such notices are to be published in but one paper. We have not seen the law, and, therefore, cannot give any opinion concerning it.

DEMOCRATIC TRIUMPH IN COLUM-BUS, OHIO.

The Union Forever-Glory Enough for a Century !!

The Ohio Statesman speaks thus of the late e-lection in the City of Columbus : A Democratic City Marshal—A Democratic

City Treasurer-Two Democratic City School Directors-Two Democratic Councilmen-Three Democratic Constables-A Democratic Town ship Treasurer-A Democratic Township As-

The Democracy of Columbus on Monday

improved on last year's triumph, having elected the entire ticket, without the loss of a man. loss of a man. For the first time they succeeded in electing a Democratic Treasurer, who was running again Mayor Thomas had a majority of sixty-four last year, when the Democracy carried the city for the first time. The Democracy on yesterday gave their Marshal a majority of seven hundred and eighty-three. Thus has the Capitol City of Ohio put its

seal of condemnation upon radicalism, and given an emphatic expression in favor of con-servatism, the Union and the Constitution. All hall to the Democracy of the Capitol City efforts of Ohio.

CF THE CHARTER ELECTION in Jersey City, on Tuesday, resulted in the success of the Demo-eratic ticket. The majority of John Roamer, for Mayor, was 599; of Edward D. Riley, for chief of police, 102. The Board of Aldermen will stand Democrats, 13 ; Republicans, 5.

CTHE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE for Mayor of St. Paul, Minnesota, has been elected.

Com. Foote, it is reported, is bomharding Fort Wright. It is expected that it will soon be captured.

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results. Every man of ordinary intelligence knows that if there had been no warring by the neeple of the North upon Southern institutions, no molitical anti-slavery, this war would not have oc-curred. One millstone will not crush the grain a two are always necessary. So Southern con-spirators never would have been able to grind at the rebellion grist without the other millstone of Northern anti-slavery to aid them. One was just as indispensable to the result as the other and it will require a nice adjustment of the scales of justice to discriminate in favor of cither, when the moral guilt of both parties shall be tested." From the Milwaukie News of April 3d.

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place in the public mind." LATEST WAR NEWS! Battle at Yorktown!

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ing Secretary, at Harrisburg. Any communication for me should be address-ed to Harrisburg, cure of George Bergner, Esq., Post Master, and editor of the Harrisburg Tet-BERAFI. on reinforcements being received by the energy were compelled to fall back. Several Vermont osity to hundreds of voters in regiments suffered considerably. Gen. McClel-Inn reports 35 killed, 120 wounded and 9 miss-The farther from the negro to the farther farther from the negro to the farther BOSEA CARPENTER, Pres't. ing. The rebel loss is put down at 25 killed and 75 wounded.