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BEDFORD PA., FRIDAY, SEPT. 29, 1865. UNION STATE TICKET.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL, Gen. JOHN F. HARTRANFT, Montgomery. Col. JACOB M. CAMPBELL, of Cambria. UNION COUNTY NOMINATIONS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE. DISTRICT ATTORNEY, J. T. KEAGY, Esq., of Bedford

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DANIEL SAMS, West Providence. WILLIAM KIRK, St. Clair.

COMMISSIONER, HENRY J. BRUNER, Cumberland Valley. JOHN S. HETRICK, 3 yr., M. Woodberry, LEONARD BITNER, 2 yrs., Juniata. JAMES ALLISON, Napier.

Capt. AMOS ROBINETT, Southampton SOLDIERS READ.

We must say, that laying aside all political prejudices we are opposed to the principle of allowing men to vote out of the State on any pretext whatever. We believe in the doctrines of our earliest statesmen: that a standing army is dangerous to a republic. AND FURTHER BELIEVE THAT GIVING SOL-DIERS THE POWER TO VOTE ONLY DOUBLES THE DANGER. -Bedford Gazette Jan. 22, 1864.

ASSESS THE SOLDIERS! ASSESS THE

See that the soldiers in the field and is too late!

THE PRESIDENT AND THE COP-

PERHEADS. President Johnson, and we should not fail to tremely hypocritical. The patriotic zeal len; these were my big brother's down lone can preserve its fruits. South." "But you haven't a wolf's ears." "Mine were trimmed." The wolf half con- THE LAW OF THE UNITED STATES vinced was about to leave, when he suddenly stopped, snuffed the atmosphere and exclaimed, "You may bark like a wolf, wear him as you," and the skunk died.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY.

A great many Democratic papers are exulting over what they consider a division in the Union party upon the Presidents' Policy in the reconstruction and reorganization of the Southern States. They seem to have forgotten that the President long ago announced the fact that his policy was an experiment and not necessarily a finality. The Union party, as is its custom, has spoken frankly upon the subject commending what has seemed to it good and expedient and condemning what seemed amiss. It is by such means alone that the President and cabinet as well as Congress can be informed of public opinion. If Copperhead papers can find any consolation in it they are welcome to all they can get. While lauding the President for any thing they choose to think looks like a leaning to Copperheadism, they would do well to peat the warning. refresh their memories and that of their readers by publishing the names of the whole democratic delegation in the Pennsylvania legislature, who voted against a resolution tendering to Andrew Johnson, then Military Governor of Tennessee, the use of the Hall of Representatives for the purpose of addressing the citizens of Harrisburg. If they should conclude to publish them, we suggest that the name of William A. Wallace, about this time. COPPERHEADS TOADYING THE

SOLDIERS. "When the devil was sick, the devil a monk would

be, When the devil was well, the devil a monk was he." weak enough to yield to their blandishments, ers might have had a much better idea of and to believe in their loud professions of the true character of the party. patriotism. Out of pity for supplicating friends, now and then a soldier condescends | Paupers can vote but Soldiers can't. | yeas and nays were required by Mr. Donoto act as President or Secretary of a Copperhead meeting. We are glad to note that the Bedford Alms-House, while the same the instances are extremely rare. Not many are deceived by the promises and professions now made in the hour of gloom and de-

on the first success. CONSISTENT.

The Doylestown Democrat, owned and edited by Col. Davis, the Democratic candidate for Auditor General, has an editorial in dedealt with. Pennsylvania soldiers who surmake a note of this. - Ex.

The opposition is extremely anxious that the Union party should announce itself in favor of negro suffrage in the reconstruction and rebel sympathizers with the late rebelback the lately rebellious states, as their only hope of restoration to power lies in a coalition with the men who have just ceased received into the fold again, much less reinstated in power. Great questions of State policy require time for consideration, a little trife and even future wars. This is the position of the Union Party. They wish the Southern States restored to the former places as sister States as soon as compatible with security to the peace and prosperity of the country. They will not ask that national debt be secured from repudiation, er, they will consent to admit the Southern States to such rights as, under the Constitution, belong to States.

THE DEAD DEMOCRACY.

"Never put new wine into old bottles" is those at home are assessed at once. The a scriptural injunction of the highest wiselection takes place on the 10th day of dom. The American people after overcom-October and you cannot be ready for it at ing traitors in arms and their aiders and a too early a moment. See to it that every bettors at the ballot box, cannot be guilty of Union voter is properly assessed before it the absurdity of giving the control of the issues born of the great revolution into the hands of the corrupt, effete, ossified Democratic party. "Let the dead past bury its dead." The Democratic party belongs to On the eve of an important election, the the era of Kansas raids, Lecompton Consti-Copperheads find it necessary to adulate tutions, the auction block and the whip. It went down, with the fall of Richmond, nevcommend their conduct if it were not so ex- er to rise again. Let us bury it away from the sight of men. A wise and patrictic people with which Andrew Johnson opposed the can never in the hour of their triumph be secessionists entitles him to the ardent sup- guilty of so gross an anachronism as to report of every loyal citizen. But the support store this party to power. Having shown How Meyers was going to resist the of the Copperheads is only the homage that during a long course of administration, their treason pays to patriotic virtue. They tried utter incapacity and unworthiness in the the same game in Maine the other day, far management of public affairs; out of powout-doing their brethren in Pennsylvania. er having failed to appreciate the heroic They curled their hair after the Ethiopian spirit of the people, let the Democratic parfashion, sang John Brown dirges, spelt ne- ty acknowledge its follies, retire from the gro with one "G," and were beaten to the political ring, and leave it to the party which tune of TWENTY THOUSAND. Their conducted the country in triumph to the caught a skunk and was about to kill him, ful. Our Revolutionary fathers took care POUCH." when the skunk appealed "don't kill me, that the future should not be controlled by

IS PARAMOUNT.

The Gazette threatens with the direct venceance every election board that obeys the the clothes of a wolf, show the ears of a wolf, law, and refuses the ballot to deserters. The but no wolf ever had such a bad smell about | brave words of the Gazette alarm no one We insist that these fellows have forfeited all right to vote. The law of the United States is paramount. If the state neglected to exclude these deserters from the polls, it does not follow that the Government of the United States is powerless in the premises. The authority of the General Government has been wonderfully demonstrated of late, and it will not do now to tell us that she cannot protect the ballot box from the polluting truck of deserters who have forfeited | The Soldier vote thrown out but the every claim to the right of suffrage. We warn them to stay away from the polls on the 2nd Tuesday of October. William Wallace, Chairman of the Copperhead State Central Committee, said in the State senate in 1864 that "the soldier disfranchises himself when he takes upon himself the duties of

A NATIONAL PARTY.

"Fellow-citizens, in conclusion, let me appeal to you to support the Democratic party—the only national one now in existence."—(Speech of Captain Brockway, August 30, 1865.)

The speech from which the above extract is taken has been extensively circulated by the Copperhead party in this county, and this is a fair specimen of the whole speech. Chairman of the Copperhead State Central If the orator had added, that it was the only Committee be put in the biggest kind of party represented in the late rebel army, for all time to come.—10th Resolution Dem capitals. It might be suggestive to Andy that it was the only party to which Bo unty jumpers, Deserters, Canadian refugees, Skedaddlers, &c. belonged, the only party that favored the rebels and opposed the war, the only party that furnished arms and funds to the Confederacy, the only party that sent traitors from their Northern homes to join The Copperheads in their distress are anx- rebel marauders and guerrillas, that furnishiously looking about them for a few soldiers ed an ex-secretary of war, an ex-secretary to keep them in countenance, and it need of the interior an ex-President and an exnot surprise any one that some are found Vice-President to the Confederacy, his hear-

Last fall nineteen paupers were voted from van and Mr. Wallace, and were as follows, men who marched them to the polls like cattle, voted to a man against the proposition in favor of soldiers in active service vospair; promises they would hasten to break ting. Paupers were good enough, but men battling for the honor of their country had to stand out in the cold.

CHEERS FOR DAVIS.

Last fall while the Copperheads were canfence of the infamous Captain Wirz, who vassing the county, prior to the election, they negative. Here stands the name of every starved our prisoners at Andersonville. It would in all the fervor of their souls burst Democratic Senator recorded against a vote asserts that the Military Commission before out violent cheers for Jeff. Davis, this fall of thanks to General Grant, who brought ford county have become indebted to the which he is on trial is a usurpation of power they cheer for Wm. H. H. Davis. It could'nt the war to a successful close. Among the State of Pennsylvania in the sum of \$16,000. and that the prisoner has not been fairly be anything else but Davis, their party is so opposition we find the name of William A. wrapt up in that name, that while the name | Wallace, the present Chairman of the De- to this debt in one day because the Coppervived the horrors of Andersonville should of Davis is spoken it will be used as synony- mogratic State Central Committee, who is head county Commissioners refused to make mous with this later-day Democracy.

RECONSTRUCTION .-- NEGRO SUF- If Negroes are Democrats they can vote.

Several years ago a family of respectable colored people resided in St. Clair township named Bradley. The father of the family of the Southern States. The Copperheads was a Democrat, which faith entitled him to stole up to and applied the torch to the lion are impatient of any delay in hurrying polls and voted by the leaders of the Demo cratic party in that township. On one occasion, Bradley was in Bedford, the leaders cendiary, who under cover of darkness, discovered it, fearing that they might loose their efforts to destroy the Union. The his vote, a horse was procured for him, and men who preserved the Union at risk of life he was hurried forward with all the motive house of God, if living to-day, is a traitor and fortune don't think that rebels and rebel sympathizers are just the parties to be his "Democratic" ballot. The same men entrusted with power at present. They who voted Bradley then are now trying to fled to Canada to enjoy the protection of a think it better not to be in too much of a dupe you into the belief that negro suffrage foreign Government, is and ought to be a hurry, that they who fought through four is the issue. Why these fellows would vote Copperhead. years of bloody war to get out of the Union the dirtiest negro in existence if he voted may profit by a short probation, say long the Copperhead ticket, yes, they would vote enough to exhibit at least some slight indi- old Nick himself to secure success. Could cations of repentance before they are even they induce the negroes, the ignorant negroes as they call them, to vote the Copperhead ticket, they would be the most ardent advocates of negro suffrage. But that's patient waiting now may save years of future what's the matter, they can't do it. And now we would ask, did the voting of Bradley degrade any body in St. Clair township? Whom the Copperheads want to vote.

They want Mengel Reed to vote, who voluntarily joined the rebel army, and who any particular class or party be granted held out as an inducement to get into said manner, shape or form is a Coppe special privileges, but they will ask that the army that he was acquainted with every foot leader to the extent of his intelligence. of territory in this section of Southern Pennand that the loyal men of the South shall sylvania and would be of great service to rule the South and be secured in all their them in procuring horses and cattle and rights. As soon as this is done, and no soon- guiding them through the country. Farmers of Bedford county, you whose horses and cattle he meant to have directed into the hands of the rebels, do you think he is entitled to a vote?

They want John P. Reed, jr. to vote, his prother, who skedaddled to Canada to avoid the draft and afterwards killed poor Jacob Crouse, a faithful officer. Lovers of law and order do you think he ought to vote?

They want Roland to vote, the murderer of Lieut. Josiah Baughman. Patriots who have passed through a hundred battles, do you think he is entitled to a vote?

They want every Deserter, Skedaddler and Bounty-jumper to vote, from lake Erie to the Delaware. Soldiers and loyal men, you who poured out your blood and treasure like water, do you think they are entitled to a vote? Keep your eye on this class at the

counting of the Soldiers' Vote in 1862.

The soldiers will recollect that the Bedord Gazette of October 24, 1862, contained in regard to the counting of the soldiers vote, the following extract: "THEY [the authorities] WILL HAVE TO MEET TWO THOUSAND STALWART tricks don't seem to help them any. They close of the conflict, to lay deep the founda- MEN FROM THE HILLS OF OLD are trusted neither by the President nor the tions of a lasting peace. The guardianship BEDFORD, EACH WITH A RIFLE people. Their situation just now finds illus. and administration of conquests are never ON HIS SHOULDER AND AT LEAST tration in the following fable. A wolf committed to the vanquished or the unfaith- FIFTY BULLETS IN HIS SHOT

What a sight it would have been to be I'm a wolf." "You a wolf, let me hear you the tories or the cowboys. The great Re- hold the skedaddlers, skulkers, &c., marchbark." "I can't bark exactly right, I've publican party, vital with energy, instinct ing out to resist the authorities!! These got a bad cold." "But your clothes don't with patriotism and love of freedom, the look like a wolf's." "Oh! mine were stogreat party which achieved the victory, a- eh? They have no bullets for you now but hope to induce you to take their ballots. Will you do it?

THE SAME OLD CRY.

Soldiers remember that the same cry of "negro suffrage" and "negro equality" that is now raised so vehemently by the Copperhead party, was used last August by the same men against the Amendment giving soldiers the right of suffrage. They professed to fear that the amendment would give negroes the right to vote and used it as an argument against the soldiers among their ignorant and bigoted followers. Their cry means no more now. Their record shows that they will give the negro the right of suffrage wherever and whenever they can make political capital by such a course.

Pauper vote counted.

The Copperhead leaders threw out the entire soldier vote last fall to secure the election of Meyers and Findley, but they made strenuous efforts, successful efforts, to get the pauper vote in. Soldiers, how do you like to be put beneath the paupers in privia soldier." The law of Congress the su- leges? Remember that the men who did preme law of the land, disfranchises him this are fawning and smiling upon you to dewhen he makes himself a deserter. We re- ceive you into the belief that they are your friends. Spurn them as you would a loath. some disease. Out upon the soldier who can vote the Copperhead ticket.

WORDS vs. DEEDS.

WORDS.

"Resolved, That the gallant soldiers of the Republic, who so nobly risked their lives in defence of the Union, and the Contution merit and will receive the undying gratitude of the American people. Livin they shall live in our warmest affections and, dying their memories will be cherished

ocratic Platform. DEEDS.

On the 6th of January, 1864, Mr. Lowry ffered the following resolution in our State

Senate:-Resolved, By the Senate, that the thanks of the loyal people of Pennsylvania are due and are hereby tendered to General U. S. Grant and the officers and soldiers serving under him, for the series of gallant services and glorious victories resulting in the libera-tion of the faithful Union people of East Tennessee from a military despotism more galling than ever was that of Great Britain.

On the question, will the Senate proceed to a second reading of the resolutions? the

YEAS—Messrs. Champneys, Connell, Dunlap, Fleming, Graham, Hoge, Householder, Johnson, Lowry, McCandless, Nichols, Ridgway, Turrell, Wilson, Worthington and Penny, Speaker—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Beardsdale, Bucher, Clymer, Donovan, Glatz, Hopkins, Kinsley, Lamberton, Latta, McSherry, Montgomery, Reily, Smith, Stark, Stein, and Wallace— YEAS-Messrs. Champneys, Connell.

So the question was determined in the to-day professing such love for the soldiers. provisions to pay it.

Who the Copperheads are. There is no difficulty in ciphering out who

the Copperheads are, if our people will only REMEMBER, that every barn burner, who, in the deep darkness of the night, a vote, and annually he was marched to the property of Union men, is a rabid Copper-

REMEMBER, that the heathenish in prompted by the spirit of the devil, stealth-

REMEMBER, that every deserter who

REMEMBER, that every skedaddler who secreted himself for months in the "pine clad hills" of the old Keystone State, is to-day a living, breathing, blathering Copperhead.

REMEMBER, that every skulker who a bye-word and a reproach. found his way to the caves of our rugged mountains, with loads of weapons, who threatened death and destruction on all hands, and then ran away from his shadow,

is a blatant Copperhead.

REMEMBER, that every man who has desired the success of the rebellion, who aided, abetted and countenanced it in any manner, shape or form is a Copperhead

REMEMBER, that those who secretly met for the purpose of organizing resist ence to the draft in Napier and St. Clair townships, are to-day, true to their instincts, in the Copperhead ranks.

The Trail of the Copperhead

How we know him. Our loyal people will have no difficult, in following this reptile and spotting him if they will only

all, ardently sympathized with the traitorthose in the custody of the United States with all the carnestness of their souls.

REMEMBER, that the stars and stripes he emblem of our nationality, was scoffed at by them, torn from appropriate places, and supplanted by the "red white and red," the mblems of organized treason.

REMEMBER, that the "Star Spangled Banner," "Red, White and Blue," &c., were forced to give way to the favorite airs of the rebels. Yes, who does not remember how night was made hideous by the singing of "Maryland, my Maryland," "The to it their assistance. Bonny Blue Flag," &c.?

All the old leaders of the Democratic party now active Union men.

The Copperheads who now hang to the old organization because they do not desire

REMEMBER, that every 'truly loyal man has been driven from the party. We cite a few prominent names, Hon. John Cessna, William M. Hall, Esq., John W. Lingenfelter, Esq., Moses A. Points, Esq., Henry J. Bruner, Esq., and there are any number of others which we can name.

The Copperheads contemplated general assassination.

The law-abiding people of this County annot fail to

REMEMBER, that hundreds of pistols and other deadly weapons were imported into Bedford county, and carried by the members of this same party, to shoot Union men, for no other reason than that they were in favor of suppressing armed treason.

600 Copperheads Skedaddle.

The good and true people of this neck 'e woods well

REMEMBER, that no less than 600 of this party refused to report when drafted and skedaddled to the mountains, skulked York away in caves or fled to Canada.

Copperheads shoot at Enrolling officers.

The soldiers who were in the front jeopwas made to assist them from the rear, will lives because they undertook to enforce a inate soldiers.

The Copperheads curse Ministers of the Gospel.

The religious people of this community, who have been here for the last four years, will not fail to

REMEMBER, that ministers of the gospel were reviled, condemned and persecuted because they prayed for the preservation of the institutions of our fathers.

body to exclude the sol-diers from the right of suffrage.

The soldiers who are now flattered and etted by the Copperheads will please REMEMBER, that the Copperhead party in a body voted to exclude the soldier from the right of suffrage, and that they kicked men out of the party, who had the manliness to disobey the order of the leaders and vote the soldiers this privilege.

Meyers wore a Copperhead badge. The soldiers who are appointed officers at

Copperhead meetings will

REMEMBER, that the men who are now flattering them, wore, during their absence in the army, the Copperhead badge, the emblem of sympathy and treason. The Gazette under date of May 8, 1863, says: We wore, when in Philadelphia, a Democratic badge, -a head of liberty, cut out of a copper cent. And, now, we give notice, that we will wear whatever ornaments we please."

Copperheads run the county in debt \$16,000. The tax-payers of Bedford county will

have no trouble to REMEMBER, that the Copperhead managers of the monetary affairs of Bed-

REMEMBER, that \$755.24 was added

Jacob Crouse was murdered in obedience to the orders of

the Bedford Gazette. Who that has read the Bedford Gazette

REMEMBER, that Deputy Provost Marshal Jacob Crouse was murdered in bedience to the dictates of these same leaders who said "Let that man, [the Provost Marshal] whoever he may be, make up his mind that he cannot live a peaceful life, nor die an honorable death.'

The Copperheads responsible for the condition of the

Poor House. The humane citizens who shudder at the right of the Poor House have only to REMEMBER, that under the adminis tration of this party the Poor House of naval service, all persons who have Bedford county, which ought to be a decent asylum for the aged and infirm, has becon

There are no grades of Copper- report themselves to a Provost headism.

There is no excuse for acting with treaon's champions known as Copperheads, it will be

REMEMBERED, that the individual who indentifies himself with the Copperhead organization is as much responsible for the party as if he were a principal actor.

Copperhead teachings murdered Josiah Baughman.

The shock which our people received at the announcement of the death of the much admired Lieut. Baughman will never be orgotten, but our people

REMEMBER, that the life of Lieut. Josiah Baughman was taken, while performing his duty, in strict accordance with the secret teachings of the Copperhead leaders. and that if the creature who murdered REMEMBER, that the leaders, one and him were to-day arrested and lodged in jail for this heinous crime, he would be feasted, ous rebels, and that they now plead for by the treason worshipping portion of the

The Copperhead Barnburners.

The loyal men of Bedford county before easting their votes on the 10th of October

REMEMBER, that the barns of Union men were burned, their lives threatened, and their families intimidated because they asked the Government to assert the supremacy of the laws, and were willing to give

Copperheads burn Churches and School-houses.

The God-fearing and intelligence-loving cople of Bedford county will REMEMBER, that Churches and schoolouses were burned because men who loved their country, met there to worship God.

DEMOCRATIC LOVE FOR SOLDIERS.

The fe llowing table embraces all the decidedly democratic counties in this State. In the first column we give the counties; in the second the character of the county tickets nominated therein:

Character of county ticket. Counties. Not a soldier on the ticket. Adams ... Berks, Only one soldier offered as a candidate in County Convention, and he was

	defeated.	Confedition, and	
•	Cambria	Not a soldier on the	tick
	Carbon		
	Centre	11	
8	Clarion	**	
1	Clearfield		
0	Cumberland		
	Columbia		
1	Fayette		
9			
1	Greene		
	Lehigh	11	
19	Luzerne		
	Lycoming		
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)	Montgomery		
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f	Northumberland		
1	Schuylkill	the second that the second	
	Wayne	44	
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These counties all gave majorities for McClellan last year, and are all moderately certain to elect the democratic tickets this year; yet in all these, where it was possible for the democrats to show their regard for ordizing all they held sacred, when an effort the soldier by giving him office, not a sin- that REMEMBER, that enrolling officers were is only in counties that are doubtful, or where election shall knowingly reject the shot at, and narrowly escaped with their they have no power to elect that they nom-

> On the contrary, in the Republican counties, a fair share of the nominations has been awarded to the soldiers, and in some counties, such as Huntingdon and Somerset, where a nomination is equal to an election, every nomination has been given to soldiers. There is not a Republican county ticket in the State that has not several soldiers on it. the State that has not several solders on it. This is the crucial test of sincerity: and the Democrats, by refusing to nominate soldiers where they have the power to elect, have shown that no soldier shall get office, through their instrumentality, where they can help it.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

WHY SOLDIERS SHOULD VOTE THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

An exchange thus sums up the arguments that may be urged as potent reasons why the soldiers, particularly, should vote the Dem-

1st. Did we not oppose the war for the reservation of the Union, and refuse to tote a man or a dollar to support it? revolvers and to resist and shoot down the officers of the Government while trying to

enforce the law? 4th. Did not many of us run away to Can-ada to avoid aiding our country in her extremity?
5th. Did we not shoot down officers who

were endeavoring to recruit your armies?
6th. Did we not denounce the war which you called a glorious attempt to save the Union, as a damnable crusade, and the soldiers as Lincoln hirelings, Lincoln dogs,

murderers, &c.
7th. Did not many of us wish that you might all be shot and never again reach your omes? 8th. Did we not create riots in New York

and other places in favor of the rebels, and organize secret societies throughout the North in favor of the same? 9th. Did we not declare that the President of the United States was a tyrant, a monster, a usurper, and wish some bold hand would take his life?

DESERTERS

SKEDADDLERS DISFRANCHISED

\$200 fine for taking their votes EVERY BOARD THAT RECEIVES THEIR VOTES SHALL BE PROSECUTED!

Congress, approved March 3, 1865, provides as follows:

SECTION 21 .-- And be it further enacted, That in addition to the other lawful penalties of the crime of desertion from the military and deserted the military or naval service of the United States, who shall not return to said service or Marshal within sixty days after the proclamation hereinafter mentioned, shall be deemed and taken to have voluntarily relinquished and forfeited their rights of citizenship, and their rights to become citizens; and such deserters shall be forever incapable of holding any office of trust or profit under the United States, or of exercising any rights of citizens thereof; and all persons who shall hereafter desert the military or naval service, and all persons who being duly enrolled, shall depart the jurisdiction of the district in which he is enrolled, or go beyond the limits of the United

States, with intent to avoid any draft into the military or naval service, duly ordered, shall be liable to the penalties of this section. And the President is hereby authorized and required forthwith, on the passage of this act, to such other organizations as they may be assigned to, until they shall have served for a period of time equal to their original term of enlistment,"

In obedience to the latter clause of this section, the President of the United States, on the 11th day of March, 1865, issued his proclamation "ordering and requiring" all deserters to return to their posts; or to report themselves to Provost Marshals for duty, on or before the 11th day of May, 1865.

That proclamation and the act of Congress upon which it was based, were published in all the outboying a powerpapers of the 16th outboying is a list of the Bedford country soldiers who were disfranchised.

D. W. SNOWBERGER, M. Woodbury.

GEO. NICHAM, St. Clair. authorized newspapers of the 16th District. Thus all parties interested had full knowledge of their rights and ample warning of the penalty that would ensue in case they neglected to avail themselves of the privilege of reporting on or before the 11th day of May, 1865.

The I03d section of the general election act of Pennsylvania, approved July 2, I839, declares

election shall knowingly reject the vote of any qualified citizen or KNOWINGLY RECEIVE THE VOTE OF ANY PERSON NOT QUALIFIED, OR CONCEAL FROM HIS FELLOW OFFICERS ANY FACT IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF WHICH SUCH VOTE SHOULD BY LAW BE RECEIVED OR REJECTED, EACH OF THE PERSONS SO OFFENDING SHALL ON CONVICTION, BE PUNISHED IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE 107TH SECTION OF THIS ACT."

PRESCRIBED IN THE 107TH
SECTION OF THIS ACT."
And on referring to the Penalty
in the 107th section it says that
each such person "CONCERNED
THEREIN, SHALL, ON CONVICTION THEREOF, BE FINED
IN ANY SUM NOT LESS THAN FIFTY NOR MORE THAN TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS."

We now tell every Copperhead election officer in the county, if he receives such votes, we will prosecute him to the extent of 2d. Did we not oppose the various drafts which were ordered by the President for the purpose of recruiting your ranks and saving you and your comrades from being destroyed by the rebel army?

3d. Did we not advise our followers to buy above and to resist and shoot down the ward the same with the name of the officer taking the vote, to the Chairman of the Union County Committee.

> The State Election took place in Maine on the 11th. The majority for the Republican candidates is about 15,000, Mr. Cony being re-elected Governor. Franklin Sterns, the well known Unionist

chmond, is announced as a candidate for the Legislature. The New-York Republican State Convention will convene at Syracuse on the 20th.

The Reverend Charles Finney, the celebrated revivalist, has resigned the Presidency of Oberlin College on account of advanced

SOLDIERS READ!

THE NAMES OF THE SOL DIERS DEFRAUDED!

B. F. Meyers and O. E. Shannon throw out these votes to elect their Congressman.

The 21st section of the act of THE MOST ASTOUNDING FRAUDS:

We copy the following extract from the eport of the Legislative committee appoint ed to inquire into the frauds practiced upon soldiers and leave it to speak for itself.

"The great end and aim of the law were to nsure, to the soldier on duty, the exercise of that elective franchise which was enjoyed of that elective franchise which was enjoyed by his fellow citizens at home. The Constitution of the State guaranteed this to him. The people of the State declared, by a majority of nearly one hundred thousand at the ballot box, that he should be permitted to exercise this right. While these one hundred and thirty-nine soldiers were carrying the flag of the country, and defending her cause at the time these votes were being counted, a petty tyrant, like the prothonotary of a county, by malignity or stupidity, assuming. county, by malignity or stupidity, assuming, to himself, powers and jurisdiction which did not belong to him, overturns their will, and absolutely disfranchises the whole number.

absolutely disfranchises the whole number.

Much of the evidence went to convict Mr.

Shannon of bad faith in the premises. He called, as a witness, Major D. Washabaugh, to prove that he had sent to Harrisburg to get these returns, or an explanation of them, so that (as he alleged) they might be counted. But, unfortunately for him, his witness testified that a full and satisfactory explanation had been discovered and made to him. These returns were duly copied, certified by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and said copies handed to Mr. Shannon on the day before the meeting of return judges. Again, after the argument before him on Friday morning, in the prothonotary's office, he declared that he would go home and decide the question and prepare his certificate. Before he started it was proved, by several witnesses, and especially his own clerk, that he sent for B. F. Meyers, Esq., one of the attorneys for General Coffroth, and one of the candidates for the Legislature, that he did not go home, as he declared he would, but carried his papers up stairs, and there had Mr. Meyers with him from an hour to an hour and a half, until the whole business was pleted. tion had been discovered and made to him.

He absolutely refused, even after demand with, on the passage of this act, to issue his proclamation setting forth the provisions of this section, in which proclamation the President is requested to notify all deservers returning within sixty days as aforesaid, that they shall be pardoned on conditon of returning to their regiments and companies or the provisions of this section, in writing, to make copies of those returns, and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not returns, and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not returns, and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns then subtracted such as in his view were not returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not "such returns," and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not "such returns," and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not "such returns," and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not "such returns," and made out only a general table of all the returns in his own way, leaving nothing whatever for the judges to do. He added up all the returns, then subtracted such as in his view were not "such returns," and made one general certificate for the aggregate. Not satisfied to stop here, but disregarding or forgetting every sense of some length of the province of the province of the a of some length to prevent them from re-ceiving the two returns which he had rejec-ted, (certified copies of which were sent by the Secretary of the Commonwealth,) and argued to the board that they had no right as he gave them. This effort, strangely in-consistent with his allegation that he had sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth for copies and explanations, in order that these returns might be counted. After the argument closed before the board of return judges, upon the suggestion of the attorney for Gen. Koontz, the room was cleared in order that the the judges might decide for themselves. Scarcely had this been done, when it became apparent that some of those who had been counted upon to aid in carry-ing out this infamous fraud were alarmed by what they had heard in the argument; when Mr. Shannon again comes to the rescue; and having been sent for by a few of the more faithful, actually remained with the board until the whole work had been consumma.

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DEMOCRACY KNOCKED IN THE HEAD.

Nothing proves how completely the Democracy are beaten at the late State elections in Maine and Vermont. In the first State, very of the United States was a tyrant, a monster, a usurper, and wish some bold hand would take his life?

10th. And did we not finally by our treasonable language, succeed in bringing about the murder of Abraham Lincoln?

After such a showing as this it will indeed by strange if the Union Soldiers refuse to vote the "Democratic" ticket.

of Oberlin College on account of advanced age.

The State Board of Education of Connecticut will insist that the law shall be enforced which forbids employing children under fifteen years of age in any business, unless they shall have attended school at least three months of the twelve next preceding any and every year in which they shall be employed, under a penalty of \$25 for each offense.